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WEST END NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

JULY 2014

West End Neighborhood Association Summer BBQ and Bike Parade

July 19th, Saturday 2 p.m.

At DeMeo Park

The West End Neighborhood has been gathering on the 3rd Saturday of July for a BBQ at DeMeo park for several years. Here's this year's plan:

2 p.m.- Meet at DeMeo Park to decorate bikes

2:30 p.m.- Bike parade

3 p.m. BBQ and potluck

Hamburgers, hotdogs, drinks and utensils provided.

You bring a potluck dish with serving utensils (Put your name on it!), reusable plates and utensils (suggested) and chairs, sun protection etc.

Join in: Volunteer to set up food tables, donate your trash or recycle bin for the event, help kids decorate their bikes, ride in the parade on your decorated bike (FUN!), help safety monitor the parade to make sure everyone stays together, plan something fun for kids to do and finally, put DeMeo park back in order after the BBQ. Everyone pitches in a little... That's how a community works.



Hope to see you on July 19th!

\$10 Such a Deal!

West End Neighborhood Association is funded by neighbors and W. E. Sponsors .

Suggested neighbor contribution is \$10 a year.

Make a check to West End Neighborhood Association and send to Dan Wright 512 Jefferson Street, Santa Rosa, CA 95401 or at srwestend.com with paypal.

West End Calendar

2014 W. E. Dates:

W. E. Farmers Market Every Sun. 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. to Dec.14th on Donahue St. www.wefm.co

W.E. Bike Parade & BBQ at DeMeo Park
July 19th, Saturday 2 p.m. Bike decoration, 2:30 bike parade, 3 p.m. BBQ

2014 West End Summer Movie Nights **Friday Nights (July 25, Aug 1, Aug. 8, Aug 15, Aug 22 & Sept 5)-** Friday nights at DeTurk Round Barn. Bring a blanket, warm clothes and friends. Free popcorn. All movies start at Dark.

3rd Annual Upper West End "Supper in the Street" on Aug 9th, 6 p.m. 10th and Ripley Streets

W. E. Neighborhood Assn. Fall Meeting- Nov. 20th, Thursday at 7 p.m. DeTurk Round Barn

Events and Happenings:

Shakespeare in the Cannery **July 18th to Aug 23rd-** Fri.& Sat at 8 p.m. at 3 W. 3rd St.

Chop's Teen Club's 6th Annual Art Gala **July 31st, Thursday 5 to 7 p.m.-** featuring teen art created during summer Side by Side artist series.

DeMeo Park Clean Up **September 13th, Sat. 9 a.m. to 12 p.m.-** - The West End Neighborhood & Park A Month Volunteer program. Don't forget a hat/sunscreen, gloves and water.

Repeating:

Every 1st Saturday 10 a.m.- Clean the creek
www.firstsaturdaycleanup.org

Every 2nd Sunday 3 p.m. NEW TIME!! West End Poodle Party Rain cancels the event.
Location: DeTurk Round Barn Dog Park 819 Donahue St.

A complete calendar at www.srwestend.com

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WEST END UPDATES

West End Bocce starts July 25th

West End Summer Bocce will get a later start this year... Join your friends and neighbors at beautiful DeMeo Park on Friday evenings. Start the weekend right by relaxing, chatting with friends and playing a game of bocce. Bring your favorite dish or beverage to share.



Bocce at DeMeo Park

2014 West End Summer Movie Nights

All movies start at **DARK****

FRIDAY nights at the De Turk Round Barn
Bring a blanket, warm clothes, and friends
Free popcorn

July 25	Rio
August 1	Honey I Shrunk the Kids
August 8	Despicable Me 2
August 15	The Neverending Story
August 22	Monsters University
Sept 5	The Lego Movie



****** Movies start when it is dark enough to see on the screen- 8:30 to 9 p.m.

September 13th 9 a.m. to 12 p.m.- DeMeo Park Clean Up- The West End Neighborhood joins forces with the Park A Month Volunteer program. Hand tools will be provided on-site by City of SR staff, but you are also welcome to bring your own tools. Don't forget a hat/sunscreen, gloves and water. Location: DeMeo Park 610 Polk

Third Annual Upper West End "Supper in the Street" on August 9th at 6 p.m.

