



# NANA NEWS

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### PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Dear neighbors,

North Avondale's is shining again this spring! Not only are the large blooming trees spectacular, but with the fantastic turnout at our Annual Clean Up day on Saturday, it really looks spring ready in our parks. Thank you to Emily Harten and the North Avondale Beautification Committee, and to all our volunteers and residents for the effort! Also, a big thank you to the Cincinnati Parks, Keep Cincinnati Beautiful, and the ToolBank, for their great support of this neighborhood day.

Since North Avondale's Rose Hill Avenue is being featured at the Cincinnati Preservation Associations (CPA) 2015 Spring House Tour this year, we have taken the opportunity to invite CPA's Preservation Director **Margo Warminski** as our special guest at NANA's annual meeting Sunday, May 17th. She will focus on North Avondale's history, but will also cover what the Cincinnati Preservation Association does, and which resources are available in the city for preservation of historic homes. Also, **Satolli Glassmeyer**, President of History in Your Own Backyard will be there to talk about his History Video Project (featured in the *April NANA NEWS*). This should be a very interesting session!

As the term for the current board concludes, please join me in expressing much appreciation to the 2014-2015 Executive Board: Michael Caporale, 1st Vice President, Marvin Masterson, 2nd Vice President/Law & Safety; Carolyn Gillman, 3rd Vice President/Block Watch/Membership; Nicole Patitucci, Recording Secretary; Dana Winn, Corresponding Secretary/Code Enforcement; Tom Wright, Treasurer/Strategic Planning and Land Use; and to our Committee Chairs: Beth Ewing, Beautification; Teresa Harten, Health and Wellness; Michelle Baxter, Law and Safety; Pauline Daly, Education and Rental Housing; Mel Nizny, History and John Jones (past NANA President), Neighborhood Issues. Also thank you to Maura Wolf, our NANA/NABA Liaison (past NANA President and Treasurer), who continues to work tirelessly for betterment of our business district and countless other matters, J Miles Wolf, NABA President and our excellent neighborhood photographer, Mike Daly, for leading the Development Committee, and last but not least, to Charlene Morse, our great News Editor. Also, thanks to our committee members and general volunteers for continuing to make North Avondale the best address in Cincinnati!

We hope to see as many of you as possible at the annual meeting on May 17<sup>th</sup>, and in the meantime, please visit our website [northavondalecincinnati.com](http://northavondalecincinnati.com) for general info, committee updates, and to pay your NANA dues online.

*Hanne Loken Larsen*

### 55<sup>TH</sup> NANA ANNUAL MEETING SUNDAY, MAY 17, 2015

THE NEW SCHOOL  
3 BURTON WOODS LANE  
3:00 TO 5:00 P.M.

**N**ANA's 2015-2016 **Nominating Committee** comprised of Marvin Masterson (Chair), Gerald Atkins, Ursula Hassel, Richard McKenzie, Kevin Moore, Charlene Morse, Sylvia Nelson, Maura Wolf, Tom Wright and Julie Zimmerman is pleased to announce the proposed slate of officers:

#### 2015/2016 NANA Board of Trustees

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**Hanne Loken Larsen** (Rose Hill)

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#### AGENDA

- ELECTION OF OFFICERS
- NORTH AVONDALE HISTORY
  - MARGO WARMINSKI, CPA DIRECTOR
- HISTORY VIDEO PROJECT
  - SATOLLI GLASSMEYER, PRESIDENT, HISTORY IN YOUR OWN BACK YARD

VISIT WITH YOUR FRIENDS & NEIGHBORS  
LIGHT REFRESHMENTS

THANK YOU TO VALERIE WILLIAMS OF FIVE STAR  
FOODIES VISIT: [fivestarfoodies.com](http://fivestarfoodies.com)

## NANA COMMITTEE UPDATES

### BEAUTIFICATION:

Thank you to all the volunteers who worked tirelessly in the challenging weather on Green Up/Clean Up Day at Martin Luther King Park, Seasongood Park and the Marion Triangle. on Saturday April 25th.



