

The Buzz

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NLPNA DOES NOT MEET IN JULY

4th of July Parade

The annual Capitol Hill Fourth of July parade will feature PTAs from Capitol Hill schools, the Capitol Hill Restoration Society, and many other local institutions. The procession begins at 10 a.m. at 8th and I St. SE and heads north on 8th to D St. and west on D St. to 7th St., where it will turn north toward Eastern Market.

Rosedale Library Programs

Spanish Language Story Time, July 8 at 10 a.m.; Superhero Crafts every Tuesday at 4 p.m.; Afternoon Games on Wednesdays at 3:30 p.m.; and Reading Power Hours Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays, and Saturdays 1:30 - 2:30, and Tuesdays and Thursdays 4-5 p.m. The library is located at 1701 Gales St. NE.

ANC 6A Grants

The Community Outreach Committee of ANC 6A is accepting grant applications for review at its August meeting and subsequent consideration by ANC 6A at its September meeting. The submission deadline is in early August. The primary benefit of any grant must be to residents of ANC 6A. Awards are small, most less than \$1,000.

The application form, which includes filing instructions, funding guidelines, and contact information, is available at www.anc6a.org/documents.html. Potential grant applicants are encouraged to obtain advice on the application process prior to submitting. A review of successful grant applications, also available on the website, is recommended.

H Street Farmers Market

The H Street NE FreshFarm Market is open for its 11th season every Saturday, 9 a.m. to 12 noon at 13th St. and H St. NE until mid-December. All local foods including fresh fruits and vegetables, pasture-raised meats and eggs, artisan breads and baked goods, pickles, jams, honey, plants, and flowers. The market is open rain or shine! Visit www.freshfarmmarkets.org. Twitter: @FreshFarmHStNE.

Serve Your City Summer Programs Rowing, Aquatics, and Tennis

Serve Your City is offering the following summer activities. There is a \$25 application fee per family plus \$25 participation fee per youth; 20 percent discount if registering for all three sports. There will be a fall season for most of the activities.

- Aquatics: Swimming, snorkeling, Scuba diving, Randall Pool, 25 I St. SW, 5-7 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays. Ages 9-18 (parent participation encouraged).
- Rowing: Anacostia Community Boat House, 1900 M St. SE, 4-6 p.m. Mondays and Wednesdays. Ages 12-18.
- Tennis: Eastern HS, 1700 East Capitol St. NE, 5-7 pm, Fridays. Ages 9-18 (parent participation encouraged).

To register or for more information, contact Maurice Cook, 341-1732 or mcook.serveyourcity@gmail.com. Visit www.serveyourcitydc.org.

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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

- **NLPNA does not meet in July.** Meetings are usually first Tues., 7:30 p.m., Maury ES, Constitution Ave. & 13 St. NE.
- **ANC 6A meeting**, second Thurs. (July 9), 7 p.m., Miner ES, 601 15th St. NE. www.anc6a.org.
- **NLPNA meeting**, first Tues. (Aug. 4), 7 p.m., annual Neighborhood Night Out potluck supper. All are welcome! *See article.*
- *The Buzz* is available at tinyurl.com/TheBuzzNews. Contact us at 543-3512 or elizabeth_knits@yahoo.com.

Crime Map

You can check on what's happening in the neighborhood at <http://crimemap.dc.gov>.

96 Bus Route Change

Metrobus 96 will no longer go down East Capitol St. from Lincoln Park to the Capitol but will head up Massachusetts Ave. directly to Union Station. The 97 Bus will continue to go down East Capitol St. on the existing route.

Buzz Distributors Needed

Volunteer distributors are needed for the 100 block of 11th St., 200 block of 12th St., 200 block of 15th St., 1400 block of A St., and 300-400 blocks of 13th St. This is an opportunity for students to earn community service hours.

Donations are appreciated; checks should be made payable to NLPNA and delivered to 160 Tennessee Ave. NE.

Hill Center Presents...

