

WHAC July Meeting Minutes

Meeting called to order, Jena Bradley

Treasurer/NSP report and approval, Geoff Sutton: Motion to approve Katy Dietz, Second Mona Jenkins

June Minutes Request for Approval, Katie Neltner: Motion to approve Katy Dietz, Second Dee Green

Membership Invitation, Laura Davis: Join WHAC so you can vote! Reach out to Laura if you are interested in becoming a member

Safety Report

- **Officer Roper-Issa-District 4:** increase in theft from auto—reminder to lock doors and remove valuables. COPP training in August 8, 15, 22—must attend all sessions in order to participate
- **George Smith:** Rukie Abdul-Mutakallim-- Resource Healing Fair (those who lost a loved one to gun violence) on July 20th 3-6pm.

Bush Recreation report, Vanessa Henderson: neo.gov if seeking employment for youth. Join Bush Rec Center. 751.5085 for pool info!

Housing Resources Report, Mary Cabrini: Housing Resources group will not be meeting this month.

WHRF Report, Samantha: Walnut Hills Street Food Festival is September 28 (NOT Sept. 9, as noted in June Minutes). July 17 Durner Building tour, July 20 Noir Market in Kroger parking lot, July 30 5-7pm \$25 behind the scenes tour of CoMADE and Esoteric. www.walnuthillsrf.org

Walnut Hills Faith Alliance, Stacey Salles: not present

Le Soupe Presentation, Kristen St. Clair: work with large distributors to collect produce before it goes to waste, and distribute to the community at no cost. Also teach fresh/healthy cooking lessons. New location: 915 E McMillan St. lasoupecincinnati.com

Staunton Primary Care Presentation, Ciara Staunton: 2345 Kemper, offer primary care, urgent care, blood work, free sports physicals, etc. Accepting new patients! Stautonprimarycare.com
513.685.8853

Environment and Beautification, Fred Orth and Gary Dangel: Cleanup coming up before the Street Food Fest in the lot next to the library! Contact Gary, Sue, or Betty if you have interest in working in the gardens.

Cincinnati Art Museum, Carrie Atkins Maras and Andrew P: accepting applications for people to join tour training program (volunteer only)—meets once a week to learn how to teach about the exhibits

Walnut Hills/Hamilton County Library, Kendal Kidder-Goshorn: Check out the exciting STEM events at the library this summer! Free dinner for children under the age of 18 on week days.

School and Community News:

- Survey and Green Man Twist
- Back to School Bash—2840 Melrose July 7 from 11-4pm

- Harriet Beecher Stowe House: huge renovation project coming in the next few months. Includes interpretive plan—please fill out the survey about what you would like to see!
- Cincinnati Public Schools, Carolyn Jones: Coming back next month for full presentation! Cintas Center August 9th 8am to unveil three year strategic plan
- Center for Closing the Health Gap: July 19—energy ball demonstration, reach out with any questions and for upcoming classes about healthy living.
- Walnut Hills Garage Sale: Green Man Park Sunday August 4 8-2pm—come meet neighbors and sell/buy merchandise! No TVs or mattresses!!! Low price on school supplies, and proceeds will go to Frederick Douglass Elementary!
- CoMADE: See you at the behind the scenes tour on July 30
- Recommendation for WHAC to send condolences to the family of Marian Spencer