



# BRYN MAWR BUGLE

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## Wirth on the Woods Breaks Ground on New Senior Housing



A ground breaking ceremony for the senior buildings at Wirth on the Woods (2800 Wayzata Blvd) was held July 14. Many Bryn Mawr neighbors, project partners, collaborators and City officials attended a brief program and an ice cream social afterwards. The ceremony celebrated Lupe Development’s construction of the two senior housing buildings, The Eloise (market rate) and The Theodore (affordable rate). Kevin Thompson spoke for the BMNA to welcome the development and acknowledged years of planning and cooperation with the developers and the City of Minneapolis. After the official ground breaking, several Bryn Mawr neighbors took the shovels and broke some ground.

- Rod Miller, Area 6

### 2022 BMNA Events

#### Winter Fest

Friday, February 25th

#### Festival of Garage Sales

Saturday, May 7th

#### Annual Meeting

Wednesday, May 11th

#### Ice Cream Social

Thursday, July 28th

#### Member Night

Thursday, September 22nd

#### Sip & Stroll

Thursday, October 13th

#### Harvest Dinner

TBD November

#### Saturnalia

Saturday, December 10th



National Night Out takes place every year on the first Tuesday in August (August 2, 2022) and is organized by registered block club leaders. Events are held in neighborhoods across the city. Our city leads the nation for NNO participation. Every year, thousands of residents take part in the festivities. Each block plans its own event. Examples include:

- Block parties
- Festivals
- Parades
- Cookouts

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NNO is a reason to have a social gathering with your neighbors, a chance to get to know each other and your local police officers, a time to build important relationships that keep your neighborhood safe. It’s not too late to break out the lawn chairs on August 2 and meet your neighbors. Tag the BMNA in your photos! (Does your block have an email list? If not it’s a great way to stay in touch. Start one today!)

## Join us! BMNA Member Night - September 22

Join us Thursday, September 22nd for BMNA Member Night at Utepils. It will be a great night to be outside with neighbors and check out the beer garden at Utepils overlooking the river. 2022 donors to the BMNA will receive a free beverage token. We will have T-shirts, sweatshirts, hats, and stickers for sale. Not sure if you have donated in 2022? Email coordinator@bmna.org You can also donate that night. This free event is a drop in and runs from 5-7 pm. We will have a table set up around back where you can check in, shop and become a member.





**BRYN MAWR NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION**  
**Board Meeting Minutes**

**Wednesday, July 13, 2022**  
**6:30– 8:15 PM**  
**Hybrid Meeting – Bryn Mawr Presbyterian Church and Virtual**

**Board and Staff**

- Kate Knuth – President
- Brian Treece – Vice President
- Roberta Jordan –Treasurer
- Jessica Wiley – Secretary
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- Bridget Bergheger - Area 5 Co-Rep
- Haven Stephens -Area 6 Co-Rep
- Drew Quirk– Area 6 Co-Rep
- Stephen Harvey – Area 7 Co-Rep
- Jay Peterson – Emeritus
- Lynda Shaheen – Communication/Development Coordinator
- Patty Wycoff – Event Coordinator

**Guests:**

- Lisa Goodman – Minneapolis City Councilperson
- Charlie Rybak - Southwest Voices
- Joshua Nichols - Area 4
- Beth Franzen – Area 4
- Merideth Gingold – Area 4
- Ann Reiber Area 4
- Mark Dhennin -Area 5
- Rod Miller - Area 6

**Call to Order at 6:32 PM.**

Agenda approval moved, seconded.  
Motion carried with addition of Board introductions.  
Minutes from June 8, 2022, moved, seconded. Motion carried.

**City of Minneapolis-Councilperson Lisa Goodman**

Lunch w/Lisa at Seven Points Mall (formerly Calhoun Square) had 110 participants. Can Can Wonderland

will be opening in 20,000 square feet at the mall; will bring families to the area. Housing will also be built. Lunch w/Lisa in July will be Development with a Purpose. Chris Sherman, Sherman Associates, will speak about the project to convert Fire Station I into market rate housing. September will host David Huot, Council to End Homelessness.Two zoning issues: 1936 Drew and 1921 Drew Ave S involving a garage and small pool. Groundbreaking for the Eloise and Theodore buildings at Wirth on the Woods on July 14.Affordable housing portion has been financed.A Department of Public Safety has been created at the city. Cedric Alexander nominated community safety commissioner with a public hearing on August 2 and a vote on August 4.

**Southwest Voices-Charlie Rybak**

Free daily email newsletter, also a weekly summary newsletter, launched last October. Sign up at <https://www.southwestvoices.news> Important to provide communication about local news.Adding Bryn Mawr to coverage. Want to hear from the community. Rely on membership, small business advertising. Bryn Mawr can send communication to the newsletter.

