

# the Columns

A NEWSLETTER FOR RESIDENTS, NEIGHBORS AND FRIENDS OF THE FOREST HILLS NEIGHBORHOOD

## [www.foresthillsindy.org](http://www.foresthillsindy.org)

Be sure to check out the FHNA website regularly for upcoming events, back issues of the Columns newsletter, neighbor forums, resources and links, our neighbor-hood's history, and to sign up to receive email updates on important news and announcements.

## FH EVENTS

**May 2**

Community Day

**May 9**

Progressive Dinner

**May 16**

Garage Sale

**June 7**

MKNA Twilight Party

**June 14**

Annual Meeting

Garden Tour

**August 8**

Summer Picnic

**October 24**

Halloween Party

## APRIL 2015

### FH GEARS UP FOR GARAGE SALE

**MAY 16 IS THE ANNUAL FOREST HILLS GARAGE SALE!**

Participating in the annual sale is a great way to clear out your house and allow others to reuse things you may no longer need while earning some cash to refill that newly empty space. The Garage Sale always draws huge crowds and offers our kids the opportunity (depending on the weather) to set up lemonade or coffee stands. This is actually the official Indianapolis Lemonade Stand Day! Visit <http://indianapolis.lemonadeday.org> for more details.

Official sale hours will be 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. FHNA will do the advertising (neighborhood signs, Indy Star and Craigslist) and provide maps of the neighborhood with locations of all the participating neighbors who sign up in advance. There is no cost to participate – this is one of the benefits provided by our annual FHNA dues.

If you would like to participate contact Tom Quinn at [tquinn56@sbcglobal.net](mailto:tquinn56@sbcglobal.net) or 294-3712, or sign up on the Forest Hills website [www.foresthillsindy.org](http://www.foresthillsindy.org) by May 10.

For the convenience of those participating in the sale, (or neighbors who might need it for other things), a dumpster will be located on the Guilford/Wildwood point over the weekend.

**BRINKMAN AD**

## INAUGURAL COMMUNITY DAY SET

A NEW TRADITION IS planned for Forest Hills this year. We're calling it "Community Day," and it's set for May 2nd, from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Our vision is to have neighbors invest in Forest Hills through targeted clean-up and assisting under-abled neighbors who may need a helping hand around their property.

We're seeking volunteers (many hands make light work) and power washers for an estimated 90 to 120 minutes of work that day.

To sign up to volunteer (yes, we give service hours) or are in need of some neighborly assistance, or have ideas for projects, please contact David Hobbs at 260-3722 or [David.C.Hobbs@gmail.com](mailto:David.C.Hobbs@gmail.com).

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# FH PROGRESSIVE DINNER

You're invited to join your neighbors for an evening of fun, good food and drinks! The (somewhat) annual Forest Hills Progressive Dinner is scheduled for Saturday, May 9, 5:30 – 9:30 p.m.

Attendees are asked to bring your own drinks and a dish (recipe provided). It's a great chance to meet new people and enjoy our fabulous neighborhood! The schedule for the evening will look roughly like this:

Saturday, May 10

5:30-6:30 – Cocktails & Hors d'oeuvres (Everyone to gather at Katie & Adam Gibson's house)

6:30-8:30 – Dinner (Break into groups of 6-10 people. Host prepares the entrée, guests make a side dish.)

8:30-9:30 – Dessert (Everyone back together Meghan & Jeff Martin's house.)

Interested in participating? Contact Meghan Martin by Saturday, May 2 at 317martin@gmail.com with the following information:

Your name

Your phone number

E-mail if you have it

Number of people in your household to attend (adults only please)

Are you willing to host a course?

Questions?

Contact Meghan at 317martin@gmail.com, 317-753-9183.

Hope to see you there!

Meghan Martin

# NEWS

Welcome new neighbors Kris & Leeanne Looney (909 E. 57th) Chase & Kathryn Rudolph (1002 E. 58th). Welcome also to the Sullivan's new baby.

Folks on Wildwood and Forest received new sidewalks, by surprise, over the winter, although the late snow is turning what was supposed to be a two week project into a two month project. Thanks to Judy Goldstein for assisting with negotiations with the City, and of course to the City for funding the project.

FH will host the Meridian Kessler Home Tour Twilight Party, June 5th. The party hasn't been in FH for about a decade, and likely won't be back here again for another decade, though it has been held at IHM before as well. If you've never been, it's one of the great tent party fundraisers in the city, complete with a catered dinner and live band, and lord knows it's within walking distance. More details coming soon.

The battle for the FH Christmas in July house rages on, as at least two houses within view of my window still sport Christmas wreaths (one lit) as of St. Patrick's Day. Of course, your writer has to confess that he finished up his last box of 2014 Girl Scout cookies about the time the girls started coming by for 2015 orders, and has a garage that's been decorated for Halloween for about 25 years.

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