

# The Buzz

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Lincoln Park's  
Neighborhood Newsletter

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## NLPNA DOES NOT MEET IN NOVEMBER

### **FARMER'S MARKET ON H ST. – OPEN ANOTHER MONTH**

By popular demand, the season of the H St. FreshFarm Market has been extended to November 20. Now you can fetch groceries and festive decorations for Thanksgiving from the local farmers and producers who have been coming to our neighborhood every Saturday, 9 a.m. to noon. EBT/SNAP food stamps, WIC, and Seniors' Farmers Market Coupons are accepted. The market is at 625 H St. NE (across from H St. Self Storage), 362-8889, [www.freshfarmmarkets.org](http://www.freshfarmmarkets.org).

### **Shop and Support NLPNA**

NLPNA is enrolled with the [igive.com](http://igive.com) charity support organization. Stores and service providers at [www.igive.com/nlpna](http://www.igive.com/nlpna) will make a contribution to NLPNA every time you complete an online purchase. If you are an online shopper, please consider joining.

### **Entertainment Books**

The 2011 Entertainment books have arrived! Each book costs \$30, and NLPNA gets to keep \$5 from every book sold. All the money goes to support NLPNA activities, including printing *The Buzz*. The Entertainment books have hundreds of savings including TGI Fridays, Pizza Hut, Domino's Pizza, Ben & Jerry's and Haagen-Dazs at Union Station, tons of online savings to stores like Old Navy, savings on hotels and car rentals, and more. If you'd like to buy a book or help sell books, call Suzanne Wells at 547-2477, or email her at [m.godec@att.net](mailto:m.godec@att.net).

### **The Capitol Hill Restoration Society Presents...**

the Preservation Café series, a free forum with topics of interest to the greater Capitol Hill community. The next presentation will be Wed., Nov. 17, 6:30 - 7:15 p.m. at Ebenezer's Coffee House, 2nd and F St. NE. The speaker will be Daragh Cassidy of Capitol Hill's Galway Bay Woodworks on "Wood Furniture and Cabinet Preservation."

The event is free and handicapped accessible, and the public is encouraged to attend.

### **...and Architecture, Architects and Builders of Hill East**

The Capitol Hill Restoration Society (CHRS) is sponsoring a free presentation by EHT Traceries, the architectural history firm that has been documenting the history of buildings outside the boundaries of the Capitol Hill Historic District. This event marks the completion of the survey of the southeast portion of greater Capitol Hill and will showcase its diverse and handsome building stock. Wed., Nov. 10, 6:30-8 p.m. at Center City Public Charter School – Capitol Hill Campus, 1503 E. Capitol St. SE (enter from parking lot in rear).

### **...and Walking Tour of Hill East Alleys**

CHRS is also leading a free walking tour of five alleys (Harrison Alley/Harrison Court, Guethler's Court, Fitzhugh Court, King's Court, and 15 ½ St.) where residences were once located. Meet on the northwest corner of 14th & E St. SE at 1 p.m. on Sat., Nov. 13 to learn more about early alley dwellings in the District.

### *COMMUNITY CALENDAR*

- **NLPNA does not meet in November.**
- **Trees for Capitol Hill Fall Planting**, Sat. Nov. 6. Call 543-3512 or e-mail [elizabeth\\_knits@yahoo.com](mailto:elizabeth_knits@yahoo.com).
- **PSA 103 meeting**, 2nd Wed. (Nov. 10), 7 p.m., Miner ES, 601 15<sup>th</sup> St. NE.
- **CHRS presentation on Hill East Architecture**, Wed. Nov. 10, 6:30-8 p.m., 1503 E. Capitol St. SE. *See article.*
- **ANC 6A meeting**, second Thurs. (Nov. 11), 7 p.m., Miner ES, 601 15<sup>th</sup> St. NE. For more info, visit [www.anc6a.org](http://www.anc6a.org).
- **CHRS Walking Tour**, Sat. Nov. 13, 1 p.m., northeast corner of 14<sup>th</sup> & E St. SE. *See article.*
- **Evolve Gallery Opening**, Sat. Nov. 13, 4-8 p.m., Pierce School Lofts, 1375 Md. Ave. *See article.*
- **Preservation Café**, Wed. Nov. 17, 6:30 p.m., Ebenezer's Coffee House, 2nd & F St. NE. *See article.*
- **NLPNA meeting**, 1st Tues. (Dec. 7), 7:30 p.m., Lane Memorial CME Church, 14<sup>th</sup> and C St. NE.
- *The Buzz* is available at [www.anc6a.org/publications.html](http://www.anc6a.org/publications.html). Staff can be reached at 543-3512 or [elizabeth\\_knits@yahoo.com](mailto:elizabeth_knits@yahoo.com).

### **Buzz Distributors Needed**

Volunteer distributors are needed for the 100 block of 15<sup>th</sup> St., 500 block of 13<sup>th</sup> St., 1100 block of Park St., 1200 block of F St., 1500 block of Constitution Ave., 1500 block of North Carolina Ave., and 100-400 blocks of Tennessee Ave.

## Capital City Symphony

The Capital City Symphony is a full-sized symphony orchestra based as one of the arts partners at the Atlas Performing Arts Center, 1333 H St.NE.

