

Welcome New Residents

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Back Page Puzzlers

Take your mind off PIAC and Watershed Improvements with a Sudoku puzzle. The rules are simple. Fill in the grids so that each column, each row, and each of the nine 3x3 boxes contains the digits from 1 to 9 exactly once.

BUNNY TRAIL EASY

2		8		3	5	4	6	
				6			8	
		4	8	9	1	3	5	
		6	5	8				
7	2	5				8	4	3
				2	3	5		
	6	2	1	4	8	7		
	8			7				
	3	7	9	5		1		8

OAK STREET HARD

7				4				2
1		4		3				
	3		7	1				
	8				5	3	1	
	1			8			9	
	5	6	1				4	
				5	7		2	
				6		7		1
2				9				8

Solutions are located on page 2.

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Last Chance for Directory Updates

We expect to publish the neighborhood directory in April. Anyone with changes to contact information or family details should send them to Lewis Galloway at lgalloway@spencerfane.com by April 1st.

CRESTWOODWAY

Crestwood Homes Association

Bringing Neighbors Together Since 1922

Bunny Ears Optional

Saturday, April 7th is the annual Crestwood Easter Egg Hunt. See details inside.



Big Dig Comes to Crestwood

You've likely noticed the heavy equipment operating near 55th and Oak Streets. The work is being undertaken as part of the 5-phase Brookside Watershed Improvement Program. The program is a public investment of more than \$50 million to reduce flooding and sewer back-ups. The project is being funded through city sales tax dollars through the Public Improvement Advisory Committee (PIAC), revenue from sewer fees, and through the State of Missouri Revolving Loan fund.



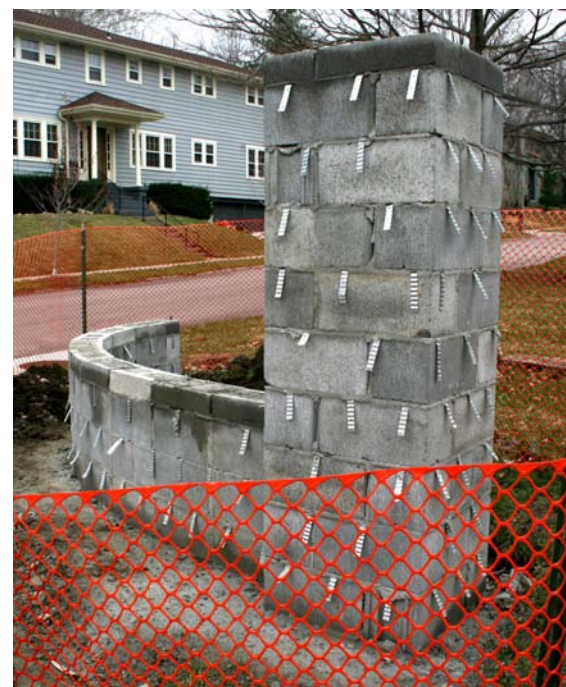
Phase 4 of the program focuses on Crestwood. In the coming months crews will replace additional street catch basins and enlarge the storm drainage and sanitary sewer systems at an approximate cost of \$6.5 million. The work in our neighborhood is scheduled to be complete in Spring 2008.

For more information, visit www.kcmo.org and click "Brookside Program" or contact Colleen Newman-Rigg, Public Information Officer with the KCMO Water Services Department, at colleen_newman@kcmo.org.

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Master Plan Update

As part of our neighborhood master plan, construction of a new Crestwood monument has begun at the corner of 56th and Holmes.

The structure and materials will be very similar to the two monuments at 55th and Holmes. All three will have new metal signage attached which says "Crestwood" as well. These projects have been 100% funded by a PIAC grant from the city.

www.crestwoodkc.org

Did you know our neighborhood has an outpost on the World Wide Web? You can fight insomnia by reading back issues of this very newsletter, plus you'll find neighborhood guidelines and contact info for board members.

If you have something you'd like to see on the site or ideas for making the site a more useful tool for neighbors, let Scott Shorter know (sshorter@uclick.com).

E-mail Security Alerts

The best way to be notified of crimes and security concerns in the neighborhood is to get on Carol Thrane's e-mail list. Carol e-mails police reports and other relevant information to subscribers.

To subscribe, e-mail Carol at cthrane@kc.rr.com.

The Crestwood Homes Association encourages neighbors to participate in community-sponsored events throughout the year. If you are willing to volunteer for an event please contact Lewis Galloway at 509-8797 or lgalloway@spencerfane.com.



April 7: Easter Egg Hunt

Come join the fun at Happy Woods Park on Saturday, April 7th at 10:00 AM for Crestwood's annual Easter Egg Hunt! We encourage parents to arrive at 9:00 to help hide all the eggs and then return with your children at 10:00 for the hunt. For parents new to the hunt, bring plastic eggs filled with candy (some extra plastic eggs will be available). Children four and under have their own hunting grounds, so all ages are welcome.

Please bring your favorite baked goods to share. Orange juice, mimosas, bloody marys, and coffee will be provided.

If the Watershed work lays waste to the park, please meet at the Cherry Street park instead.

June 23: Garage Sale & Cookout

Do you have a need to clean out your garage or basement? Would you like to make some extra cash doing it? Then plan on participating in the Crestwood Homes Association Garage Sale. This year's neighborhood garage sale will be Saturday, June 23rd beginning at 8 a.m. The Association will do the advertising - all you have to do is set out your stuff to sell!

After a long day of wheeling and dealing at the neighborhood garage sale, come join the fun as we all sit back, relax and enjoy fine tunes under the stars. The band takes the stage Saturday, June 23rd at Happy Woods Park at 6 p.m. So, once that final sale is made, grab a blanket, some food and drinks and head over to enjoy an evening under the stars. Grills will be available for those looking to, well....grill.



June 27: Large Item Pickup

Get rid of all that stuff that doesn't sell at the yard sale or that you do not donate. Large item pickup for our neighborhood will be Wednesday, June 27th. Just set your bulky items out on the curb that morning and the City will come by and collect it.

Puzzle Solutions

Puzzles are on back page.

Bunny Trail Easy

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Oak Street Hard

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