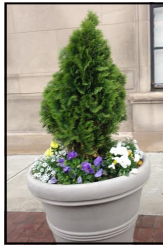
To continue all of our efforts to keep our neighborhood pristine see our flyer on page 7.

**Together we make a difference!**

*Emily Harten*

### Partnering Opportunity: Sponsor a Flower Pot Program

A huge thank you to the following neighbors who have already donated to the beautiful, Cincinnati Parks maintained, flower pots on Reading Road: Tony & Marla Barone ▪ Lynn Marmer & Eugene Beaupre ▪ Deb & Jim Corwin ▪ Beth & Brooks Ewing ▪ Cindy & Dave Flaspohler ▪ Full Spectrum ▪ Allison & Chris Harten ▪ Carol & Dave Harten ▪ Emily & John Harten ▪ Jennifer Harten ▪ Caroline Feldhaus & Stephen Harten ▪ Frank Newbauer & Teresa Harten ▪ Patty & John Hassel ▪ Sarah & Walter Koucky ▪ Mike Turner & Hanne Loken Larsen ▪ Jeffrey & Jolie Lubow ▪ Jon & Regine Moulton ▪ Marian & Robert Pitcairn ▪ Ted & Tricia Renneker ▪ Earl Ross ▪ Moe & Jack Rouse ▪ Judith Shapiro ▪ Jolene Struebbe ▪ Urban Blooms ▪ Carol Allen & Michael Volkerding ▪ Richard & Vanessa Wayne ▪ Dana & Mary Winn ▪ Vanessa & Dave Wong ▪ Erik & Julie Zimmerman



We are still in need of monetary donations to support our half of the costs to maintain these. The City graciously donates the other half. **To donate go to the NANA Website**, About, Donate and check *Other* and write in Flower Pots. or send a check to NANA, with flower pots noted in the memo. Thank you again for supporting the beautification of our neighborhood!

*Beth Ewing*

A Thank You to all of our great volunteers in NA and Congratulations for winning Keep Cincinnati Beautiful's 1st Place Clean & Beautiful Award! Together we leveraged our two Keep Cincinnati Beautiful (KCB) Grants totaling \$6,461, to over \$25,000 in volunteer hours and in-kind donations to improve our Business District. Installing our Mural garden, clearing sidewalks, installing festive banners, participating in the Park's amazing flower pot program/enhancing beautiful gardens in our adjoining green spaces, and securing funding for security cameras, have made a more welcoming business environment, and a lasting impact on visitors' and residents' perceptions of safety and cleanliness. NA can always count on our community to accomplish great projects together!! Thank you to the excellent staff at KCB, not only for the support throughout the year, but also the thoughtful message we received from Marissa Burroughs of KCB: "...you have

done an incredible job leveraging your grant!" Way to go NA!

*Maura Wolf (NANA NABA Liaison)*

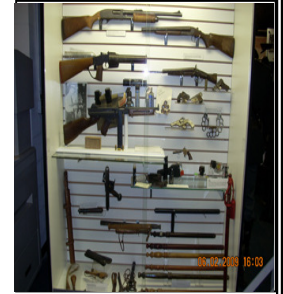
### EDUCATION/RENTAL HOUSING:

Meets the first Thursday of every month at District 4 Police Station at 1:00pm. Feel free to join us.

*Pauline Daly*

### LAW & SAFETY

• Take a visit to **The Greater Cincinnati Police Historical Society Museum (GCPHS)** "preserving the history of law enforcement in the Greater Cincinnati area" has re-located and is now open Tuesday, Thursday & Saturday, 10:00am to 4:00 pm. ▪ 308 Reading Rd. ▪ 2<sup>nd</sup> floor ▪ 45202 ▪ (513) 300.3664 ▪ gcpchs.com Yearly Membership Fee \$25.



The mission of GCPHS is to convey an understanding of aspects and history of law enforcement and inspire appreciation of law enforcement.



•Michelle Baxter, Mathew Roberts, Barry Whitton, Maura Wolf (not in picture) up on top of neighborhood buildings scoping out locations for the cameras funded by the NBDIP Safety Grant submitted by NABA & NANA.

*Michelle Baxter*

### North Avondale Business Association (NABA)

We represent the collective interests of North Avondale businesses to the City of Cincinnati and act as a pooled knowledge source for the small business owners of the neighborhood.