**Crime Prevention Specialist-Shannon McDonough**

Sent a report. There were catalytic converter thefts at the end of June. The BMNA still has catalytic converter marking kits, the list of cars that qualify are on our website. Can pick up at the ice cream social.

**Treasurer Report– Roberta Jordan**

Everything is balanced and we have money in the bank.

**Communications & Development Report - Lynda Shaheen**

Lynda will be claiming our business on Google Maps so that we stop getting calls asking if we need their help. Using new free graphics program called Canva to create announcements.

Our engagement dollars are on track for correct spending. Our plan is to engage renters. We have 200 rental units in the neighborhood;The Bryn in Area 2 has 27 units. Bought the Owl for better access to virtual meetings, created database of rental units using city data, have been doing surveys after each event.Are working on how best to get welcome packets to all the rentals.

**Event Coordinator-Patty Wycoff**

Ice Cream Social is planned; the band is booked, permit obtained.At this point there are 9 flavors of ice cream from 3 different shops. Still working on 3 other providers. Neighbors have volunteered for scooping. There will be a donation bucket with a suggested donation of \$10 for families/\$5 for individuals. Market will be donating ice.

**Bugle-JoEllyn Jolstad**

The deadline for articles/ads is the 20th, as usual. Board members should plan to write an article each year.

**Committee Reports**

**Communications - Jay Peterson.**

Board members are encouraged to get into their bmna.org email to reset the password.  
[firstname.lastname@bmna.org](mailto:firstname.lastname@bmna.org). Jay shared passwords. Call Jay if you need help.

**Elections - Brian Treece**

Two neighbors have stepped up to be co-reps for Area 4. Josh Nichols has lived on Penn Avenue for 4 years. Moved to Bryn Mawr because of light rail and bicycle trails. Beth Franzen has lived on Sherdan for 36 years. She is a dedicated volunteer for the gardens. Motion by Brian to appoint Beth and Josh as Area 4 co-reps, Roberta seconded. Motion carried.  
**Finance/Membership – Jessica Wiley**  
Committee met in June. We will be setting up a Vanguard account for investing a portion of our savings. Roberta, Jessica, and Lynda had a two-hour tech session with a QB specialist. Will be moving to a Tech Soup Quickbooks account, created specifically for non-profits.

**Gardens – Dennie Juillerat**

Appreciate all the garden stewards, they do a fabulous job of taking care

of our community gardens. Shout out to Kathy Ripke and Cathy Skalicky, and to John Davenport and his team in Area 1. Looking for a steward for the Triangle Garden.

**Gateway Project – Karen Frederickson/Dennis Juillerat**

All 330 hedges planted on September 18 survived. Irrigation system is running. Buddy in Area 3 keeps the garbage cleaned up. Looking for someone who would loan a lawn mower that would be used about once a month. Sunday July 24 will be the first trimming of the hedge by Jake McDougall and Steve Jensen. Dennie announced that he is resigning as garden committee chair at the end of the year. Looking for someone new.

**Parks – Chris Etz/Barry Schade**

Chris sent a report to Kate. Bryn Mawr Meadows project is out for bids, construction start in September. Two open houses held in July for the Cedar Lake/Lake of the Isles Master Plan. Details of the Plan and a survey are on the MPRB website.

Reserve Block 40 playground equipment replacement parts are on the way from Germany. Expect the repair to be completed by end of summer. Eloise Butler Wildflower Garden has numerous events; free, no signup needed, just show up. Steve reminded the Board that JD Rivers Children’s Garden has free produce. M/W/TH 10- 2, Friday 2-6. Worth going over. Cash only.

**Racial Justice - McKenzie Erickson/Liv Nielson**

Planning sacred sites tour in September. Cannot get a school bus, looking into getting a coach bus.

**Schools – Colleen Dhennin**

School is out for the summer. Working on Reading Partners for fall.

**Other Standing Reports**

**SWLRT Update - Barry Schade**

Josh is signed up for the construction walking tour of the SWLRT. Will write up an article on the tour for the Bugle.

**2800 Wayzata - Rod Miller**

Rod is willing to meet with neighbors at the site. People could begin renting as early as this fall. Rod will prepare a proposal for BMNA representation for the new area to be discussed at the August meeting.

Adjourned at 7:38 p.m.  
**NEXT BOARD MEETING:**  
Wednesday, August 10, 2022

**Upcoming Events:**  
2800 Wayzata Groundbreaking, July 14, 3:00 PM  
Ice Cream Social, July 28, 6–8 PM

*The BMNA invites and encourages participation by every resident to each program, service and event organized by the BMNA. Should you require an accommodation in order for you to fully participate, or if you require this document in a different format, please let us know by contacting us at [bmna@bmna.org](mailto:bmna@bmna.org) at least five days before our event. \*Meeting location is ADA compliant.*

*Have you joined yet?*

**Bryn Mawr Neighborhood Association Membership - 2022**

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Bugle Notes

John R. Anderson, Area 6

John R. Anderson, a resident of Area 6 since 1969, died on Friday, July 1 at the age of 81. He was born, raised, and spent his adult life in Minneapolis, yet his passion was travel in the U.S. and abroad.

