

June 2021 Mid-Month Newsletter Virtual PPA Board/Community Meeting

All are welcome! Monday, June 28, 2021, 6:30-8pm

Meeting access starts at 6:20pm. Regularly scheduled meeting will be hosted via Zoom.

Click Here for Meeting Agenda

To get Zoom meeting access, fill out the Google Form below. All Zoom information will be emailed to you directly following submission of the form. If you have any questions, please email staff@prospectparkmpls.org for assistance.

Thank you and we look forward to seeing you at the meeting! <u>RSVP here for the June 28 Board/Community Meeting</u>

Upcoming Meetings (Virtual)

Environment Committee Tue July 13, 6:30 PM

Community Building Committee Wed July 13, 4:30 PM Renter's Sub-Committee Wed July 7, 6 PM

Land Use and Planning Committee Thu July 8, 7 PM

Management Council Mon July 19, 7 PM

Transportation and Safety Committee Tue July 20, 7:30 PM

Click here for the PPA Event Calendar and Meeting Access Information

Community Announcements

Prospect Park Garden Walk and More

For the past many years, the Prospect Park Garden Club has offered an opportunity to peek into neighbor's yards to see what they are doing with their gardens. This year, the Garden Club will partner with the Environment Committee to explore the theme "Healing the Earth." There will be an opportunity to see 9–10 gardens to get design ideas and growing tips as well as learn about additional ways to heal the earth through alternative sources of energy for houses and vehicles, reducing our carbon footprint. Participants can meet and talk to homeowners who have installed solar panels, heat pumps, use geothermal or mini-splits for heat sources or elect to drive electric cars or bikes. (Check out the opportunity to try an electric bike at the park at 29th Ave./4th St.).

Check in will be at Pratt School where you can get a map, purchase plants from the Garden Club, or books from neighbor, Kent Petterson's Terrace Horticultural Books. Get out to see your neighbors, enjoy a beautiful day, and gather ideas for healing the earth.

- Date: Saturday, June 26
- Time: 10 am 3 pm

- Place: Pick up maps other info at Pratt, 66 SE Malcolm Ave (visit various yards, the Park at SE 29th Ave. & SE 4th St., community garden on SE Arthur Ave.)

- What Else: Plant Sale, Yard Sales, activities at the Park on 29th/4th, horticultural book sales, Witch's Hat book giveaway, AND other surprises!

Prospect Park Yard Sales: Saturday & Sunday June 26 & 27

Twenty-five (25) Yard Sales will be held this year concurrent with Garden Walk on Saturday & Sunday 9am-4pm, as well 5 Tailgate Sales will be held in the Pratt School parking lot.

Six of the Yard Sales also feature "PPA Giveaway" (see article below "Prospect Park History Books and More Available June 26th")

Prospect Park Garden Walk & More

Join us for a full day of activities in Prospect Park (Maps Available at Pratt School, 66 Malcolm St. SE, Minneapolis More information available at prospectparkmpls.org)



Heal the Earth

Visit beautiful gardens & learn how to lower your carbon footprint Pick up Maps & Info at Pratt School

Saturday, June 26, 2021

10 am - 3 pm (unless otherwise noted)

Garden Walk

Visit gardens in the neighborhood for ideas and gardening tips.

Plant Sale

At Pratt School, 66 Malcolm St. Proceeds support the Prospect Park Garden Club

Yard & Trunk Sales

9 am - 4 pm Residents will have lots of cool stuff for sale, PLUS sales from car trunks at Pratt School

Alternative Energy Resources

Visit homes & talk to owners with solar panels, heat pumps, geothermal heating & electric cars.

Activities at the Park - 4th St. & 29th Ave.SE

Sponsored by #BrittFit50 Indigenous Health will be providing music & entertainment, Nice Ride Electric bikes, & Minneapolis Park Board presentations about the community gardena

> NEAL THE EARTH EVENT is sponsored by The Prospect Park Garden Club, PPA Environment Committee, & #BnttFit50 Indigenous Health

"LOVE IN ISOLATION" A Photo Art Exhibit

10am-4pm Saturday, June 26th outside on Pratt School grounds



"Love in Isolation: Sheltering in place to flatten the curve" by local Prospect Park photographer <u>Dan Marshall</u>, is a Prospect Park community-based portrait photography project documenting people sheltering in place for the common good during the pandemic. You will see images of people on their front porches, steps, or inside their front windows, shot with long lenses at an appropriate social distance. The project documented an unprecedented time in history, to emphasize the importance of social distancing, and recognize that people sheltering in place are doing so to protect themselves, and more importantly, their larger communities. Through this documentation process, the project reinforced the importance of community and a sense of connection during a disconnected time. "Love in Isolation" was funded in part by the Prospect Park Coop Legacy Fund.

Anti-Displacement Agenda Open House/Engagement Session: Opportunity to learn more about the anti displacement agenda. We would love for you to join us! **In person:** Come to Tower Hill Park after the garden tours/yard/ trunk sales on Saturday, June 26 to meet some neighbors, ask questions, or learn more! We will be there for conversation and questions from 4-5:30pm. Stop by any time!

Prospect Park History Books and More Available June 26th

Please help PPA and our neighborhood by picking up one or more of these items, shown below, on June 26th during the Prospect Park Yard Sale and Garden Walk. **All items will be available at 6 locations shown on the Yard Sale flyer.** Books and parking decals will also be available on June 26th at Pratt School while the Yard Sale and Garden Walk are taking place. **Take several** for yourself—and a couple more to share with neighbors!

Book: Under the Witches Hat: Neighborhood History, 2003 Book: Tower Hill Park: A History, 1997 Parking Decal: Tower Hill Park graphic Poster: Watercolor poster of Prospect Park homes & map of streets, 2014 Outdoor sign: We Stand with Glendale

Why is PPA giving these away? We no longer have a place to store them: it's 12 boxes. Better for neighbors to use and share these items so they are available to all throughout Prospect Park.

Contact us: staff@prospectparkmpls.org 612-767-6531

Our mailing address is: P.O. Box 141095 Minneapolis, MN 55414