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END of SUMMER BBQ at the Park

Join the HOA on Saturday, September 8th for our last event of the summer. Come enjoy the bounce house and a delicious BBQ. The event starts at 1:00 p.m. Hope to see you there!



From the Board

SEPTEMBER HOA MEETING

Please mark your calendars. A HOA meeting is scheduled for the last week of September at Northwood (specific date/time announced soon). Plan on an open forum for discussion and also brainstorming for next year's budget. Get your ideas ready and let the board know where you would like to see your HOA dues spent.

Update on the Path to Petrovitsky Park

Bonita Migliore is working diligently on this project with King County and the Parks and Recreation division. The land between Trovitsky Park and the Petrovitsky Park soccer fields is owned by the County with the Parks and Recreation division also having a say in the use of the land. We're waiting on the thumbs up to go ahead with the project.

We have the commitment of a local Eagle Scout to take on the labor. Hopefully this will be completed by the fall to make the walk to and from Ridgewood Elementary much safer for our kids!

We are looking for volunteers in our community to help the Eagle Scout with this project. Please contact Bonita Migliore if you are interested 425-226-7337

Volunteers needed!!!

Not to sound like a broken record but the Board and ACC are in need of some help. We are still trying to fill one board member position and a second will be open as one member of the board is moving out

of the neighborhood. In order to continue our tradition of activities and maintain the quality of the neighborhood, help is needed! It only takes a few hours a month. If you are interested or have additional questions or concerns about the positions, PLEASE let a board member know!!!

Website redo

Updates to the website are now being done on a regular basis. Current minutes from board meetings, general HOA meetings and newsletters are available for viewing. There are also email links if you have a question for a member of the board. Please take a minute to check it out to get up to date on what's going on with your HOA. If you have suggestions to make the website better, let us know! If you have suggestions for the next newsletter, let us know!

Back to School...Safety please

Please keep in mind that school will be back in session in a couple of weeks, which means that kids will be on the streets/sidewalks earlier in the morning. Our kids walk to Northwood and Ridgewood, so PLEASE slow down around the corners and keep your eyes out for the youngsters!

Maintenance Project

The board and Green Effects will be monitoring the drainage in the park this fall and winter. There have been problems in the past with standing water and general sogginess. Once the rains are back, this will be evaluated to see if additional steps should be taken to alleviate the problems.

There were great suggestions made via the survey that was distributed this past April. These will be passed on to our landscaping contractor.

Information for the newsletter? Suggestions? E-mail: newsletter@trovitskypark.org

New HOA Website www.trovitskypark.org

Some winterizing tips...**Store Your Lawnmower Properly**

Once you have cut the grass one last time and have applied the fertilizer, take a few minutes to properly store your lawnmower until the spring. Either completely remove all fuel by either running or draining the gas tank, or add a conditioner. Next remove the spark plugs and then wipe the machine clean of all grass and debris. This will not only extend the life of your lawnmower, but it also make it easier in the spring when it's time to start mowing the lawn again.

Caulking and Weatherstripping

If you were to measure the total space of the cracks, gaps and holes around the perimeter of an average home, you would find a hole that is roughly three feet square. Imagine how much heat can escape through a space that large. To prevent the loss of heat through these spaces, inspect the perimeter of your home and apply caulking or weatherstripping wherever necessary. The key places to inspect are around hose bibs, dryer vents, windows and doors.

ADVERTISE HERE: To place an add in this newsletter, contact one of the Board Members for rates.

4th of July Celebration — Thanks to those who helped out!

Thank you to all who helped make this event a success. The BBQ, crafts and games were a success and we had a safe and sane holiday. Thanks also go out to those who came by the park the next morning to pick-up the remnants of the night before. The 4th of July is a great tradition that has been started in Trovitsky Park and one that will be enjoyed for many years to come!

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