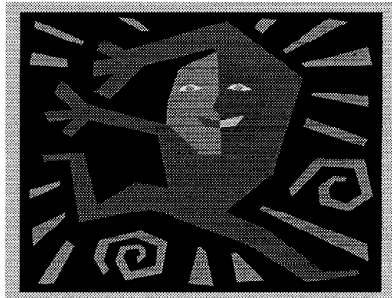




BRYN MAWR BUGLE

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Bryn Mawr's

Saturnalia

Saturday, December 13th, 4-7pm

Come on down and join the fun on Saturday, December 13. The fun begins at 4pm with Santa and the Women's Drum Corp. Enjoy a hot cocoa, roast a few marshmallows and warm your hands by the fire. Hop on the sleigh anytime from 5:30-7pm. An adults only party will begin at Cuppa Java at 8pm with live music and libations. Don't miss this fabulous annual event hosted by the Bryn Mawr Neighborhood Association.

- Patty Wycoff, Neighborhood Coordinator



Saturnalia Schedule

4:00-5:30 p.m.

Women's Drum Corp performs on Cedar Lake Road

4:00-6:00 p.m.

Marshmallow Roasting and Visit Santa

5:30-7:00 p.m.

Horse-drawn sleigh rides to view the neighborhood holiday lights (departing every 15-20 minutes)

8:00 p.m.

An adults only party will begin at Cuppa Java.

Saturnalia Wagon Rides & Road Closure

Saturday, December 13th is Saturnalia 2014 in Downtown Bryn Mawr. Please note that on this day, Cedar Lake Road from Laurel Avenue West to Russell Avenue South will be closed to through traffic from 3:30 PM to 7 PM. Barricades and safety cones will be placed at each end of the street so that emergency vehicles and the hay wagon can pass through.

We ask residents who live on this street for their understanding and to please enter and leave the roadway by the west end (the Russell Avenue entry rather than the Laurel Avenue entry).

We ask residents and businesses located within a few blocks of Downtown Bryn Mawr (in other words, within a few blocks of Bryn Mawr Presbyterian Church) to please turn porch or holiday lights on!

Also, we ask for supervision of children riding the hay wagon. Children may not climb on or off the wagon while the wagon is moving. Doing so is very dangerous and may result in injury.

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Taste Of Anwatin

An International Celebration of Culture, Arts, Service & Learning

Thursday, December 4, 5:30-8:30 p.m.

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- ◆ Come be part of the Empty Bowls community service event!
- ◆ Taste wonderful international food for sale in the cafeteria until 7:30 p.m.
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- ◆ Enjoy the Winter Music Concert starting at 7:00 p.m.

Proceeds from food and bowl sales benefit local food shelf.

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BMNA Reporter

BRYN MAWR NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION

Board Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, November 12, 2014

7:00– 8:45 PM

Bryn Mawr Elementary School Cafeteria

Call to Order and Introductions

President Kevin Thompson called the meeting to order at 7:05pm. Directors in attendance: Kevin Thompson-President, Dennis Fazio-Treasurer, Sandra Gay-Secretary, Dave Holets-Area 1, Linda Shaheen-Area 2, Susan Verrett-Area 2, Dennie Juillerat-Area 3, Matt Stark-Area 4, Christopher Etz-Area 4, Joanne Michalec-Area 4, Beth Tumbull-Area 5, Vida Ditter-Area 6, Barry Schade-Area 6, Jay Peterson-Area 6, Steve Harvey-Area 7.

Staff: Patty Wycoff-Neighborhood Coordinator, JoEllyn Jolstad- Bugle Editor

Guests: Lisa Goodman, City of Minneapolis, Nick Cichowicz-Area 4

Approval of today's agenda

Jay Peterson moved approval of the agenda as presented. Carried

Approval of minutes of last month's meeting

Matt Stark moved adoption of last month's minutes. Carried.

Treasurer's Report

Motion by Matt Stark to approve the change of Insurance Agent. Carried.

City of Minneapolis: Councilmember Lisa Goodman

- Leaves will not be swept from streets now since trucks have been turned over to winter duty. Yard waste is still being collected
- "Lunch with Lisa" done for the year
- "Later with Lisa" Dec 15 at Normandy Hotel 4:30-6:30pm
- Ability to rent secondary living units on private home property still being considered at Zoning and Planning commission.

City budget process under way with public testimony being scheduled ahead of final decisions. Public input available Nov 18 at 6:00pm City Hall Council Chambers. Budget adoption scheduled for December.

Neighborhood Coordinator report: Patty Wycoff

- Harvest Dinner-89 attended.
- Saturnalia 4-7pm Dec 13.
- Met with Michael Yang from City hired by Mayor Hodges to be Hmong neighborhood connector.

Bugle Report: JoEllyn Jolstad

Beth Tumbull writing article for next Bugle.

