



NEWS & VIEWS

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COMMITTED TO MAKING WRIGLEY A CLEANER, GREENER, SAFER, STRONGER COMMUNITY & DEDICATED TO PRESERVING DAISY AVENUE CHRISTMAS TREE LANE TRADITIONS

Message from the President

I hope all of you remembered that there was no WANA meeting last month and that this month, we will meet at a Wrigley restaurant for our **Annual Dine-Out**.

We had a wonderful time at our National Night Out on August 2nd. Everyone brought a dish to share. WANA provided hot dogs for the children and polish sausages for the adults, and they really went over big. We had a number of Police Officers stop by. Commander Levy stayed all evening. **Officer Michael Parcels and his K-9 dog "Boaz"** from the K-9 Unit came by. They stayed about 1 hour. We sure enjoyed having an opportunity to ask questions about Boaz -- his training and his duties. Once again, representatives from the 54th Assembly District Office were on hand to give out free fingerprinting kits to parents. Board Members wore their National Night Out Tee shirts, which looked spectacular. I know several of you asked if they could order tee shirts for next year. Please let me know next May so I can put an order in for you. There'll be a reminder in the Newsletter.

Board elections are upon us this coming October. (See back page.) If you would like to run for the board there are two openings. Connie Chick and Jill Hill are on the nominating committee. Please let them know if you have a nominee in mind.

Special thanks to **Signal Hill Petroleum, Oil Operators and Jim Sollenbarger of Spinitar, a firm that specializes audiovisual equipment**, for sponsoring two movie nights. We showed *An American Tail* in July and *CARS 1* in September. Once again a note of great appreciation goes to **Diane Ripley** for securing our sponsors for the **Movies on Daisy!**

We haven't scheduled a speaker for the September meeting. Our mixer will be held at **Thai Boom Restaurant**. (See Page 2.) If you have attended one of our previous Dine-Outs, you know how nice it is to sit around, enjoy the food and talk with each other. During dessert, I'll update you on what WANA has accomplished during the past year. The Council members are always invited to speak. Please come to our **MIXER** and support a Wrigley Business There's plenty of free parking so no excuses for not coming!

By now, members should have received a renewal letter. Please send in your dues for the 2011-2012 membership year as soon as possible. You can also pay at our mixer on September 19.

Warmest regards,
Maria



MEMBER
APPLICATION/
RENEWAL FORM

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WANA DINE-OUT

Date: Monday, September 19, 2011

Place: *Thai Boom Restaurant*

2264 Pacific Avenue between Hill and 23rd Streets

Mixer starts at 6:30 p.m. with appetizers and wine courtesy of WANA!

“No Host” Dining starts around 7 p.m.

Thai Boom offers exquisite Asian dining - barbeque, teriyaki, curry, hot & spicy, and Chinese cuisine - and adds a touch of its own unique “Thai Boom Style” which will delight your eyes as well as your palette. Recipes are prepared with only the freshest ingredients.

Specialty items include Thai Boom Shrimp Fried Rice, Shrimp Chow Mein, Pad Kee Mow, Crying Tiger, Tom Kah and Pad Thai. For a menu, go to their web site at <www.thaiboomlongbeach.com>.

Plenty of Free parking in lot located just north of the building or on Pacific Avenue.



Public Welcome!

VISA and MasterCard accepted.

Tom Flores has graciously offered to set up his tribute honoring two local 9-11 victims.

2010-2011 WANA EXECUTIVE BOARD

Officers

Maria Norvell, President

Joan Greenwood, Vice President

Jill Hill, Secretary

Nancy Risch, Treasurer

Tel: 427-5021

Tel: 599-0812

Tel: 599-1822

Tel: 426-5266

Directors

Gloria Bolanos

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Timothy Risch

Jim Trout



2011 — 2012 Membership Application and Dues Renewal Form

Please list the names of all residents over the age of 18 at the membership address.

Members receive newsletters by mail every month. I/we agree to abide by WANA Bylaws.

NAME (NAMES): _____

MAILING/STREET ADDRESS: _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____ PHONE _____

E-MAIL _____

ANNUAL DUES PER ADDRESS

\$ 15.00 For October 1, 2011—September 30, 2012

OPTIONAL NON-TAX DEDUCTIBLE CONTRIBUTIONS

\$ _____ For Special Events, Liability Insurance & Government Filing (Please make checks payable to WANA.)

TAX DEDUCTIBLE CONTRIBUTIONS (ID #74-3222323)

\$ _____ For DAISY AVENUE CHRISTMAS TREE LANE (Please make check payable to FRIENDS OF WANA.)

\$ _____ For CRESSA PARK STEWARSHIP PROGRAM (Please make check payable to FRIENDS OF WANA)

\$ _____ TOTAL PAYMENT Cash Check # _____

TYPE OF MEMBERSHIP:

- Wrigley Resident/Household
- Wrigley Business/Wrigley Group
- Non-Wrigley Resident/Business

Please check box if you are interested in **VOLUNTEERING** for **WANA** activities.

PLEASE MAIL YOUR MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION/RENEWAL TO: WANA, P.O. BOX 6370, LONG BEACH CA 90806.

Your 2010-2011 MEMBERSHIP CARD will be mailed to you. Mail-in Ballots will be mailed to you during the week of October 10th.

Please check box to receive Vote-by-Mail Ballot for October 17 Board Election.

If there is more than one person over 18 in your household, please list the names of the people who are requesting mail-in ballots:



Top Left: City Manager Pat West Updates WANA Members at July 18 Public Meeting



Top Right: Tim Patton and Niki Tenant from Assemblywoman Bonnie Lowenthal's office gave out child identification kits at WANA's National Night Out to Fight Crime Potluck.

Bottom Right: Family Enjoying CARS 1 at Sept 3rd Movie on the Green at 20th & Daisy



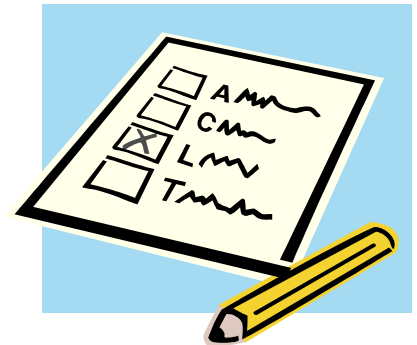
NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING AND BOARD ELECTIONS

Date: Monday, October 17, 2011

Location: Veterans Park Social Hall
 101 East 28th Street

Time: 7-9 p.m.

To place an item for discussion on the Agenda, contact Maria Norvell at (562) 427-5021 at least 24 hours in advance.



To vote by mail, your dues must be received no later than Friday, September 30, and you must request a mail-in ballot prior to October 7 by calling Jill Hill at (562) 599-1822, sending an email to her at jhill2075@verizon.net or checking the appropriate box on your renewal form. Ballots will be mailed out during the week of October 10th and if mailed, must be delivered to the Post Office Box by 5 p.m. on October 17. Ballots may also be dropped off at Veterans Park between 6:45 and 7:30 p.m.

BOARD NOMINATIONS OPEN

If you are interested in serving on the Executive Board, please contact Maria Norvell at 427-5021. The election will be held at our October 17 Annual Meeting. Each Director serves a three-year term. Candidate statements will be published in the October Newsletter. Nominations will close at 7 p.m. on October 10. Submit your nominations to Jill Hill at jhill2075@verizon.net or call her at (562) 599-1822.