

Second Street Neighborhood Association



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Newsletter

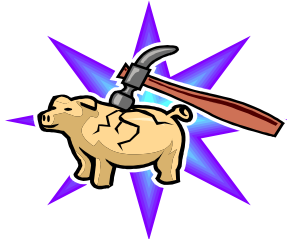
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SSNA NEIGHBORHOOD MEETING, ELECTION, AND POTLUCK

Because of the Thanksgiving Holidays later this month, the Second Street Neighborhood Association will meet this **Sunday, November 20, 5:00 PM at the Kling Center, 219 W Ormsby Ave. This is our last neighborhood meeting of 2011 and is designated the annual meeting of the corporation. We will also elect new officers and directors for 2012.** SSNA meetings are open to all, and children are always welcome. After the meeting, we will enjoy a traditional potluck dinner. Bring your favorite dish and join us for good food and good company.

BREAKING OPEN THE PIGGY BANK

In addition to electing officers and board members, it is our tradition at the last meeting of the year to crack open our piggy bank and approve donations to various charities and neighborhood groups. Donations are traditionally made to the Cabbage Patch, the Conrad-Caldwell House, Dismas Charities, GuardiaCare Services, Kling Center, the OL Information Center, the OL Neighborhood Council, the OL Visitor's Center, and Shakespeare in Central Park.



MAKING A LOAN TO VICTORIAN LOUISVILLE, INC

At its November 9 meeting, the SSNA Board of Directors discussed the suggestion earlier remanded to the them by the membership to loan a sizeable amount to Victorian Louisville, Inc. for its restoration of the Dillon property at 1392-1394 S. 2nd St. The Board will present at the November 20 meeting its considerations and will open the floor to the general membership for motion(s), discussion, and vote(s). For information about the Dillon House project, see <http://victorianlouisville.com/projects.html>. *For those who would like to see the project's progress, VLInc invites you to tour the building prior to the meeting, between 4 & 5 pm. Visitors will be entering the property at their own risk as VLInc does not have insurance coverage for this type of event. To limit the risk, for safety reasons, it will allow access only to the first floor and the basement.*



BEST WISHES TO YOU AND YOURS!

Our next Newsletter will be in January 2012 and the next general membership meeting will be January 29, 2012 at 5 PM at the Kling Center. Until then, SSNA President Jeff Call, SSNA officers and board members wish all a happy Thanksgiving, joyous holidays, and a prosperous new year!



SPECIAL THANKS GO TO ...

Dave and Pam Murrer for hosting a wonderful and well-attended Halloween Party last month. The food was fantastic and the little goblins had a great time too! For more pictures, go to <http://picasaweb.google.com/SSNA.Association>



The Viking Raider and sweet Mother Nature make a nice pair.



President Jeff Call introduces the new Sergeant at Arms.



Watch yer step there, Matey, 'r ve be walking the plank!



Lady Pamela and her Knight, Sir David of Murrer



SSNA Halloween Party: Characters welcome



The Hippie family

CONRAD-CALDWELL HOUSE INVITATION

SSNA residents are invited to a holiday open house and decorating party at the Conrad-Caldwell House Museum, 1402 St. James Court this Sunday, Nov. 20. The decorating party, including final touches and refreshments, starts at 3 pm, and so you will still have time to make the SSNA meeting at 5 pm. To participate in decorating this beautiful historic mansion for the holidays, rsvp to conradcaldwellhouse@gmail.com or call 636-5023.

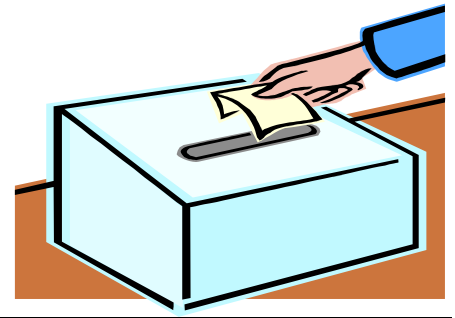
VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR TREE PLANTING PROJECT DEC 3rd

The SSNA Tree Planting Committee will need a few hardworking volunteers on Saturday, December 3 to clean up the 2nd Street Greens and to plant several new trees in the neighborhood, including a replacement for the recently removed huge old tree at 2nd & Lee. This tree will be later dedicated to Clint Vaught, a speech & debate teacher at Manual HS, who passed away recently. Vaught founded the Young Actors Institute at the Youth Performing Arts School. If you can help with the cleanup and/or tree planting, please sign up at Sunday's meeting or contact Jeff at 635-7449 or 821-5719.



