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PANCAKE BREAKFAST REPORT

Our September 11 pancake breakfast and annual fundraiser was a great success. Paula Vaughn collected \$600 for the Fourmile Canyon fire victims for the Red Cross. We also want to offer our thanks for support from several local businesses:

Bill Flinchbaugh operates the Colorado Children's Auto Safety Car Seat Program and is the event organizer every year as well as our MANA VP.

Table Mesa Conoco supplied propane for cooking.

Eco Products gave us a good discount for biodegradable products.

Nick's Automotive made a generous donation.

The Egg & I supplied pancake batter.

The Brewing Market supplied excellent coffee.

And finally the McGregor's supplied and served their usual wonderful assortment of locally grown fruit syrups.

SPECIAL NOTICE to New MA Residents Mark Stangl MANA President

Every fall we welcome back students into Martin Acres. Many have spent years here and are ready and aware that this is a family as well as a student neighborhood. What this means is there are many people that would prefer to live in a quieter safer neighborhood. This includes the people that have lived here for many years and some of the students. We like to think Martin Acres is a better place to live if you would like to study and sleep at night. However many of us really enjoy the vitality and energy of our student neighbors. For those of you who are new to the neighborhood there are few rules that we find will help you enjoy your stay here:

A Guide to Being Neighborly in Martin Acres

We are always striving to find ways to build on our community and have found that sharing ideals and goals with new folks helps us all to get along and makes for a better lifestyle for all.

PARTIES: Great, we like parties, too! Make sure your neighbors are aware of your plans. It is neighborly to invite them to call you if any concerns arise. It is easy to get a

ticket for a loud party. Take your parties indoors and keep really quiet after 11 p.m.

NOISE: Unreasonable noise that disrupts another person in their home causes problems...pets, stereo/TV, parties/gatherings, cars, fireworks. All fireworks are illegal.

PETS: Unattended pets and barking are not only annoying but violate city ordinances. You must also clean up after your pets when they poop on other's property, and remember the city leash law.

PARKING AND DRIVING: Please park in front of your own house as a courtesy to your neighbors. Cars may be considered abandoned after 72 hours and may be ticketed, then towed. It is illegal to park on the sidewalk, in your yard, the wrong direction, and within 5 feet of any driveway. Cars parked halfway into driveways block the sidewalk. Impeding pedestrian traffic is also a city violation and you'll get ticketed.

SNOW REMOVAL: All snow and ice must be cleared from the full width of a public sidewalk next to home property by noon on the day following a snowfall. The owner and occupant are jointly responsible for this removal (even when out-of-town).

WEEDS AND TRASH: Weeds may not be allowed to grow more than one foot high. Consult the city for xeriscaped yards info. Trash must be picked up and removed in a timely manner. Old appliances are a hazard and cannot be stored in your yard. Trash cans cannot be stored in the street except for trash day.

TREES/BUSHES: Cannot impede pedestrian traffic...please keep them trimmed off from over and in the full width of the sidewalk.

RESIDENTIAL OVER-OCCUPANCY: Only one family plus two (2) non-related persons or no more than three (3) non-related persons can live in a house. All Rentals are required to have a current City Rental License.

FIRES AND FIRE PITS: Outside open fires in pits or outside fireplaces are illegal. If you smell smoke or see a fire please call 911. This is a serious issue in this dry climate.

If you need help with these issues please contact our Zoning guy Jeremy George to help guide you

DATES TO REMEMBER

October 4th MANA meeting October 11th Columbus Day

October 31st Halloween

November 1st MANA meeting November 2nd Election Day

November 7th Daylight Saving ends November 11th Veterans Day

November 25th Thanksgiving

Sharing & Matching Ads are \$10.00 for the first 3 lines, \$2.50 per line thereafter. Contact the Editor to place your ad. Payments are sent to the Treasurer at the MANA PO Box 3514, Boulder, CO 80307

THINKING ABOUT SOLARr? Echelon Energy specializes in the design and installation of Solar Electric and Solar Hot Water systems. Free Site Evaluation. Call Steve

720/536-5297 or e-mail steve@echelonenergy.com

A.J. LAWN SERVICES – Spring Clean Up Special Lawn Mowing (Discounted rate if next door neighbors sign up together), Gutter cleaning - Landscaping - Aeration MA Resident, FREE ESTIMATES 17 YRS EXP. Honest and Reliable Call Andy at 720/273-6759 or ajlawnservices@gmail.com, www.ajlawnservices.biz

ELECTRICAL CONTRACTOR/MASTER ELECTRICIAN In Service Up-Grades, Basement Finish, Kitchen/Home Remodels, Subpanels, Tenant Finish, Flips & Scrapes, Troubleshooting Specialist. Family owned and operated, Martin Acres Resident and Electrician for 36 years. Active City of Boulder and Colorado State Electrical Contractors License & Required Insurance. Call Ron @ 303/994-0609

