

THIS MONTH AT NNI

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Support northland communities at the 2014 Hot Trot

Do you enjoy running or walking? Are you a die-hard Beatles fan? Do you love drinking beer? Would you like the opportunity to support neighborhoods in the northland? If so, NNI has the perfect event for you. Save the date for our 4th Annual Northland Hot Trot 5K and 1-Mile Walk on Saturday, July 12 at 8 p.m. at NE 42nd Street and Chouteau Trafficway. This event will include a 5K run, a 1-mile walk and a block party style reception with a food, drinks and a live concert by Abbey Road: A Beatles cover band!



Not a runner? Not a problem!

Sign up for our Too Hot to Trot Celebration and enjoy food, drinks and live music while cheering on the runners. All runners will receive free entry into the Too Hot to Trot party after the race.

For more information or to register online, go to www.nni.org/hottrot. Early bird registration cost is \$20 until April 30, \$25 until June 30 and \$30 up to the day of the event. If you are interested in sponsoring this event, call Jenny Johnston at 454-2000 or email at jenny_johnston@nni.org. Volunteers are needed on the day of the event. Contact Jenny Johnston if you or a group are available.

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Get out and VOTE on April 8

From all of us at Northland Neighborhoods, we encourage everyone to vote in the next special election on Tuesday, April 8. As a civil right, we strongly believe it is a citizen's privilege and responsibility to vote on issues that will impact their communities.



At this next election, there are varying questions per each municipality, however, there are two issues that will affect all northland neighborhoods. The North Kansas City School District is asking voters to approve a \$20 million bond and a 26-cent operating levy. This will:

- Create classroom space to manage crowding
- Ensure safer places to learn and work
- Include overdue repairs/maintenance at schools/facilities
- Continue current educational programs
- Manage new student growth

The district is growing by 250-300 students a year and has suffered from declining local tax revenues. It's been seven years since the last tax election, and the NKCSD is asking voters for your support. *This article can be found on NNI's website - go to <u>www.nni.org</u>, click on the 'Neighborhoods' tab, and click on 'Neighborhood Newsletter Article.'*

NNI MEETINGS

April 8

1st District Problem Solving, 8:30 a.m. Open Forum with 1st District Councilmen.

April 9

Seniors Workshop, 9 a.m. Movie feature: "Nebraska"

April 23 LeaderWorks, 7 p.m.

April 28

Meet Your Councilpersons, 6 p.m. Discussion with Councilpersons from 1st, 2nd and 4th District.

*The Cop Talk meetings will be on hiatus until June. All events are held at NNI. Dates and times are subject to change.

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