

June 20, 2024
HPCC Community Meeting / Annual Business Meeting

Zone 5 Update

HPCC Calendar of Events

This Saturday	Mayor's Budget Engagement, Zoom PPS Facilities Plan	https://engage.pittsburghpa.gov/city-pittsburgh-budget-engagements https://www.pghschools.org/facilitiesuplan
Thur 6/27, 4 - 7 pm	Rhododendron Shelter	Picnic in the Park
Sunday Aug...5 - 7 pm	Highland Park Entry Garden	Reservoir of Jazz
Thur Aug 15, 7 pm	St. Andrew's Church; basement function room	HPCC Community Meeting
Thur Sept 19, 4 - 7 pm	Rhododendron Shelter	Highland Park Hullabaloo

Announcement (Stephanie):

- Repaving the sidewalks by the Zoo along One Wild Place!
- Still selling Pride yard signs
 - \$15
 - Take one home tonight, or order online & have one delivered to your home
- ...and calendars (any donation)

Committee Reports

Finance Committee (Howard Degenholtz & Mac Lynch)

- See attached report

Membership Committee (Jason Griess - YARD SALE - & Sabrina Culyba)

- Membership continues to grow
- Closing in on goal of 10% of neighborhood households being members

Children's Committee (Elisa Lucke Jones & Laurie Sloan)

- Continuing with monthly programming

Park Committee (Beth Hutton & Tina Calabro)

- This new committee is engaging with our park rangers, DPW, and PPC on matters related to the park

SOS (Judy Beck & Jim Blakely)

- Despite our efforts, the HPCC has not been able to secure additional funding for this program. It can continue to provide some services but will stop advertising and recruiting new customers since funds are running out.

Nominating Committee / Voting (Stephanie)

- Thank yous
 - Outgoing board members
 - Justin Bhagat (BSF)
 - Becky Marinov (volunteer coordinator)
 - Kathryn Paola (parklet & website management)
 - Marybeth VanFleet (Gallery Ama / Bryant St Business Liaison / parklet)
 - Continuing board members
 - Some of whom have already been introduced tonight (Howard, Jason, Sabrina, Elisa, Beth & Judy)
 - Rebecca Maclean (schools and zoning issues)
 - Laura Farra Myers (joined last year while completing her master's degree, Thanksgiving Food Drive, signed up and showed up wherever asked)
 - Regular Volunteers
 - Nancy Gohring - Newsletter
 - Andrea Mudd - Parklet Committee
 - Kate Eaborn - Welcome Bags
 - Bob Staresenic - BSF, ROJ, everything!
 - Welcome - - Shelby Barza - taking over website from Kathleen
 - ISO volunteers - - In addition to the committees discussed already - would love to have more volunteers so we could have more committees and do more!
 - Public Safety lead - monthly Zone 5 Community Meetings
 - Transportation - PRT / BRT, bike/pedestrian safety
 - Garbage Olympics - coming up on Sept 21
 - all supplies are provided & trash is picked up by DPW
- VOTING
 - President: Stephanie Walsh
 - VP: Sabrina Culyba
 - Treasurer: Howard Degenholtz
 - Secretary: Judy Beck
 - Board:
 - Andrew Bell (newish HP resident)
 - Amanda Crossland (Periwinkle Fox)
 - Jack Brice (remember as the HPCC sommelier in years past)
 - Kelly Vitti (returning board member)