NABA works collaboratively with NANA and the City of Cincinnati on community projects.

With over 40 member businesses and growing over the years, we're showing that North Avondale is a great place to establish and grow your business.

Come to our next meeting May 26, 2015, 7pm (location to-be-determined).

*J Miles Wolf, NABA President*

If you would like to receive the monthly email newsletter, email [nanacincinnati@gmail.com](mailto:nanacincinnati@gmail.com) or pay an extra \$10 with your dues to have your newsletter mailed via the US Postal Service.



## FUN WITH YOUR NEIGHBORS

I wanted as many of my friends as possible to know that Fred Hersch, the internationally acclaimed jazz pianist and composer from the North Avondale section of Cincinnati will be appearing live and free at the Fine Arts Bldg. on NKU's campus, and will be honored along with nine other prominent jazz persons with a strong Cincinnati connection. The affair will be hosted by none other than Nick Clooney, and will be followed by a reception. Check out [www.fredhersch.com](http://www.fredhersch.com). Last April, I was in Tokyo and Mr. Hersch was appearing at The Cotton Club at \$200/head, so we are really honored! Hope to see you there!

*Rosalie van Nuis (Burton Woods Ln.)*

**cincinnati Jazz** presents its  
**HALL of FAME INAUGURAL INDUCTION**  
 and JAZZ CONCERT with PIANIST FRED HERSCH

At Northern Kentucky University's Greaves Concert Hall in the Fine Arts Building, #141, Nunn Drive, Highland Heights, Kentucky 41099

**Friday, May 8, 2015 7-10pm**

Join us for all the excitement and celebration of our premier induction class into the Cincinnati Jazz Hall of Fame with emcee host, Nick Clooney, and a post reception for everyone.

Reserved tickets are complimentary, but donations accepted.

Call the NKU Ticket Office: 859-572-5464

**Host Nick Clooney**

**Inductees:** Rosemary Clooney, Oscar Treadwell, Gordon Brisker, Curtis Peagler, Fred Hersch, John Von Ohlen, Cal Collins, Frank Foster, Tim Hagans, Jimmy McGary

**NKU**

Cincinnati Jazz Hall of Fame Mission Statement: The Cincinnati Jazz Hall of Fame is dedicated to the preservation, appreciation and celebration of the American indigenous art form of jazz. Our mission is to build and sustain further interest and audiences for jazz, and honor contributors in the greater Cincinnati area for their work in the artistic, educational and promotional advancement of this art form. The Cincinnati Jazz Hall of Fame will carry out its mission through an annual recognition celebration of inductees, musical scholarships and jazz arts programming via exhibits. Membership information: 513-207-0476.

Join us for our **2015 Spring House Tour** featuring six historic residences on Rose Hill Avenue in North Avondale including a condo in the Belvedere on **Saturday, May 9th from 1:00 - 5:00 pm**. Here are the addresses for the homes on the tour:

- 3900 Rose Hill Ave., Belvedere condo •3924 Rose Hill Ave.
- 3966 Rose Hill Ave.
- 4033 Rose Hill Ave.
- 4067 Rose Hill Ave.
- 4153 Rose Hill Ave.



Tickets are \$25 for CPA members, \$35 for non-members, and \$35 the day of the tour. Advance ticket purchase is highly recommended. Tickets can be purchased in advance by calling 513.721.4506, mailing payment to 342 W. 4th Street, Cincinnati, Ohio 45202, or online at <http://cincinnati-preservation.org/events/spring-house-tour-2014/> [www.cincinnati-preservation.org](http://www.cincinnati-preservation.org). For more information, call 513-721-4506 ex. 2. Will call will be in the lobby of the

Belvedere, 3900 Rose Hill Ave. Parking is available on the streets in the neighborhood.

North Avondale is one of Cincinnati's most architecturally distinguished neighborhoods. In the mid-1800s large tracts of land were subdivided and wealthy merchants and manufacturers began building large homes on spacious lots. Businessmen such as Andrew Erkenbrecher, Samuel Pogue, Frank Herschede, and Barney Kroger built homes on the neighborhood's winding tree-lined streets. Today historic homes in North Avondale range from the 1890s to 1930s and are still some of the finest examples of residential architecture in the city featuring Italian Renaissance, English Medieval, and Greek Revival styles.