Standing Committee Reports

Communications

Neighborhood businesses are interested in advertising on BMNA web site. Communications Committee will consider a policy and report back to the Board.

Schools

Anwatin Equity Council looking for a neighborhood representative. Taste of Anwatin is Thursday, Dec 4, 5:30pm-8:30pm. BMNA co-sponsors Craft Fair. Tables are available for crafters. Also included-Scholastic Book Fair, International food, band concert (middle school bands).

Community Projects

Will meet on Nov 19 to look at use of remaining NRP funds on other projects

CPP Update

Nick Cichowicz was nominated by Kevin Thompson to take on the role of CPP Coordinator. Mr. Cichowicz was elected by the members present.

Impound Lot Update—Kevin Thompson

No choice made yet among the options presented in the past. Additional adjustments being made with a desire to work with small group from Harrison and Bryn Mawr.

ROC Update—Vida Ditter

Next meeting Nov 18. Penn Ave and Metro Transit people will present. Washburn Center for Children on Glenwood will have an open house Nov 21 11am-5pm. Details in Bugle.

SWLRT Update—Vida Ditter and Barry Schade

Project forging ahead with design consultant on board by end of year. Management group looking at procedures for approving some of the associated capital projects. Will reconstitute Citizen Advisory Committee and have cities appoint members. 5 members will be available from Minneapolis.

Penn Avenue Corridor Update—Jay Peterson

Steering Committee meeting Oct 20. Bus Rapid Transit (BRT) down Penn Ave. from the north moving forward. Bryn Mawr won't be affected very much. 5 nodes, including Glenwood being examined for development. BRT will turn and go down Olsen Highway and meet LRT at Royalston. No BRT buses planned to come down to Penn Ave LRT station.

Reports from BMNA Representatives to affiliated groups

Wirth Park CAC-Vida Ditter

2014 BMNA Harvest Dinner

The Annual Harvest Dinner was attended by 90+ neighbors. We had nine casseroles entered this year. All were delicious. Thank you Bryn Mawr Area Representatives for creating the lovely centerpieces. Centerpieces were given to the neighbor at each table who has lived in Bryn Mawr the longest.



Congratulations to Area 5 Resident, Paul Conners!

Paul's Thanksgiving casserole was the winner of the Harvest Dinner Casserole Competition. Paul won a gift certificate donated by Cuppa Java.



New mountain bike trail built near Quaking Bog. Was supposed to be kept narrow and one way. Now there is a 15-20 foot wide path in that area. CAC members are inquiring as to what is going on. Request to see if BMNA wants to weigh in. Comment being accepted until Dec 15 to comment on Master Plan. The Board decided to let the CAC take the lead since they are the most knowledgeable.

Discussion Items, New Business, Updates and Announcements

Solar Garden – Barry Schade:

City showing some enthusiasm. Groups will try to put together a program for neighborhoods and other groups who may want to get involved in solar gardens.

Kevin passed out Conflict of Interest policy statements to Board Members to sign and turn back in to the Secretary.

Kevin will be looking into office space south of I-394. It's a cooperative office facility with common receptionist and meeting rooms available.

Wirth Coop still working on startup. Seeking additional members. Looking to use the Star Market building. Adjourn by 8:45 p.m. Motion by Barry Schade to adjourn. Meeting adjourned 8:10pm

NEXT BOARD MEETING:

Wednesday, December 10, 2014
7:00 p.m., Bryn Mawr Elementary School Cafeteria

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Saturnalia, December 13, 2014

No January Bugle!

The next edition of the *Bugle* will be February, 2015. The deadline for Editorial and Advertising submissions is January 20, 2015. For more information, email bugle@bmna.org.

Have a safe and happy holiday season!

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 our neighborhood coordinator at organizer@BMNA.org at least five days before our event.

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Areas 4W, 5W, 6, 7	December 1 December 15 December 29 January 12 January 26	
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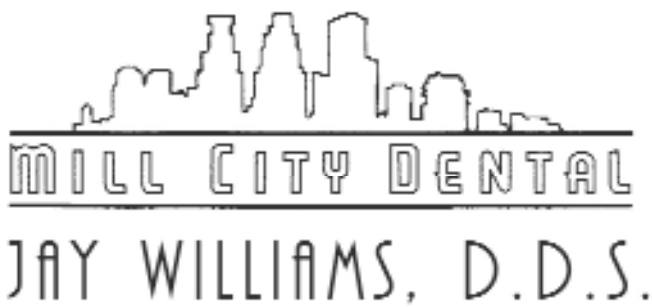
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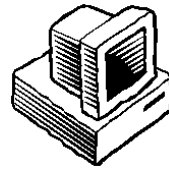


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From the Editor

If you regularly read this column, you know that I think that it is truly wonderful that our neighborhood invests in itself in the form of the BMNA Community Project. Over the past several years, the BMNA board has done small (\$2000 or less) improvement projects in the neighborhood. These project ideas come from and are implemented by Bryn Mawr residents. You can read about the latest one (a bench at Brownie Lake) on page 6 of this *Bugle*.