His advanced degrees were in history and education. His varied career included teaching, military intelligence work, selling postcards and stamps, and writing three mystery novels.

His first novel, The Cellini Masterpiece, was set in Malta, a country that fascinated him since childhood. He and his wife Evelyn made more than a dozen trips there, first for research then for book promotion, and developed many friendships.

John was a member of Mensa and had been active in two Masonic lodges. He was a 50-year member of Hennepin Avenue United Methodist Church with a strong interest in the church's outreach programs, most recently volunteering for Community Meals, Meals on Wheels, and Old School by Steeple People, a thrift shore where he organized books.

He is survived by his wife Evelyn, son Clinton (Rachel), daughter Katrina; grandchildren Trinity, Vincent, and Miralyn, and niece Kimberly and her children Robert, Ray, and Brittany. In recent years he connected with his biological family and has two half-siblings and many cousins.



The family thanks the staff of the Methodist Hospital cancer center for their support as he battled leukemia and Our Lady of Peace for the compassionate care he received in his final weeks.

Family and friends are invited to attend a celebration of John's life at 2 p.m. Thursday, August 25 at Hennepin Avenue United Methodist Church. A social gathering in the church will follow he service. He will be interred at Ft. Snelling.

Memorials may be sent to Outreach Ministries, Hennepin Avenue UMC, 511 Groveland, Minneapolis, MN 55404 or to Our Lady of Peace, 2076 St. Anthony Ave, St. Paul, MN 55104

BMNA Welcomes New Area 4 Reps to the Board



Josh Nichols



Beth Franzen

WANTED: BMNA GARDEN CHAIR COMMITTEE CHAIR

Email dennie.juillerat@bmna.org or call 612.850.5658 for more information.

Butch Addison, Area 5

Longtime Area 5 resident, Butch Addison died on June 5th, 2022. He is survived by his wife Bonnie Addison, daughter Ava Addison and brother-in-law Doug Denham.

Butch was admired for his meticulous keeping of the sidewalk on the northeast corner lot at Laurel and Sheridan, shoveling and scraping it down to the bone after every snowfall. He was an avid collector of too many things and always amon the first to hit the streets for the annual Bryn Mawr garage sales. He kept an eye on the neighborhood on his early morning walks with his dog. Bonnie and Ava want to thank all the neighbors who reached out with kind words and messages of condolence and to all those who attended the memorial gathering for Butch at Cuppa Java.



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September-May

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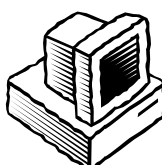


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**From the Editor**

There's nothing like a lottery prize of over \$1 Billion to get a person fantasizing. The "Mega Millions" jackpot hit that this week and by Friday, someone may be unspeakably rich. I'll be honest, I have never played the lottery and have no illusions that I would win if I did. But it is a fun exercise to imagine what you would want to do with sudden wealth.

Perhaps you can recall my laments of life in a 100+ year old house and the costs/challenges of maintenance. I do not aspire to live in a new house, but a new bathroom would be great and my fantasies of what our house could be are well developed.

So while many people might dream of moving to a mansion in an exotic location, I cannot imagine my life outside of Bryn Mawr. So my plans to spend \$1 Billion (a mere \$600 million after taxes, my husband reminds me) include a full restoration of this old gal (the house, not me!)

I will not go too far into the weeds in sharing this phantom plan, but suffice it to say the schools and arts organizations here in Minneapolis will be well looked after. We spend a lifetime of cultivating our loves and values and it is important to stick by those regardless of any change of fortune.

But, since purchasing a lottery ticket is not in my immediate plans, I will have to settle into the reality of trying to live my best life. In a couple days, I will celebrate a landmark birthday. But before that, I am packing in a lot of stuff. Finishing this Bugle is one giant check mark. Then another day of Super Summer Youth at Washburn and four musical performances. This year the middle school show is "James and the Giant Peach." Those shows are Thursday and Friday. Then we are going to do two more performances "Legally Blonde" after taking a 10-day pause due to a Covid outbreak in the cast. Sadly in all of this whirlwind, I will miss the return of the BMNA Ice Cream Social.

I think my birthday will pass without much fanfare. We summer babies who never got to bring celebratory cupcakes to school are used to the hubub of summer overshadowing our day. But rest assured, there will be family and paella and wine and laughter.

I did take the week off. It feels so decadent and I have many plans for a lot of nothing. I have a book to read and, huh, not much else. I live a pretty busy life so leisure is a treat I can really lean into. Wish me luck staying off my work emails.

