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Portland Downtown N'hood Yard Sale, July 18th

Living downtown, there's access to entertainment venues and museums. You have grocery and department stores within blocks. There's a mall and retail shops for every occasion within Fareless Square.

However, living in the city can be isolating. It's possible to live next door to people for years without getting to know them. Come bridge the gap between neighbors, neighborliness and friends at the Portland Downtown Neighborhood Association (PDNA) Yard Sale:

Date: Saturday, July 18th

Time: 9:00 am - 5:00 p.m.

Place: South Park Block between Clay & Market

The neighborhood is offering spaces for \$20 to Downtown residents. The proceeds will be used for future neighborhood projects. Spaces are approximately 6 feet long.

Registration is open now! Register and pay for your space at the Umpqua Bank, SW Jefferson & SW 10th Avenue, Monday through Friday from 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. or Saturday from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Share a space with a neighbor to enjoy some shopping yourself. There are 70 spaces available. Site location is on a first-come-first-serve basis.

Rent a table for an additional \$7.50. Contact information will be found on your registration receipt.

Pets, alcohol and smoking are not allowed at the Sale.

Volunteers of America (VOA) will be on hand at 5 p.m. to pick up unsold items for donation. VOA can not accept large appliances like



refrigerators, stoves, washers or dryers. If you have furniture too large for a rummage sale, consider donating to Community Warehouse (www.communitywarehouse.org).

We're looking forward to a day filled with fun and neighborliness. Please consider volunteering for set-up or clean-up. To volunteer or if you have questions, please contact Angela at angela@nwnw.org or at 503.823.4211.

Neighborhood Meetings

Sylvan Highlands

Board Meeting
Tuesday, June 9th
7:00 p.m.



Sylvan Fire Station on Skyline

Agenda

- ☛ Welcome
- ☛ Approve Minutes
- ☛ Treasurers Report
- ☛ New Board Member(s)
- ☛ Autumn Montegna, Portland's Parks and Rec Department
 - ☛ City tree policy
 - ☛ Health of trees
 - ☛ Invasive species
 - ☛ Arborists offering trainings
- ☛ Public Safety Committee
 - ☛ Communications funds
 - ☛ Signs / Safety Cards
 - ☛ Neighborhood Watch
- ☛ July General Meeting planning
- ☛ Land Use Review Process

Portland Downtown

Annual Meeting & Elections
Monday, June 15th
7:30 p.m.

Loaves & Fishes on
11th & Main



Portland Downtown membership will be electing new board members.

Forest Park

Board Meeting
Open to all Forest Park neighbors!
Tuesday, June 16
7:00 p.m.
Willis Building, 360 NW Greenleaf



Agenda

- ☛ Update & Board discussion of FPNA website concept
- ☛ Garlic Mustard drop off site for 2010: Fire Station or Grange?
- ☛ Decide on time and place for summer potluck
- ☛ New business

For more information about Forest Park Neighborhood Association, please contact Jim Emerson, FPNA President, 503-283-4096.

Pearl District

Foot Patrol Training
Tuesday, June 23rd
6:00 p.m.



Pacific NW College of Art
NW Johnson & 13th
Join your neighbors! This training will be facilitated by Frank Silva, the City of Portland's NW Crime Prevention Program Coordinator.



Hillside 4th of July Parade & Picnic



Come one, come all! Decorate bikes, trikes or wagons and join in the parade or meet us at the Hillside Community Center for food, fun and festivities. The parade starts at 11 AM at the corner of NW Powhatan and NW Cumberland.

The picnic begins shortly thereafter at the Hillside Community Center. The Hillside Neighborhood Association provides hot dogs, chips, soda, and utensils. Many neighbors choose to participate in a potluck. Last names beginning with A-L please bring a salad; M-Z, a dessert.

Highlight: NINA

The Northwest Industrial Neighborhood Association (NINA) held a May 2009 Annual Meeting, recognizing recent accomplishments. NINA received the Emergency Management Disaster Committee Award from the City of Portland for putting on a business emergency preparedness fair and for assembling and testing Fire Station Radio Kits. NINA members also learned about the Portland Development Commission's (PDC) New Economic Strategy programs and the benefits for NINA businesses. The emphasis of PDC's strategy was to help expand community markets by focusing on alternative energy and "GREEN" technologies such as wind, solar, and geothermal. New businesses can partner existing businesses as vendors. NINA Board Members Greg Madden, Madden Fabrication and Pamela Ake, Accounting Connections, have had a long history of collaboration with neighboring NINA businesses. "It's all about partnership!" declared Ms. Ake. NINA members provide over 35,000 family-wage jobs. For more information about NINA, email board@ninapdx.org.