You won't want to miss their Annual Family Concert, "The Case of the Missing Melody," Sun. Nov. 14, 2:30 & 4:30 p.m., featuring:

- \* Adolphe, Three Pieces for Kids and Chamber Orchestra
- \* Rossini, Barber of Seville Overture
- \* Wagner, Flying Dutchman Overture
- \* Tchaikovsky, Sleeping Beauty Waltz

This program is designed to appeal to children and is preceded by an instrument "petting zoo." Children 16 and under are free but need tickets, which can be obtained at [www.capitalcitysymphony.org](http://www.capitalcitysymphony.org).

The free Holiday Carol Sing Concert, in collaboration with the Congressional Chorus, the American Youth Chorus, and the Atlas Performing Arts Center, is a neighborhood tradition. This year there will be two performances, Sun. Dec. 5 at 3:30 and 7:30 p.m. This popular show plays to full houses. Tickets are free but need to be reserved at [www.AtlasArts.org](http://www.AtlasArts.org).



## Evolve Urban Arts

Evolve Property Management presents "Into the Quietude," featuring works by Lisa Rosenstein and James Halloran, at the Evolve Urban Arts Gallery @ Pierce School Lofts, 1375 Maryland Ave. NE.

An opening reception will be held on Sat. Nov. 13 from 5 to 8 p.m. Hours at the gallery are 1-5 p.m. Mondays – Thursdays; 1-7 p.m. Fridays; and 11 a.m. - 2 p.m. Saturdays through Jan. 8. The exhibit is free and the public is welcome. To learn more, visit [www.evolveDC.com](http://www.evolveDC.com).

## Library Programs

The Northeast Branch Library's programs include:

- ♦ EuroKids Story Time (Germany), Mon. Nov 1, 4 p.m.
  - ♦ Ken Burns "Civil War," Mon. Nov. 1, 8, 15, 5:30-7 p.m.
  - ♦ Toddler Times, Tues. Nov 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 & Thurs. Nov. 4, 18, 11:15 a.m.
  - ♦ How to do a Research Paper, Wed. Nov. 3, 10, 17, 4 p.m.
  - ♦ Storytime & Craft, Mon. Oct. 4, 18, 25, 4 p.m. Ages 3-8.
  - ♦ Teen Advisory Group, Wed. Nov. 3, 5-6 p.m.
  - ♦ EuroKids Story Time (Malta), Mon. Nov 8, 4 p.m.
  - ♦ Teen Movie Night, Wed. Nov. 10, 5:30-7:30 p.m. Ages 12-19.
  - ♦ National Gaming Day, Sat. Nov. 13, 11 a.m. - 3 p.m.
  - ♦ Origami Club, Thurs. Nov. 18, 4-6 p.m. Ages 6-12.
  - ♦ French Story Time, Sat. Nov. 20, 23, 10:30 a.m.
  - ♦ Teen Gaming Night, Wed. Nov. 17, 5:30-7:30 p.m. Ages 12-19.
- The library, at 7th St. and Maryland Ave. NE (698-3320), is closed on Sundays and on Nov. 11 (Veterans Day) and Nov. 25 (Thanksgiving).

## Walk to School Day

The annual Walk to School Day celebration at Lincoln Park was held October 6. Students from Maury, Tyler, the Capitol Hill Cluster School, and other Capitol Hill schools joined their friends and neighbors in support of physical fitness, fresh air, and pollution-free commuting. Walking (or scooting or biking) is a great way to fit physical activity into a busy schedule.

Following warm-up exercises, healthy snacks, a performance by the Maury Cheerleaders, and pep-talks from Councilmember Tommy Wells; Howard Koh, Assistant Secretary of Health; and Shellie Pfohl, Executive Director of the President's Council on Fitness, Sports and Nutrition, the kids headed off to school in groups.

## What's "On" in November

by Kathleen Donner

Daily ice skating begins at the National Gallery of Art Sculpture Garden in mid-November. Skating is \$7 for adults and \$6 for kids under 12, students with i.d., and seniors over 50. A season pass is \$195.

Take tango lessons in Eastern Market's North Hall on Thursdays and every first Saturday of the month. Beginners are at 7 p.m., intermediate dancers at 8 p.m., and at 9 p.m. dance into the morning. It's \$10 per lesson and an additional \$12 to stay for the dancing.

The U.S. Botanic Garden invites you to remember that the best things in life are free – the fragrance of a freshly cut fir tree, the magic of holiday lights and decorations, and the delight of a child discovering the make-believe world of model trains. "Seasons Greenings" opens on Thanksgiving and remains open every day of the holiday season (10 a.m.-5 p.m.) through January 2. The exhibit features an expansive indoor train display, one of Washington's largest indoor holiday decorated trees, blooming seasonal plants, and a collection of National Mall landmarks replicas, handcrafted from natural plant material.

The original Emancipation Proclamation, which is rarely shown, will be on display as part of the "Discovering the Civil War" exhibition at the National Archives. See it November 10, 11, and 12 from 10 a.m.-5:30 p.m.

## Theft from Auto

The NLPNA area is experiencing an increase in cars getting broken into. Please help discourage crime by keeping your car as empty as possible.

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