- JoEllyn Jolstad, bugle@bmna.org

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## Phone Line for Mental Health Crisis Support

People facing a mental health crisis can dial 988 to connect to support. The State of Minnesota’s change is part of a nationwide effort to transition the National Suicide Prevention Lifeline to a phone number people can more easily remember and access in times of crisis. The shift also includes an online chat feature and new texting option.

Interpretation services are available through calling the number. Currently, chat and text are only available in English.

The new 988 dialing code will serve as a universal entry point, so people can reach a trained crisis counselor who can help wherever they live. Anyone can dial or text 988 24 hours a day, seven days a week, to reach crisis support or to use an online chat feature to connect with crisis support. People can also dial 988 if they are worried about a loved one who may need crisis support.

The Lifeline 10-digit number, 1-800-273-TALK (8255), will stay available and route people to the same resources. People should call 911 if they suspect drug overdose or need immediate medical help.

To reach the Veterans Crisis Line, dial 988 and press 1. Calls will route to the same trained Veterans Crisis Line responders. The Veterans Crisis Line will still be available by chat (VeteransCrisisLine.net/Chat) and text (838255).

The Lifeline is a national network of more than 200 call centers. Minnesota has four Lifeline centers that connect callers to nearby or state-specific resources and services quickly and efficiently.

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Elections 2022

# Early Voting is Open!

## Primary is August 9

Our polling place is Bryn Mawr Elementary School, 252 Upton Ave S. and is open from 7am to 8 pm on August 9. Early voting has begun and continues until August 8. Locations can be found at [www.sos.state.mn.us](http://www.sos.state.mn.us)

- Offices on the 2022 Minneapolis ballot include:
- U.S. Representative District 5
  - Governor & Lieutenant Governor
  - Secretary of State
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  - State Representative
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- Shoe boxes, gift boxes and electronics boxes
- Toothpaste, medication and other toiletry boxes

Cartons

- Milk cartons
- Juice boxes
- Soup, broth and wine cartons

Glass

- Food and beverage bottles and jars

Plastic

Bottles & jugs:

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- Milk and juice jugs
- Ketchup and salad dressing bottles
- Dishwashing liquid bottles and detergent jugs
- Shampoo, soap and lotion bottles

Cups and containers:

- Yogurt, pudding and fruit cups
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Minneapolis

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Sept. 9 and 10

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## BMNA Volunteer Hedge Maintenance



## Bryn Mawr Neighborhood Association Calendar - August 2022

All meetings are open - everyone is welcome. Neighbors are urged to attend and participate in meetings and activities of special interest to them.  
Bryn Mawr Neighborhood Association and its committees meet at Bryn Mawr Elementary School during the school year, unless otherwise noted.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	Monday at the Meadows, 6 PM <b>1</b>	National Night Out <b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>
<b>7</b>	Monday at the Meadows, 6 PM <b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	BMNA Monthly Meeting 6:30pm at Bryn Mawr Presbyterian Church and Google Meet. Email coordinator@bmna.org for joining link. <b>10</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>
<b>14</b>	Monday at the Meadows, 6 PM <b>15</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>	Submissions due for next Bugle. Drop in the Bugle Box Bryn Mawr Market or email to bugle@bmna.org <b>20</b>
<b>21</b>	Monday at the Meadows, 6 PM <b>22</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>
<b>28</b>	Monday at the Meadows, 6 PM <b>29</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>31</b>	School is out for Summer! BMNA Meetings re-located to Bryn Mawr Presbyterian Church until September.		

# Bryn Mawr Community Gardens

## BMNA Garden Committee History

### Getting into the weeds:

During the mid-1800's the Bryn Mawr neighborhood was developed from farmland and was promoted as a "garden suburb" or "amenity zone", because of its proximity to the lakes and abundance of green space. Bryn Mawr, one of Minneapolis's 83 neighborhoods, is served by the Bryn Mawr Neighborhood Association, one of 70 neighborhood organizations across the city. The total area of Bryn Mawr is 1.4 square miles with a population of 3,803 residents (City-Data.com). Well-kept yards and gardens, dog friendly, sidewalks throughout 92% of the neighborhood and well-lit streets is a sample of the many amenities to our corner of Minneapolis.

### Why into the weeds:

It's a fair guess that many of the residence of Bryn Mawr don't realize there is 36+ community gardens that have been planted, manicured, mulched, watered, dead-headed, watered, raked, fertilized, watered, and replanted. During all this, a whole lot of weeds were pulled because of the volunteer commitment within the neighborhood to create and maintain beautiful community gardens. It would be fair to say that the commitment to beautify the neighborhood with public community gardens is still very much desired today.

### Where are the weeds:

Outlined below is a list by Area and location of the 36+ Bryn Mawr Community Gardens including the boulevard gardens.

