

E-newsletter January 2024

Southport Neighbors Association members will be receiving quarterly e-newsletters, beginning with this edition. Comments, suggestions, and submissions are welcome. Email president@southportneighbors.com.

WHAT IS SNA?

Southport Neighbors Association (SNA) is a not-for-profit organization committed to helping neighbors get to know each other, connect on broader issues affecting our community, and improve our neighborhood. We are *neighbors committed to community*.

SNA's history dates back to the summer of 1988, when it was formed to give residents a voice in response to the addition of lights and night games at Wrigley Field. Since then, SNA has become a grass-roots community organization, tackling quality of life issues including: safety, traffic, parking, zoning and development.

SNA's mission includes: encouraging compatible residential and business development; initiating and supporting neighborhood beautification projects; providing residents with forums and information on quality-of-life issues and historical preservation and building community.

SNA Activities & Opportunities

Neighbors are encouraged to support and/or participate in:

- beautification projects, (i.e., murals, adopt-a-corner parkway plot);
- quarterly meetings, newsletters & website maintenance;
- planning special events (i.e. Southport Art Festival);
- attending crime and safety meetings;
- welcoming new neighbors;
- interacting with our local leaders;
- planning & development.

Upcoming Membership Meetings SAVE THE DATE for these upcoming meetings!

January Community Meeting:
 Monday, January 22, 2024, Time: 7:00-8:30 pm
 Location: AJ Hudson's Public House,
 3801 N. Ashland Ave.

Agenda topics: updates from Alderman Martin, (19th District Council Rep), Lakeview High School, the Lakeview/ Roscoe Village Chamber of Commerce and SNA member survey results.

Annual April Community Meeting:
 Monday April 15, 2024,
 Location: Uncommon Ground, 3800 N. Clark
 Street

Member-Get-A-Member

Help SNA grow! Share this newsletter with your neighbors and friends and encourage them to get involved by joining SNA and volunteering. The online SNA Membership Application can be found here: https://southportneighbors.com/get-involved/join-us/.

SNA geographic boundaries are Addison Street (north) to Irving Park Road (south), and Clark Street (west) to Asland Avenue (east).

Questions about membership?
Email members@southportneighbors.com
Categories: \$10 for individual, \$15 for family and \$2 for seniors

2023-2024 SNA Board

Officers:

David Genc – President Bridget O'Rourke – VP Lynne Wallack - Secretary Jill Peters – Treasurer Members: Lisa Iverson Heather Way Kitzes Kay Manger-Hague Graham Warning

Southport Neighbors Association Connections – 2024

<u>Area Neighborhood Associations & Important</u> Connections

Southport Neighbors Association (SNA)

Email: president@southportneighbors.com. Website: https://southportneighbors.com/

Membership Info:

https://southportneighbors.com/get-involved/join-

us/

Event Info:

<u>Events@southportneighbors.com</u> (Corner plots, Neighborhood Yard Sale and Native Plant Sale)

Lakeview - Roscoe Village Chamber of Commerce

Phone: 773/472-7171 Email: info@lrvcc.org

Website: https://www.lakeviewroscoevillage.org/

Lake View Citizens Council (LVCC)

Phone: 773/880-5822

Email: info@lakeviewcitizens.org

Website: https://www.lakeviewcitizens.org/

Chicago Cubs Neighbors

Phone: 800/THE-CUBS (800/843-2827)

Email: go to 1101 W. Waveland to sign-up to be on

exclusive CUBs communication list Email: fanservices@cubs.com

Website:

https://www.mlb.com/cubs/community/wrigley-fi

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19th District Council Leaders:

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Legislative Leaders

44th Ward Alderperson, Bennett Lawson

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47th Ward Alderperson, Matthew J Martin

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State Representatives

Ann Williams (11th District Representative)

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State Senator

Sara Feigenholz (6th District State Senator)

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Website: https://www.senatorsara.com/

<u>US Congressman - 5th District - Illinois</u>

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US Senator - Northern Illinois

Dick Durbin

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