SSNA TO ELECT OFFICERS FOR 2012

The Association membership will elect four officers and three at-large board members at the November meeting to lead us in 2012. The Nominating Committee will propose the following slate of nominees on Sunday:



OFFICE	NAME & BLOCK	NEIGHBORHOOD EXPERIENCE
President	open	
Vice-President	Tom Thacker 1300 Block S. Second.	SSNA member since Oct. 2000 2011 SSNA Vice-President
Secretary	Karen Mullen 1400 Block S. Second St.	SSNA member since Dec. 1998 2000 SSNA Board of Directors 2010 & 2011 SSNA Secretary 2011 SSNA Newsletter Editor 2002 Garden featured on OL Garden Tour
Treasurer	Zane Lockhart 1300 Block S. Second St.	1998-2001 Chair ¹ OLIC Holiday House Tour 1996-2001 Chair ² OLNC Zoning & Land Use Com. 1993-2011 SSNA Treasurer 1993-1995 Secretary ² OLNC 1988-1990 Chair ² OLNC Zoning & Land Use Com. 1988 Vice-Chair ² OLNC 1987 & 1989 SSNA President 1986 SSNA Vice-President 1983 & 1992 SSNA Board Member 1982-2010 SSNA Newsletter Editor 1982 SSNA Secretary
Board Member	Larry Chase 1300 Block S. Second St.	SSNA member since Nov. 2003 2011 SSNA Board of Directors
Board Member	Jean Christensen 1400 Block S. Second St.	SSNA member since Jan. 1985 2011 SSNA Board of Directors
Board Member	Victor Marquardt 100 Block W. Ormsby	SSNA member since Jul. 2008 2011 SSNA Board of Directors
Board Member	Emily Miles 1300 Block S. Second St	SSNA member since Feb. 2009 .

¹OLIC: Old Louisville Information Center; ²OLNC: Old Louisville Neighborhood Council

SSNA members are reminded that nominations may also be made from the floor. Our sincere thanks to all candidates who have agreed to serve their neighbors if elected! Note: Only three Board Members will be elected.

REQUESTS TO DONATE??

A number of people have reported that they are being approached on behalf of the 2nd St Block Watch to make contributions to aid a sick child at Kosair Children's Hospital or to assist in paying for burial costs of a deceased child in the neighborhood. Please be advised that the 2nd St Block Watch does not make requests for donations.

ATTEND AND WIN CONTINUES BY POPULAR DEMAND



20 pc Food Storage Containers & Lids



8 GB Cruzier Thumb Drive



ProSource 15 pc pliers and screwdriver set

One of our lucky attendees at Sunday's meeting will win their choice of prizes shown above. Our set of 20 storage containers will make storing leftovers a snap! Or choose the high-capacity 8 GB thumb drive to back up files on your PC. Or, choose the versatile 15-piece pliers and screwdriver set. Congratulations to Karen Mullen of Second Street who won the five-piece serving set at the October meeting.

Must be present to win door prize! Membership not required!

SPECIAL \$75 DRAWING FOR SSNA MEMBERS: In addition to the attendee drawing, SSNA members are eligible for a special cash drawing. Last meeting's winner was Judith Conn of Bristol, VA who won \$65. Unfortunately Judith was unable to attend the meeting so \$10 will be added to the drawing for the November 20th meeting. At the end of the meeting, a name will be drawn from all paid-up SSNA members and if that member is present, they will win a **\$75 cash prize**. If the member is not present, \$10 will be added to the pot each meeting until someone wins.

Must be present to win cash prize! Current SSNA membership required!

(New memberships accepted at the meeting upon completion of Membership Application and payment of \$10.00 annual dues.)

MAKE AN ICON FOR YOUR DESKTOP OR SMARTSCREEN

The SSNA has a website at <http://secondstreetna.org/> for copies of newsletters, meeting minutes, and forms. Once approved, the 2012 SSNA Planning Calendar will be available for viewing, printing, or downloading from this address, as well. Create an icon with this address for easy access to the site.