

# THIS MONTH AT NNI

## Tis' the Season for Spring Cleaning

How do you feel when you hear the term "Spring Cleaning"? Does it make you nervous, knowing a lot of cleaning is in your future? Does it excite you, knowing that its time to get the scrub brush out? "Spring Cleaning" can mean many different things to many different people and households. There is, however, one meaning that it holds, that is the applicable to anyone and any household:

Spring Cleaning means a fresh start, clarity, new space, new opportunities. Here are some tips to kick-start your version of Spring Cleaning, and some helpful information to make it easier.

### Tips: welcoming spaces: Tidy,

clean and straighten door ways, door mats etc., to create a welcoming environment. **Woodwork:** Polish cabinets, drawers, and baseboards, for an instant cleaner, shinier walk-way.

**Organize:** recycle, recycle, recycle. Designate a time to sort through paper work and prepare to recycle!

Ship-up or Ship out: match lids to containers, pots, pans and Tupperware. If you aren't finding a match then throw it out or donate it.. Furniture : If you have been thinking of getting rid of an outdated piece of furniture, now is the time to do it.

### Helpful Info:

City of Kansas City : 816-513-1313 Bulky Item & Leaf and brush Pick Up <u>http://kcmo.gov/publicworks/</u> <u>bulkyitem/</u>

**City of Gladstone:** 816-436-5442 Spring Beautification – April 24<sup>th</sup>, 25<sup>th</sup>,26<sup>th</sup>, 2015 - Happy Rock Park -Bulky Item Drop-Off <u>https://www.gladstone.mo.us/</u> PublicWorks/beautification.php

#### April 2015

& CALENDAR DATES April 8th, 2015 Seniors Workshop, 9:00 a.m. April 14th, 2015 Ist District Problem Solving, 8:30 a.m. Open Forum with Ist District Councilmen April 27th, 2015

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Meet Your Councilpersons, 6:00 p.m. Discussion with Councilpersons from 1st, 2nd and 4th District

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