CORE POWER YOGA, your neighborhood yoga studio, is offering Martin Acres residents a great deal on yoga classes: Come in for a FREE week of Yoga. 1st month og membership only \$69! Check out our website at corepoweryoga.com

STUDIO BLUE DESIGN, LLC -

Sustainable Home Design & Remodeling. 303/449-0939 www.studiobluedesign.biz

SYLVIA M. CHANEY, CP

Accounting & Tax Professionals. Business Services and Tax Preparation, 303/661-9721

REMODEL & REPAIR, Kitchens, Bathrooms, Fences, Patios & Decks. MA. resident. Over 25 yrs. Experience. References available, Call Rene @ 720/839-0686

BEN'S PICKING UP CO., Hi I'm Ben Sullivan and I am 9 years old. I am Star Dog Poop Co. I will pick up dog poop in your yard for a reasonable price. Ben at 303/554-5822

PIANO LESSONS, Enthusiastic and experienced CU music student is now accepting beginning to intermediate piano students. If interested contact Kathryn at 303/775-2782 or Kathryn.bloise@colorado.edu

BALLROOM DANCE CLASSES, wedding dance choreography, private or group instruction - Tom Masterson, Danceophile Studio, 303/499-6363, www.danceophile.com

HOME REMODELING/PROJECTS" Honey Do List". .Consult, Design thru Finish, Experience in many trades, Semi-Retired. Peter Korba 303/499-1887

PAUL CARTER PAINTING, MA resident, interior & exterior Neighborhood references available, 303/494-5362 A TOUCH OF WELLNESS, offers dog massage & home made organic food. Wellness products by Melaluca, Tea Tree, Multi-pure Water, Nikken Magnetic & Sleep Systems. Charlene Thompson 303/499-3660.

ARBOR VITAL TREE CARE, Certified Arborist 13 years experience, insured. Trees & shrubs pruned, removed, cabled. Mulch delivered. Instructions & consultation. Free estimates. MA resident. David Schaldach 303/919-8183

MARK STANGL P.E., NACHI member and D-9 Contractor is offering rental, real estate inspection services for buyers, sellers and agents. Call 303/499-3163

THE WATERSHED SCHOOL, Serving grades 6-12. Please visit watershedschool.org or call 303//440-7520 "The World Is Your Classroom"

NICK'S AUTO REPAIR, Family owned and serving South Boulder for over 30 years. Please call 303/499-4300 for your quality auto repair and maintenance needs.

PHYSICAL THERAPIST, 22 yrs of exp. with manual therapy. Office located in MA. Rosemary 303/499-4602

NEPAL CUISINE, A Nepali, Tibetan, & India Restaurant, Lunch & Dinner Buffet. Carry out Mon-Fri 11 to 3 & 5 to 9; Sat 12 to 3 & 5 to 9:30. Closed Sunday, 4720 Table Mesa, Boulder (in Rudy's old location) 303/554-5828. Vegan lunch buffet every Monday.

MA RESIDENT REAL ESTATE AGENT, Work with everyone from investors to first time buyers! Also sell real estate in Central America. Sally Anderson 303/931-2677

APPLIANCE MASTER, We repair most makes, models and types of appliances \$40 service call fee waived with repair. Call Bruce @ 303/494-9147

CURVES is in your neighborhood! (Located at Moorhead and Table Mesa) We now offer the new Smart Equipment technology, an advanced workout that's like having your own personal trainer. And it's for women of all ages, sizes Call for a free fitness analysis and tour or and shapes. just come in and check us out! Plus, you'll get a free trial week when you mention this ad. 303-440-6400.

HIGH QUALITY AFFORDABLE cooperative preschool close to MA accepting 3 & 4 year olds for fall. Peterpanpreschool.com 303/530-1017

INNER PATH ACUPUNCTURE Health and wellness through preventive care and healing. Monthly specials! www.innerpathacupuncture.com 303/819-4747

BABY SITTER/DOG SITTER, Looking for a fun and active babysitter/dog sitter right in your own neighborhood? Call Lydia Urritia 419/902-9467,email,lydia.utturia@yahoo.com References available upon request.

Art and Theater classes for children in Martin Acres! Ages 6-14! Now registering for spring after school lasses and summer theaterand art camp. Contact Page Zekonis 303/499-0511 or go to www.pagezekonis.com(click on "classes")

NEEDED

Area 1B Leader – Moorhead Ave. and courts from S. 42nd to Table Mesa, Martin Dr. from S. 42nd to Table Mesa Dr. S. 45th from Martin Dr. to Table Mesa

Lashley - from Ash to 31st

Eastman - from 35th to Broadway

Dartmouth - from Martin Park to Broadway

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MANA MEETINGS are held at the Church of the Nazarene, 300 S. Broadway, downstairs, at 7:00 PM, the first Monday every month, except December.