

Rosedale



Harvard Gulch

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NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION

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Welcome Friends & Neighbors!

Celebrate this first edition of the Rosedale Harvard Gulch Neighborhood Association (RHGNA) Newsletter! Our organization's newsletter highlights neighborhood happenings and provides in-depth information relevant to this corner of Denver. We invite you to submit items of interest to the neighborhood to Cathy Wise, Newsletter Producer or Start-up Committee member (see pg. 2).

Next week you're invited to RHGNA's bi-monthly all neighborhood meeting (January, March, May, July, September, November)

RHGNA All Neighborhood Meeting

Wednesday, September 16, 2009

7:15-9:00pm at the Harvard Gulch Recreation Center.

Agenda items include: RHGNA's progress as an organization, Rosedale School update, New Zoning Code update, Denver Police report, and time for public announcements of neighborhood.

We're improving communications by asking you to visit RHGNA's website (rhgna.org) and REGISTER. The website will contain information relevant to the residents and property owners within RHGNA. You'll also be able to make a contribution to the organization, to defray communication costs (e.g., newsletter printing, website maintenance, etc.)

A monthly RHGNA E-blast will bring important information right to your email inbox. Lastly, you are always free to contact any of the Start-up Committee members (see box). We're here to serve you!

Cheers,

Kim and Ellen

Co-chairs, RHGNA

Our Area

The RHGNA extends between Downing and Broadway, from Evans south to Yale. If your home or business is located within those boundaries, we hope you will join our communication list.

News and Website

To conserve paper and save production costs, future newsletters will be available at www.rhgna.org along with all the latest news from the neighborhood.

For instant access to the newsletter, join our email list! *No web access at home?* Let us know, and we'll deliver a newsletter to your door.

Ideas & Suggestions?

If you have information on an upcoming event, or special topic that would interest your neighbors, contact us – we might post it on our website or include it in the newsletter. You could even send in your favorite photos of our neighborhood.

Harvard Gulch Recreation Center

FALL HOURS

Mon / Weds - 11am – 9pm
Tues / Thurs - 9am – 9pm
Friday - 11am - 8pm

The exercise room has been remodeled with many new pieces of equipment.

Come over and
Pump Iron!!

CONTACT US!

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Block Captains a GO-GO!

Our first **Block Captain meeting** will be held at the **Harvard Gulch Recreation Center** at **6:45pm** on **Wednesday, September 16th** (30 minutes before the all-neighborhood meeting). **To become active as a Block Captain, please contact Kristin Salada at 303-927-6411.**

Since its earliest days as a beautiful place to live in Denver, Rosedale-Harvard Gulch has been full of friendly people who care about their neighbors and share a desire to maintain a sense of community. Many neighbors have graciously signed up as **volunteer Block Captains** and we are still seeking other active neighbors to serve as Block Captains! Here's what that means when neighborhood meetings and other events arise, Block Captains distribute flyers to the people and houses on their block. We also seek your input as a block representative on issues that affect you and your neighbors. All in all, you help us maintain a sense of community by ensuring that your block is well-informed and involved. We're hoping you can help us find more active volunteers that connect our community!

Connect your Business with RHGNA Neighbors

One of the great opportunities presented by our developing neighborhood organization is a chance for business owners to connect with homeowners and residents of RHGNA. RHGNA publishes a website and a quarterly newsletter delivered to all homes and businesses in our neighborhood. By supporting RHGNA you will also support the development of our neighborhood association. **To advertise your business, please contact RHGNA business liaisons Eric Freisinger (efreisinger@assist2sell.com) or Paul Kosempel (paul.kosempel@du.edu).**

Denver Recycles Action Network

Join the Denver Recycles Action Network and dedicate a minimum of 30 minutes a month to educating those around you about Denver Recycles and how they can reduce their waste. How you do it is up to you, be creative and use your talents and connections! Denver Recycles will assist your efforts with training, resources and staff support. **Call 720-865-6810 or visit DenverGov.org/DenverRecycles**

The 2009 Annual South Platte "River Sweep" **Saturday, September 26th from 8 - noon**

Bring your family, friends and neighbors and put your enthusiasm and muscle to work along 15 miles of the South Platte River. Get to know the river, gain a sense of accomplishment and enjoy meeting new people. All supplies will be provided. Free parking at the Downtown Aquarium and free lunch at Fishback Landing Park! **To pre-register - visit <http://www.greenwayfoundation.org/home/riversweep.html>.**