

April 2017 Newsletter

Union Hill Neighborhood Association

QUARTERLY MEETING

**TUESDAY,
MAY 3RD 6:30PM
AT
BRIDGEPORT
CHURCH
3101 GILLHAM PLZ.**

Agenda Items Streetcar Update

Aviation Committee Update

**KCPD Rep & Quarterly Crime
Report**

Union Hill Developer Update

Crown Center Redevelopment Plan

Union Hill Garden Tour Discussion

Union Cemetery Update

**Questions or Issues, Contact:
info@unionhillkc.com**

2017 UHNA Block Captains

Walnut-Kathy Burke and Carter Enyeart

Grand-Christine Marchewka, **volunteer**

McGee-Michael Donnelly

DeGross-Chris and Cathy Petersen

Oak-John Kennyhertz and Kevin Fewell

Union Hill Crime Patrol

The Union Hill Neighborhood Association (UHNA) hires off-duty KC police officers to patrol our neighborhood at **\$120 per shift** (1 officer for 4 hours at \$30/hour). These Crime Patrols are funded through voluntary contributions from the Union Hill Neighborhood.

To support our UH patrols, we request donations of **\$45** per quarter (\$15 per month) from our residents. You may bring the contribution to the next quarterly meeting or mail to following address: **107 E. 30th St. KCMO 641208**. Donation envelopes will be available at the meeting.

If you see suspicious neighborhood activity, do not hesitate to call 911 or 234-5111 for non-emergencies. Please also e-mail Sergeant Tim Hernandez at timothy.hernandez@kcpd.org and Chad Stewart at Chad.Stewart13@gmail.com. Please include "Union Hill" in the subject line and as much detail as possible in the email. If you wish to receive email alerts about activity in the neighborhood and info relayed from KCPD, please forward your email address to Chad Stewart at: Chad.Stewart13@gmail.com

Union Hill Garden Tour Scheduled

The 2017 Union Hill Garden Tour has been scheduled for Sunday, June 11 from 11am until 4pm. Volunteers are needed. If you would like to help plan this year's event, volunteer during the event and/or have your garden generously

included on the tour please contact your block captain. Their names are listed to the left. Front yards, back yards or both will be greatly appreciated. Proceeds from ticket sales help support the work of the UHNA and the UCHS.

UCHS Announces 2017 Events

The Union Cemetery Historical Society (UCHS) commemorates the 160th anniversary of Union Cemetery by announcing its event calendar for 2017. Please support your Union Cemetery and the UCHS by attending and/or volunteering for any or all of the events.

FOOD TRUCK FRIDAYS:

11:00am to 1:30pm

APRIL 14, MAY 19, JUNE 16, JULY 21, AUG 18, SEPT 15

The UCHS hosts area food trucks for the third year.

SPRING CLEAN UP: SATURDAY, MAY 6,
10AM TO 1PM

Come help prepare Union Cemetery for Kansas City's Plein Air painting festival on May 11 and Memorial Weekend.

HISTORICAL EPITAPHS:

SAT, MAY 20, 5:30PM TO 7PM

This new tour features all new characters.

MEMORIAL WEEKEND: MAY 27 THRU 29

MEMORIAL SERVICE: SAT, MAY 27,
11:30AM

TREE WALK: SUN, JUNE 11 (TENTATIVE)

UNION HILL GARDEN TOUR:

SUNDAY, JUNE 11

The UCHS partners with the Union Hill neighborhood in this yearly event. One half of ticket sales is donated to the UCHS.

HISTORICAL EPITAPHS: SAT, OCTOBER
14, 5:30PM TO 8PM

Our original guided tour/theatrical event

For more information visit our Facebook page or website: www.uchskc.org.

UHNA 2017 Board

A new board of directors was elected during the January quarterly UHNA meeting. The following is the 2017 UHNA board.

President-Ruben Alonso

Vice President-Kevin Fewell

Secretary-Chad Stewart

Treasurer-Monte Olsen

Christine Belew

John Kennyhertz

Gina Donnelly

Catherine Connelly

Thanks to all who volunteered to serve the UHNA this year.

A Request from Your Neighbors

If you have signed up for the Nextdoor social media site, you'll know that one of the hot topics lately has been pet owner manners regarding waste pick up in the various neighborhoods surrounding Union Hill. There seems to be an increased number of people who don't pick up after their dogs, according to comments on Nextdoor.

Union Hill has seen an increased number of canine residents over the past year. It is important, for the quality of the entire neighborhood, that we pet owners keep the parkways and vacant spaces clean. This includes Union Cemetery.

Please take time to clean up after your pet when walking through the neighborhood or cemetery. Waste bags are placed strategically throughout the neighborhood and the cemetery for your convenience.

Thank you for helping keep Union Hill clean!!