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LETTERS to the EDITOR

New Businesses

Dear Editor,
Please, what is the construction going on at Lombard and Richmond. I count on my Review newspaper to let me know this type of information, but unless I've missed it, I've seen nothing.
I love my St. Johns Review. Thank you for your work.
Janet V. K.
North Portland

Hello...

Dear Editor,
I just moved to the area and found your newspaper in several businesses around town and love it. You just don't find these types of publications any more. Included is my subscription to make sure I don't miss ever getting one. I notice where I usually get mine, they were all taken the next time I went in there.
Sincerely,
Dillon Archers

No mailboxes.

No phone booths

Dear Editor:
I want to start by saying how much I love St. Johns - it really feels like home to me. But I can't

help noticing the markers of civilization that are disappearing from our streets. First, I became aware that there are no phone booths any more. If one doesn't have a cell phone, communication or even a call for help whilst on the street is not an option anymore. Today I was out to mail a simple card to a friend in California and walking about found that there are no blue mailboxes on the corners anymore. I walked to the post office and even there you have to enter the building in order to post a simple envelope. It seems like the markers that we all grew up seeing and took for granted, are not there anymore. I suppose that is a way to test one's age; if you don't remember mailboxes or phone booths, you are showing your age.

I love the newspaper, please don't disappear.
Marie Mc Kim

St. Johns Main Street Awards \$18,720.00 in storefront matching mini grants to local businesses

North Portland, Oregon. St. Johns Main Street is pleased to announce the recipients of our annual Storefront Matching Mini Grants. Local business and property owners from the St. Johns business district were invited to submit a request for one-to-one matching funds between \$500-\$2,500 to support improvements to the interior or exterior of their buildings. With more requests than funds available, Main Street had some tough choices to make, but couldn't be more excited for the great projects that Mini Grant recipients like the Man Shop will complete. Entering their 76th year in the business, the Man Shop will use grant funds to repair their iconic sign so that it will revolve and stay lit through the night. Golden Harvesters, a membership-based food cooperative serving low-income residents, will have exterior paint and landscaping work done on their prop-

erty. The Aspire Project, St. Johns' brand new non-profit outreach dance organization, will install signage, security and make interior renovations. Vern Luce will repair a broken sidewalk in front of his Lombard property. Keep your eyes peeled for storefront improvements at these other properties as well: Breathe, The Bridge,

Etcetera, The Central Hotel, NyanneCo's property (formerly home to Tio Panchos), and Convergence Architecture. Funding for Main Street's Storefront Matching Mini Grants comes from the Portland Development Commission. For more information, visit: st-johnsmainstreet.org.

Letters To The Editor:

Letters to the St. Johns Review are welcome and encouraged. The must be legibly written, typed or emailed. They must contain a name. Anonymous letters are not read or printed. Letters are not necessarily the views of the editor and they may be edited for grammar, spelling, or length, according to available room in the paper. The newspaper nor the editor are responsible for opinions or content of letters. Send letters to the addresses at the top of the page.

2015 REVIEW Issues

| Issue # | Date Out: | Holiday: | Article/Ad Deadline |
|---------|------------------------|----------|---------------------|
| 8 | April 17 (Earth Day) | | April 8 NEXT ISSUE |
| 9 | May 1 (PARADE ISSUE) | | April 22 |
| 10 | May 15 (Memorial Day) | | May 6 |
| 11 | May 29 | | May 20 |
| 12 | June 12 (Father's Day) | | June 3 |
| 13 | June 26 (4th of July) | | June 17 |
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| 15 | July 24 | | July 15 |
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| 22 | October 30 (Halloween) | | October 21 |
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| 24 | Nov. 27 (Thanksgiving) | | November 18 |
| 25 | Dec. 11 | | December 2 |
| 26 | Dec. 24 (Christmas) | | December 15 |

*Dates are subject to change due to unforeseen circumstances

DEADLINE DATES ARE STRICT.

DON'T MISS THEM!

Contest Rules:

For each issue the editor will choose two pictures to be used as either a Masthead or as a Photo of the Week. A third pictures may also be used as space allows.

At the end of 2015 (most likely in November,) the pictures will be voted upon by readers for which photo reader's liked the best. The winner will receive a \$100 cash prize from the Review.

Pictures must be:

*Sent in high resolution (200+) and sent to reviewnewspaper@comcast.net or reviewnewspaper@gmail.com in JPEG format.

* Pictures may be cropped (by the Review) to fit the paper's perimeters. For photos appearing in the Masthead they need to be vertical more than horizontal. Masthead pictures are 10.25" across, and 3" to 5" tall. Pictures of the Week can be vertical or horizontal and any size.

* Pictures appearing in the paper must belong to taker of the picture, but the Review has the right to use them in current and future issues.

* Color pictures are preferred, but outstanding black & whites might be used.

* Photos used in 2013 and/or 2014 may be sent and used again.

* If multiple photos are sent at one time by a photographer, the Review will use judgment for the picture (or pics) we think will print best in the paper.

* Since this is a first, these rules may change during the year, or more suggestions and rules added. (We'll learn as we go.)

* One vote per person. Voting begins in November where all the year's pictures will be re-shown.

(Disclaimer: Pictures appearing in the paper are reformatted to tiff's at 600 resolution for printing presses. After placement in the paper and being printed on newsprint, the photos may lose a certain amount of clarity. The Review cannot be responsible for lack of clarity or any other changes in the pictures. The Review is not responsible or liable for pictures sent in saying their author has taken them when in fact they may not have.)

