

LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT

I hope everyone had a wonderful summer and you're looking forward to our biggest event of the year: HALLOWEEN! There are only a few things I would like to address.

First off are the hayrides, compliments of CARSTAR Miller Auto Body (formerly Forest Home Auto Body). Hayrides will take place on Halloween night. They will NOT be at registration this year.

Every year the Association Board votes on a non-profit organization to collect donations for during Halloween. This year we have chosen the Milwaukee Street Angels. This organization helps feed and clothe the homeless, among other things. Listed in the newsletter are items they are in desperate need of. Please find it in your hearts to bring at least one of these items to registration.

During the past year I have seen more and more new faces move into the community. When you meet your new neighbors, please mention to them all the great events we have throughout the year and how to join the association. The more members we get the more events we are able to put on!

The Safety Patrol and Farmers Market are always looking for new faces and new ideas. If anyone is interested, please don't hesitate to contact me at (414) 937-0220 or email jacksonparkinc@gmail.com.

I saved the best for last! In March I was contacted by the Producer of "Around the Corner with John McGivern". They asked if I thought our community would like to be on their show. Without hesitation, I said "YES"!!! So in August they filmed some businesses in the area along with Alderman Mark Borkowski, JPCA Safety Patrol and the Jackson Park Farmers Market. The Producer will notify me when the show is ready to air, probably around the beginning of next year, and there may be a special showing for the community before it airs. If that is the case, I will let everyone know when and where.

UPCOMING EVENTS

October 11th - Registration
Where: Manitoba Park Pavilion
Time: 4:00pm – 9:00pm

October 12th – Registration
Where: Manitoba Park Pavilion
Time: 2:00pm – 9:00pm

December 14th – Winterfest
Where: Jackson Park Boat House
Time: 12:00pm -3:00pm

April 11th, 2020 – Easter Egg Hunt
Where: Jackson Park Field House
Time: 10:00am – 12:00pm

I am so proud to service a wonderful community and awesome people like the residents of the Jackson Park Neighborhood. THANK YOU!

Dee Chastain/President

VOLUNTEERS

THE JACKSON PARK COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION IS ALWAYS LOOKING FOR PEOPLE TO VOLUNTEER. WE RUN SOLELY ON VOLUNTEERS. IF YOU'RE ABLE TO VOLUNTEER ANY OF YOUR TIME FOR EVENTS OR THE SAFETY PATROL IT WOULD BE GREATLY APPRECIATED! PLEASE EMAIL

JACKSONPARKINCPRESIDENT@GMAIL.COM OR CALL DEE AT (414) 937-0220.



A LITTLE HISTORY

LYONS PARK 3301 S. 55TH STREET

In 1843 Lyons Park was part of the Frederick Hegelmeyer Farm. The land was covered in wild onions and wild flowers. Mr. Hegelmeyer used this section as a pasture. He passed away in 1900 and his family farmed the property after his death.

In 1946, the County Park Commission acquired thirteen acres of the Hegelmeyer Farm to make a future park.

The park was a creek with three wooden bridges and a small wooded area. The creek feeds into the Kinnickinnic River. The park is named after Willard P. Lyons, a Milwaukee County Board Supervisor from 1924-1954. Mr. Lyons Nephew is John Doyne, Milwaukee's first County Executive in 1960.

The park is located from 55th Street to 57th Street and Ohio Street to Holt Street. It has a small pool, children's play area, baseball fields and basketball courts.

BENCH AND TREE IN HONOR OF...

Last Halloween through the end of 2018, the Jackson Park Community Association collected donations to purchase a tree and bench to be placed in Manitoba Park in honor of Officer Michael Michalski. In the beginning of June the tree and bench were placed in Manitoba Park. Both have a gold plate with Officer Michalski's name. The Association would like to thank everyone for their generous donations! Next Spring the Association will be planting flowers around the tree located by the playground area in back of the pavilion. Thank you again Jackson Park Community, you are awesome!!

FARMERS MARKET

The Jackson Park Farmers Market will be finishing its fifth season on September 26th, 2019.

Thank you so much to the residents and vendors who helped to make the season a success!

