



HANA NEWSLETTER

Annual Meeting

The HANA Board of Directors' election will be held at the Annual Meeting on **Tuesday, Jan. 11**. The meeting will take place at Recreation Park (500 E. Miner) in the West Meeting Room at 7:00 pm. Following the Annual Meeting, HANA officers will be appointed by the elected Board of Directors. All HANA residents 18 years and older are encouraged to attend this important meeting.

Watch your mail for more information on the Annual Meeting.

Evergreen Delivery

HANA evergreen orders will be delivered on **Sunday, Nov. 21**. We still need volunteers and vehicles with cargo space to help deliver orders. Please contact Sharon Scharringhausen (sscharringhausen@arlington-hana.com or 398-6028) by **Nov. 16**, if you can help.

HANA

30th

Anniversary

1980-2010

OLD-FASHIONED CHRISTMAS

One of our favorite events of the year is coming next month. The HANA Old-Fashioned Christmas will be on **Sunday, Dec. 12**, 5:00-8:00 pm, at Festival Park! Please join your neighbors and friends, and share in the holiday spirit. The entire event is free, with the exception of the horse-drawn wagon rides.

- The beautifully decorated Festival Park (Chestnut and Hawthorne) will serve as our central gathering place and we'll have a toasty bonfire where you can warm up and visit with your neighbors.
- A team of horses will lead the wagon rides
- The streets will be lined with luminarias, leading to open houses where you can enjoy cider and other holiday goodies while mingling with your neighbors.
- Santa will be dropping in from the North Pole to visit with the children.

through our eye-catching neighborhood with its unique holiday decorations. The wagon will seat 12-16 people, and pick-up and drop-off will occur at Festival Park. What a wonderful experience to share with your family and neighbors! Be sure to place your order on **page 4** by **Dec. 5**.



We're still looking for volunteers! Please fill in the form on **page 4** if you can help. Also, we ask that each resident light the luminarias in front of your home and on your block by 5:00 pm, and reuse or dispose of them in a responsible manner. Please contact Michael Weber (mweber@arlington-hana.com or 222-0465) with any questions.

2011 HANA Dues

Once again, HANA is prepared to limit dues requests to the October and November newsletters if we reach our financial goal.

Thanks to your financial support through dues, HANA is able to host numerous activities, including the 2010

- Coffee in the Park
- Neighborhood Watch
- Annual Services Directory
- Garage Sale Weekend
- Summer Picnic
- Publication of *Historic Arlington Heights*
- Make a Difference Day
- Old-Fashioned Christmas
- HANA Website
- HANA Newsletter

More great activities are planned for next year. Please submit your \$20 dues (see **page 4**) in the HANA Drop Box (6 E. Hawthorne).

HANA Events

HANA Board Meetings

Recreation Park
Dec. 7, Jan. 11, Feb. 8, and
Mar. 8, 7:00–8:30 pm

HANA Evergreen Delivery

Nov. 21, Noon-4:00 pm

HANA Old-Fashioned Christmas

Festival Park
Dec. 12, 5:00–8:00 pm

HANA Annual Meeting

Recreation Park
Jan. 11, 7:00–8:30 pm

MAKE A DIFFERENCE DAY WRAP-UP

Shelter, Inc. expressed gratitude to the HANA residents who dropped off groceries and toiletries on this year's Make a Difference Day. The shelter has been hard hit because of the economy and the state budgetary problems. The donations go a long way toward keeping the children in their group homes clean, well fed, and cared for.



While we didn't surpass last year's collection, as we hoped, the 56 bags of groceries and sundries that were donated filled a pick-up truck. We appreciate the generosity of all who contributed, whether one bag or five, especially in tough economic times. We also want to thank Tom Hayes, village trustee, who stopped by to visit and support the drive.



New Neighbors Welcome

If you are new to the neighborhood, or if you notice a new family moving into HANA, contact Mike Kalway (mkalway@arlington-hana.com or 253-0449). A HANA Ambassador will stop by with a Welcome Kit and a small gift.

Christmas Tree Pick-up

Christmas trees will be collected on our regular collection days from Dec. 31 through Jan. 13. Stickers are not necessary for Christmas trees.

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NOTES FROM...

