

Dear Neighbor,

As we head into fall, the South Bend Fire Department wants to remind residents that smoke and carbon monoxide alarms are the best way keep family members safe in the event of a fire, or in the release of highly poisonous carbon monoxide gas.

In addition to changing batteries in the fall and spring, as we change our clocks, it's also a good time to check the age of your alarms. They do wear out, so if you think your alarms are more than 10 years old, replace them with new ones.

The South Bend Fire Department received federal funding to provide a limited number of smoke and carbon monoxide alarms to residents while supplies last. To have South Bend Fire install a smoke or carbon monoxide alarm—free of charge—call Central Fire's main office at 235-9255 between 8 am and 4:30 pm Monday through Friday.

The South Bend Police Department is currently taking applications for its fall Citizen's Police Academy. Established to promote understanding of the South Bend Police Department's policies and procedures, the Academy provides training in all aspects of law enforcement that Officers face on a daily basis.

The Citizen's Police Academy is a nine-week program, beginning in September, with classes on Tuesday nights from 6-8:30 pm. Residents must be 18 years old to participate, have no prior felony convictions, and are subject to criminal history check. For more information visit www.southbendpolice.com or call Lt. Patrick Hechlinski at 235-7527.

It's also a great time of year for residents to become mentors. The Big Brothers Big Sisters of St. Joseph County (www.bbbs-sjc.org or 232-9958) and the South Bend Education Foundation's Mentoring Program (http://www.edfo.org/mentors.htm or 283-8072) deserve our community's support for the great work they do to help our young people. Information about both programs can also be found at MentorSouthBend.com.

The fall marks budget season here in the City. The budget for fiscal year 2015 stands as a statement of our common purpose. I want to especially thank the Common Council for its input on budget priorities and know we will have robust dialogue in the weeks ahead to further clarify our primary areas of concern.

The budget's top priority remains the same: making sure that South Bend is an open and safe community where everyone can thrive. South Bend's comeback is now well underway with momentum that will carry us into 2015. In the first half this year, our Department of Community Investment announced 19 major economic development projects, bringing with them 1,287 jobs, and \$173 million in private investment. But it's still not enough, and we're endeavoring to do more.

We're changing the way we do business, embracing what our residents want and working together to become stronger than ever before. An exciting future lies ahead.

Sincerely,

Deputy Mayor Mark Neal

**South Bend Civic Theatre** www.sbct.org 574-234-1112 403 N. Main St, SB

October 3rd-12th

Treasure Island: A Musical Panto

October 17th - November 2nd Frankenstein: A New Creation

> **Century Center** www.centurycenter.org 574-235-9711

October 1st, 6:00-8:00pm

The Scholarship Foundation of St. Josesh County 34th Annual College Fair

October 3rd, 11:30am - 1:00pm NAACP 34th Annual Hazel B. Hunter Luncheon

Studebaker Museum 574-235-9714 www.studebakermuseum.org

> October 30th Trunk or Treat

Department of Parks and Recreation www.sbpark.org 574-299-4765

Potawatomi Zoo www.potawatomizoo.org

The Near Northwest Neighborhood www.nearnorthwest.org 574-232-9182

Mondays, 4:00 - 5:15pm Gentle/Restorative Yoga

Wednesdays, 5:15 - 6:30pm **Developing Your Yoga Practice** 

La Casa de Amistad www.lacasadeamistad.org 574-233-2120

**Radio Sabor Latino** www.radiosaborlatino.com 574-232-3212

**Memorial Brainworks** www.qualityoflife.org 574-647-6628

#### October 7th

"Hornets and Hippos: Taking an African Safari Through Your Brain'

> St Joseph County **Public Library** www.sjcpl.lib.in.us

**AIDS Assist of Northern Indiana** Contact: 574-234-2870 www.aidsministries.org

October 23rd, 6:30pm 25th Anniversary Gala

> LangLab South Bend langlabsb.com

Wednesdays, 7:00 - 9:00pm Latin Wednesdays Weekly Dance Social

### **Questions or comments** regarding this newsletter?

Please contact 574.235.7596

October 16th -South Bend Symphony Orchestra

October 17th, 18th, & 19th

Chicago the Musical

October 25th -

South Bend Symphony Orchestra - Pops "Music of Queen"