We also do larger projects through City of Minneapolis initiatives like NRP, NPP and now CPP (Community Participation Program). The BMNA has appointed Nick Cichowicz to be the new leader of the CPP process for our neighborhood. I have not had the pleasure of meeting him yet, but I welcome him aboard and thank him for his willingness to serve.

Intuitively, I have always seen the benefit of bolstering our local businesses and green spaces. It feels good to live in a place that is so well cared for. But, other than the "feel good" factor, is there evidence that this is a good fiscal strategy with long-term community benefits? Tu ms out, there is.

Last week I attended a conference for people in the field of adult education. One of the keynote

speakers was Charles Marohn. He is a nationally known community planner. He used pictures and stories from his hometown of Brainerd, MN to illustrate the importance of building strong communities.

He made terrifying predictions about unsustainable development incentives and shared his theories about how new developments, especially those requiring increased infrastructure are creating huge financial burdens on cities and towns.

According to him, the most sustainable business districts develop where communities support and maintain what they have and value. A "blighted" property in a caring community has much brighter future than a drive-to-it, park-at-it, corporate profit center.

I'm sure I am not doing his message justice. But, I came away with a renewed appreciation for our little village. I love that if you look at an old picture of Bryn Mawr you recognize it. It's the same only better and growing and changing to meet the current needs of the community.

I am so grateful to live here and want to thank the BMNA board and all the neighbors who make it such a great place to live.

Happy Thanksgiving everyone and many, many blessings in the New Year!

- JoEllyn Jolstad, bugle@bmna.org

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2014 Minneapolis Awardees Revealed at Metro Blooms' Garden Award Event

(November 7, 2014) The top 2014 Minneapolis Garden Awards were presented at Metro Blooms' Annual Garden Awards event on November 6, 2014.

Bryn Mawr Garden Among Those Recognized Best Edible Garden: Claude Worrell and Kim Faith (1112 South Cedar Lake Road)

There have been several gardeners tending to the neighborhood garden just down the street from Claude Worrell and Kim Faith's home. As the third owners of what once was a vacant property, they have incorporated their love of cooking and their knowledge of plants and insects into a bountiful garden, providing an education to those who live nearby who come to see how food is grown.

The focal point of this garden is a wrought-iron pergola covered with a tangled canopy of honeysuckle and hops, which dangle like festive party lights above a small table and chairs, nestled beneath the pergola. A series of paths divide the garden into four areas of cultivation. Larger than most home gardens but not quite the size of a community garden, this primarily edible garden deserves its own classification. One can find a strawberry patch, different kinds of raspberries, asparagus, peppers, purple and rattle snake beans and more.

Most of the vegetables grow in neat wood-framed beds. Most admirably, Claude cooks, cans, and shares what he does not use with neighbors and a nearby food shelf. Along with the vegetables, Kim has planted a host of colorful perennials, providing color that change as the season progresses. Even the dried seedbeds provide a feast for goldfinches and other birds.

This colorful and edible garden provides a way for Claude and Faith to spend time together, continuing with a tradition of gardening in their families. Their advice to novice gardeners? Says Kim, almost immediately: "Don't be afraid." Wa ms Claude, just as quickly: "Don't think it's ever done."



We've Come a Long Way -One Sort Recycling

When a BMNA board member was sent this picture of Jessica Likins helping her mother at the Bryn Mawr recycling center in 1977, it brought back a lot of memories. Although Minnesota had enacted recycling legislation in 1973, it was incumbent on individuals to figure out how to get their recycling to a center.

Bryn Mawr neighbors, always at the front of community action, set up bins for recycling along Highway 12, where the current Penn Avenue east bound exit is from 394. That land was vacant as 394 had yet to be built. Neighbors brought their sorted bottles, cans, and paper to the bins, where the recycling was eventually picked up. It wasn't pretty, but it worked.

Hopefully, citywide one-sort recycling will improve our recycling rates. According to the city, formal recycling, which started in Minneapolis in 1982, has never moved above 20 percent and has been stagnant or in decline over the past 10 years.

Minneapolis needs to almost double its recycling rate by 2015 to comply with a goal set for the city by Hennepin County so it can comply with a new state-imposed requirement to achieve a 45 percent recycling rate.



October 1977 Photo in February Bryn Mawr Bugle, Minneapolis
ARE YOU RECYCLING? '78

Susannah Likins and daughter Jessica enjoy a trip to Bryn Mawr's Recycling Center at Penn Ave. South and Highway 12.

