

NEIGHBORHOOD LEADERS!

This mailing includes the crime statistics and flyers that we believe are of interest to the residents of your area. Please forward this information to your newsletter editor and/or your neighborhood webmaster so they can share this information in your neighborhood publications. Feel free to re-post any articles.

Upcoming Events

Tuesday, October 4, 6pm

Organizing Your Neighborhood. Open to anyone who wants to find out how to get your neighborhood organized or how to learn more about being a neighborhood officer. A light dinner is served. Classes are held monthly at Neighborhood Alliance. Please call 528-6322 to reserve your seat!

Thursday, October 6, 11am-1pm

Neighborhood Communications Workshop. Join us for this "Lunch & Learn" session about making your neighborhood more connected, from newsletters to websites and social networking sites. This workshop will be held at the beautiful OG&E Technology Center. Lunch is included but space is limited. Register at nacok.org.

Neighborhood Patrol Training

If you have an authorized volunteer patrol in your neighborhood and need to train additional volunteers, please note that a training session will be held on **Tuesday, October 25 at the Hefner Police Station, 3924 NW 122nd.** For more information, contact MSgt. Charles Epperly at charles.epperly@okc.gov or call 316-4416.

For information about starting a patrol in your neighborhood, contact Neighborhood Alliance at



The Good Neighbor Award Banquet will be held on Thursday, November 3, 2011. Neighborhood Alliance is accepting **nominations for Good Neighbor Awards** in these categories:

- Neighborhood of the Year
- Best Neighborhood Newsletter
- Good Neighbor (*An individual who is a great neighbor to all!*)
- Best Neighborhood Project
- Community Neighbor (*Corporation or Non-Profit that has helped your Neighborhood*)

Nomination forms are at nacok.org. All nominees will receive a certificate and winners will be announced at the Good Neighbor Awards Banquet on November 3rd at the downtown Petroleum Club.

Nominations are due by September 19, 2011.

And make plans to attend this great event ... Invitations will be in the mail in October.

planokc Residents invited to set goals for planOKC

Residents interested in helping develop goals for the City's new comprehensive plan can attend one of two planOKC workshops scheduled in September. An evening workshop is scheduled for 5:30 p.m. on Tuesday, September 20 in the Student Center's south conference room at OSU-OKC, 900 N Portland Ave. An afternoon workshop is scheduled for 3 p.m. on Friday, September 23 in the Education Center of the Oklahoma City Zoo, 2101 NE 50th St. Anyone is welcome to attend the workshops. The format and content of both workshops will be the same.

planOKC is a document used by city leaders, developers, business owners and citizens to make decisions about Oklahoma City's future growth and development. It establishes a policy framework for where, how, and in some cases when development should occur.

Sign up to receive information about the planning process at www.planokc.org or call 297-2283.

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Hometown Makeover Workshops

Keep Oklahoma Beautiful is offering FREE workshops designed for those interested in expanding a community improvement organization or thinking of starting a new organization to beautify and enrich community life.

The six workshops are held in towns across Oklahoma during September 20-29 and last from 9am-3pm with lunch included. You must register in order to attend.

For more information, go to keepoklahomabeautiful.com.



Volunteer with Neighborhood Alliance!

We frequently need volunteers to help us with registration duties at our workshops and other projects around the office. If you have a couple of hours a month give us a call. We are a fun group of people that would love to have the help!! 528-6322 or laura@nacok.org



Garden Tour for Connoisseurs

- Saturday, September 24, 9am-4pm, rain or shine.
- Featuring 7 family gardens in OKC and 1 corporate garden.
- Sponsored by the Oklahoma Horticultural Society to provide scholarships for area college students.
- Tickets are \$12 in advance; \$15 day of event.
- Tickets available at Farmer's Grain Co of Edmond & The Greenhouse in Norman. In OKC: Horn Seed, Marcum's Nursery South, Precure Nursery, TLC Florists & Wilshire Garden Market.

Call Jeanne 842-4732 for more information.

Neighborhood Leaders: Don't Forget to complete a Survey for your neighborhood!!

DATABASE MAKEOVER

YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD

Enclosed in this Crime Stats mailing is a survey we are conducting to update all neighborhood association

information. We need your input! **You can also fill out the survey online at nacok.org.** If your neighborhood has already submitted a survey, you don't need to do it again.

For more information contact Ashley Dickson at ashley@nacok.org or 528-6322.



My Heart, My Health, My Family

Do you have high blood pressure? High cholesterol? High blood pressure?

If you answered YES to any of the above questions and your zip code is 73111, you may be eligible for free doctor visits, lab work & medications through a new program for people ages 35-60, sponsored by the Oklahoma City-County Health Department & Community Health Centers. Call Nicole Alexander, 301-7366 for more information.