October 28th -

Theresa Caputo Live! - The Experience

#### **Real Services Community Action Agency** www.realservices.org 574-284-2644 or 800-552-7928

Tuesdays, 10:00am & 5:00pm: Caregiver Support Group

Thursdays, 9:00-10:00am: Caregiver Teleconference Series

October 7th, 14th, 21st, & 28th: "Boomer Bootcamp: Basic Training for Retirement"

Contact: 574-233-8205 or www.realservices.org



AND CONTROL

#### **Animal Adoption and Reclaim**

www.morriscenter.org

Monday - Friday 11:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Saturday 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Contact: 574-235-9303



October 2nd, 6:00pm: Annual Dinner

October 17th & 24th, 5:00pm Mystery at the Mansion

www.centerforhistory.org Contact: 574-235-9664



### **Downtown South Bend**

October 3rd, 5:00-9:00pm First Friday Celebration -"Kids Night Out"

www.downtownsouthbend.com Contact: 574-282-1110

#### South Bend Museum of Art

www.southbendart.org 574-235-9102

August 4th thru October 17th, 2014 -

Festival of Banners: Homegrown! (various locations downtown)

## **University of Notre Dame DeBartolo Performing Arts Center**

October 2nd, 3rd, 5th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th, & 12th ND Theatre NOW

October 3rd - Third Coast Percussion

October 3rd - Closed Curtain (international film)

October 9th, 12th, & 25th - A Streetcar Named Desire

October 12th - Julie Fowlis

October 18th & 26th- Le Nozze di Figaro

October 19th- Macbeth (Encore)

October 19th - Chamber I - Hope and Triumph

October 23rd - NTL- Skylight Browning Cinema

For more information or to book tickets, call 574-631-2800 or www.performingarts.nd.edu

#### **SBCSC High School** Football Home Games 2014

South Bend School Corporation events and information - www.sbcsc.k12.in.us

Adams High School Home Football Games October 3rd, 7:00 pm vs Mishawaka

**Washington High School Home Football Games** October 17th, 7:00 pm vs St. Joseph

Riley High School Home Football Games October 10th, 7:00 pm vs Penn

Clay High School Home Football Games 7:00 pm vs Washington October 3rd, October 17th, 7:00 pm vs Riley



October 23rd, 7:00pm-10:00pm Jack-O-Lantern Spectacular

www.potawatomizoo.org Contact: 574-235-9800



First Annual Music and Variety Show Everybody Has A Story -Saturday, September 20th Benefit for South Bend's The 360° Project

South Bend's Century Center's Discovery Room Doors Open at 6:30 pm, Concert Begins 7:30pm.

Tickets available on line, visit www.ehassb.com



**Taste of Unity** October 22nd, 4:00-8:00pm

The Palais Royale

Cost \$30.00 Tapas Dinner, Cash Bar, Live Music, Silent Auction

www.theunitygardens.org 574-315-4761

# Neighborhood Resources Corporation

www.nrc4neighborhoods.org 574-287-0425

Information on monthly neighborhood association meetings throughout the city

#### Michiana GLBT Center

Thursday, October 2nd, 7:00pm

Poly Group (social gathering, informational)

Friday, October 17th, 6:00pm Teen Night (social gathering)

Mondays & Wednesdays, 3:00-6:00pm: Center Open Hours

Contact: 574-234-1411 www.michianaglbtcenter.org

October 16th, 1:00-4:00pm

Circa 1910: Sights, Sounds, and Sweets of the JMS Building's Golden Age historical tour



October 25th, 10:00am-midnight Swing Workshop

October 26th, 2:00pm-4:00pm: "Unsung Gershwin" Musicians for Michiana

www.thevillagesouthbend.org - Contact: 574-245-7664