Preparations for ODOT summer repaving of I-405 starts in June. Find program details at:

www.oregon.gov/ODOT/HWY/REGION1/I405

Or contact Mike Mason, ODOT, Community Affairs
michael.w.mason@odot.state.or.us (503) 731-8246

Linnton Neighborhood Update

Upcoming Meetings

The Linnton Neighborhood Association will discuss and prioritize community concerns regarding the proposed sale of the 24-acre Linnton Plywood Association mill site at the Wednesday, July 1st general meeting, 7:00 p.m., Linnton Community Center at NW 107th Ave and St. Helens Rd.

BP America is paying attention to the concerns of neighborhood residents, environmental organizations, and government regulators as reported in the NW Examiner, (April 2009). It is important for the LNA to have community concerns identified for future dialogue with BP and other stakeholders.

We'll consider work the Linnton Vision Group has developed on the pros and cons of the proposed sale.

A LNA board meeting will also be

held Wednesday, June 17, 7:00 p.m. at LCC to prepare for the BP sale discussion at the July meeting. For more information, contact Brian Hoop, LNA Chair, 503-475-6056.

Community Swap & Sale

A Linnton Community Swap and Sale will be held Saturday, June 13 from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. at the Linnton Community Center.

Event organizer Nancy Hamer says, "People can bring anything they want and swap or sell it. Anything left at the end of the day will be donated to the Scappoose Senior Thrift Store."

There is no charge to participate, have a table or floor space. All are invited to a Noon barbeque to meet their neighbors, check out improvements and find out about community center programs. For info: Nancy Hamer, 503-286-7752.

Arlington Heights Neighborhood Association

Join the Arlington Yahoo Group.
Send blank email: AHNAdiscussion-subscribe@yahoogroups.com.

BOARD MEETING

Monday, June 8th
5:30 p.m.

Sylvan Fire Station
1713 SW Skyline Blvd
Meeting may be cancelled.
Call 503.82.4211
to confirm.



Forest Park Neighborhood Association

Contact: Jim Emerson
503-283-4096

BOARD MEETING

Tuesday, June 16th
7:00 p.m.

Willis Community Center
360 Northwest Greenleaf



Goose Hollow Foothills League

For electronic notices, email
angela@nwnw.org

Contact: NWNW 503 823-4211

Planning and Zoning Committee

Thursday, June 11th
7:00 p.m.

First United Methodist
Church, 1838 SW Jefferson

NEIGHBORHOOD MEETING

Thursday, June 18th
7:00 p.m.

MAC, 1849 SW Salmon



Hillside Neighborhood Association

Contact: NWNW 503 823-4212
www.hillsidena.org

BOARD MEETING

Tuesday, June 9th
7:30 p.m.

Hillside Community Center
653 NW Culpepper Dr

4th of July Parade & Picnic

Saturday, July 4th
11:00 a.m.

Parade starts at NW Powhatan &
Cumberland Picnic to follow at
the community center.



Linnton Neighborhood Association

<http://www.linnton.com>

Meetings held at the Linnton
Community Center
10614 NW St. Helens Road

LINNTON BOARD MEETING

Wednesday, June 17th
7:00 p.m.

Linnton Town Meeting

Wednesday, July 1st
7:00 p.m.

Potluck at 6:30 p.m.



Northwest District Association

Questions, Concerns? Call the Neighbor-
hood Hotline at 503 823-4288 x7.
www.northwestdistrictassociation.org

BOARD MEETING

Monday, June 15th
6:00 p.m.

CoHo Theater
2257 NW Raleigh St

Executive Committee

Wednesday, June 10th
8:15 a.m.

NWNW, 2257 NW Raleigh St.

Planning Committee

Thursdays, June 4th, 11th and
18th, 25th, 8:00 a.m.