*Mary Piper, CPA President (Avondale Ave.)*

Even if people are not in Chicago, they can see this **Tribute to Peggy Lee** streamed live or watch it subsequently as it will be archived on the site. **Petra van Nuis (Burton Woods Lane)** will be performing with her husband, Andy Brown, on guitar and Bobby Lewis on trumpet. Bobby Lewis played trumpet for 15 years with Peggy Lee. **Thursday, May 28, 2015 7:30 - 10 pm** Live at the Whiskey Lounge (presented by WDCB 90.9 FM and Steve Rashid) [www.steverashidpresents.com](http://www.steverashidpresents.com) 1012 Church Street Evanston, IL 855.927.5483 \$10 cover, \$6 food/drink

*Rosalie van Nuis (Burton Woods Ln.)*

Doug Swan's band, **Foley Road**, will be opening for the **Cincinnati Chamber Orchestra** on **June 4th** under the Bandshell at **Clifton Park** from 6-7:30 pm. Come and enjoy!

*Doug Swan (Burton Woods)*

Please join me, Equality Ohio, and many others to thank Al Gerhardstein and Jennifer Branch for all the incredible work they have done to **fight for my marriage and marriage equality**, and to honor them as Allies for Equality for their decades of work in civil rights. The event will be on **Tuesday, June 2 from 5:30-7:30** in the Woodward Theater at 1404 Main Street in Over the Rhine. Donations go to the Equality Ohio Education Fund.



To RSVP, or to join the host committee, contact Mary Zaller at 216.513.8852 or [mary@equalityohio.org](mailto:mary@equalityohio.org).

*Jim Obergefell*

**Be Pool Side**  
 this Summer at Clinton Hills

NESTLED IN HILLS OF THE NORTH AVONDALE

JUST PAST UC 8 MINUTES FROM DOWNTOWN

A wonderfully diverse community/club!

Hang pool side, bring some friends, or make new ones!

Have a "Staycation" everyday this Summer!!

Clinton Hills Swim Club, which was founded over 50 years ago in response to the original suburban fight!

Here are a few amenities:  
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 Open Tennis and Sand Volleyball courts  
 Adult Nights every Thursday 8:00  
 (plus Rogque Night & Amazing Race etc.)  
 Tennis Lessons  
 Swim Team for ages 6-10

Look for us on Facebook and Twitter.

It's a beautiful vacation spot right around the corner!!

**Clinton Hills SWIM CLUB**

Go [www.clintonhills.com](http://www.clintonhills.com) for more details.  
 53 Clintons Springs Ave. Cincinnati, Ohio 45217



**NORTH AVONDALE MONTESSORI**  
**363.3900 • 615 Clinton Springs**  
**www.namrockets.org**

**NAM Calendar for May**

- May 2 - Pancake - Book Sale presented by Joseph Beth -  
 •8 am to 3 pm - Gym
- May 13 - 6 to 9 Science Fair
- May 15 - Dance Performance - 6 pm - Cafeteria
- May 16 - Father/Son Outing - Mt. Airey Park 1 pm to 4 pm
- May 20 - 4 pm - Drama Performance - Cafeteria  
 6 pm - Spring Concert - 6 pm - Gym
- May 27 - Grade 6 Graduation Ceremony - 6 pm NAM Gym
- May 28 - Field Day! (Last day of school for students.)

**NAM Mother-Son Dance A Huge Success!**

On Friday, April 10, the NAM-PTO organized the first Mother-Son dance. The organizer of the event was Ms. Amanda Lawrence, NAM parent. "This was the first time we have had a Mother-Son dance and we did not know what to expect regarding the attendance," she said.

The dance had over 150 people attend and was well received by the boys and moms. "I thought we may have around 100 attend the dance but was very happy and surprised by the turnout. I was happy because it's always nice to see the families involved at school and doing activities with their children. I was surprised because I did not think we would have around 200 attend the first event. Ms. Lawrence and her committee members did an excellent job and I applaud their efforts," said Principal Lewis.