- Submitted by Jessica Wiley, BMNA Vice President

All This Year's Garden Winners:

1. Best Cottage Garden: Sandra Mangel (4100 Bryant Ave. S.)
2. Best Business Raingarden: Lutheran Social Service of MN: Center for Changing Lives (2400 Park Ave. S.)
3. Best Fairie Garden: John Humleker and Cordelia Anderson (4405 Garfield Ave. S.)
4. Best Alley Garden: Carol Warner (4319-15th Ave. S.)
5. Best Permaculture Garden: Tiny Diner (1024 East 38th St.)
6. Best Residential Garden: Michelle and Bill Pohlad (2520 W. Lake of the Isles Parkway)
7. Best Volunteer Collaboration Award: Paul Thillen, Richard Stone, Monte Crumrine (Minneapolis Park and Recreation Board volunteers at Pearl Park on E. Diamond Lake Road and Hampshire Drive)
8. Best Hillside Garden: Dianne and Leland Crandall (159 Arthur Ave. SE)

9. Best Edible Garden: Claude Worrell and Kim Faith (1112 South Cedar Lake Road)
10. Best Congregation Raingarden: Plymouth Congregational Church (1900 Nicollet Ave. S.)
11. Best Community Investment Award: Todd Larson and Macy Ashby (686-24th Ave. NE)
12. Nate Siegel Award: Todd Larson and Macy Ashby (686-24th Ave. NE)

The award descriptions can be requested in full. Photos from the event and of these amazing gardens can be accessed on Metro Blooms' Facebook page, as well as on the Metro Blooms website, www.metroblooms.org

If you'd like to recognize a gardener, you can nominate your favorite garden for a 2015 Minneapolis Garden Award online at www.metroblooms.org. Nominations for a 2015 award are due July 8.

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New Bench at Brownie

As part of our Community Projects program, ideas for projects that will improve our community were solicited by the Bryn Mawr Neighborhood Association (BMNA) from neighbors last winter. One of the projects chosen for funding was to build a picnic table or bench at Brownie Lake. Neighbor Alan Torborg suggested and spearheaded the project. The Park Board was reluctant to approve a picnic table; they are difficult to

mow around and frequently result in a lot of garbage in the area. But they were open to a bench.

Thanks to Alan's work, a bench was installed this fall. BMNA board members were incredibly impressed with how quickly this happened. Alan has a magic touch! Take a walk around Brownie; enjoy the scenery and a rest on our new bench.

We are soliciting projects for the upcoming year. See the article in this month's Bugle for information about how to submit your idea.

- Jessica Wiley, BMNA Vice President
- Picture submitted by Sue Verrett



COORDINATOR CORNER

My name is Patty Wycoff and I am the Bryn Mawr Neighborhood Association Coordinator. Feel free to contact me at coordinator@bmna.org or 612-239-1710.

If you are not part of our e-mail list, please sign up at www.bmna.org.

Bryn Mawr Neighborhood Association Calendar - December 2014

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.

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	1	Family Open Gym, 6-8 PM at the Bryn Mawr Elementary School 2	3	Taste of Anwatin & Anwatin Craft Fair, 5:30-8:30pm at Anwatin Middle School 4	5	6
7	8	Family Open Gym, 6-8 PM at the Bryn Mawr Elementary School 9	BMNA monthly meeting, 7pm at Bryn Mawr Elementary Cafeteria 10	11	12	Saturnalia Festival, 4:00-7:30pm on Cedar Lake Rd. 13
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BMNA COMMUNITY PROJECT: We keep working on the 'hood!

The BMNA Community Project program has been in place for the last eight years. Projects completed are:

- Redesigning the Upton garden in Area 4. Our first community project; we completed a remake of the Upton garden and created a plan for ongoing maintenance. Drive by to enjoy the beauty.
- Energy Challenge. Over 80 neighbors joined the challenge and received statistics about their energy use. From this project we leveraged our relationship with SEE to receive two cash awards that benefited BMNA initiatives.
- Ash Bore identification project: A team identified more than 800 ash trees in Bryn Mawr and presented neighbors with a variety of options.
- Downtown banner project: Part of a joint City of Minneapolis/BMNA NRP project. The banners are up!
- 2011 Pedal to Pedal garden bike ride; which culminated in a very successful 2012 BMNA garden tour.
- Construction of a Little Library on Penn Avenue in front of Bassett Creek Arts.
- Buckthorn removal in Chestnut Park/Fruen Mill area
- Construction of a bench at Brownie Lake

Got a good idea?

Ideas for projects that will improve our community are being solicited

from neighbors. The Community Project Committee (Jay Peterson, Area 6; Steve Harvey, Area 7; Jessica Wiley, Area 3; Susan Verrett, Area 2, and Joanne Michalec, Area 4) will take suggestions and create a prioritized list, making a recommendation to the BMNA board in the spring.