Cedar Lake Parkway Garden, Area 1,  
West 22nd St and Cedar Lk Pkwy

Upton Avenue Garden, Area 6, corner  
of Upton Ave and Cedar Lk Rd

Bryn Mawr Elementary School  
Entrance Garden, Area 7

Garden of Hope and Healing, Area 4,  
Presbyterian Church

Laurel Triangle Garden, Area 3, Oliver  
Ave and Laurel Ave

Newton Triangle Garden, Area 3,  
Cedar Lk Rd and Newton Ave

Bryn Mawr Boulevard Gardens

Brownie Lk Blvd Garden, Area 2,  
Wirth Pkwy, 1 garden

Penn Ave S. raised median garden,  
Area 4 & 3, 1 garden

Mill City Dental Blvd Gardens, Area 5,  
along Laurel Ave, 4 gardens

Bryn Mawr Market block, Area 5,  
downtown Bryn Mawr, 7 gardens

Mobil Station Gardens, Area 3, corner  
of Penn Ave S and Cedar Lk Rd., 7  
gardens and 1 raised garden

Cuppa Java and Spruce Salon Gar-  
dens, Area 4, Penn Ave S and Cedar  
Lk Rd., 4 gardens

La Mesa Restaurant, Area 3, along  
Cedar Lk Road S, 4 gardens

Bryn Mawr Topiary Hedge is identi-  
fied as a separate entity by the BMNA  
for budget purposes and volunteer  
maintenance assistance. The hedge is  
identified as the Bryn Mawr Gateway  
Project and one of the neighbor-  
hood's favorite iconic gardens.

### More weeds:

The reason for all this talk about  
gardens and weeds is to call attention  
to what it takes managing our com-  
munity gardens with volunteer help!  
In November 2015 at the BMNA  
monthly Board meeting the Board  
approved a new committee to organ-  
ize and establish a consistent com-  
munity maintenance plan for Bryn  
Mawr's 36+ gardens. The official and  
budgeted Garden Committee was  
created. The Garden Committee  
would be led by the Garden Commit-  
tee Chair and that's where I stepped  
in after being on the Board for over a  
year. The planning began in early  
spring 2016, meetings were held and  
the BMNA Garden Committee was  
put to test the first year. Many of the  
community gardens were well estab-  
lished but needed a "deep dig" clean-  
up from years of inconsistent mainte-  
nance and partial neglect. An impor-  
tant component that led to the suc-  
cess of the Garden Committee was  
attributed to the concept of Garden  
Stewards, a point person who accept-  
ed the responsibility determining the  
maintenance needs of the garden  
they had "adopted". The Garden  
Stewards and the Garden Committee  
Chair was the decision-making body  
for all the community gardens. The  
Garden Stewards would not be able  
to accomplish all the work needed to  
be done so they were responsible for  
recruiting their "Garden Crew". It's  
important acknowledging the Gar-  
den Stewards at this time. They have  
been supporting the BMNA Commu-  
nity Gardens well before a more  
organized program was established.



## Garden Stewards and their Community Garden(s)

- John and Cheryl Davenport- Cedar  
Lake Parkway Garden
- Cathy Scalicky- Upton Garden, Penn  
Ave median, Cathy designed the  
Upton Garden and the Laurel Trian-  
gle Garden
- Kathy Ripke- Garden of Hope and  
Healing and Bryn Mawr Elemen-  
tary School entrance garden, Kathy  
planned and worked on the origi-  
nal hedge
- Jan and Joe Wagner- Laurel Triangle  
Garden
- Nadine Thiel and Jessica Haver-  
stock- Newton Triangle Garden,  
under new design planning now,  
Jessica is designing the plan for the  
Newton Triangle Garden
- Dennie Juillerat- Downtown Bryn  
Mawr Blvd.'s and decorative con-  
tainers

To the many Garden Crew volun-  
teers that have donated hours of  
their time and continue to volunteer  
in the gardens thank you and please  
keep pulling the weeds! And all the  
additional chores maintaining the gar-  
dens that you do!

At the July BMNA Board meeting I  
officially resigned from the BMNA  
Garden Chair position I've held since  
the committee was established in  
2015. I will stay in the position until  
the end of 2022. Our vision was to  
create community through beautify-  
ing the neighborhood with interest-  
ing gardens. I believe we've only  
begun.

This is a call out for new leader-  
ship. The BMNA is searching for a  
new BMNA Garden Committee Chair,  
leading the Garden Stewards and  
Garden Crew.

Keep pulling the weeds.

- Dennie Juillerat



# Triangle Park Playground Repairs Delayed by Global Supply Chain Issues



One piece of damaged playground equipment at area one's Triangle Park, officially known as Reserve Block 40 Park, is awaiting replacement parts from Germany. The Park Board expects to have the parts on hand in the coming weeks, and repairs should be completed by the end of summer.



## Bryn Mawr Meadows Improvements

The Minneapolis Park and Recreation Board (MPRB), in coordination with the Bassett Creek Watershed Management Commission and the City of Minneapolis, recently advertised to receive bids from construction contractors for park and water quality pond improvements at Bryn Mawr Meadows Park.