ARLINGTON HEIGHTS MEMORIAL LIBRARY

VAH Events

Art Around the Town

Arlington Heights Historical Museum Heritage Gallery
Nov. 14, 1:00–5:00 pm

District 214 Board Meeting

Forest View Educational Center, 2121 S. Goebbert Rd.
Nov. 18, Dec. 2 & 16, Jan. 6 & 20, Feb. 3 & 17, Mar. 3 & 17, 7:00 pm

District 25 Board Meeting

Greenbrier Elementary School
2330 N. Verde
Nov. 18, Dec. 16, 7:30 pm
Patton Elementary School
1616 N. Patton
Jan. 20, Feb. 24, Mar. 10, 7:30 pm

Arlington Artists on Display

Arlington Heights Historical Museum Heritage Gallery
Through Jan. 2, 2011

AHPD Program Guide Delivery

Nov. 20

Tree Lighting Ceremony

North School Park
Nov. 26, 4:45 pm

Last Yard Waste Pick-up

Dec. 1

Holiday Book Drive Through December 1

For more than 10 years, Arlington Heights Memorial Library's Holiday Book Drive has brought the joy and magic of books to area families. Join us once again by donating new children's books for Wheeling Township's "Adopt-a-Family" holiday basket program for low-income families. We are collecting books for children from infancy to age 16. As always, books in Spanish are also welcome.

Read and Feed Food Drive

Don't forget that we continue to collect food pantry items and pet food until December 1. Food pantry items will be used to restock the Wheeling Township Food Pantry, and

the items for pets go to The Buddy Foundation. Check the *Library News* blog at www.ahml.info, for a complete list of items being accepted.

Drop off your book and food donations in the collection bins by the Checkout Desk on the library's first floor. For more information, call Deb Whisler at 847-506-2613.



Schedule a Book Talk for Your Group

Does your book group need suggestions for books that prompt great discussions? Would your PTA group like to know about the latest books? Or maybe your club would like to learn about literary fiction or new non-fiction titles. These are just some of the book talk topics that library staff members can offer your group. If your group meets in Arlington Heights, we will come to your meeting. That includes homes or public meeting places. We can also arrange for your group to come to the library. For more info, contact Anne Harmel at 847-870-4117 or aharmel@ahml.info.

Vehicle Stickers and Dog Tags

A passenger vehicle sticker is \$30. For information on vehicle stickers for all other types of vehicles, please call 847-368-5531 or 847-368-5522. Dog tags are \$12. A \$10 late fee is assessed after Jan. 1.

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Newsletter Ads

Commercial ads (2" x 3.5", horizontal or vertical) are \$25 per ad or \$120 for six consecutive ads, reaching approximately 600 Arlington Heights households.

HANA residents' personal ads are still free, and are placed on a first come, first served basis as space permits.

Submit your ad to newsletter@arlington-hana.com.



Historic Arlington
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Board Meetings

The HANA Board usually meets on the second Tuesday of each month (except July), 7:00-8:30 pm, at Recreation Park, West Meeting Room, 500 E. Miner, Arlington Heights. Everyone is welcome!

HANA Vision Statement

The Historic Arlington Neighborhood Association (HANA) is committed to building a vibrant community by promoting the historic character of the neighborhood, fostering community spirit, and increasing civic awareness for its residents. HANA is a not-for-profit, geographically-based organization serving approximately 600 households, governed by a volunteer board of community members.

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HANA RETURN FORM

Please return this completed form to the HANA Drop Box (6 E. Hawthorne), by **Dec. 5**. Thank you for your participation and support!

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ E-mail: _____

2011 HANA Dues

_____ I've enclosed \$20 as my 2011 dues. Please make your check payable to "HANA."
(Please pay with a single check for dues and wagon rides. Thanks)

HANA Old-Fashioned Wagon Rides

Qty.	Price	Total
Indicate the number of seats you need: _____	x \$10 =	\$ _____
(Children ages 3 and under ride for free on an adult's lap. Please pay with a single check for dues and wagon rides.)		

Do you have a time preference between 5:00 and 8:00 pm? _____ pm

Please specify if you want to ride with specific neighbors: _____

(We will attempt to accommodate requests, but we cannot make guarantees.)

HANA Volunteer Form

HANA Positions

- _____ Block Captain
- _____ Block Captain Coordinator
- _____ Board Member
- _____ Technical Writer for 501(c)(3) application

Evergreens

- _____ Evergreen Pick-up (Saturday, Nov. 20; need a valid driver's license; HANA to provide van)
- _____ Evergreen Delivery (Sunday, Nov. 21; need auto with cargo space)

Old-Fashioned Christmas (Sunday, Dec. 12)

- _____ Open House/Warming Garage
- _____ Decorate Festival Park (1-2 hours)
- _____ Carriage Ride Ticket Delivery (1 hour)
- _____ Loading Carriages (assist people into/out of carriages, 1 hour)
- _____ Luminarias Assembly (1-3 hours)
- _____ Luminarias Delivery (need auto with cargo space, 1-2 hours)
- _____ Traffic Control (multiple volunteers needed; check street barricades hourly)
- _____ Stoke & Monitor Bonfire, 1-2 hours)
- _____ Caroling (group or individual, 1 hour)
- _____ Baked Goods and Yummies
- _____ Artistic Talent (woodworking or experience in making signs for the open houses)