The categories of projects considered:

- Environmental (e.g. Ash Tree identification)
- Energy (e.g. Energy Challenge project)
- Downtown (e.g. Banner project)
- Transportation
- Community (e.g. Upton Garden Redesign)

The committee evaluates suggestions using criteria including:

- Is it possible (politically, physically)?
- Does it meet the budget (\$0 - \$2000)?
- Is it sustainable long term?
- Does it have neighborhood wide impact?
- Is there leadership (an identified neighbor) to get the project done?

We will review ideas from past years and add new ideas contributed this winter. Please submit ideas for projects to jessicasusanwiley@gmail.com, or 612-374-3481, by March 1, 2015.

- Jessica Wiley, BMNA Vice President

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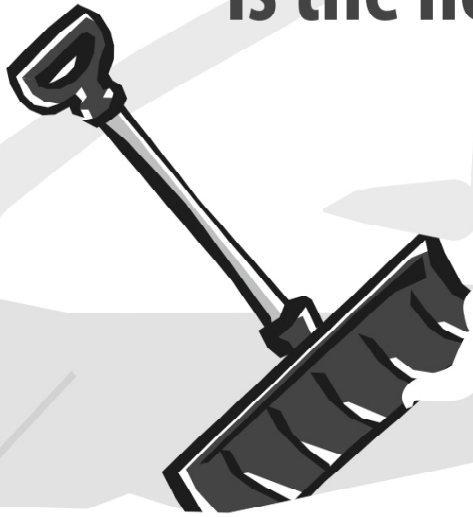
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- ✧ Remove all ice from sidewalks. After the sidewalk is clear, sprinkling a little sand can help prevent slipping on frosty sidewalks.
- ✧ Pile snow onto your yard and boulevard. It's against the law to shovel snow into streets and alleys.
- ✧ If you have a corner property, clear curb cuts at corners and crosswalks to the street gutter. You are not required to clear snow ridges or piles left by the plows beyond the gutter. City crews will make an effort to return to do this work as quickly as possible, but with some 20,000 corners to clear across the City, it may take a while. However, your neighbors would appreciate it if you could clear an opening sooner to help shorten the wait and provide a clear passage.

Avoid a ticket

- ✧ If the City of Minneapolis gets a complaint or discovers that a sidewalk is not properly cleared, Public Works will inspect the sidewalk and give the property owners a chance to clear it.
- ✧ If the sidewalk has not been cleared upon re-inspection, the property owner may be issued a citation with a fine.
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Spotlight on Business

Rolayne's Hair Design

Continuing a Bryn Mawr Tradition

By Beth Tumbull, BMNA Area 5 Rep

Sitting down for a chat with Nancy Wilson and Juliette Huber of Rolayne's Hair Design is like having tea with good friends. The space and their warmth made me feel at home right away. That being said, they did not come into ownership of this long time Bryn Mawr business on the easy road. As some of you may know, Rolayne met with a tragic accident that cost her most of her right hand last November. So, as the holidays were coming, Nancy stepped up her hours to make sure that the clients (hers and Rolayne's) were all taken care of with a lot of TLC.

Enter Juliette in January...expecting to meet with Rolayne and become part of a team after owning her own shop for 10 years, ready to stop managing hair dressers and focus exclusively on her clients. As winter was "trying" to become spring it was becoming clear that Rolayne wouldn't be returning any time soon, if at all. In the following months, Nancy and Juliette formed a lovely, supportive partnership taking over ownership of the Salon.

With many years in the business that they love, (Nancy with 35 years and Juliette with 32) they are on their way to becoming a fixture in

the neighborhood! Just ask anyone who wandered in during this fall's "Sip and Stroll", they came, they drank wine and they stayed! The place is just that comfortable...kick off your boots if you feel like it and make yourself at home while these top notch professionals make you look and feel your best!

Moving forward, we might see a new name on the green awning as Nancy and Juliette make the place more their own-- there is even talk of adding a manicurist to the mix!!! No matter what name they give to the salon, Nancy's warm laugh that wraps you up like a hug and Juliette's great smile will continue to welcome their clients and neighbors to stop by for a great service, to grab some product or to just say "hello!"

Please, do stop by and meet these two, if you haven't yet...they are a terrific addition to the neighborhood! While you are there, make sure to check out their great selection of stocking stuffers and gift ideas, including gift certificates, styling tools and products...

The salon is open Monday thru Saturday and you can make appointments by phone with:

Nancy @612.801.6571
Juliette @612.231.0601

Wirth Cooperative Grocery Update

Wirth Cooperative Grocery is continuing to make progress toward opening a store in North Minneapolis. We received a Federal OCS Grant of \$500,000 this past year, and our membership has grown to over 220 members. In September, we received unanimous approval from Harrison Neighborhood Association to pursue our ideal location of 555 Girard (Van White Blvd and Hwy 55) to build a store.

