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SOLSTICE WALK - TUESDAY DECEMBER 21ST 5-8PM

Join your neighbors as we bundle up and walk around the neighborhood on the longest night of the year. Everyone is invited to set out lights, luminaries or other decorations to help light-up the night. Holiday music played live or recorded is also encouraged.

*Luminary supplies will be available on a first come basis on Sunday Dec 19th between 2-5pm at 73rd & Holmes and 74th & Campbell.

HOLIDAY DECORATING CONTEST

Every year we see awesome holiday light & decoration displays throughout the neighborhood. This year the RGNA board will recognize a holiday display in each of the following categories:

- Griswold: Biggest and Brightest
- Winter Wonderland: Classic design
- Toy Land: Inflatables, yard decorations, animation
- Dashing Doorway: best entryway/wreath

Displays will be evaluated through December 15th, with the winners announced on the RGNA Facebook page the night of the Solstice Walk. We encourage everyone to post your favorite displays on the RGNA Facebook or Instagram pages as well.

Check the RGNA Facebook page for more information/details!

Fall Leaf Cleanup #2

Thursday December 16th

There will be a second leaf cleanup happening this year. You will be able to put an additional 20 bags of leaves/yard waste at the curb on Thursday December 16th.

Did you know? Composting

- Around 60% of household garbage can be composted instead of sent to a landfill. Composting creates rich soil instead of filling up a landfill and creating methane gas.
- If you are interested in composting there are several options (this list is not exhaustive)
 - Backyard composting- Learn how at www.epa.gov/recycle/composting-home
 - Compost Collective- Curbside composting and bin swap programs (Brookside Farmer's market is a swap location) (www.compostcollectivekc.com)
 - KC Can Compost- Register online and drop off your compost at one of their collection sites. There is one at Soap Station at Wornall & 75th (www.kccancompost.com)

Progressive Dinner Recap

Thanks to everyone that was able to participate in this year's Progressive Dinner. We tried out a new format this year that worked out great. And we were thankful the rain held off till after we were done dining al fresco.

KC Marathon Cheer Party

Thanks to everyone who came out and cheered for the marathoners running through our neighborhood. It was a perfect day for running and spectating.

Thanks for being my Neighbor

Our neighbor on Harrison street wanted to thank their neighbors for pitching together and giving them an edible arrangement and donation during a tough time. Thank you!

Upcoming Dates

December - No formal RGNA Board Meeting or newsletter

December 16th - Second Lawn/Leaf Pickup

December 21st - Solstice Walk 5-8pm

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