- Jazz 101 with Veteran Jazz Broadcaster Rusty Hassan, Tuesdays, July 7, 14, 21, 28, 6:30-8 p.m. Cost: \$12 per session or \$40 for the series.
- Summertime Supper Series: Bacon Fiesta with Chef Wendi, Sun. July 9, 5-8 p.m. Intimate supper experience prepared by HillCenter chefs and served in the beautiful gardens. Features locally inspired cuisine presented family style, delicious desserts, and a glass of wine, beer, or specialty cocktail. \$85.
- Gospel Brunch Concert with Kendall Isadore, Sun. July 12, 2-4 p.m. \$25 in advance/\$30 day of.
- Classic French Cooking with Chef Gérard Pangaud, Wed. July 15, 7-9:30 p.m. \$85.
- The Writer's Center: Discovering Your Stories, begins Sat., July 18, 9 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. Continues weekly through Aug. 22. Generate stories from your experiences and your barely remembered memories. Discover what makes your recollection a "story." \$270.
- Hot 5 @ Hill Center: Jazz on a Summer's Eve with Jessica Boykin-Settles, July 19, 5-7 p.m. Free.
- Summertime Supper Series: Matt Finarelli, Thurs. July 23, 5-8 p.m. Intimate supper experience served in the beautiful gardens. Pine-apple gazpacho; roast chicken with green beans, potatoes, and croutons; roasted artichokes and red peppers; grilled okra with chilies; blueberry pie with vanilla ice cream; Amalfi Dream cocktail. \$65 in advance/\$75 after July 20.
- Erik Bruner-Yang's Pantry: Exploring Fermented Ingredients (Vegetarian Menu), Sat. July 25, 11 a.m. – noon. \$85.

Hill Center at Old Naval Hospital is located at 921 Pennsylvania Ave. SE. To register for a program, call 549-4172 or visit www.hillcenterdc.org/home/programs.

August NLPNA Meeting

The first Tuesday in August (the 4th) is National Neighborhood Night Out. Families and community groups across the country are encouraged to plan outdoor activities. NLPNA will again mark the occasion with a potluck supper, probably in Lincoln Park. Bring a covered dish or beverage to share; paper and plasticware will be provided.

The Finance Committee will present a proposed budget for discussion and approval, and elections of NLPNA officers will be held. If you would like to help plan the budget, contact Gloria Junge, Chair of the Finance Committee. She will have a planning meeting in July and can be reached at 546-4143.

Want to Start a 4-H Club?

Jaime Brown, who works with the Center for 4-H and Youth Development Program at University of the District of Columbia is seeking volunteers to start 4-H clubs in the city.

- Clubs must have a minimum of five youths ages 5 and up.
- Timing of club meetings is flexible; they can meet monthly, weekly, etc. They must meet at least five times to be a club.
- There are various projects that the club members can participate in: Leadership, Sewing, Cooking, Bicycling, STEM, Robotics, etc. Call 274-7136 for more information about starting a local club, or visit the website www.4-h.org to learn more about the 4-H program.

Rallycross Returns to RFK

The Red Bull Global Rallycross is slated to come back for its second annual race at RFK Stadium August 14 and 15. Expect some noise – according to the website: “The race, featuring small production-based cars that can hit 60 miles per hour in 2 seconds, includes a track that is part pavement and part dirt. The track also includes a 70-foot dirt jump.”

Capitol Hill Arts Workshop Presents...

- Friday Night Fever Disco Dance Workshop, Fri. July 10, 6:30-8:30 p.m. \$25. Learn steps and moves performed in time to the beat of popular disco music. Introductory disco dance class; no dance experience required.
- Sip & Paint, Fri. July 10, 6:30-8:30 p.m. \$30. Receive step-by-step instruction while enjoying snacks and wine. All materials included.
- Gallery Show Opening: A Journey down the Potomac, Sat. July 11, 5-7 p.m. Free. Local artist and teacher Jonathan Weiner presents photographs that explore the length of the Potomac River, from its origin in the Appalachian Mountains, through our nation's capital, to the Chesapeake Bay. Through Aug. 15.
- Figure Drawing, Fri. July 17 & 24, 6:30-9:30 p.m. Work on drawings or paintings in front of a live model, without an instructor. Bring your own materials. Easels are available. Session is \$20 for drop-in students, \$76 for a four-class pass.
- Painting Clay & Sipping Cabernet. Teaching artist Clay Hollenkamp will introduce attendees to the frisket technique – using stencils and paint on clay tiles – in a relaxed and fun happy hour atmosphere, Fri. July 17, 6:30-8:30 p.m. \$40 includes refreshments and wine.
- Gilbert & Sullivan's “Trial by Jury” and selections from “The Yeoman of the Guard.” July 30 – Aug. 1 & Aug 6-8. Performances 7:30 p.m. with 3 p.m. matinees on Saturdays, August 1 & 8. Tickets are \$20 and may be purchased by calling CHAW at 547-6839, or by emailing Brian Washington at bwashington@chaw.org.

CHAW is located at 545 7th St. SE. For more information or to register for any CHAW event, call 547-6839 or visit www.chaw.org.

