

Great Indy Cleanup in Bates-Hendricks on Saturday, June 3!

On Saturday, June 3, the Bates-Hendricks Neighborhood will be hosting a Great Indy Cleanup with Keep Indianapolis Beautiful. We are in need of volunteers to help pick up trash, clean sidewalks, curbs, and alleyways. We will be **meeting at 11:00am at 1806 S. East Street**, next door to Bates Ice Cream Shop. Bring your friends, family, and neighbors and come enjoy good times and ice cream.

Learn more about the event on the Bates-Hendricks Facebook page (facebook.com/bateshendricks/events) and/or neighborhood calendar (bateshendricks.org/calendar).

Letter from the President

Ringgold has reopened! The concrete's cured, the playground equipment is in, and the construction tape is down. Have you and the kids in your life had a chance to visit? We have great new equipment tucked into Ringgold Park!

There are swings, a slide, a teeter totter, and so many things to climb! There are steps to climb. There are rings to climb. There are ropes to climb. There are hoops to climb. There are chains to climb. And once you've made it to the top, there is a great yellow slide to bring you back down to the earth.

Your return to terra firma will not be mulch, sand, or grass. No, you will find that Indy Parks installed a great rubberized base below and all around each piece of equipment. The blue base feels great beneath your feet.



BHNHA President, James Bulow



And for those of us that have left our climbing days behind, there are benches off to the side to chat with neighbors as you watch the kids play together and listen to the glee.

Many thanks to Indy Parks, particularly Senior Park Planner Ben Jackson, for working with the neighborhood on the upgraded equipment and surfaces. I hope you and the kids in your life find a chance to visit many times this summer and fall.

Become a Business Member with the Neighborhood Association

Do you run a business out of Bates-Hendricks? Have a storefront for folks to visit? Then you can become a business member and be featured on the BHNA website! Business members pay their annual \$25 dues and are invited to business meetups and given a spot on the website (www.bateshendricks.org/businesses). You can sign up and become a member at www.bateshendricks.org/pay. In order to be listed on the website, it is required for the business to have an address inside the neighborhood and a website to interact with and/or a physical storefront. Contact marketing@bateshendricks.org with any questions!







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BHNA BUSINESSES

The following businesses belong to the Bates-Hendricks Neighborhood Association. To be a member, the business must have an address within the borders of the neighborhood and have [paid the \\$25 annual dues](#).



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Help Make Street Fest Come to Life as a Sponsor

The 7th Annual Bates-Hendricks Street Fest can't happen without supporters like you! Will you consider helping sponsor this year's event to keep Street Fest free to attend for all neighbors and visitors? You can help by becoming an event sponsor or by being a family sponsor!

Event sponsors are typically companies or organizations that donate to support a specific area of the event such as sanitation, seating, or entertainment! Event sponsorships start at \$300 and include your company / organization on all event marketing as well as a reserved booth space at the event.

Family sponsors are for individuals or local families who want to support our annual event. Family sponsorships are \$50 and you'll see a thank you written on the streets of the event!

All sponsorships help support the cost of running the event. Any additional profits are used to support the Bates-Hendricks Neighborhood Association, as well as make donations to the two schools in our neighborhood, James A. Garfield IPS School #31 and SENSE Charter School. Become a sponsor today by visiting bit.ly/StreetFest23Sponsor or www.bateshendricks.org/streetfest.



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 James A. Garfield IPS School 31 at 307 Lincoln Street at 6:30pm. Annual dues are \$10 for households and \$25 for businesses. Please mail dues to Bates-Hendricks Neighborhood Association, PO Box 342, Indianapolis, IN 46206. More information about the neighborhood can be found online at bateshendricks.org.



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Add our calendar to yours
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Upcoming

- Jun 1, 15, 29 Republic Recycling Pickup.** More info at www.republicservices.com/residents/all-in-one-recycling.
- Jun 3 Great Indy Cleanup, 11:00am, 1806 S. East Street (empty lot next to the ice cream shop).** The Bates-Hendricks Neighborhood will be hosting a Great Indy Cleanup with Keep Indianapolis Beautiful, focusing on picking up trash and cleaning the sidewalks and alleys of the southern part of the neighborhood between E. Minnesota Street and E. Beecher Street. This event replaces this month's 2nd Saturday Cleanup.
- Jun 5 Bates-Hendricks Neighborhood Association Annual Cookout, 6:30pm, Hendricks Park (1313 Madison Avenue, off of Orange Street).** In lieu of our monthly meeting, the Association is hosting its annual pitch-in cookout. The neighborhood will supply the main course, while neighbors are encouraged to bring a side dish or dessert. Join us and visit with neighbors!
- Jun 8 ROW – Pleasant Run Meeting, 5:00pm,** location varies. This committee focuses on improving the waterway that runs through our neighborhood. For more info, contact ROW@bateshendricks.org.
- Jun 12 Quality of Life / Economic Development Meeting, 6:30pm,** The Lincoln Center, 516 Lincoln Street. This committee works to improve the East Street corridor, among other objectives. For more information, contact QualityOfLife@bateshendricks.org.
- Jun 15 Republic Recycling Pickup.** More info at www.republicservices.com/residents/all-in-one-recycling.
- Jun 19 Events Committee Meeting, 6:30pm,** The Lincoln Center, 516 Lincoln Street. 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.
- Jun 19 Marketing Committee Meeting, 6:30pm,** online. This committee works to promote the neighborhood. Contact Marketing@bateshendricks.org to join the meeting or for more information.
- Jun 20 Heavy Trash Pickup.** More information at www.indy.gov/activity/trash-pickup.
- Jun 26 Vacation Bible School, June 26 to 28 from 6:30pm to 8:00pm,** Immanuel United Church of Christ (402 Prospect Street). Attendees to this year's vacation bible school, as pirates of the Galilean, will learn about Jesus through stories, songs, crafts, and games. No signup is required, just come join in the fun. AAARRRGGGHHHH, ye maties!
- Jun 27 Land Use Committee Meeting, 6:30pm,** online. 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.