

Celebrate Oktoberfest in Bates-Hendricks!

This October, help us celebrate Bates-Hendricks' German heritage with the restoration of our most cherished community building, the Turnverein / Southside Turner's building. Bates-Hendricks Oktoberfest will take place on **Saturday, October 6 from 5:00pm to 9:00pm at 306 Prospect Street**. The event is family-friendly and free to enter for all ages. There is a suggested donation of hygiene items or canned foods for Diversity Church Indy food pantry.

Come enjoy German food, music, and, of course, drinks! Food is available for purchase and tickets into the beer garden are \$5, which covers your Bates-Hendricks beer stein for the event. We can't wait to see everyone ready to celebrate!



Good Neighbor Weekend October 27 & 28

Northview Church in Carmel has helped us over the last several years with projects in the neighborhood. This year, we're getting two morning work shifts on Saturday, October 27 and Sunday, October 28. It'd be really good to have residents turn out for these projects as well! Currently, we plan to do maintenance in our parks, work on our gateways, pick up heavy trash in alleys, and work on the community garden. For more information, check the Bates-Hendricks calendar at www.bateshendricks.org/calendar and/or contact Laura at president@bateshendricks.org or John at vicepresident@bateshendricks.org. We'll be meeting both mornings at 9:00am at Immanuel United Church of Christ at the corner of East Street and Prospect Street.

Help Needed for New Bates-Hendricks Website

The Marketing Committee has been busy this year creating new neighborhood marketing materials, a neighbor discount program, and new neighborhood maps. As the second half of 2018 is well underway, our next big project is to update our neighborhood website. We need your help! If you are savvy with web design and building content, specifically using WordPress, we'd love your help creating our new website. Please contact marketing@bateshendricks.org to learn more about this project and when the committee meets next.

Letter from the President



BHNA President, Laura Giffel

Fall is here! This month, we celebrate neighborly attitudes with the help of Northview's Good Neighbor Weekend. This is our largest cleanup weekend of the year and is family-friendly. Look for details on our Facebook page and Nextdoor on how to participate! This is a great opportunity to meet other neighbors and do good for the neighborhood. I can't wait to see everyone out and about!



SENSE Charter School Boy Scouts Craft Catapults by Kate Voss



It is fun with a purpose, with hands-on learning and achievement for the boys in SENSE Charter School's Cub Scout Troop, Pack 18. The boys, who are from Grades 1 through 4, are building their own catapults from a kit. All the scouts at SENSE Charter School are able to participate free of charge through the generosity of the Lilly Endowment. This is a great investment in a child's education and future.

Firefighter Visits SENSE Kindergarteners by Kate Voss

Firefighter Anson Herrington, from the Noblesville Fire Department, visited the Kindergarten students at SENSE Charter School for Community Helper Week. Community Helper Week celebrates the work people do in our communities. The children build literacy, develop vocabulary, practice math concepts, and sing songs while they learn about the tools, uniforms, and tasks of a variety of community helpers such as police officers and postal carriers. Mr. Herrington is the brother of one of the SENSE kindergarten teachers, Nancy Bykowski.



Host's Open Tour in Bates-Hendricks by Rachel Prince



On Saturday, October 20 from 1:00pm to 4:00pm, some of Indy's best Airbnb and vacation rental hosts will open their homes for the *HostsOpen.com* Epic Indy Vacation Rental Home Tour in Bates-Hendricks. This walking home tour, open to the public, includes five unique properties, including a Two Chicks and A Hammer new-build short-term rental home, a private en suite in a historic home, and a second-level vaulted-attic recreation room/bedroom in a private home, among others.

Come for a good time with Indy neighbors, get some ideas and practical tips for your home share, or just come for a better understanding of the shared economy and how it could be working for you right here in Indy! Register by October 5 for free tickets at *HostsOpen.com*. After the free ticket window closes, tickets will be available for purchase for \$10 online or \$12 at the door. Contact Rachel Prince at 317-797-2525 for more information or email hostsopen@gmail.com.

After the tour, join the after-party at Garfield Park Brewery with live music from the Knot Brothers and sponsors, Lincoln Lane, Hanza Realty, Circle City Traveler, ARC Gym, Hosts of Indy Airbnb rental management, Bates-Hendricks Neighborhood Association, and more!