The crowd was treated to music by NAM-parent, D.J., "Nate the Great." "He does a great job getting our students out on the dance floor. One time when I looked we had more boys dancing than mothers and I was really surprised!" said Angie, NAM parent.

"We have hosted many



events at school this year and I am glad we gave the mothers and their sons the opportunity to have an evening out," said PRO-President, Shannon Sanker. "With all of our activities we usually increase in attendance the next year.



I am excited for us to sponsor the dance in 2016 and we will plan for more moms and sons to attend!"

*Roger R. Lewis, Principal*

**SOUTH AVONDALE**

**•363.5500 •636 Prospect Place**  
**•savondale.cps-k12.org**

**Preschool for Our Neighbors**

Those in attendance at the April NANA General meeting were very interested and supportive of assisting in enabling all 3 & 4 year olds to attending Preschool. It is understood now that all children will be 2 years ahead academically when they start Kindergarten if they have attended 2 years at a good preschool.

South Avondale has about 75 students in Kindergarten each year, most of whom have not had preschool. Rockdale probably has the same. Both schools have a preschool with 20 slots, of which most are used by children who do not live in the 45229 zip code.

Think of the difference it would make, both now and in the future, if all the children in our neighborhood attended preschool. A teacher, Gloria Butler has been hired through the Choice grant to work with the parents of the children who live in the affordable housing buildings included in the grant to get as many of these children as possible into preschool. She has tried every way she knows to engage them, even approaching them on the street. She is succeeding, often by working with one family at a time. She has not been provided resources to do what she finds need to be done.

We have contacted the people who are implementing the grant for supplies that need to come from them - color printer, business cards, incentives, direct phone, copier access, Make It/Take It supplies, mileage. CPS has responded that the request is being reviewed and will be handled accordingly.

She actually needs to work this summer but that has not been the plan. The families will be most accessible in the summer, on the streets, in the parks and at festivals. Feel free to remind your CPS contacts of your interest in this good cause, which will also bring more children into kindergarten ready to learn.

NANA can help by contributing toward these supplies (for 3 & 4 year olds): pencils, paper, crayons, glue sticks, erasers, scissors, books, coloring books (large pictures), stickers, puzzles, gallon size plastic bags. Gift cards can be used for incentives. Supplies can be dropped off at 3885 Dakota (mailbox is locked). Please leave a note as to who donated.

*Pauline Daly, 751.8334 pdaly@fuse.net*



**THE NEW SCHOOL MONTESSORI**  
**(TNSM)**  
**281.7999 • 3 Burton Woods Lane**  
**www.newschoollmontessori.com**

**Barbara Gray Interviewed New School Students for WYU's *Around Cincinnati***

TNSM Assistant Director Jeff Groh and students, Katherine Swift and Jack Giglia, talked with Barbara

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Gray on the radio about The New School Montessori's Shakespeare Club. This link below takes you to their discussion about their ongoing performances of Macbeth throughout the city. The students shared their insights into the characters they played and how the play's themes are more fully understood, having gone through this process. <http://wvxu.org/post/new-school-montessoris-student-actors-prepare-bard>

### 3rd Graders Learn about Weather from TV Weatherman John Gumm

Local 12's weatherman, John Gumm, visited The New



School Montessori and made "lightning" from balloon static, "rain" from a super-saturated paper towel, and "clouds" from compressed water vapor in an empty 2 liter bottle. John also made TV weather anchors out of 3rd graders, Witt and Parker. The video link below shows Witt and Parker giving their best attempt at weather reporting while being "hit" with gale-force winds from a leaf blower and torrential rain from a spray bottle.



<https://youtu.be/2NzIjrnUVFg>

**Ann Baumgardner, Marketing and Communications Director**



### Building Healthy Communities •

Location: Cintas Center, Xavier University • Date/Time: May 11, 2015 • 11:30am - 1:00pm (luncheon) • Presenter: Jim Diers, Seattle, Washington • Cost: \$20 To register: <https://commerce.cashnet.com/cashnetc/selfserve/BrowseCatalog.aspx>

**Xavier University Montessori Lab School 2015 Summer Camp** Monday - Friday 9:00am to 1:00pm Ages 3 to 6 & 6 to 12 \$125 a week

Three Sessions: June 22-26 Art Around the World; June 29 - July 3 Celebrating America!; July 6 to 10 Biology, Gardening, Cooking.

