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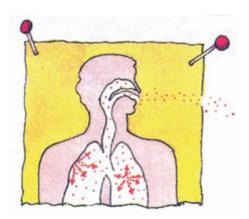
Radon

#1 cause of lung cancer among non-smokers

Join us at the next MANA meeting on Monday, May 1, 7:30PM, for a demonstration of the new radon testing unit MANA has purchased for Martin Acres use [and it's **FREE**].

www.epa.gov/radon/healthrisks.html

MANA business meeting will be 7-7:30PM
— all residents welcome!



Community Cleanup Day

Saturday, May 20th 8:30am—11:30am

MANA volunteers [that's YOU] will clean up Martin Park and Bear Creek from 8:30 until 11:30am. Then, from 11:30am until 1:30pm, we will all get together for a postcleanup celebration in Central Park at the band shell (SE corner of Broadway & Canyon, near the farmer's market). For all Community Cleanup participants, the city will provide free food and drinks and everyone will receive a free one-day pass to the Boulder Reservoir. There will also be a prize drawing for items such as gift certificates from Western Disposal and Eco-Cycle, gift certificates to various Downtown Boulder stores, a one-day pass to any Boulder recreation center and more! In order to assure there is plenty of food and supplies, sign up by contacting MANA coordinator Mark Stangl:

MANA Calendar



Listed below are the local events MANA discussed at our April meeting. MANA hopes to have at least 3-4 special topic meetings this year, so keep your eye out for meeting topic updates! You'll notice, in most cases, MANA-sponsored events listed below provide the coordinator's contact info. Please feel free to contact the coordinator directly to volunteer to help out with the event or to learn more. There are a few events that need a Champion to lead — please consider getting involved!

Please note: all "residents" are encouraged to participate in all events!

May 2006

1st 7PM —MANA Meeting* TOPIC: Radon Poisoning & FREE Testing Available

20th 8:30-11:30AM —Community Cleanup Day Coor: Mark, vp@martinacres.org, 499.3163

Jun 2006

1st Deadline to submit to the July VOICE**

5th B-360 Bike ride

Contact: Steve, president@martinacres.org, 494.8285

28th Bike to Work Day

Jul 2006

14th 6-9PM —Bastille Day Potluck

Coor: Steve, president@martinacres.org, 494.8585

24th Deadline to submit to the September VOICE**

Aug 2006

7th 7PM —MANA Meeting*

12th **Tentative** —MA Garage Sale needs a coordinator. Contact Bill, events@martinacres.org, 931.3443

28th 7PM —MANA Meeting*

Sep 2006

9th 7:30-11:00AM —Annual Pancake Breakfast Coor: Bill, events@martinacres.org, 931.3443

Oct 2006

1st Deadline to submit to the November VOICE**

2nd 7PM —MANA Meeting*

31st 5-8PM —Trick-or-Treat Street at Martin Park Coor: Jan, halloween@martinacres.org, 494.8285

vp@martinacres.org or 499.3163.

Nov 2006

6th 7PM —MANA Meeting*

Dec 2006

1st Deadline to submit to the Jan. '07 VOICE**

?? **Tentative** —WinterFest needs a coordinator Contact Bill, events@martinacres.org, 931.3443

Jan 2007

1st 7PM —MANA Meeting*

Feb 2007

1st Deadline to submit to the March '07 VOICE**

5th 7PM —MANA Meeting*

Mar 2007

5th 7PM —Annual MANA Meeting*

*Meeting held in the downstairs fellowship hall at 300 S. Broadway.

**Submit to voice@martinacres.org, 494.8285

Sharing & Matching

Ads are \$10.00 for the first 3 lines, \$2.50 per line thereafter. Contact Jan at 3/494.8285 or email VOICE@martinacres.org by **June 1** to place your ad for the **July 2006 VOICE**.

LAWNMOWING

\$25.00 each yard. Dependable Service Jason: 3/517.9772

Dance Instruction w/Tom Masterson: Ballroom, Swing, Salsa, Cha-cha, tango. Private/group. Wedding dance choreography. 3/499.6363, danceophile.com

A Touch of Wellness Charlene Thompson offers pet care services, including: doggie day care, boarding, and home made, organic food. She also represents healthcare products: Multipure, Nikken, & Melaluca. Call 3/499.3660.

COMPLEMENTARY Mary KAY skin care class just register on my site: www.marykay.com/camillehook. Enjoy the #1 skin care product in the US. Camille Hook, 3/947.8481.

The Handy Painters

Painting, Staining & Handyman Services
Call Today for our Spring Special! 3/521-9881

Your neighborhood **organic gardener** seeks big sunny back yard and other available land greater than 500 sq. ft. Offer your space for vegetable production and receive a portion of the harvest. Kipp 3/499.0866.

Paul Carter Painting

Martin Acres Resident, Interior & Exterior Neighborhood references available! 3/494.5362



BABY SHOWER!

May 15th [Monday] 7:00pm

S. Broadway Church of the Nazarene will have their 3rd annual baby shower for Real Choices Pregnancy Center. Collecting new or slightly used baby clothes and toys to donate to the Pregnancy Center. If you have such items - please drop them off at the church & plan to attend this baby shower. ??'s contact Pastor Bob at 494.8810 or sbnaz@qwest.net.

PLEASE WELCOME THE 2006-07 MANA STEERING COMMITTEE

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Tid Bits

:: Furnace Maintenance

Have you had your furnace checked out recently? Neighbor

in Martin Acres had a fire in March due to faulty furnace.



Spring's here and summer's just around the corner — hope to see you out for a stroll! Please remember to keep sidewalks clear of stray bushes, branches, and weeds.

:: MANA Treasury

As of 3/31/06: \$2,563

:: Consider a Block Party

Block parties are great ways to get to know your neighbors a little better. The city has recently made the 'process' a bit more friendly; check it out: www.ci.boulder.co.us/comm/pressrelease/2005/0506b.htm.

:: Chopped & Topped

Amazing how Martin Acres is evolving with the trend toward popping up. Lookin' good! MANA hopes to host a meeting on this topic this year.

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Community Service Announcement — FREE Dancing —

FOLK DANCING for EVERYONE! Outside on the Plaza beside the Dushanbe Teahouse every Tues, 6/6 –9/12. Teaching 7-8pm, dancing 'til 10pm. No partner or experience needed. 499-6363 postoley.org

FOLK DANCES for CHILDREN! Outside on the Plaza beside the Dushanbe Teahouse. 6:15-7:00pm, Tues 6/13, 6/27, 7/11, 7/25. For children of all ages & their parents! All dances taught! No experience needed. 499-6363, postoley.org