After bids are received in late July, the MPRB will recommend a low, responsive bidder.

Originally scheduled for early spring, the bidding process was delayed due to longer-than-expected permitting and approvals processes. In response, the MPRB now anticipates a construction timeframe between mid-September 2022 and summer 2023.

The updated timeframe reduces the chances of MPRB receiving too few bids or more expensive construction bids during the summer, the busiest season for contractors. In that case, the project would be further delayed.

MPRB will send another update in late July or early August, as soon as results of the current bidding process are confirmed.

MPRB's planning, design and construction of park improvements at Bryn Mawr Meadows Park is based on the park's approved master plan and about \$3.7 million in available funds. The project also includes construction of a stormwater pond on the park's north side, in partnership with the Bassett Creek Watershed Management Commission and City of Minneapolis. The concept plan for park improvements includes the following features:

- Native landscape greenway
- Reconstructed athletic fields
- New trails
- Play area
- Picnic shelter

- Basketball court
- Broomball and open skate meadow
- Batting cages
- One-mile trail loop
- Parking lots
- Bike park skills area
- Open free field space

## JD Rivers Produce Garden

Visit JD Rivers' garden for your summer and fall produce needs. The market (cash only) is open to the public and full of fresh, seasonal produce, straight from the garden. Garden staff work with local youth-serving agencies through programs focused on gardening skills, harvesting produce, healthy eating, and exploring the surrounding natural areas. The JD Rivers' Children's Garden's origins date back to the 100th anniversary of the Minneapolis Grain Exchange (MGE). As part of the festivities, MGE selected a site in Theodore Wirth Park to plant a few acres of wheat and sunflowers, which were the two crops historically traded at the MGE.

Children from recreation centers across the city were invited to see the field plowed, planted and harvested using traditional farm implements, like threshers. They used the harvested wheat and sunflowers in creative art classes.

The field of wheat and the bloomed sunflowers inspired local residents, J.D. and Ada Rivers, to approach the Minneapolis Park & Recreation Board (MPRB) about creating a permanent garden for children at the site. The MPRB agreed it was a good idea and in the following growing season, 1982, a children's garden was born. The garden is located right in Theodore Wirth Park at 2900 Glenwood Ave.

Summer hours: June to August on Mondays-Wednesdays from 10 am-2 pm and Thursdays from 2-6 pm.  
Fall hours: September-October on Tuesdays from 10 am-2 pm and Thursdays from 2-6 pm



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|-----------------|---|
| August 1, 2022  | This month's observations have been taken at Mille Lacs Lake, the second largest lake inside Minnesota's borders at nearly 200 square miles. A large chunk of glacial melt water was impounded by a moraine along the entire south and west sides of the lake. Sand ridges or "ice ram-parts" then formed along the north side of the lake when south winds broke up lake ice each spring on the north shore. |
| August 2, 2021  | Mergansers, mallards, purple martins teaching their young to fly and find their own food,   |
| August 15, 2018 | Watched the annual Perseid meteor shower from the dock. The sky is very dark here and the Milky Way is brilliant.   |
| August 20, 2021 | Attended the annual Mille Lacs Band Pow Wow near the site of the large Ojibwe village present for centuries on the east side of the lake.   |

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Lawn & Gardens

It's Hot Out There!

Tips for Watering Your Garden in the Hot, Dry Summer Months.

Julia Wilcox, UMN Master Gardener Intern

Is your lawn and garden looking a little crispy from the July heat wave? One of a gardener's top considerations in the dry summer months is how to ensure our cultivated lawns and gardens get the hydration they need to thrive while also protecting one of earth's most precious resources: water.

In a Minnesota summer, we often see periods of heavy rainfall followed by long stretches of drought. During these times, we should try to be mindful of the weather when planning our watering practices. To conserve water, we shouldn't only rely on a 'set it and forget it' schedule for irrigation. Noticing the weather changes around us and adjusting watering practices to suit the needs of our plants is important to ensure we don't over or under water. Sometimes the first step to water conservation is simply paying attention!

I'm not sure about you, but one of the 'crispiest' plants I notice this time of year is my lawn. Luckily, there are some best practices to follow to help maintain a low maintenance lawn. Set your mower to 2.5 inches or higher to promote deeper roots. Only

water between the hours of 4am - 8am to reduce water loss due to either evaporation or wind. Also, utilizing drought tolerant turfgrasses will also allow you to conserve water. For example, fescue species offer the best drought tolerance. Fine fescues use less water than other varieties and tall fescue has a deep root system which allows it to access more moisture from deep within the soil.

