



ORANGE HEIGHTS

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWSLETTER

Upcoming Events for Orange Heights!

Mark your calendar!

Northwest Neighborhood Movie Night - July 27, 2013, 6pm to 9pm at Washington Park. Watch a movie

under the stars! Orange Heights is partnering with 5 other NW neighborhood associations and District 5 City Staff to hold this FREE family event.

Bring your blanket, chairs and family.

Three food trucks - Pie & Burger, The Grilled Cheese and Don Chow Tacos will be selling food at Movie Night. Or, if you prefer, bring your own picnic.

Free popcorn will be provided by the City of Pasadena.

Washington Park-the first park established in NW Pasadena in 1922 is a 5 acre jewel and a wonderful back drop to enjoy the family film **Night At The Museum.**

This promises to be a great family evening and hopefully will become an annual event!

neighborhood events continued

Assembly member Chris Holden's Annual Block Party. Saturday, August 3, 2013, 11am to 3pm on Jackson Street.

Free activities will include live music, food and entertainment for the kids. Stop by the Orange Heights booth to pick up juicy slices of neighborhood oranges. We'll once again hold a raffle for signature OH memorabilia.

Orange Heights Ice Cream Social - Tuesday, August 6, 2013, 6pm to 8:30pm on Madison Avenue at Jackson Street.

Held in conjunction with "National Night Out," this evening is always a great way to catch up with neighbors and promote police-community partnerships. Ice cream with toppings will be served along with sorbet. And of course there will be a raffle!

It's Official, Orange Heights will have a voice on the Historic Preservation Commission! Neighbor Barbara Lamprecht will represent Orange Heights on issues that affect our neighborhood and make recommendations to the OHNA board. Barbara is an architectural historian, she has a master's degree in architecture from California State Polytechnic University, Pomona and is currently working on her Ph.D in architecture.

Filming in Orange Heights

Home Shoot Home Film Location Company has added a link on their web site specifically highlighting Orange Heights as a neighborhood film location site. Check it out!

OHNA Meeting Schedule for 2013

Meetings are held at 7pm the 3rd Sunday of each month. Below is the schedule for the remainder of 2013

July 21 August 18.....

Sept 15.....Oct 20

November 17

NO MEETING IN DECEMBER

New Neighbor Kits

When you notice a new neighbor moving into Orange Heights please contact Nick & Anna Hjorth, 626 398 1393, [njhorth@yahoo.com](mailto:njhjorth@yahoo.com). New neighbors will be welcomed with an Orange Heights New Neighbor Kit!

Community Out Reach

If you have an hour or two per week to give to the community you are encouraged to reach out to Madison Elementary School at 515 E. Ashtabula. Madison is in dire need of volunteers to work with first grade students in reading and math skills. The school is within walking distance of Orange Heights. The majority of the students at Madison live directly to the South of Orange Heights. By working with these students we can build a richer and safer neighborhood for the future. You will need to fill out an application and take a TB test. Contact PUSD at 626 396 3600 if you would like to work with these wonderful children. PUSD offices are located at 351 So. Hudson Ave.

Neighborhood Entrepreneurs

Please contact Cindy Schnuelle for inclusion in this section of our newsletter.

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TOWN TO - DOS

Pasadena Farmers Market Wednesday's through Oct. 30th at 535 E Union Street near Fuller Seminary Garden, 3:30pm to 7:30pm.

Others Farmer's Markets are held at Victory Park on Saturdays 8:30am to 1:00pm, Villa-Parke on Tuesdays, 8:30am to 1pm. For more information call 626 744 7500 or email: kjames@cityofpasadena.net

Party on the Plaza Concerts, began July 28th. Spazmatics appear July 12, Tribute to U2 on July 26. Concerts are held on the Pasadena Civic Auditorium Plaza. General admission for each show is \$10 and a table seat is \$20. Purchase tickets at: thepasadenacivic.com or at the Auditorium on Fridays from 10am to 6pm, 300 E Green Street.

Free Fall Garden Planning Workshop, Join Christy Wilhelmi from 9am to 11am Saturday, Aug. 10 for an information-packed class to plan out your Fall garden. This workshop is part of the City's H2O Academy. visit: www.PWPweb.com

Pasadena Art Night, Oct. 11, 2013, 6pm to 10pm. Pasadena's arts organizations unite to provide free access to art: artnightpasadena.org

Pasadena Art Weekend, Oct. 11-13, 2013 Three fun filled days will include, ArtNight, ArtWalk in the Playhouse District, Taste of South Lake, World Festival at Paseo Colorado and the Old Pasadena Cultural Dance Festival.

Annual Craftsman Weekend, Oct. 18-20, 2013, Pasadena Heritage, 626 441 6333 - pasadenaheritage.org

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pueden madar un email a:
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Odds & Ends

Buy or lease a new solar system and you can earn super low power bills & generous PWP rebates, a federal tax credit worth up to 30% of the cost through 2016, plus compensation for any surplus electricity your home doesn't use. www.PWPweb.com/Solar

Fight the Mosquito Bite! More information at westnile.ca.gov/mosquito_control.htm

Time to Inventory Energy & Water Use, Visit www.PWPweb.com for conservation tips, free workshops, rebates and water-related news.

Pasadena Heritage Craftsmen Referral List homeowners seeking preservation professionals can contact Jenna Kachour, 626 441 6333 x19 or jkachour@pasadenaheritage.org

Old Pasadena Walking Tours, given by Pasadena Heritage docents, tickets \$12 for members, \$15 for non-members. Tickets can be purchased on line or by calling 626 441 6333.

Architecture Groupie Alert, find directories for local pros, discussion opportunities, ideas for those interested in new products, DIY ideas, construction techniques, plus much more. Visit: www.houzz.com

Japanese Garden Open to the Public, Storrier-Sterns Garden at 270 Arlington Drive, visit: info@japanesegardenpasadena.com

Report a Crime Online. Pasadena now has an online police reporting system. Using the system allows you to submit a report immediately & print a copy of the police report for free. All cases filed will be reviewed and you may be contacted if needed. http://www.cityofpasadena.net/Police/Report_A_Crime_Online/

Benefits for Owners of Historic Properties

You may qualify for a property tax reduction through the City's Historic Property Contract Program - "Mills Act". In return you'll agree to restore & maintain your historic home by creating a program of specific projects to undertake during a 10 year period.

For more info call, Kevin Johnson at 626 744 7806. **In some cases a non-contributing property may also be considered.** Guidelines & applications are available at the Permit Center, 175 N Garfield, window #4, or www.cityofpasadena.net/millsact