Application and more information will be in the *June NANA NEWS*.



Spring



Thank you for paying your  
**NANA Dues Today!**

## AROUND THE NEIGHBORHOOD

### Pitching for Peace

A-CDC, Avondale Community Council, Cincinnati Police Department, Cincinnati Fire Department, 101.1 WIZF, Cincinnati Reds, Ronald McDonald House, The K.A.S.S.I.E. Project, Cincinnati Childrens Hospital & Medical Center, Sentinel Police Association, Cincinnati Recreation Commission, Stags Barbershop & Spa, AFSCME Local 205, Avondale Moves, and Let's Move Cincinnati present...



WEDNESDAY MAY 20, 2015  
RAIN DATE IS MAY 27, 2015



5PM  
HIRSCH RECREATION CENTER  
"Increase the Peace!"

For more information contact  
Officer Donald Jordan 513-352-1485 or Patrick Cartier 513-861-ACDC (2232)



For the third time in three years the Avondale Comprehensive Development Corporation, Avondale Community Council and Cincinnati Police Department will be hosting the "Pitching for Peace" community softball game. The Pitching for Peace event will bring community members and police officers together on a softball diamond at **Hirsch Recreation Center**. Putting good use to baseball gloves with the greater purpose of reducing violence, participants will truly be keeping their "eye on the ball." Pitching for Peace will enlist the help of local government, civic business leaders, public and private organizations, residents, churches, schools and hospitals.

**Time: Wednesday May 20 2015 at 5PM**

**Location: Hirsch Recreation Center 3630 Reading Road**

**Admission: Free**

The event is family oriented and friendly. The softball game will last five innings. During the third inning the police department and other vested community groups will give **safety presentations about violence** and other issues facing Cincinnati communities. Prior to the softball game will be a homerun derby consisting of players and other community representatives.

**NEW BUSINESS:** We have a food truck called **TACOS LOCOS** parked in the Cricket Parking Lot (4007 Reading Rd.)

**Monday thru Saturday 11am to 8pm.**



TACOS LOCOS (513) 306-3617		
<b>Tacos</b>	<b>Tortas</b>	<b>Vegetarian</b>
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Great Food!

## PARKS & RECREATION

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**FRIDAY | MAY 8TH**  
**\*LADIES ONLY\***  
 6:30PM-9:30PM  
 MASSAGES & TREATS x PURE ROMANCE  
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**SATURDAY | MAY 9TH**  
 GET READY TO  
**ROCK THE BIKE**  
 EVENT BEGINS AT 9:30AM  
 RESERVE YOUR BIKE TODAY  
**ROCKTHEBIKECI.EVENTBRITE.COM**

Nature Tots Class Cincinnati Parks' Avon Woods Nature Preserve 4235 Paddock Rd Tuesday, May 12, 2015, 12:30 - 1:30 p.m.



Do you have a Pre-Preschooler? Start your little one on their way to becoming a life-long nature lover! This tender age is perfect to introduce “hiking” on an easy forest trail, touching some of nature’s wonders and meeting live animals – we’ll cover it all. For **children aged 18 months - 3 years** with their guardian. Class is \$5 per child. Register by calling 861.3435 by May 11th. **Rachael Rice**

## WELCOME NEW NEIGHBORS

I wish to extend a welcome to Ms. Lynn McManus, who recently closed on her purchase of Suite 801.A at The Belvedere. Lynn has returned to Cincinnati from Dallas, Texas and had been with American Airlines.