Below you'll find a few more tips from the UMN Extension Yard and Garden Website that will help you begin incorporating water conservation practices into your daily gardening routine. Select plants that will thrive in existing soil type, light, and space Collect and use rainwater to water plants Water evergreens until the ground freezes Water in the early morning to allow leaves to dry and reduce diseases Mulch plants to conserve moisture Use sensors and smart controllers on automated irrigation systems Water deeply, but less often, to encourage root growth and drought tolerance

Happy Gardening. Stay cool out there, Bryn Mawr!

Sources:  
<https://extension.umn.edu/how/water-wisely-start-your-own-backyard>  
<https://extension.umn.edu/lawn-care/water-saving-strategies-home-lawn>



Don't forget to water your trees!

During the current hot weather, the Minneapolis Park and Recreation Board (MPRB) asks Minneapolis residents to remember that trees need water any time it doesn't rain an inch in a week - through the entire summer AND fall seasons. Water is especially important for trees under five years old, including newly planted trees on city boulevards (that is, the land between the sidewalk and the street).

Option 1: Fill a tree watering bag. If you live near a newly planted tree supplied with a green tree watering bag, fill the bag once a week. When it's one-quarter full, pull up on the bag handles to straighten it. Bags hold 20 gallons of water and take about five minutes to fill.

Option 2: Use a five-gallon bucket to slowly pour water around the base of a tree. Do this four times for 20 gallons once a week.



Option 3: Run a garden hose on a slow trickle, placed at least six inches from the tree trunk. Let it run for an hour each week

**More tree watering tips**  
Water in the evening to minimize evaporation; trees also tend to take in more water during the night. Watering one tree weekly costs only about \$3 for 23 weeks - the entire summer-fall season. Track your tree watering by doing it on your weekly trash pick-up day.

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# New Interim Superintendent for Minneapolis Public Schools

Rochelle Cox began her service at interim superintendent of Minneapolis Public Schools on July 1. She has more than 25 years' experience as an educator with MPS, notably serving students who receive Special Education services and their families for much of that time. As she moves into her role as interim superintendent of Minneapolis Public Schools, Rochelle is focused on listening, learning and identifying ways to help the community come together in an effort to boost academic achievement for all students.

Rochelle joined MPS in 1997 as a teacher on special assignment (TOSA) in the Early Childhood Special Education Department. She has since served in several leadership positions, including executive director of Special Education and Health Services. In her most recent role as associate superintendent beginning in 2021, Rochelle supported 21 elementary schools, their principals, staff, students and families.

## ACCOMPLISHMENTS

**Special Education Leadership**  
Helped develop the first Minnesota school district special education licensing program (in process) to ensure MPS-specific training  
17% increase in graduation rates  
5% reduction in suspensions  
Reduced by three times the risk of over-identification of African American students as emotionally/behaviorally disabled  
Enhanced Special Education Services through Comprehensive District Design

**Increased accessibility overall**  
Brought students to schools closer to their homes



Made MPS magnet programming accessible to students receiving Special Education services  
Increased School-Based Mental Health Programming to All Schools  
Identified tiered levels of service from emotional wellness to intensive mental health therapy  
Improved service delivery by working with Hennepin County to review cases for students receiving services from both organizations  
Implemented ThinkKids Collaborative problem-solving process to increase student skill development and reduce need for behavior interventions  
Recognized by the City of Minneapolis for comprehensive health and safety implementation throughout the COVID-19 pandemic

## GOALS

**Over the next school year, Rochelle wants to:**  
Listen to concerns and ideas.  
Learn more about MPS community needs and desires.  
Honor commitments made to the MPS community.  
Rebuild relationships amongst MPS and the people we serve.  
Create conditions to set up the new superintendent for success.

## PERSONAL

Rochelle and her husband have two grown daughters and live on a small horse farm in the outskirts of Minneapolis.  
*Source: mpls.k12.mn.us*



# Youth & Schools

## Partnering with Young Readers

Bryn Mawr Community School will launch the Reading Partners program this Fall, which pairs K-5 students with a community volunteer to help students develop strong reading skills. Reading Partners adds to a variety of exciting new offerings at the elementary school this Fall.

First piloted in Colorado in 2015, Reading Partners has been shown to significantly raise reading levels for participating students with especially dramatic increases shown for English language learners. Reading Partners hires college graduates from AmeriCorps to organize and administer the program in each building. The program administrators support community volunteer tutors who read books with students once or twice a week depending upon the time commitment of the volunteer. Students select the books they read with their partner. Some Minneapolis schools have had the Reading Partners program for a few years, and the volunteer tutor with whom I spoke loves the program and can't wait to get back to reading with kids in school. The program tries to maintain the same partner with each young reader throughout a ten week session.

Tutors are trained to help students with their reading skills. The BMNA

website will post details about the format and location of the training sessions as they are finalized.

- Colleen Dhenmin, Area 5

**Mondays at the Meadows**  
**August 1, 8, 15, 22, 29**  
**6 PM (or earlier)**  
**Bryn Mawr Meadows**

Pack up a picnic dinner?  
Cool off in the wading pool?  
Meet new neighbors and connect with other families?  
Let's get together and enjoy one of the most beautiful parks in Minneapolis.