North Portland Meetings

The following free listings are meetings for North Portland organizations. Updated information is the responsibility of each organizations.

ARBOR LODGE NEIGHBORHOOD ASSN:

Meet on the 3rd Thursday each month, 6:30-8pm, Kenton Firehouse, 2209 N. Schofield

AMERICAN LEGION, ST. JOHNS POST #98 Meets 4th Tuesday, 11:00 AM, St Johns Community Ctr. 8427 N. Central. Contact Gerald 503-289-0855

BOY SCOUT TROOP 52:

Meets Tuesdays from 7-8:30 p.m. at St. Johns Christian Church, 8044 N. Richmond. We welcome boys ages 11-17. For membership info, contact Anthony at 503-913-7085.

BRIDGETON NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION:

General Meeting: 3rd Mondays at 8pm, Port Yacht Club, 1241 NE Marine Dr.

CUB SCOUT PACK 52: Meets Mondays at St. Johns Christian Church, 8044 N. Richmond.

EAST COLUMBIA NEIGHBORHOOD ASSN:

Meets the second Tuesday of each month from 7-8:30pm at the Columbia Rvr RV Park Comm. Rm, 10649 NE 13th.

FRIENDS OF CATHEDRAL PARK NEIGHBORHOOD ASSN:

General Meeting: odd months at BES Water Lab; 7pm. Board Meetings on even months at St Johns McMenamins, 7:30. All meetings on 2nd Tuesdays of the month.

FRIENDS OF BALTIMORE WOODS: General meeting: 3rd Tuesdays, 6:30pm at the BES Water Lab, 6543 N. Burlington.

FRIENDS OF PIER PARK MEETING: Third Monday, 6:30pm at St. Johns Community Ctr., 8427 N Central

HAYDEN ISLAND NEIGHBORHOOD NETWORK:

Meetings: 2nd Thursday, 7pm, at former HIYC, 12050 N. Jantzen Dr. on Hayden Island.

KENTON BUSINESS ASSN: 1st Thursday of the month, 9am at Kenton Firehouse 2nd fl. 2209 N. Schofield

KENTON NEIGHBORHOOD ASSN:

Board Meetings: 2nd Wed., 7pm, Kenton Firehouse, 8105 N. Brandon

LINNTON NEIGHBORHOOD ASSN: Meetings: 1st Wed. of odd mos; 7-9 at Linnton Comm. Ctr., 10614 NW St. Helens Rd.

NORTH PORTLAND LAND USE GROUP:

Meets 4th Thursday of the month at Kenton Firehouse, 8105 N Brandon. 7pm

NORTH PORTLAND SOROPTIMIST CLUB meets the 2nd Wed at 6PM at the Lung Fung Restaurant, 2025 N Lombard Street. Public welcome to attend meetings to learn more about the club.

OCCUPY ST JOHNS: Meets Weds. 7:00pm at Anna Bannanas, 8716 N Lombard

OVERLOOK NEIGHBORHOOD ASSN.:

General Meetings: 3rd Tues of each month except Aug & Dec at Kaiser Town Hall, 7-9pm. Board Meetings: 1st Tues. each month at Overlook Hse, 3839 N. Melrose Dr.

PENINSULA OPTIMIST CLUB:

Meets 1st and 3rd Mondays (except holidays) at noon at Christie's Restaurant, 5507 N. Lombard. General public is welcome to attend meetings to learn about the club. There will be a guest speaker at most meetings. Questions—contact Sharon at 503-490-2889.

PORTLAND HARBOR COMMUNITY ADVISORY GROUP

Offers a gathering of thoughts on the Superfund. Concerns about the contamination in the Portland Harbor Superfund? Join the community to meet with the agencies in charge. Meetings include Informational presentations; Opportunity to render your opinion. Meet agency leaders in charge of clean up. 2nd Wednesday-Monthly at BES: 6543 N Burlington, beneath the St Johns Bridge 6:00 PM. www.portlandharborcag.info

PORTSMOUTH NEIGHBORHOOD ASSN:

Board Meeting: 3rd Tues of ea mo, 6pm, Bridge Meadows, Bridge Community Room, 8502 N. Wayland

PUBLIC SAFETY ACTION COMMITTEE:

Meets 4th Wed. ea. mo., 7-9pm, Kenton Firehouse, 2209 N. Schofield.

ST. JOHNS BOOSTERS:

Gen Meetings 3rd Tues at Central Hotel, 7:30-8:30. Meal provided. Board meetings: 1st Tues at 7pm at Central Hotel.

ST. JOHNS LIONS CLUB:

Meets 1st & 3rd Tuesdays each month at Patti's Deli, downtown St. Johns

ST. JOHNS MAIN STREET: Meets at 8250 N. Lombard. Fore more info go to: stjohnsmainstreet.org

ST. JOHNS NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION:

General Meeting is 2nd Mon. at the St. Johns Community Ctr, 8427 N. Central.

UNIVERSITY PARK BUSINESS ASSOCIATION:

Meets in 2014: 2/25; 4/22; 6/24; 9/23; 11/18 at 7pm at Darcy's at the corner of Fiske/Lombard from 6-7:30pm.

UNIVERSITY PARK NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION:

Meets: Jan., Apr., July & Oct on 4th Monday 7pm at the Chiles Center at the UP, 5000 N. Willamette Blvd..

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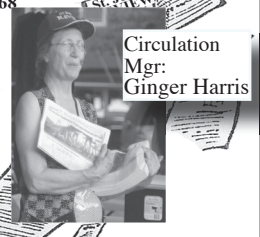
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