*Jack Wolking*

Anne & Steve Megerle on Rose Hill *Hope Felton-Miller*

I would like to welcome our new neighbors who have purchased homes and are located at:

Doug & Samantha Louders on Avondale  
 Bianca & Brad Lauke on Beechwood - a movie will be produced there starting May 4th!  
 Elizabeth Stockton & Ryan Brown on Betula  
 Lauren Staley & David Kruska on Redway  
 Wendy & Rick Rhuelman on Winding way  
 Jennifer McFarland & Devon Barrett on Winding way

*Heather Herr*

## AROUND THE TOWN

**CLIFTON HOUSE TOUR**  
 MAY 10, 2015 1:00-5:00 PM  
**TICKETS**  
 \$18 in advance  
 Ludlow Ave. businesses  
 \$22 day-of-tour  
 Clifton Cultural Arts Center,  
 3711 Clifton Ave. or  
 Clifton Plaza, Ludlow Ave.  
 Purchase tickets online:  
 cliftoncommunity.org  
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### Community Events in June Promote Fatherhood

Talbert House will host two events. **Fatherhood Celebration Luncheon on Thursday, June 4** (Hyatt Regency) to honor 2015 Fathers of the Year, Ray Brokamp and Terrance Walker with speaker Paul Daugherty. To register: [www.talberthouse.org](http://www.talberthouse.org). **Fatherhood Community Celebration on Sunday, June 21** (Sawyer Point from 11 am to 4 pm). **This is a free event for families** to enjoy food and drinks, games, music, sports, and fun with Dad. Sponsorship opportunities are available by contacting Beth Poe at 513.751.7747.



### Celebrating 150 Years 1865-2015

Historic **Mecklenburg Gardens**, 302 E. University, has been named by *Cincinnati Magazine* one of the **TOP FIVE Outdoor Dining Restaurants for 2015!**

Come in and enjoy the Bier Gardens and historic architecture of this unique restaurant owned by two generations of North Avondale's Harten Family.



## YOUR OPINION COUNTS

### Public Hearing on 2016-2017 Biennial City Budget.


There are five public hearings. The two closest locations are: **Thursday May 28 at 6:00pm** at Roselawn Athletic Center, 2026 Seymour Ave, 45237 & **Monday, June 1, 6:00pm** at Madisonville Recreation Center, 5320 Stewart Ave. 45227.

## NEWS FROM THE CITY

### Trash Amnesty Weeks

During Trash Amnesty Weeks, residents may set out additional trash in sealed plastic trash bags next to their approved City provided container. Amnesty weeks are centered around holidays when households typically generate more trash than normal. Upcoming amnesty days are: **Memorial Day: May 27 to May 31, 2014.**





## Help Keep North Avondale and all of Cincinnati Beautiful!

### What You Can Do to Prevent Litter:

Changing a common behavior, like littering, starts with you. Each person must accept responsibility for their actions and influence the actions of others around them at home, at school, in your place of business, and in the community at large.

### Every Individual

- Set an example for others – especially family, co-workers, friends, and children – by using trash and/or recycling receptacles and not littering.
- Always have a litter bag in your car.
- If you are a smoker, carry and use a portable or pocket ashtray.
- If you see litter, pick it up, **especially around your property.**

### Motorists

Carry and use a car litter bag. When these are full, empty them into a trash and/or recycling receptacle.

- Use a car ashtray or portable ashtray to dispose of cigarette butts and lighting material.
- Do not throw any litter out of vehicle windows.

### Pet Owners

- Pick up after your dog as you walk through your neighborhood. Use newspaper delivery bags, “scoopers”, or other easy-to-use methods to clean up after your pet.
- Be sure to put pet waste in trash receptacles and not recycling bins.
- Take responsibility for your pet and his/her actions.

### Community Residents

- Make sure your trash cans have lids that can be securely fastened or use bungee cords to hold them in place.
- Secure all bags and use twine to secure loose trash for curbside trash collection. Educate your employees about the importance of individual responsibility for a clean and safe working environment.

### Business Owners

- Pick up litter and debris outside of your property daily; property owner’s responsibilities include the public right-away to the curb.
- Provide ash and trash receptacles at entrances, exits, loading docks, picnic areas as well as in parking lots and along walkways of your business. Remember, these should be placed at “transition points” or where people generally gather.
- Assure easy access to dumpsters by employees and contractors. Check dumpsters daily to see that top and side doors are closed. This prevents scavengers from spreading trash on the ground.
- Cover all open loads on trucks leaving your business. Encourage vendors and contractors to do the same.