## Contact Information For Community Schools

**Bryn Mawr Elementary (PreK-5)**  
252 Upton Avenue South  
612-668-2500  
brynmawr.Minneapolis.k12.mn.us  
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mplskids.Minneapolis.k12.mn.us/  
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# Graduations 2022



**Isaac Zuckerman**

Isaac Zuckerman, son of Lisa Pogoff and Jeff Zuckerman (Area 2) graduated on July 7 from the Royal Welsh College of Music and Drama in Cardiff, Wales. Isaac (shown here with wife Leslie Muir Zuckerman) received his master's degree in jazz performance, and also was presented with the Principal's Award for high achievement. Isaac was a 2009 graduate of Minneapolis South High School, and a 2013 graduate of the University of Colorado.

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*Learn More About Our Community Schools*

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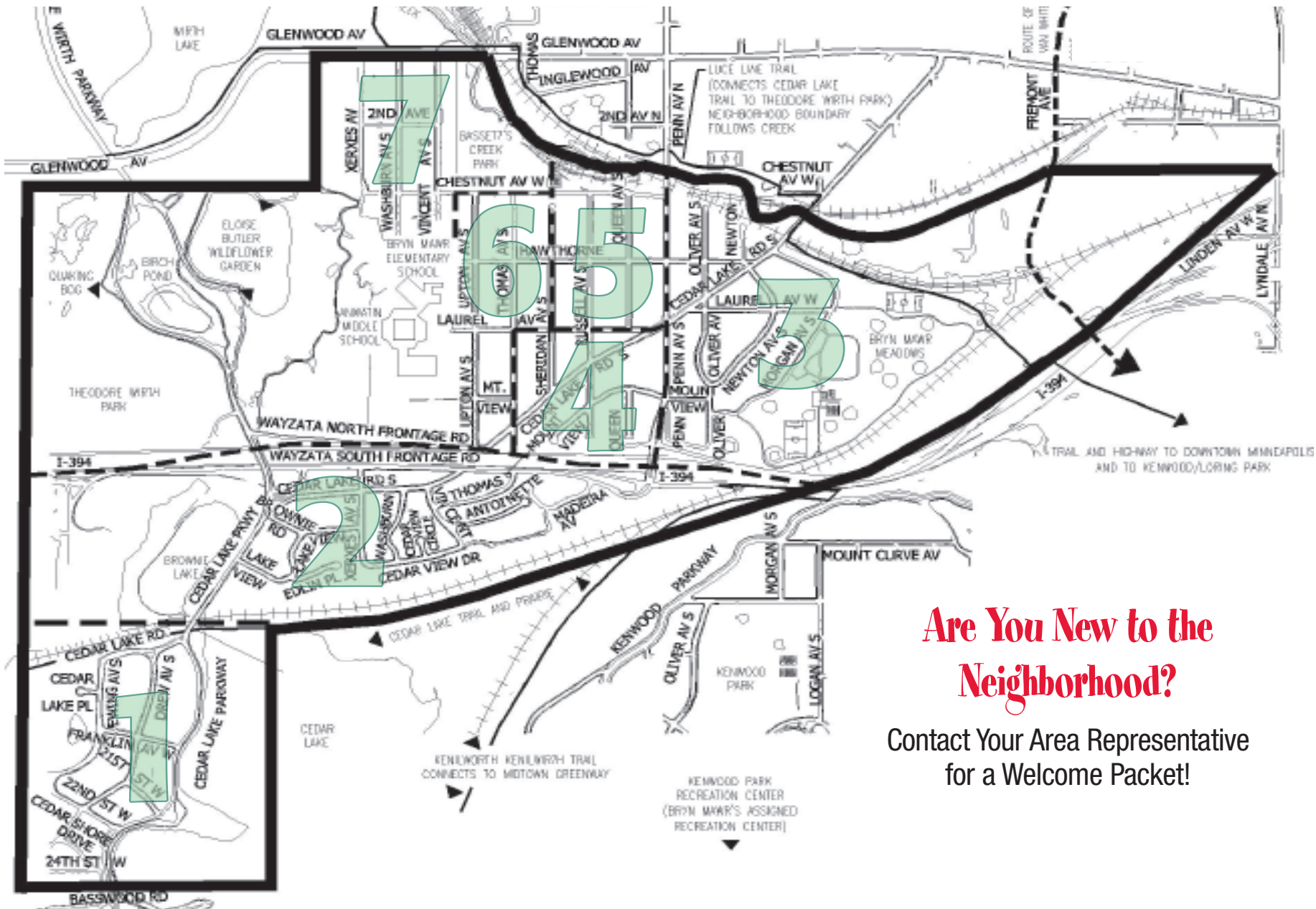


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