



stanton park neighborhood association news

CALENDAR

**NOV
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Coat Drive

Saturday, 8:00 AM–2:00 PM

Eastern Market, at 7th Street and North Carolina Avenue SE.

Boy Scouts from Troop 500 and adult volunteers will be on hand to receive your coats and distribute them to charitable organizations that serve the Capitol Hill community. Call Bill Hirzy at 544-3998 for more information.

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Stanton Park Neighborhood Association Meeting

Monday, 7:30 PM

Northeast Branch Library, at 7th Street and Maryland Avenue NE.

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ANC 6C Meeting

Wednesday, 7:00 PM

National Public Radio boardroom, 635 Massachusetts Avenue NW

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ANC 6A Meeting

Thursday, 7:00 PM

Miner Elementary School, at 16th and F Streets NE

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Dirty Hands Club Holiday Show and Sale

Sunday, 11:00 AM–4:00 PM

208 Ninth Street NE

Pottery and handmade craft items by eight Capitol Hill artists.

SPNA Meeting Moved, To Be Held December 6: Hear from Abdo on the Children's Museum

Due to Thanksgiving weekend, the usual date for the November meeting will be delayed one week to Monday, December 6 at 7:30 PM at the Northeast Library. Jim Abdo is scheduled to discuss his proposed renovation of the historic structures and new residential construction for the 470 residential condominiums. The Planned Unit Development is scheduled

for a public hearing before the Zoning Commission on Thursday, January 20, 2005 at 6:30 PM at the Office of Zoning Hearing Room (441 Fourth Street, Suite 220-S). This is a critically important project for the revitalization of the H Street Commercial Corridor and the realization of the H Street Strategic Development Plan.

ANC Election Results Are In!

Advisory Neighborhood Commissioners are unpaid elected officials who represent citizens' concerns before the DC government. ANCs consider a wide range of policies and programs affecting their neighborhoods, including traffic, parking, recreation, street improvements, liquor licenses, zoning, economic development, police protection, sanitation and trash collection, and the District's annual budget. Your ANC commissioner may be able to help you if you're having a problem with the city.

The winners of the recent ANC elections in SPNA's boundaries are listed below. ANC 6A covers the area of Stanton Park east of 8th Street, NE while ANC 6C represents the area of Stanton Park west of 8th Street. If you're not sure which ANC district you are in, go to hstreetdc.com/neighmap and choose the buttons on the bottom for ANC map.

6A02	Joe Fengler 815 F Street NE 423-8868
6A03	Cody Rice 310 9th Street NE 544-3734
6C05	Anthony Rivera 817 4th Street NE 544-0859
6C06	Mike Sherman 618 F Street NE #2 270-8650
6C07	Bill Crews 637 Constitution Avenue NE 547-4151
6C08	Karen Wirt 234 E Street NE 547-7168

Want to know more about SPNA?

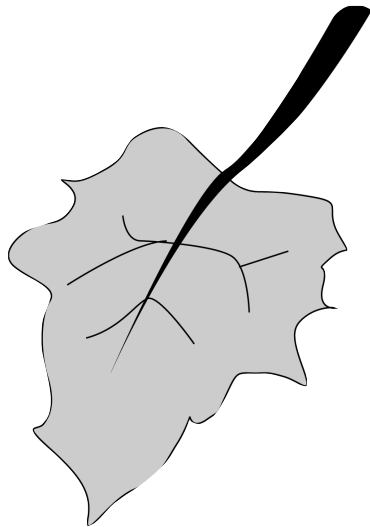
Want to know what happened at the last meeting? Find out more about how you can get involved?

All this and more available on the SPNA Web site:

www.stantonpark.org

Vehicle Registration/Parking Permit Renewal Problems

Check your vehicle registration and residential parking permit for expiration in the months of November and December. Computer problems at the DMV have caused failures with the notification process. The agency says it expects to have the problems resolved by the end of the year, but until then it is up to you to verify that your registration and parking permit is in order. At least at the moment, you cannot renew on line or by mail, so you will likely have to visit one of the DMV service centers. Bring all your automobile information and (with luck) the renewal should take only a short period of time.



Sweet Dreams at Last— Parking Rules Eased at Night

If you have had trouble parking near your house late at night, the City Council has passed legislation that may help. Between the hours of 10:00 PM and 7:30 AM, vehicles displaying a valid residential parking permit may park, within a designated residential permit parking zone: (a) 25 feet from the intersection (instead of the usual 40 feet); (b) in loading zones, except loading zones used by hotels; and (c) in entrances, except hospital entrances. The legislation can be found at: www.dccouncil.washington.dc.us/images/00001/20020422125457.pdf

Money for the Asking!

There are various groups on Capitol Hill offering grants for worthwhile purposes. The Advisory Neighborhood Commissions (ANCs) offer grants for community purposes. Applicants must submit a written proposal, describing the proposed project, the expected public benefits, and the total cost of the project including other sources of funding. A grant request must be made by an organization proposing to provide services that are public in nature and benefit persons who reside or work within the Commission area. The services proposed should not duplicate those that are already performed by the District government.

Grants are made to groups such as PTAs to fund activities such as computer literacy programs, musical instruction programs or local cultural education field trips, and neighborhood civic associations for activities of a public nature that benefit the ANC area. Grants are not made to an individual or for non-public purposes, where the funds will be used to purchase food and/or entertainment or to support festivals, or where services are provided for personal gain. ANC grant applications are accepted year-round.

Information on ANC 6A grants can be found by going to its Web site at: www.anc6a.org and following the links to "Other Documents" and then "ANC6A Grant Request Application Form," or from Elizabeth Nelson at 543-3512 or via e-mail at: Elizabeth_knits@yahoo.com. Some recent ANC 6A grant recipients include the Kingsman Basketball League (for jerseys, ball, and equipment), the Capitol Hill Cluster School PTA (for a festival tent for the Renovators House Tour ticket sales), and the KidsPower Atlas Theater Project at Miner Elementary (for equipment and supplies).

Information on ANC 6C grants is available by contacting Bill Crews (chair of the ANC 6C Grants Committee) at 547-4151 or via e-mail at: crewsanc6c07@aol.com; or write to: ANC 6C, PO Box 77678, Washington, DC 20013.

The Capitol Hill Community Foundation offers funding to projects in the areas of education, enrichment for children, the arts, social services, enhancement of the physical environment and anything else that benefits people who live and work on Capitol Hill. Applications for the \$10,000 Arnold Keller, Jr. Award are due November 26. Applications for the Spring Grants of up to \$2,500 are due April 1. The Foundation also offers mini-grants of up to \$350 year around. For information, contact Stephanie Deutsch at 547-8624 or via e-mail at: scd@his.com, or check their Web site at www.capitolhillcommunityfoundation.org.

Stanton Park Neighborhood Association Registration Form 2004-2005

[SPNA Membership Year: September 1, 2004 - August 31, 2005]

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ (day) _____ (eve)

E-mail: _____ Would you like to receive the SPNA newsletter via e-mail?

Single Annual membership (\$10) \$ _____

Household Annual membership (\$18) \$ _____

Household Lifetime membership (\$250) \$ _____

Tax-deductible SPNA scholarship donation \$ _____

GRAND TOTAL \$ _____

Signature: _____

Want to get more involved?

Let us know if you'd be interested in working on any of these SPNA committees:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Land use | <input type="checkbox"/> Membership |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Environment | <input type="checkbox"/> Newsletter/Web |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Scholarship review | <input type="checkbox"/> Annual dinner/special activities |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Traffic and Security Committee | |



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