Call to Confirm 503 823-4212

Transportation

Committee

Wednesday, June 3rd
6:00 p.m.

NW Library
2300 NW Thurman

Health & Environment

Committee

Monday, June 8th
7:00 p.m.

2217 NW Johnson

Public Safety & Livability

Wednesday, June 10th
11:00 a.m. at MLC Room 117

Parks & Public Spaces

Thursday, June 11th
10:00 a.m.

Meet at Couch Park Playground
For questions – Tanya March
march@pdx.edu

Monthly Litter Patrol

Saturday, June 13th
9:00 - 10:30 a.m.

Meet at Food Front
2375 NW Thurman



Northwest Heights Neighborhood Association

Contact: Charlie Clark
503 459-3610 or
NWNW at 503 823-4212

Contact us for more information
about your neighborhood or for
volunteer opportunities!



Northwest Industrial Neighborhood Association

Contact: NWNW at 503 823-4212
www.ninapdx.org

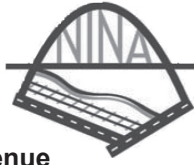
NINA MEETING

Tuesday, June 9th
7:00 Meet & Greet

7:30 a.m. Meeting

La Quinta

4319 NW Yeon Avenue



Old Town Chinatown Neighborhood Association

www.oldtownchinatown.net

GENERAL MEETING

Tuesday, June 2nd

4:30 p.m. University of Oregon
70 NW Couch

Business Ass'n

Thursday, June 18th
11:30 a.m.

Central City Concern
232 NW 6th

Arts, Culture and History Committee

Tuesday, June 16th
11:30 a.m.

Oregon Nikkei Legacy Cntr, 121
NW 2nd Ave

Land Use Committee

Tuesday, June 16th
3:00 p.m., Central City Concern

Communications Committee

Monday, June 22nd

5:30 p.m., For location, email: vicechair@oldtownchinatown.com

Public Safety Committee

Wednesday, June 24th
1:00 p.m., Central City Concern

Pearl District Neighborhood Association

www.pearldistrict.org

Contact: Joan Pendergast
503 226-0612

BOARD MEETING

Thursday, June 11th
6:00 p.m.

Irving Street Lofts Community Rm
1314 NW Irving St

Livability Committee

Monday, June 1 & 15th 6:00 p.m.

Bank of America
1245 NW Lovejoy
(Use 13th Avenue side entrance.)

Planning & Transportation Committee

Tuesday, June 16th
6:00 p.m.

Irving Street Lofts Community Rm

Communication Committee

Thursday, June 4th
1:00 p.m.

Laughing Planet
721 NW 9th

Pearl Party Planning Committee

Tuesdays, May 9th & 23rd
5:30 p.m.

Paragon Restaurant
NW Hoyt & 13th

Foot Patrol Training

Tuesday, June 23rd
6:00 p.m.

Pacific NW College of Art
NW Johnson & 13th



Portland Downtown Neighborhood Association

Contact: Steve Trujillo
971 230-0030

Board Meeting:

Monday, June 15th
6:20 p.m.

Loaves & Fishes
1032 SW Main Street
(enter on 11th Avenue)
followed by:

ANNUAL MEETING & ELEC- TIONS

Monday, June 15th 7:30 p.m.

Land Use & Transportation Committee

Monday, June 8th
6:00 p.m.

Elliot Tower, 1221 SW 10th Ave
3rd floor meeting room



Sylvan-Highlands Neighborhood Association

For transportation issues, contact:

Dave Malcolm

dmpdx101@comcast.net
503 805-9587

Board Meeting

Tuesday, June 9th
7:00 p.m.

Sylvan Fire Station
1713 SW Skyline



Cornell Road Sustainability Coalition

Tuesday, June 23rd
6:00 p.m.

Audubon Society of Portland
NE Conference Room
5151 NW Cornell Road

Neighbors West- Northwest Coalition

BOARD MEETING

Wednesday, June 10th
5:30 p.m.

NW Library
2300 NW Thurman

Nob Hill Business Association

Contact: Kay Wolfe
503 227-0898 X1

Kay.Wolfe@HomeStreet.com

Board Meeting

Wednesday,
June 17th

5:30 - 7:00 p.m.
Food Front

2375 NW Thurman

