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2013 EVENTS

- BBQ Saturday, September 14
- Dumpster Day Saturday, October 19
- Annual Meeting Tuesday November 5

We are again e-mailing this newsletter to all 184 e-mail addresses. For the 10 members with no e-mail we will hand deliver a copy. We hope this is acceptable.

DUMPSTER DAY

By popular demand we are having another Dumpster Day this fall. It will be on October 19, (Saturday). There will be two dumpsters for trash and two for yard debris. They will be on site until 12:00 noon or until full.

As before there will be one of each at the island on 54th Street at Cherry and the other two at the South Crestwood island at Locust and Crestwood. Please remember that in the TRASH dumpster we can not have

hazardous chemical, paint tires etc.

If you have stuff you want to get rid of but is not really trash, please donate it.

Fall BBQ and Music

When: September 14 (Saturday)
Where: Crestwood Drive
Time 6:00 p.m.

- Music by Evan Maslak Jazz Trio
- Crestwood Homes Association provides BBQ, and Music, and a keg of Boulevard Beer.
- BBQ catered by Lon Lane(Table Service, water and fruit drinks provided). Other drinks BYOB
- Bring a side dish and or dessert to share

Greatest event of the year. Come enjoy great food and great neighbors!

Annual Meeting

Date: November 5
Place: 2nd Presbyterian Church
Dinner Time 6:30
Business Meeting 7:30

Entrée (to be decided) will be provided; bring your side dishes and desserts to share.

Sincere thanks to Jeff Westmeyer who, having sold his home, has gone off of the board. And thanks to Marilyn

Mukerjee and Christin Staffano for their two years on the board and willingness to run for another two years.

There are 3 board positions to be filled for 2013. If you are interested in running please let Marietta Parker or Ken Spare know by Friday, November 1, to be put on ballot. Nominations can be made at the meeting.

While serving on the board does take some time, it has

the reward of getting to know your neighborhood and neighbors better and sharing talents to make Crestwood the best neighborhood it can be.

Please consider this opportunity.

Congratulations to Jill Dewitt as recipient of this year's Okerblad Good Neighbor Award, for sharing her time and expertise Helping make Crestwood Beautiful. Thanks to Jill!

Special Saturday

Trash pickup days

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- **Labor day September 2**
Trash day Sat. Sept. 7
- **Veterans Day Nov. 11**
Trash day Sat. Nov. 16
- **Thanksgiving Day Nov 28**
Trash day Sat. Nov.30
- **Christmas December 25**
Trash day December 28 no limit on number of bags of trash
- **New Years Day January 1**
Trash day on January 4

Curbside Leaves and Brush Collection

(Date has not been set yet. I will email it when available.)

The City of Kansas City, Mo., collects up to 20 sacks or bundles of leaves and brush (excluding grass clippings) from residences during scheduled curbside collections in the spring and fall.

Here are the rules:

- Sacks and bundles should be curbside by 7 a.m. on the scheduled day of collection.
- No more than 20 sacks and/or bundles per household.
- Sacks and bundles must not weigh more than 40 pounds each.
- Use only **paper lawn debris sacks**. No plastic bags.
- If you seal sacks, use masking tape only; do not use plastic or duct tape.
- No grass clippings. No trash.
- All branches must be bundled. Branches must not be more than 3 inches in diameter.
- Bundles of branches must not be more than 2 feet in diameter and not more than 4 feet long.
- Use twine or jute rope to tie bundles; do not use wire or plastic tape.

If wet weather is forecast, cover sacks/bundles with clear plastic.

The Fourth of July parade and celebration in the Cherry Woods park was a smashing success. Many thanks to **Christin Steffano** for her organizational efforts. The dunk tank and inflatable slide were great fun for all. Thanks to all others who helped that day.