

Red Smith Neighborhood News



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RSNA Annual Meeting: March 16

Please join us for our annual Red Smith Neighborhood Association meeting, where we will open the board to new members and *hear from a representative from the Green Bay Schools about the April 6 referendum*. The meeting will be at 6:30 p.m. in the Red Smith Community Room. Pizza and soda will be offered, free of charge. We look forward to seeing new faces at our meeting and, hopefully, welcoming new members to our board.

Second Annual Red Smith Wine Tasting Party!



When: April 23, 2010 at 6:00

Where: Dean and Tonja Gerondale's house--2849 Sussex

Why: To meet up with friends and neighbors after the long winter and to raise money for the neighborhood's annual events, such as the summer concerts and Octoberfest.

We will once again be offering a variety of reds and whites, in addition to hors d'oeuvres and a silent auction!

Please purchase your tickets in advance by contacting Gina Tristani (ginatristani@yahoo.com) or Katy Schroeder (katyschroeder22@yahoo.com)

Block Captains Needed!

We do our best to get information to everyone in the Red Smith Neighborhood. The easiest way is through block captains. We are still in need of some block captains (you do not need to live on the street where you are a block captain.) Can you help? Please contact Margaret Kieler at margaret_kieler@hotmail.com if you can help on the following streets:

- Southern half of Sussex
- Kathy
- Wiggins Way (1 person)
- Shorewood
- Mariner
- Nautical

Block captains forward along emails to their neighbors and distribute a hard copy of the newsletter every three months. Don't know who your block captain is? Check our website! If you don't have a block captain, but would like to stay connected, please ask Margaret to add you to the email loop.

Spring Elections April 6!

This year, we will have a chance to vote for Alderman, County Supervisor, School Board, and decide on the Green Bay School District's referendum. For those who don't normally vote, or who are new to the area, our polling place is at Holy Cross School, 3002 Bay Settlement Road. Watch for information about candidate forums in the Green Bay Press Gazette.

Park News

Be sure to take advantage of our new tennis courts, installed by the city last fall. We have had a fun winter on the new hockey rink in the park. Thank you to the Green Bay Parks Department for working with us on these additions.

Keep an Eye Out

As the weather warms and the evenings stay lighter, we will once again need to keep an eye out for vandalism in our neighborhood. The Police Department cannot always have representation here in our neighborhood, so it is up to us to watch for and report any incidents. If we don't call, the city won't know there is anything going on here. If you are planning to be gone, make sure your doors are locked! There has been an increase in burglaries in the city recently, and they often target one neighborhood at a time. Dial 448-3200 for non-emergencies.

Red Smith Spring Carnival

The Red Smith PTO is putting on their annual Spring Carnival on April 10 from 10-2. Buy tickets at the door and have fun while supporting your neighborhood school!

The City of Green Bay is calling on You to be counted!

The 2010 United States Census is close at hand and we need you to stand up and be counted. Please help spread the word about the importance of the United States Census!

- **Representation!**

Wisconsin lost a Congressional seat based on our & Wisconsin's 2000 Census population. We need to maintain our current Congressional delegation to win on regional issues that affect our everyday lives.

- **Funding!**

More than 300 billion in federal funds are awarded to communities each year based on census numbers. If we're under counted, we'll be losing millions of dollars to other states. These dollars build stronger neighborhoods, educate our youth, assist elderly, and those most in need.

- **Economic Growth!**

Business leaders use Census data to make decisions like entering new markets in your area, or to locate a new manufacturing facility in the state.

- **Good Government!**

Local elected officials use the data to determine zoning and the best place to locate daycares, elderly housing, and for other quality of life decisions for the community.

- **Duty!**

As part of the US Constitution, it's your duty to stand up and be counted, and help your community from losing out! The Census for the first time since 1930 will only use the short form, which only asks 10 questions, and is kept confidential for 72 years.

For more information about the census,

please visit www.ci.green-bay.wi.us/Census/index.html

Volunteers Needed!

Please consider volunteering for the 2010 US Census by contacting Chad Weininger at 448.3058

Census Jobs

Call 1.866.861.2010 for US Census Jobs or see the [US Census web site](#)