This location is currently owned by Minneapolis Public Housing Authority and is at a proposed LRT stop, which would give Wirth Co-op a unique ability to bring healthy food to a great number of people. To make that location a reality, the Co-op is continuing to work with the various partners. We've set a membership goal of 400 for the coming year and encourage you to

show your support for food and economic justice by becoming a member. Visit WirthCoop.com or call 612.743.7221 for more information.

- Jenny Warner, Area 6



December 6, 2014	Full moon, the Ojibwe descending cold moon.
December 12, 2005	Red Fox trotting along Hawthorne Avenue at 10 pm.
January 1, 2013	Bald eagle soaring over the "To mado Alley" cross country ski trail north of Hwy 55 and east of Bassett's Creek.
January 4, 2005	Heard great horned owl calling "who, who, who cooks for you" while cross country skiing at sunset on the Wirth golf course.
January 5, 2015	Full moon, the Ojibwe sucker moon, named for the common fish which begins to run early and can be caught through the ice, providing fresh food in the middle of winter.
January 29, 2014	Low -16°, high - 8°. A very cold winter last year.

Minneapolis Audubon Society Monthly Events

December 12, 2014

ADVENTURES IN ICELAND — DOROTHY AND FRED WALTZ

January 9, 2015

ELOISE BUTLER WILDFLOWER GARDEN — DON BEIMBORN

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The Taste of Anwatin is coming up on Thursday, December 4. I encourage all of my neighbors to check out this wonderful event. I have been going for many years even before I had students at Anwatin. There is fantastic food for sale representing many different countries, drawing on the diverse traditions of the student body and the Spanish Immersion program. I remember being greeted at the door in English and Spanish the year the Immersion program joined our campus. It is an easy place to get dinner for your family. There is also a craft fair in the gym including many crafters from our own neighborhood. It is a great place to get some shopping done. The craft fair is co-sponsored by the



BMNA schools committee. New this year there will be a Scholastic book fair in the lobby which is another great way to get some gift shopping done. Community Service students will have an Empty Bowls project and clay bowls for sale to benefit this great cause. Profit from the food sale will benefit the Empty Bowls project and will go to local food shelves. To wrap up the night, the student choir and various bands will perform at 7 PM. The performance is fun to watch even if you don't have a student at the school. I hope to see many of you there!

- Jessica Wiley, BMNA Schools Committee



Youth & Schools

Thank You Neighbors!

The Bryn Mawr Elementary Band would like to say a big Thank You to the Bryn Mawr Market, and our generous Bryn Mawr neighbors! The Market collected donations for the Bryn Mawr Elementary Band program, and shoppers donated over \$1,000.00! Mike Leipold ("Mr. Mike"), the Music Teacher and Band Director, used the funds to purchase much-needed supplies for the Band, including dozens of music books (for various instruments), mouthpieces for brass and woodwind instruments, reeds, drum sticks, and other needed supplies. We are so grateful for our neighbors' continued support for this program!

is available, but please feel free to bring your own. All Bryn Mawr families are welcome!

Anwatin Arts & Crafts Fair Thursday, December 4, 2014.

In conjunction with the Taste of Anwatin, the BMNA School Committee, in collaboration with Community Education, is sponsoring the annual neighborhood and student craft fair from 5:30-8:30 pm. Crafts are sold by neighbors, teachers and students.

For more information about the BMNA Annual Craft Fair go to the BMNA website at www.bmna.org.

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612-668-2500

brynmawr.Minneapolis.k12.mn.us

Minneapolis Kids School-age Childcare (at Bryn Mawr School)

612-668-3890

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Anwatin Middle School (6-8)

International Baccalaureate and Spanish Dual Immersion

256 Upton Avenue South

612-668-2450

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Anwatin Community Education

612-668-2470

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Bryn Mawr Presbyterian Church Welcomes You!

Children's Christmas Pageant
Sunday December 14 at 10:30 a.m.



Christmas Eve Candlelight Service
December 24 at 7:30 p.m.

Sunday School Classes @ 9:30 a.m.

Age Five Through Third Grade
Fourth Grade Through Confirmation



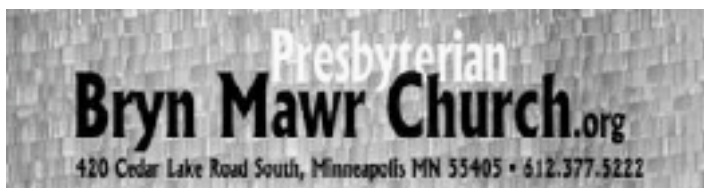
We Worship Each Sunday @ 10:30 a.m.

Nursery available for children 5 years & younger during Education Hour & Worship



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Family Open Gym at Bryn Mawr Community School

Tuesdays, 6-8 p.m. October through April

The Mawr PTA invites parents and children to come play together at Family Open Gym on Tuesday evenings from 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM at the Bryn Mawr Elementary School. Both the big gym for older kids and the little gym for younger kids, will be open. The gyms will be available to kids and their parent or caregiver each Tuesday through April. Some equipment

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January 31, 2015 2:00 p.m.

