

NEIGHBORHOOD ALERT!

Community concern about **CRIME** has prompted MANA to schedule a meeting on Monday, November 8, 7 to 9 pm, in the cafeteria at Martin Park School. The gathering will feature speakers from the Boulder Police Department and a security company representative.

We all have a stake in the increasing incidence of crime in this country, in Boulder, and especially in our own community. Let's meet together and find out what we can do about it.

A speaker from the city Zoning and Environmental Enforcement Division will also be there to discuss homeowners' issues.

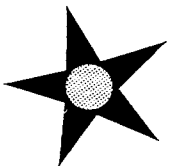
Please plan to attend this important meeting!

GREAT WEATHER, GREAT PANCAKES, GREAT PEOPLE!!!!!!

Four hundred people enjoyed the magnificent weather, making September 11th one of the more memorable MANA Pancake Breakfasts. We owe paeans of praise to Dan Anthony and Steve Altermatt for flipping all those cakes. As usual, thanks to Steering Committee members and their families who chaired the many subcommittees. And special thanks to the myriad neighbors who donated time and money. Ed Lundberg did the honors as pancake mixer. Eleanor, Nick and Dennis Nickerson, of Nick's Auto Repair, donated bulk purchases and a lot of time. Phyllis Frazier was official greeter. Val Miller made several gallons of syrup. Jim Woods let us set up the corner, as usual, for ticket sales. Thanks to Jerome and Wild Oats Market for donating coffee and orange juice. As Breakfast Coordinator, Susan Jennings sends her personal thanks to each one of you.

In case you've wondered, profits from the Breakfast go into the MANA treasury, to be used for local causes/projects deemed worthy by the Steering Committee.

See you all again next year!

MARTIN PARK SCHOOLKIDS STAR

About 150 kids from our neighborhood school took the stage at the "Leave No Child Behind" program on Sunday, October 17, at Unity of Boulder Church. They brought the audience to its feet with their moving performance of "If We Could See through Each Others' Eyes," a song the kids co-wrote with blind singer Karen Karsh, when she was in residence at the school last year. If the future belongs to those youngsters, we're in good shape!

MARTIN PARK CLEANUP CREWS

Jeanette & Tom Denfeld did the honors in October. Allie Swanson will take the responsibility in November, and Eunice and Ed Lundberg in December.

MAKE BOULDER MORE WALKER-FRIENDLY

If you have comments, questions or problems, here are some resources to enhance the walking experience:

- Pedestrian Problems: Kathryn Van Note, Traffic Safety Response Coordinator, 441-4301
- Broken/Missing Sidewalks: Susan Scowcroft, Pedestrian Systems Coordinator, 441-4260
- Walk Signal Problems: Joe Paulson, Signals Engineer, 441-3226
- Low Tree Branches: Gary Jensen, Street Maintenance, 441-3230
- Snow Shoveling: Environmental Enforcement Office, 441-3239

MOORHEAD BIKE LANES

In 1992 the City's Alternative Transportation division proposed bicycle lanes on both sides of Moorhead. The limited width of the street would necessitate no parking of autos on the southwest curb, for the entire length of Moorhead.

Parking on the northeast curb would not be affected. MANA asked readers of the VOICE to send in their opinions on a ballot printed for the purpose, and followed this with another ballot survey at the 1993 Pancake Breakfast. Both showed overall neighborhood approval of the proposal, but both surveys also showed that people living on Moorhead itself were, in the majority, opposed.

So the MANA Steering Committee undertook still a third survey, seeking opinions from residents living directly on Moorhead plus those most affected adjacent to the street, that is, in all the semicircular courts and in the first seven houses on each side of the other intersecting streets. At press time the results are not yet in, but they will be reported to the Transportation Advisory Board's late October meeting, and in the January VOICE.

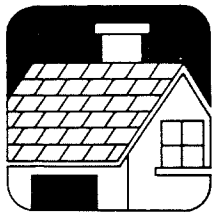
GATEWAY TO BOULDER

The effort to build noise abatement berms along the Denver-Boulder Turnpike from Table Mesa to Baseline Road is in its fourth year. There are no results to report yet, but some signs of hope. at City, County, State and Federal levels, everyone seems to agree that it is an idea whose time has long since come, as traffic volume, speed and noise steadily increase, to the detriment of livability both in Martin Acres and Frasier Meadows. But finding the money is the delaying factor. a two-phase design plan has been formulated, costs estimated with great care, and a presentation is to be made to the Boulder City Council at its November 9 meeting, to enlist Council backing of the concept. The Council appropriated money, matched by the State Highway Department, more than a year ago to pay for the professionally prepared plan. A small core of Martin Acres and Frasier Meadows residents is working doggedly to move this project along, with sage and energetic political advice from County Commissioner Sandy Hume , a Martin Acres resident.

REACH OUT WITH A BLOCK PARTY

Chase Court neighbors had their first annual block party in August – with food, fun, games, a kids' parade and dancing to a live band. Seems like a great way to build community spirit. You might want to consider it for your block.

BUILDING PERMITS REQUIRED



Homeowners should be advised that other than painting, carpeting or wallpapering, most changes to your home, including new fences and decks, require a building permit from the city. It is the responsibility of the homeowner, not the people doing the construction, to get the permit. You will be held accountable for the fine. Permits may be obtained at 1739 Broadway #406 or you can call 441-3172.

MARTIN ACRES IS SHARING & SUPPORTING

Thanks to the good neighbor who cut the weeds at the Baseline triangle. "A pleasant surprise!" says Rosemary McBride.

WELCOME TO NEWCOMERS

If you know of a new neighbor (either rental or homeowner) on your block or street, call Helen Childs, 494-7081, who will see that they receive our Welcome Packet.

MANA STEERING COMMITTEE

The next meeting is Mon., Dec. 6, at 7:30 pm, at the Alvarado Village Community House. Take Moorhead to Ash, Ash west 1 block to Berkley Ct. - turn right and go to the far (north) end of Berkley Ct. All meetings are open to neighborhood residents.

Your editors have decided that the roster below takes up a lot of space, and really doesn't need to appear in every issue of the VOICE. We suggest that you clip and save this list for future reference, and in upcoming issues we'll include only a few essential names and phone numbers.

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| Demographics | Mike McAlpine | 499-7737 |
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| Transportation | Randy Flodine | 499-6239 |

SHARING & MATCHING

Ads are free with a \$10 donation to MANA • Call Laura Greenhalgh at 494-4767 before December 20 to place your ad for the January 1 VOICE.

WANTED: A reliable and enthusiastic semi or retired person, who would like to do seasonal (Sept-Nov, Feb-May), part-time light assembly work for a Martin Acres couple that work out of their home. Flex. day-time hrs, approx. 7.50/hr for piece work. Call and leave message, 449-1921.

HAVING A BABY? Consider having your neighborhood midwife help you give birth in the comfort & safety of your own home. Complete prenatal, birth & postpartum care available here in Martin Acres. Terra Richardson, Certified Midwife, 499-3050.

WANTED: Loving baby-sitter, with experience, for our 4-month old triplets. Call Susanne at 499-7846.

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