If you are a vendor, or know of a vendor, that would like to join us next season, you/they can email JPFarmersMarket@yahoo.com and we will happily send an application.

Like us at <http://www.facebook.com/JPFarmersMarket> where you will receive updates on vendors, special events and other "don't miss" items.

BUSINESS DISCOUNTS

We've been working with local businesses to offer discounts to members of the JPCA. Here are a couple offers from businesses that are owned by Jackson Park residents!

Stan's Landscaping Services, LLC- \$25 off the Four Step Lawn Fertilization Program. Normally \$135, but \$110 for JPCA members! Contact Stan for more info, (414) 698-0435.

Branch Managers Tree Care, LLC- 10% off any tree service for JPCA members! For more info call (414) 659-3860 or (414) 759-3970. Also check out www.branch-managers.com or www.facebook.com/BranchManagersTreeCare.

SPONSORS

The events the JPCA hosts throughout the year would not be possible without the help from some of our local businesses. The Association is grateful for what these businesses do for us and the community.

A very special Thank You to: El Rey, Shorewest Realtor Marsha Voeltner, DiStefano's Pizza Palace, Ace Auto Salvage, Carstar Miller Auto Body and North Shore Bank.

HALLOWEEN 2019

This year's "Night Out Trick or Treat" will occur within the area of 44th St. to 49th St. and the alley North of Oklahoma Ave. to the South side of Cleveland Ave. Any child 12 and under may participate in the event.

You do not have to register your house to give out candy. We will not be supplying candy if you run out. If you run out, please turn off your porch light. Candy will still go out to the elderly that want to participate. If you need candy, please contact Dee at (414) 937-0220.

Register your house for "Best Decorated" no later than October 12th. Judging will be done the night of the event. Winners will be notified the day after the event. Houses must be in the trick or treat area.

Registration will be Friday, October 11th from 4:00 – 9:00pm and Saturday, October 12th from 2:00- 9:00pm at Manitoba Park Pavilion. The trick or treat participation fee is \$3.00 per child. The membership fee is \$10.00 per household. You **MUST** pay the membership fee to participate in the event.

HALLOWEEN CONTINUED...

The participation fee per child increases to \$4.00 for registrations submitted after Saturday October 12th. The day of the event the fee is \$5.00 per child. **REGISTRATION FORMS WILL BE AVAILABLE AT REGISTRATION.**

You may pay membership and registration fees with cash, check or credit card.

During registration, you will have the opportunity to participate in the following:

- *Face Painting on Saturday 2:00-5:00pm
- *Sports item raffles, \$3.00 per ticket or 2 for \$5.00
- *Dog & Cat basket raffles, \$1.00 per ticket
- *Cookie and pumpkin decorating on Saturday 2:00-5:00pm
- *Safety Patrol Brat sale on Saturday from 2:00-5:00pm.
- *Halloween Rummage Sale on Saturday from 2:00-5:00pm
- *Haunted Cemetery by Safety Patrol on Saturday night.

HAY RIDES WILL BE GIVEN ON THE NIGHT OF THE EVENT. COMPLIMENTS OF CARSTAR MILLER AUTO BODY.

This year we are collecting items for the Milwaukee Street Angels. They are a non-profit organization that helps feed and clothe the homeless among other things. Please find it in your hearts to donate. Listed below are the items in need:

- *Socks
- *Flashlights
- *Blankets
- *New Men's Underwear
- *New Women's Underwear
- *Jeans/Pants
- *Sweatshirts/Hoodies
- *\$5 McDonald's Gift Cards
- *Non-perishable Snacks

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The Jackson Park Community Association is a registered 501(c)3 Neighborhood Association that encompasses the area of S. 27th St. – S. 60th St. and Lincoln Ave. – Morgan Ave. It is the largest Neighborhood Association in Milwaukee. The JPCA strives to bring the community, both business and residential, together to maintain and improve the quality of life by organizing social gatherings such as “Night Out Trick or Treat”, Christmas Tree Lighting, Easter Egg Hunt, Farmers Market, and a Walk/Run for Diabetes among many other things.

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