All are welcome to gather with neighbors and friends for an outdoor supper. This is a chance to catch up. New to the neighborhood? Come on out and meet everybody! Bring a dish to share or something to grill. Other Items Needed: Tables, chairs, and creative kids to lead some games.

Questions or suggestions? Jennifer Watson
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West Side Pride

By Lea Barron-Thomas

In the West End, we aren't afraid to roll up our sleeves and give some of our time to improve, enhance, upgrade or maintain our beloved 'hood. In 1999, I applied for a Shultz neighborhood grant on behalf of the West End Neighborhood to make a few improvements at DeTurk Round Barn Park. The goal was to get a Community bulletin board and start a historic-themed rose garden. Fifteen years later, the West End now has two community bulletin boards- one in each park and the rose garden has flourished. Gina Stateler-Calhoun has spent many years developing and caring for the DeTurk Historic Rose Garden, she also designed the garden. The bulletin boards give out information about neighborhood events, our history and other info that residents and visitors appreciate. I am happy to report that we have two new volunteers to tend to those two boards- Catherine DePrima and Sher Ennis.



Gina and Lea discuss
DeTurk Rose Garden
in March 2000

Thanks to everyone who takes a little time to look around and to say, "Hey! This needs a little work and I volunteer to spend some time on it." This feeling of ownership and community is what makes our neighborhood so special.

Neighborhood News

A New Shakespeare Festival in the Heart of Downtown Santa Rosa.

Shakespeare in the Cannery July 18th -August 23rd- Fridays & Saturdays at 8 p.m

The six-week engagement of Romeo and Juliet offers people the chance to wine and dine under the summer night sky while enjoying an inventive take on Shakespeare. The site of the former California Packing Company's Plant No. 5 in Santa Rosa's Railroad Square will be transformed into an outdoor theater, complete with solar-powered stage lighting and an innovative set. The cast features local, professional actors and musicians. West Enders Alan Kaplan plays the part of Friar Laurence.

Artistic Director David Lear, a 30 yr. theater veteran and Martin Hamilton, director of the Arlene Francis Center worked together to create this new venue and hence was born, Shakespeare in the Cannery. The production promises to revitalize the landmark cannery ruins, rescuing the site from the blight that has plagued it in recent years. Shakespeare in the Cannery will be sustainable, green and firmly based in strong, long-lasting community partnerships. General Admission \$25, \$5 discount if you ride bike to event. More info at www.shakespeareinthecannery.com

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Li'l Free Library-

The West End now has a free library at the corner of Boyce and Coulter Streets.

People can take a book, leave a book or both. Thanks to West Enders, Jacquie & Wil Smith & Missa Daoust for this excellent addition to our neighborhood.



Summer and Youth Teen Productions at 6th St. Playhouse

Teen GREASE- July 18-20; Youth MILLIE August 1-3 For the past few weeks, So. Co. youth and teens have been hard at work rehearsing for the School of Drama's productions of *Grease* and *Thoroughly Modern Millie*. Both shows run on the G.K Hardt main stage with the original sets from the adult productions. These kids will blow your socks off so don't miss either performance!

July 18th - July 27th- Hamlet's Orphans Local playwright Dezi Gallegos and eighteen extraordinarily talented kids aged 9-14 began created this original play. Description: 11 year-old James Curtis is the brother of a girl who cannot feel empathy; she can watch or create the suffering of others and remain unperturbed. *Hamlet's Orphans* explores the human desires to fix the ones we love, to know right from wrong, to be both innocent and worldly, and to connect with other people. It is performed by the same children who helped write the piece. \$25- \$10. Location: 6th St. Playhouse, Studio Theatre



West End Farmers Market

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