



# ROCK HILL GARDENS

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## Summer Block Party !!!

The annual block party will be held Saturday, June 26<sup>th</sup> from 5 p.m. to 9 p.m. on Cherry Street between 72<sup>nd</sup> and 73<sup>rd</sup> Streets. Enjoy the bounce house and glitter tattoos.

- ☞ Free to all Rockhill Garden residents.
- ☞ New membership cards will be available for pick-up
- ☉ The neighborhood association will provide table service, hamburgers, hotdogs, lemonade.
- ☉ Boulevard Brewing will provide Beer
- ☉ Please bring appetizers, salad, side or dessert enough to serve 12 to 15 people. Also bring lawn chairs or blankets.

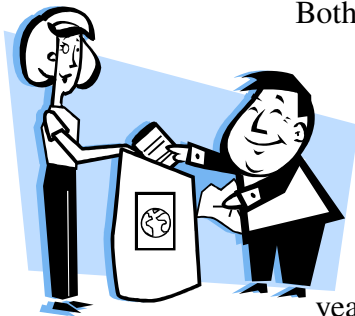
We are looking for volunteers to watch over the bounce house, help clean up and staff the sign in

Contact Ronda Sprick if you would like to help.



### Dumpster Day Wrap-up

We had another successful neighborhood clean up day on Saturday May 14<sup>th</sup>.



Both bulk trash bins were filled and we received several requests for a Fall dumpster day. The dumpsters are paid for from RGNA dues and a Fall dumpster day will be decided after this year's membership campaign.

### Annual Dues

Everyone should receive their annual dues notices from the Rockhill Garden Neighborhood Association in the first couple of weeks in June. For \$35 a year, the association provides an annual block party, progressive dinner, trash dumpster rental, newsletter, and marker upkeep. Our mission is to make the neighborhood stronger by providing opportunities for neighbors to meet each other as well acting as a conduit between the neighborhood and police, city commissions and others who can help our area. Please consider renewing or becoming a member.

## Welcome Wagon

If you notice any new neighbors on your street, please let John Ritchie know. The neighborhood association greets each new homeowner with a gift basket that has information about the RGNA, a recent newsletter, and coupons for local businesses. It builds a stronger neighborhood to make each new homeowner feel welcome.

Contact information:

John Ritchie 621 E 74th Terrace 816-361-6262  
Ritchie-john@att.net

## Advertisements

### Summer Babysitting

Need a summer babysitter?

Heather Cigas

\* Rock Hill Gardens resident  
\* References available



Red Cross Certified  
Going into 10th grade  
(816)363-7178  
heatherbabysitting@gmail.com

## WALDO AREA EVENTS

**Waldo Farmers Market:** Every Wednesday Waldo ReStore, 303 W 79<sup>th</sup> 3pm-7pm. Organic and sustainably grown in-season vegetables, fruit, plants & flowers. Visit [www.wholesomewaldowednesdays.com](http://www.wholesomewaldowednesdays.com) for more info.

### Waldo Crawl Pub Crawl

**When:** Sat, June 25, 6pm – Sun, June 26, 12am

**Where:** 75th Wornall Rd.

**Description:** Crawl the pubs in Waldo! Enjoy Prizes, Drink Specials and the Waldo Crawl Buses that will take you from one end of the crawl to the other. Cost: \$5 at participating locations, \$8 online at [www.waldokc.org](http://www.waldokc.org) and \$10 at the door the night of the event.

\*\*\*\*\*After the Block Party of Course\*\*\*\*\*

### SHRED EVENT - BROOKSIDE

**When:** Sat, June 11, 8am – 12pm

**Where:** Meyer Blvd/Brookside Blvd (by the Tennis Courts)

**Description:** Bring your boxes, binders and bags full of paper recycling items. A commercial shredder truck provided by Cintas will be available to securely and completely destroy sensitive documents that need to be disposed of properly. This is a FREE Event!!

## Important Dates:

**June 8<sup>th</sup>:** RGNA General meeting, 7:00-8:00pm Waldo Community Branch Library, 201 E. 75<sup>th</sup> St.  
All RGNA residents are welcome!

**June 25<sup>th</sup>:** RGNA Annual Block Party

**July 13<sup>th</sup>:** RGNA General meeting, 7:00-8:00pm Waldo Community Branch Library, 201 E. 75<sup>th</sup> St.  
All RGNA residents are welcome!

## Board Contacts

President	Christine Ritchie	361-6262
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Events	Ronda Sprick	333-9265
Finance	Steve Eads	573-259-6917
Marketing	John Couture	816-729-5989
Membership	John Ritchie	361-6262
Property Management	Caleb Kangas	913-271-5327
Public Affairs & Devpt	John Cigas	363-7178

## Useful Numbers:

Emergency	911
Police (non-emergency)	234-5111
KCMO Action Center	513-1313
Animal control	513-9800
Crime Stoppers	474-TIPS
Curb and sidewalk repair	513-7951
Drugs suspected	474-DRUG
Mayor Mark Funkhouser	513-3500
Metro Patrol (ongoing issues)	234-5520
Parks & Recreation	513-7500
Pothole hotline	513-9224
Street light repair	513-9595
Waldo Area Business Association	523-5553
Waldo Branch library	701-3625