HISTORIC SOUTH WAYNE NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION

July & August 2017 Newsletter



Neighborhood Calendar

- Friday, August 11, 7:00 PM Movie Night Location: Corner of Indiana and Kinnaird
- Saturday Morning, September 30 Fort4Fitness Location: Corner of Indiana and Kinnaird
- Saturday, October 14, 9:30 AM HSWNA Board Meeting Location: 908 Kinnaird Ave.

Upcoming Recycling Collection Dates



➤ August 4, 18

South Wayne Cinema Presents "Trolls"

Mark your calendars for the return of the ever-popular movie night! It seems like summer just began, but before we know it school will be back in full swing, so let's give summer one last hurrah.

If you aren't familiar with movie nights from years past, the Historic South Wayne Neighborhood Association will be projecting a movie "drive-in style" on the side of a home. For this event, the neighborhood association will be providing s'mores and popcorn for all to enjoy! Please bring lawn chairs or blankets for viewing the movie. Looking forward to a fun night together!

WHO: All residents of the Historic South Wayne Neighborhood **WHAT**: Free viewing of the movie Trolls with s'mores and popcorn **WHEN**: Friday, August 11th, Festivities start at 6:30 p.m. beginning with fun, team relay races followed by the movie starting at dusk **WHERE**: 908 Kinnaird Ave. (NE corner of Kinnaird and Indiana)



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Animal Care & Control 311

EOC News

The Educational Opportunity Center (EOC) has openings for its fall programs and services for youth in grades 2-12 as well as adults! All services at the EOC are free! Register in August for services and classes to be offered in September!

The programs for youth include afterschool tutoring, College Club, and workshops to assist with career and college selection. Call for more information about days and times.



The programs for adults include classes in English-as-a-

Second Language, GED, math and English, and computer. Services include assistance with college admissions, financial aid filing, scholarship searches, and career assessments. Call for more information about days and times.

Call 745-5421 for information on how to register your child, yourself, or a friend!! Summer office hours are 8:00 AM to 12:00 PM Monday through Friday. The EOC is located at 3000 South Wayne, Fort Wayne, IN. Check out the EOC at www.EOCFW.org and on Facebook at Fort Wayne Educational Opportunity Center!

Opportunity to Help!

The Educational Opportunity Center can use our help. If you are not familiar with the EOC, they are located on South Wayne and Cottage. They provide free services including advising, tutoring, mentoring, basic computer classes, career assessments, study skills development and SAT and GED preparation.

The people it serves range in age from second-graders to senior citizens, predominantly from the city's south side, including residents of our neighborhood. Recently, they lost a grant that helped fund their operations. They are doing everything they can to apply for additional grants and keep their services going.

Outside of the services they provide, they print all our newsletters and have been a great neighbor to us for years. They have started a GoFundMe to help them stay open. If you have a few extra dollars, please consider donating to them and help us avoid an empty building. It's in our best interest to keep a positive resource in our neighborhood.

<u>All donations are greatly appreciated!</u> You will receive a receipt for your donation. You may donate money to the EOC using any of the ways listed below:

- 1. Donate directly to the EOC with cash or checks. Stop by the EOC at 3000 South Wayne any morning.
- 2. Go to the EOC website (EOCFW.org), click on GoFundMe link.
- 3. Go to the EOC Facebook page, click on GoFundMe link.
- 4. Go to GoFundMe website, enter Educational Opportunity Center.

2017 Association Members

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Neighborhood Sidewalks and Alleys

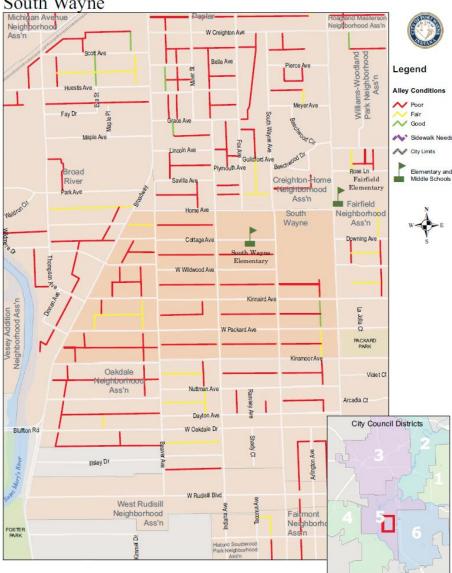
On July 11, City Council voted 6-3 in favor of a local income tax hike to fund future phases of riverfront development and invest in neighborhood sidewalks and alleys. The city has inventoried all the alleys and sidewalks and 72% of alleys are considered in failing condition. Our neighborhood's alleys are included in the plans for rehabilitation. We are encouraging residents to contact city officials with specific requests for work on our alleys. The more requests they receive, the more likely it is our neighborhood can get on the early list for work. So, let's show the city we value our neighborhood and want to see the improvements!

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Summer Weed Program

From the Fort Wayne Community Development Website (www.fwcommunitydevelopment.org):

The Weed Program was developed to protect the public safety, health and welfare and enhance the environment of the City of Fort Wayne by eliminating tall grass, high weeds and other noxious vegetation (including poison ivy). Per the City's Ordinance (Chapter 100: Nuisances), a violation exists when the grass exceeds nine (9) inches or there is other poisonous vegetation on the property.

Neighborhood Code Enforcement's Weed Program is both proactive and reactive in its enforcement. Complaints come through the 311 Call Center, and the Weed Inspectors are responsible for canvasing their specific territory. Once a yard is deemed to be in violation, a placard is placed in the yard, and a letter to abate is sent to the owner of record. Property owners then have five (5) days to correct the violation. If grass, weeds, or noxious vegetation are not removed within that timeframe, the City's mowing contractors will cut the lawn and/or remove the noxious vegetation, and subsequently, the owner will be charged for the cost of the mowing which will include an administrative fee. If the mowing invoice is not paid within 30 days, a lien will be placed on the property.



Residents can report complaints by calling 311 or by visiting the 311 website. You can also submit a complaint electronically by clicking here. Individuals reporting a violation will need to have the property's street address or specific location.

Join the Historic South Wayne Neighborhood Association!		
Membership is a great way to become involved, to help our neighborhood improve, to know about what's going on, and best of all, to get to know your neighbors! Please fill out the form below to renew your membership or begin your new membership for 2017. We are asking for contact information and e-mail addresses so we can remind you of neighborhood events and to alert you to information that might have immediate importance (safety issues, etc.).		
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