Kids Events

Paws to Read With an Animal
Volunteers will help put young readers at ease so they can cuddle up with a certified therapy animal and practice reading aloud. Most libraries host dogs and you can call ahead to see if other animals will be visiting.
December 18, 2014, 5:30-7:00 p.m.
January 15, 2015, 5:30-7:00 p.m.
February 19, 2015, 5:30-7:00 p.m.

Kids Book Club

Join other kids to talk about a great book!
Grades 4-6.
4:00-5:00 pm
December 22, 2014 – Jorge Aguirre, *Giants Beware!*
January 26, 2015 – Kate DiCamillo, *The Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane*
February 23, 2015 – Andrea Davis Pinkney, *Bird in a Box*

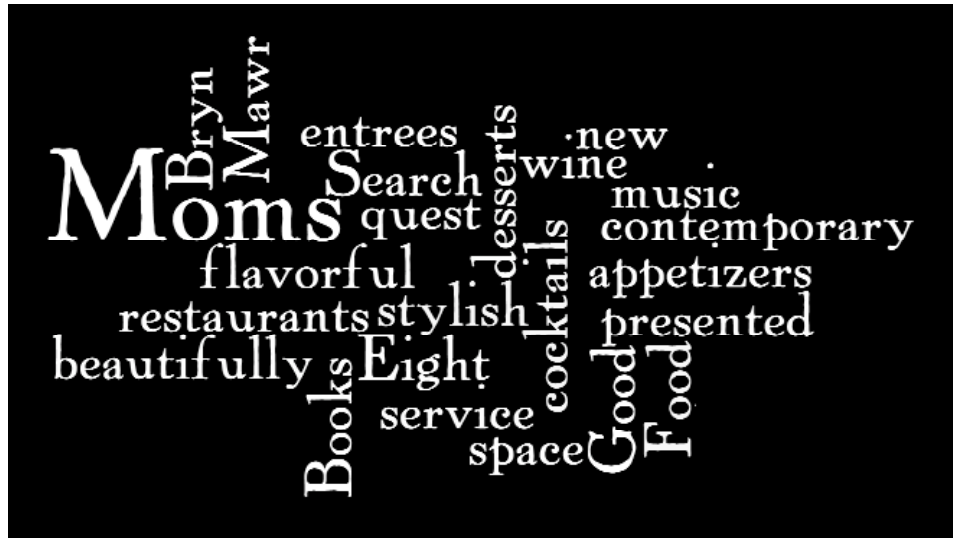
Act Out for Kids: Creative Movement
Learn how to walk like a bear, creep like a tiger or be like a tiny fly! An experienced Guthrie teaching artist will show you fun and creative ways to use imaginative movement.
December 30, 2014, 2:00-3:30 p.m.

Childcare Group Storytime
Talk, sing, read, write and play together in a format appropriate for the children in your care. Share books, stories, rhymes, music and movement.
Fridays 10:00-10:30 a.m.

Family Storytime
For children of all ages and their parent or caregiver. Talk, sing, read, write and play together in a format appropriate for young children. Share books, stories, rhymes, music and movement.
Fridays 3:00-3:30 p.m.

Adult Events
Adult Homework Help
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Mondays and Thursdays 4:00-7:45 p.m.
Fridays 10:00 a.m.-12:00 noon

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Fridays 10:30 a.m.-12:00 noon



Eight Bryn Mawr Moms on the Search for Good Books & Food

Third Bird
1612 Harmon Place
Opened in August 2014

Third Bird is another new restaurant opened recently by the award-winning Kim Bartmann, of Bryant Lake Bowl and Red Stag fame, among many others.

It's located on Loring Park, in the site where Café Maude's lasted just over a year, and Nick and Eddie spent four tumultuous years. It's in a wonderful old row of brick industrial buildings; at one time it was the sales floor of a Packard dealership.

Third Bird has taken advantage of the remarkable alley in the back and is using that door as the main entrance. Although you can still come through from Harmon, the host stand is at the alley door. According to Andy Sturdevant (MinPost 3/28/12) "this is possibly the greatest alley of them all. It's actually very unlike any other alley in the city – not perpendicular to the street, but running off Harmon at an odd angle, rambling through the block and shadowed by the multi-story buildings around it."

After a great deal of debate about it, we started with the poutine, a Canadian specialty of fries with beef gravy, cheese curds, and bacon. It was a first for some, and we couldn't stop eating it. Next came several other small plates— and the emphasis has to be on small—roasted carrots glazed with coffee, buttermilk curd, and hazelnuts, and salsify (a relative of the carrot) with caramel. They were very good and crunchy. The

beets had a variety of treatments, including vanilla, burnt cinnamon, orange, and macadamia nuts, but we were surprised at how small the portions were, given we were paying \$9 - \$12 for root vegetables.

