



News in the Park

Thanks to Harry Nachman for keeping our new playground on track. He kept after the city and by the time you read this the spanking new facility should be up and running.

Now for the bad news. People are still leaving their unwanted trash and litter in the park, and it still needs to be cleaned up. If you would like to volunteer for this thankless but karmically rewarding job, please call Kendall or Paula at 499-3615 and we will provide you with the latest in refuse plucking equipment. Please remember, you may only volunteer for one month at a time, so call now while slots are available. Thanks to Lynn, Gary, Casey and Dana (that's right, you know who you are) for doing the cleanup in May.



Volleyball Anyone?

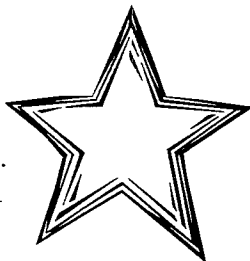
Volleyball in the park is in full swing, meeting Monday evenings at 6:00 in the grassy area between the tennis courts and Broadway, or Upper Martin Park (that's kinda catchy, don't you think?). Come one, come all for fun and exercise, or for fun and to be a court potato if you aren't too energetic. All abilities welcome. If you would like to help set up once, call Marce at 494-3863.

Grab Your Paintbrush

Thanks to the 25 residents who volunteered to help paint homes in Martin Acres. What a great show of neighborhood support! We did not receive any painting requests, however, there are other homes in Boulder County which need to be painted. The paint-a-thon will be held August 19 and if you are interested in helping please call Keith Molenaar at 666-0673. If you have questions about possibilities for Martin Acres next year, call Jill Marce at 494-3863.

School News

A big thank you is in order for everyone who helped during the Martin Park Tour of Homes. Proceeds from the event funded a school wide handwriting program for Martin Park Elementary. THANK YOU.



The school's ongoing fundraiser is still going on this summer. You don't have to carry all that heavy cash, unwieldy credit cards or passe checks to the

grocery store any more. Yes, King Soopers, Wild Oats and Albertsons grocery certificates are available all summer long in \$25 denominations and work just like a normal \$25 bill. Simply present your certificate at the checkout stand and receive your change, if any, in US dollars and cents. Please call Kendall Miller at 499-3615, Steve Priem at 499-9024, or Barbara McGregor at 499-9341 to get yours. Leave a message with your phone number and how many certificates you would like, and we'll get back to you. Remember, the school gets \$1.25 for each certificate sold.



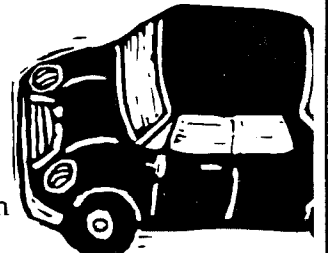
Upcoming events at Martin Park Elementary include the family reader workshops on Tuesday and Thursday evenings from 6:00 to 7:45 through July, the watermelon picnic on August 24, and the carnival on October 14. If you are interested in volunteering or helping with school activities, please call Maureen Novitsky at 499-1407 or Paula Vaughan at 499-3615.

Museum Results Are In

Results are in on the Women of the West annexation and museum opinion poll, and the nays have it. 103 people responded, and the survey says: Annexation, 50% opposed and 20% in favor. WOW Museum, 52% opposed and 37% in favor. Come on you fence sitters, let's see if we can get those numbers to add up to 100 next time, okay?

Traffic Mitigation Update

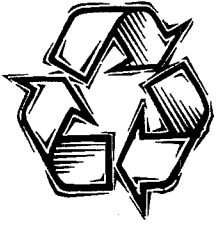
You know, there are rumors and rumors of rumors. The facts are: MANA and Martin Park Elementary are working with the City to finalize traffic mitigation plans on Martin Drive; and Moorehead Ave. is included on the City NEIGHBORHOOD TRAFFIC MITIGATION PROGRAM'S priority list.



Thanks very much to all the people who have been and are still working with the city to get traffic slow and safe on Martin Drive and Moorehead Avenue.

Speaking of Slow and Safe

Have you noticed the converted real estate signs reminding people to slow down? The neighborhood could use a few more, so if you have some to donate or would like one in your yard, please call Steve Altermatt at 494-2749.



Recycling Bins

Here's a bulletin from the Boulder Energy Conservation Center. They have moved to a new home at 1702 Walnut Street. Green recycling bins can be obtained here for a \$5.00 handling fee and you must show proof of Boulder residency. Call 441-4234.

Extra, Extra!

Do you have an interesting piece of news that should be in the Voice? A sharing and matching contribution? Then get hold of Kendall Miller at 499-3615 and tell him what you need.



Join Us

The next MANA Steering Committee meeting will be on the first Monday in August at 7:30 pm at the Alvarado Village Community House. All neighborhood residents are welcome to attend.

Neighborhood Pancakes

And finally, something I think we all look forward to when we count the positives of living in Martin Acres, the Pancake Breakfast has been scheduled for Saturday, Sept. 16. Tickets are on sale for the surprisingly reasonable price of \$3.00 for adults and \$1.50 for seniors and children, but wait, it gets even better. Ticket prices are discounted 25 cents if purchased before the day of the event!

Steering Committee

The next meeting is Monday, August 7, at 7:30pm, at the Alvarado Village Community House. All meetings are open to neighborhood residents.

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Sharing and Matching

Ads are free with a \$10 donation to MANA • Call Kendall Miller at 499-3615 before August 20 to place your ad for the September 1, VOICE.

FRUIT: I will pick your unwanted and surplus fruit. Call Marcia at: 499-6575 home or 444-7397 work.

OPPORTUNITY: With the job you have now, where will you be in 2-3 years? I'm your neighbor and I've completely turned my life around in the last month. Let's talk. Call me at 494-9657 after July 8th. (I'm vacationing at a 5-star resort in Scottsdale until then...) Kate Fotopoulos

BIKE TRAILER FOR SALE: Burley bike trailer holds two children. In great shape! Sells new for \$330. Will sell for \$225.00. Call 499-7644.

A TOUCH OF WELLNESS SERVICES: • Multi-pure Water Filters • Customized Pet Care, Puppy day care, Mid-day walks, Vacation visits • Stress-Reduction Massage, Call Charlene Thompson, 499-3660.

LAWNS MOWED: Very dependable. Average weekly lawn \$15. Call Gloria or Jason at 494-9095 or 497-7803. Can leave a message at 497-7803.

YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD TUPPERWARE LADY is Megan Barclay Leben. Call her with any of your Tupperware needs. 499-2324.

LOST CAT: Orange Tiger, 1+ years old, 8-9 lb. (medium), neutered male. Name: Harley. Very shy with strangers. If you see him please call Mike at 494-2988 or 494-7883.

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