

PARK RIDGE NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION

FALL 2015

It's time for the Our Annual
Neighborhood Association Picnic

September 20th



Join us at Hartung Park.
2pm til we all go home.
Dinner will be provided.

This is a great opportunity to meet
neighbors, have fun and enjoy some good food
Please bring your own drinks and a dessert
to share.

RSVP by Sept. 14th -

kcady@uwm.edu or 414-331-9612

Park Ridge Neighborhood Association (PRNA) is your voice for issues affecting you. The organization holds two social events each year—the Fall Picnic and the Chili Party in the winter. Additionally, we send out emails on issues that affect you regarding our community—constructions, safety, community programs.

It is critical though for you to be an active participant in PRNA. Consider attending one of our events, joining the program committee or the PRNA board. We are all volunteers from the neighborhood. Time commitments are minimal.



Dates to Remember:

September 1st—Wauwatosa schools start up

September 20th—Park Ridge Neighborhood Picnic

Saturday, October 31st—Park Ridge Trick or Treat—6 to 8 pm

February—Park Ridge Chili Party

Take steps to prevent burglaries

Consider these tips to help prevent burglaries:

- Turn on exterior lighting around your home whenever it is dark. You also can use lights activated by motion detect (although be mindful not to shine lights in your neighbor's windows).
- Lock all doors and windows when not home or while sleeping.
- Never keep purses, laptops, briefcases, wallets or other valuables in sight through windows.
- Close garage and shed doors whenever you are not immediately monitoring them.
- Ensure basement windows that are not glass block have security bars.
- Make sure doors have interior hinges, dead-bolt locks and strike plates secured with at least four 3" screws.
- Trim landscape to prevent hiding places around your house.
- Avoid leaving empty boxes in front of your house that show you've purchased a "big-ticket" item.

Also, if you are leaving home for an extended time, considering these tips:

- Have a trusted neighbor, friend or relative watch your home.
- Arrange for snow removal/lawn mowing.
- Arrange for mail and newspapers to be put on hold.
- Put interior lights on timers.
- Close drapes or blinds.
- Contact the Police Department and ask for additional patrols
- Let neighbors know that you will be gone and ask for them to watch out for you.

For more information on PRNA or to volunteer on a committee—

Contact Kathleen Schilling at kcady@uwm.edu or 414-331-9612



Sign up or Renew Membership

Annual membership is per household and covers all neighborhood association events September-September.

Please fill out the form below and submit the form and dues to our neighborhood association treasurer Bob Helbig at 10344 Park Ridge Avenue.

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Household information

Number of Adults: _____

Number of children: _____

Names and ages of children:

Annual dues are \$10 for singles or couples and \$15 per family:
Please make checks payable to PRNA