If you would like to join in the effort to help find long-term solutions to eliminate litter, email us at [nanacincinnati@gmail.com](mailto:nanacincinnati@gmail.com) or call 401.5356

**THANKS FOR HELPING OUR COMMUNITY STAY CLEAN AND SAFE!!**

**With Great Appreciation, NANA Beautification Committee**

*Suggestions Provided by Keep Cincinnati Beautiful*

## NANA CALENDAR

- **Sunday, May 17, NANA Annual Meeting, 3:00-5:00 pm**, The New School 3 Burton Woods Lane
- **Thursday, June 4, Education/Rental Housing Meeting, 1:30 pm**, District 4 Police Station 4150 Reading Rd.
- **Tuesday, June 9, NANA General Meeting, 7:00 pm**, North Avondale Recreation 617 Clinton Springs Ave



## IMPORTANT CITY NUMBERS/EMAIL/WEBSITES

City Complaint/Request Hotline	591.6000	To learn about Crime in Cincinnati visit:	<a href="http://Crimereports.com">Crimereports.com</a>
	<a href="http://5916000.com">5916000.com</a>	Truancy Hotline	363.0003
N.A. Neighborhood Officer Lori Hamann	569.8654	Track property code violations:	
	<a href="mailto:lori.hamann@cincinnati-oh.gov">lori.hamann@cincinnati-oh.gov</a>		<a href="http://cagisperm.hamilton-co.org/cpop/">_http://cagisperm.hamilton-co.org/cpop/</a>
Neighborhood Liaison Sgt. DeMeco Anderson	569.8655	Neighborhood Yahoo Site:	<a href="http://groups.yahoo.com/group/NorthAvondaleOnlineCommunity/">http://groups.yahoo.com/group/NorthAvondaleOnlineCommunity/</a>
	<a href="mailto:demeco.anderson@cincinnati-oh.gov">demeco.anderson@cincinnati-oh.gov</a>	Request A Recycling Cart	591.6000
Police District 4	569.8600	Report Air Odors 24/7.	946.7777
Nonemergency Police	765.1212	Where to Recycle Different Things	<a href="http://earth911.com/">http://earth911.com/</a>
To just make a crime report (no police visit)	352.2960		

## NANA EXECUTIVE BOARD, COMMITTEE CHAIRS

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## FROM YOUR NEIGHBORS

☞I've noticed that some homeowners are "**volcano mulching**" their trees, creating pyramid-like piles of mulch around their trees. I had never heard this term until recently, but volcano mulching is bad for trees. Please pass the word!  
<http://mikesbackyardnursery.com/2012/06/volcano-mulching-kills-trees/>



**Euonymus vines** that climb up tree trunks and spread through the branches are also bad for trees and increase the likelihood that the tree will weaken and blow over in a storm.

*Cindy Starr (Avondale Ave.)*

☞If any of you know **adult soccer players**, they will thank you for introducing them to what will become **Cincinnati's premier soccer venue**. It's been my baby now for 10 years and we're finally bringing it to Cincinnati from NYC. We offer a lot of unique features on our site that local leagues don't have and feature video highlights of games each week for players to see themselves doing awesome things. Our inaugural **season starts June 3rd** at UC's Gettler Stadium in Clifton. See <http://gothamsoccer.com/cincinnati> to learn more and pass the word along!



*Roger Stevenson (Belvedere)*

☞Good morning Friends and Neighbors, Just a quick email, I apologize for any inconvenience. My wife and I have befriended a young family that is looking to move to North Avondale. Unfortunately, there are very few homes for sale in our area that would fit in their comfort zone. If you or anyone you know may have some more additional information regarding properties that are not currently listed on the MLS, or have sellers looking to sell privately please let me know or feel free to contact us for additional information.

We appreciate any help.

*David & Robin Grant (Clinton Springs Ave 400.6880)*

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NANA ANNUAL MEETING SUNDAY

☞May 17<sup>TH</sup> 3:00 to 5:00pm☞

☞THANK YOU FOR PAYING YOUR 2015 NANA DUES☞

