



Neighborhood Notes
Cambridge Woods Neighborhood Association
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Howdy Neighbors!

I am writing this message on the unofficial end of Summer-Labor Day. The day where we all love the day off, but no that summer is soon coming to an end. The holiday weekend has been beautiful weather-wise, and the long stint of never-ending rainy days seem long ago.

With the arrival of September brings the return of school, both our neighborhood kids and returning UWM students. It becomes a month of re-learning for many in our neighborhood. One item to re-learn is the new parking program that goes into effect on some of our streets. The Residential Parking Permit Program that allows resident only parking on one side of designated streets begins and residents will need special daytime permits for parking M-F 7am-7pm on those sides of the street. There is no cost for the permits and Guest Permits can be obtained by calling 286-8350. Cambridge Woods agreed to be included in this program with the thought that if we didn't, our neighborhood would become a greater magnet for commuting parking.

The July Potluck meeting was a fun event that brought out new faces and good food sampling along with a nice ice-breaker that allowed a way for people to meet and talk with neighbors. Our September 18 meeting will take a more serious tone as we will talk and listen to police officials from UWM and Milwaukee Police Department concerning crime and safety issues. We have solicited questions and concerns via our email and will share them with our panel to help facilitate residents concerns. The meeting has been organized and will be facilitated by CWNA's Safety Committee.

Odds 'n Ends: By request, there will be another neighborhood area Rummage Sale on September 30, watch for further information. I am wrapping up the recent survey concerning river crossings and will share this with everyone in the next week or two. There will be additional river corridor surveys in the coming weeks by the Milwaukee River Workgroup along with Community Workshops. Along similar lines, the Northeast Area Plan presented current area summaries at a recent Plan Advisory Group Meeting that was held at UWM. The summary presentation will be posted on the City's website and I will notify all when it is up.

Finally, I conclude with a reminder that our November elections are approaching fast. Please let us know if wish to serve on the CWNA Board in the capacity of President, Treasurer, or At-large member.

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