For our next course we shared "pearls before swine," braunschweiger, pickled shallots, and smoked trout roe on toast. This was a real favorite of those of us who like liver pate. We also tried the sockeye salmon, scallops and clams, and the half roasted chicken with stuffing, which was more like a pate than a traditional stuffing. Everything was tasty.

Our excellent waiter, Jeremy, recommended the Pavlova (baked meringue on panna cotta with cherries) for dessert. Although we each had only one cherry, it was really yummy! We also had chocolate custard condensed into a bar with lime curd.

We thoroughly enjoyed the food, our waiter, and the ambiance, but couldn't get over how small the portions were. When the Pavlova arrived, we laughed out loud. Overall, the menu seems a bit overpriced for the portions offered when placed in comparison to similar restaurants we have visited. When we go again, we won't be sharing plates!

What the Moms are reading now:
Ordinary Grace,
by William Kent Krueger



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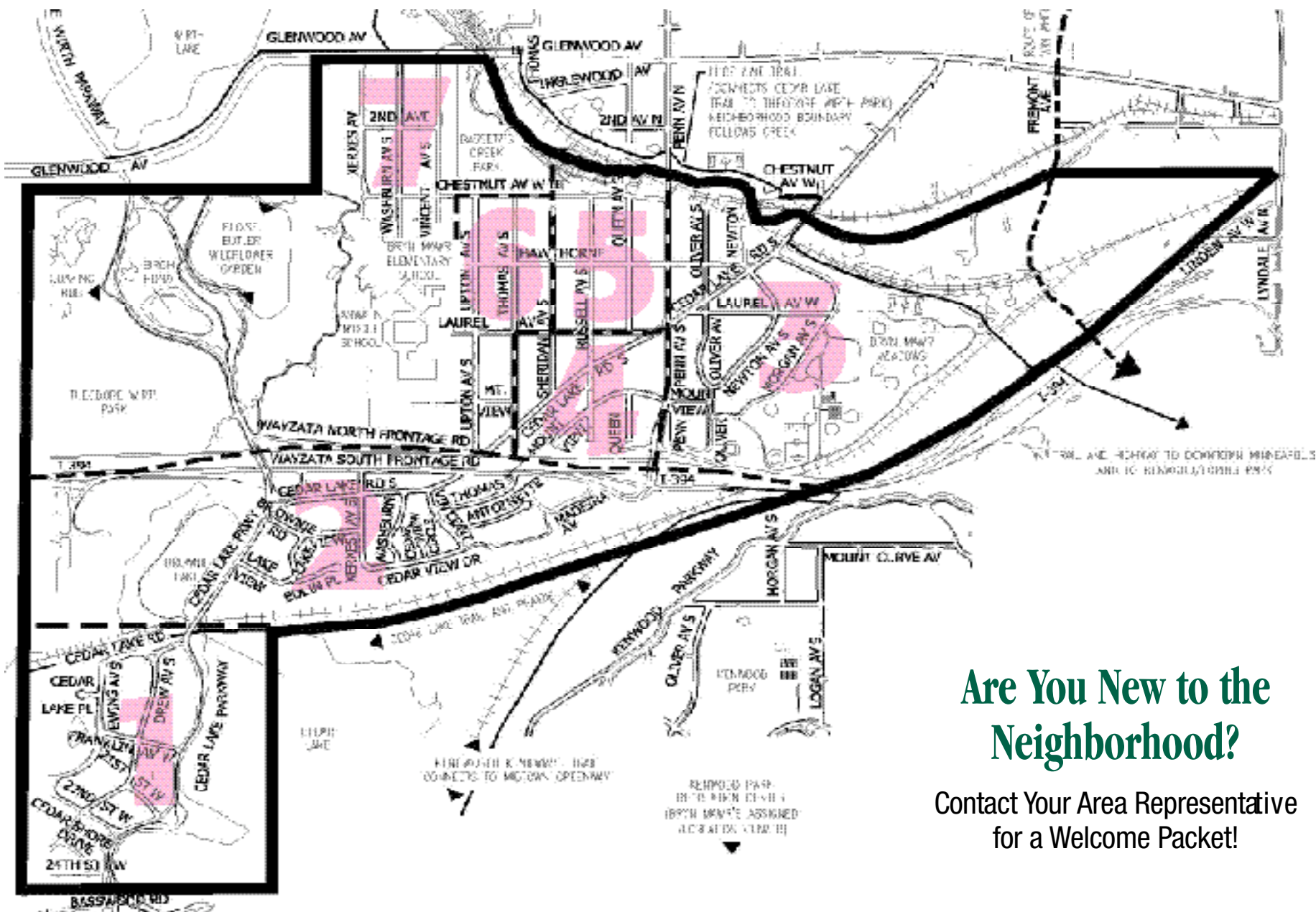
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