



BURLINGAME ANNUAL BLOCK PARTY SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 6 4:00 TO 7:00 PM

We look forward to another year of camaraderie, good food and High Society Jazz Band's live swing music filling the air. We will gather on Pamo Avenue between Laurel and Maple. Your Burlingame Neighborhood Association will provide hot dogs, hamburgers, veggie burgers, buns, condiments, lemonade, plates and utensils. To complete the sumptuous menu, please bring your favorite side dish to share. Oh, let's not forget about the chance to go home with a wonderful surprise donated by local businesses.

Your help is needed with the following:

- Rounding up items for the drawing. If you have a business or know somebody who does that would like to donate items, or you would like to help with the drawing, please contact Lisa Ashkins at Lisa@LisaAshkins.com or 619.888.2117.
- Setting up before the party*
- Take down and clean up*
- Children's activities
- Grilling*
- Tomato and onion prep before*
- Pop up canopy use for the day

*Email michael.king@burlingamesd.com to volunteer.

WEBSITE FACELIFT

www.burlingamesd.com
receives much needed remodeling

This month BNA moved burlingamesd.com to a new host server. Better software, same content, and the same friendly crew behind the scenes were included in the move.

Part of the change was an updated page layout intended to make the site user-friendlier. If you have suggestions for content, or features you would like to see added, send your ideas to michael.king@burlingamesd.com.

KEEP AN EYE ON YOUR SPRINKLERS

Do you know what your sprinklers are doing when you're not watching? Most sprinklers run unseen in the early hours (a good time), but may be the source of wasted water flooding sidewalks and running in the gutters, as seen by our morning dog walkers. Everyone should check their sprinklers on occasion to see how well they are working.

The State and the City of San Diego have recently enacted new water conservation regulations to deal with the current drought in California. Look for an insert in your water bill, or go to <http://www.sandiego.gov/water/conservation/drought/prohibitions.shtml> for more information.

TURF REPLACEMENT

For a different approach, the City, County and State have rebate programs for replacement of turf grass with other less water-hungry types of landscape, and other water-saving solutions.

See sandiego.gov/water/pdf/conservation/sustainablelandscapeguidelines.pdf, socialwatersmart.com/index.php/home/?p=res and turfreplacement.watersmart.org for more information.

RENEW YOUR MEMBERSHIP 2015

The annual membership drive begins each year at the Annual Block Party. The cost for your household membership remains at \$25.00. This will support our association plus a variety of activities throughout the year.

You may renew your membership in three ways:

1. Bring your check or cash to the Annual Block Party on Saturday, September 6.
2. Drop your check off in our treasurer Connie di Girolamo's mailbox at 2440 Pamo Avenue.
3. Mail your check to:
Burlingame Neighborhood Association
PO Box 635042
San Diego CA 92163-5042

New members can download a membership form from <http://burlingamesd.com/wp-content/uploads/2013/11/BNA-Membership-Form-2014-REV.pdf>

COMMUNITY RELATIONS OFFICER Attended BNA Board meeting

Officer Jenny Hall, Community Relations Officer in the San Diego Police Department Mid City Division, was a guest at the July 15 BNA meeting. She provided information about reviving the Neighborhood Watch program, reviewed crime statistics from our region and discussed the nature of recent crimes - mostly theft from unlocked cars and open windows. Hall said that the public can use the ARJIS Web site (www.arjis.org) to get information about recent crimes. Crime data is posted on the site within two or three days of the incident. Hall suggested that residents call the non-emergency police number 619-531-2000 to report suspicious activity. If there is a crime in progress, call 911.

Hall also said that she sometimes posts information on the Nextdoor private social media site. She is not able to see posts made by others, but will reply to private messages sent to her. If you would like an invitation to join Nextdoor, send your request to Jean.Samuels@burlingamesd.com.

DUMPSTER DAY CRUSHING SUCCESS

Dumpster Day, July 19, was *tons* of fun and a *weighty* success! Overall, we lightened the neighborhood by 4.2 tons - 8,400 pounds - of every thing from old furniture to old landscaping. There are unconfirmed reports that some neighbors even cherry picked some *shabby chic* treasures out of the dumpsters for immediate recycling.

Many thanks to the volunteers who manned the gates of the dumpsters, and to neighbors who allowed us to park two tons of refuse in front of their homes for a day. Special thanks to Council President Todd Gloria and EDCO for providing the dumpster services.



Dumpster Day Begins

BNA Committee Opportunities How YOU Can Help the Association

Neighborhood Watch

Jean Samuels is the coordinator of the project and is seeking neighbors interested in revitalizing the program.

Block Party, Sept 6

Seeking lots of help for this fun daylong activity – set up, grillers, prize drawing, clean up.

Contact inquire@burlingamesd.com if you are interested or need more information.

SIGN UP FOR BNA EMAIL

If you would like to be on BNA's email distribution list, you can sign up on burlingamesd.com - look for the form on the right side of the home page.

ALLIED GROUPS REPRESENTATIVES

Happy Hour & Film Series Vance Walker
Burlingame Music Series Barry Green
North Park Maintenance Assessment District Rep
..... Ginny Sherwood
Burlingame Club Rep Jean Samuels

Your Burlingame Neighborhood Association
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For the latest information on events
<http://blog.burlingamesd.com/bna-events/>

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