Bates-Hendricks Neighborhood Association

The Bates-Hendricks Neighborhood Association strives to improve the quality of life of those living in the neighborhood through efforts to assure safety, to maintain or improve the living environment, and to enhance the spirit of cooperation and neighborliness among all residents. We meet monthly on the first Monday of the month at the Immanuel United Church of Christ at the corner of East and Prospect at 6:30pm. Annual dues are \$5 for households and \$25 for businesses. Please mail dues to Kate Kilgore, PO Box 342, Indianapolis, IN 46206. More information about the neighborhood can be found online at bateshendricks.org.



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Upcoming

- Oct 1** **Bates-Hendricks Neighborhood Association Meeting, 6:30pm, Immanuel United Church of Christ, 402 Prospect Street. The Association meets on the first Monday of every month except holidays (then it's the second Monday). Stay involved with the neighborhood and visit with your neighbors!**
- Oct 2** East Street Quality of Life / Economic Development Meeting, 6:30pm, Immanuel United Church, 402 Prospect Street (enter through glass doors on north side of building). This committee works to improve the East Street corridor. Contact EastStreet@bateshendricks.org for more information.
- Oct 4** 1st Thursday Supper Club, 6:30pm. Join your neighbors for this get-together at a different location each month! Please RSVP by signing up on the events page, which can be found at www.facebook.com/bateshendricks/events, or by emailing Events@bateshendricks.org. This month's location: Greiner's Sub Shop (2126 Shelby Street).
- Oct 6** **Bates-Hendricks Oktoberfest, 5:00pm to 9:00pm, 306 Prospect Street. See page 1 for details.**
- Oct 3, 10** Flu Clinic, Lincoln Center (516 Lincoln Street), 3:00pm to 5:00pm on Oct. 3 and 5:00pm to 7:00pm on Oct. 10. For more details, visit the Bates-Hendricks Events page on Facebook: www.facebook.com/events/1904069149898280.
- Oct 11,25** Republic Recycling Pickup. More info at www.republicservices.com/residents/all-in-one-recycling.
- Oct 15** Marketing Committee Meeting, 6:30pm, Immanuel United Church, 402 Prospect Street (enter through glass doors on north side of building). This committee works to promote the neighborhood. For more information, contact marketing@bateshendricks.org.
- Oct 16** Heavy Trash Pickup. More info at www.indy.gov/eGov/City/DPW/Trash/Pages/TrashHome.aspx.
- Oct 16** Events Committee Meeting, 6:30pm, Immanuel United Church, 402 Prospect Street (enter through glass doors on north side of building). This committee works to plan neighborhood events, including Street Fest, the Chili Cook-off, holiday dinners, and more. Contact Events@bateshendricks.org for more information.
- Oct 22** Food Security Committee Meeting, 6:30pm, Immanuel United Church, 402 Prospect Street (enter through glass doors on north side of building). This committee works to address food security and urban farming within the neighborhood. Contact FoodSecurity@bateshendricks.org for more info.
- Oct 22** ROW – Pleasant Run Meeting, 6:30pm, 924 Shelby Street. This committee focuses on improving the waterway that runs through our neighborhood. For more info, contact ROW@bateshendricks.org.
- Oct 23** Land Use Committee Meeting, 6:30pm, Immanuel United Church, 402 Prospect Street (enter through glass doors on north side of building). This committee considers zoning, development, and property issues in Bates-Hendricks with the goal of ensuring peaceful co-existence among residents and businesses. Contact LandUse@bateshendricks.org for more information.
- Oct 25** Southeast Neighborhood Congress, 7:00pm to 8:30pm, Horizon Central (1001 Palmer St.). Since 2005, Indianapolis' Southeast Neighborhood has been developing and executing a plan to make our part of Indianapolis a better place to live, work, visit, and raise a family. Our Quality of Life Plan is available at www.southeastneighborhood.org.
- Oct 27,28** **Good Neighbor Weekend, throughout neighborhood, 9:00am to 1:00pm both days. See page 1 for details.**