

Triangle Tales

Upcoming Meetings & Events

• October 31 (Monday)

Halloween Parade
Halsted Street
(Belmont to Addison)
Register at Spin at 5:30PM
Parade Kick-off at 7:00PM
Street will be closed to traffic

• November 3 (Thursday)

LVCC Board Meeting
LVCC Office
867 W Buckingham
(Lower level)
7PM - 8:30PM

• November 5 (Saturday)

LVCC Century Club Event
RSVP to LVCC by 11/2
Held at John Barleycorn
3524 N Clark
6PM - 9PM
Food & Drink included

• December 14 (Wednesday)

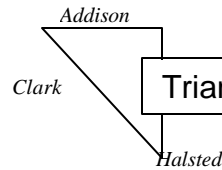
Triangle Neighbors Meeting
(last meeting this year)
LVCC Office
867 W Buckingham
7PM - 8:30PM

Important Phone Numbers:

LVCC Office (M 1-7; Tu-F 9AM-3PM)
(773) 880 LVCC
www.lakeviewcitizens.org

44th Ward Alderman Tom Tunney
(773) 525 6034
www.44thward.org

CUBS Neighborhood Protection
(866) 4 CPD TOW
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Triangle Neighbors Association



Property Tax Call To Action!

The current 7% Homeowners Property Tax Exemption Cap expires next year. TRAC's (Tax Reform Action Coalition) goal is to get the 7% cap extended in time to limit how much our assessments will increase with the upcoming triennial reassessment in 2006 and to work for more substantial property tax reform for all property owners.

Assessor James Houlihan sent a bill (SB700) down to Springfield that provides for the 7% cap to be made permanent and to

remove the ceiling of \$20,000 (remove the "cap on the cap.") This bill, SB700, has the support of Mayor Daley.

Visit the TRAC web site at www.trac-il.org and read the article in the Fall newsletter to understand the need to get this 7% renewed. You can also read the proposal for serious reform of the assessment system. On behalf of LVCC, we encourage you to contact your State elected officials to let them know how you feel.



TAX REFORM ACTION COALITION

Halloween Invasion from Space Monday!

Extraterrestrial fun on North Halsted when we host "Invasion," the theme of our 9th Annual Halloween parade on this Monday evening, October 31. (Registration for a costume contest for kids, pets and adults begins at 5:30PM at the Spin - corner of Halsted and Belmont - also the parade starting location at 7PM.) In keeping with this year's parade theme, we will be reenacting scenes from "War of the Worlds".

PARADE RADIO BROADCAST! In addition, Chicagoans tuning in 104.7 FM will get a taste of this historic event as part of a live radio "transmission" of the parade. The broadcast -- which will also be playing on the radios of local merchants, bars and restaurants -- includes pre- and post-parade coverage.

Following the parade, costume contest winners will be announced at the intersection of Roscoe and Halsted. There will be \$5,000 in contest cash and prizes including airline tickets for two and a pair of tickets to the Oprah Winfrey show. In addition, there will be post-parade musical entertainment.



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c/o LVCC
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Lower Level (Under the bank at Clark Street)
Chicago, IL 60657

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fullest extent allowed under the law.

The **LAKE VIEW CITIZENS' COUNCIL (LVCC)** is a non-profit civic organization serving the **Lakeview** community on the north side of Chicago, Illinois. Its boundaries (roughly Lake Michigan on the east, the north branch of the Chicago River on the west, Diversey Parkway on the south, going south on Lakewood Avenue until it meets the Chicago River, and Irving Park Road on the north) are approximately those of the original township of Lake View founded in the early 1800's and annexed by the City of Chicago in 1903.

We have been working for you in Lake View since 1952. We are a grassroots membership organization made up of people like you and your neighbors. LVCC was established to provide citizens in Lake View with the opportunity to work together for the common good of the Lake View community.



LAKE VIEW CITIZENS' COUNCIL
organizing since 1952

WWW.LAKEVIEWCITIZENS.ORG/TRIANGLE.ASP

Lake View Citizens' Council Century Club

Lake View Citizens' Council (LVCC) has been working to protect and enhance the quality of life for Lake View residents and businesses for the past 53 years. Lake View is a vibrant community, 100,000 people strong, that boasts high social and economic diversity with small town neighborhood charm.

LVCC and its twelve affiliated branches are grass roots organizations, comprised of residents and businesses, working with the community, local officials, government agencies and businesses to make our streets safer and better, to enhance the lakefront and other public green spaces, and to protect our community from irresponsible development. This work is accomplished through the valiant efforts of volunteers who keep the community informed through public forums, news media, our website, community rallies and neighborhood meetings, and other media.

While these activities are important to our community, we need funding to continue to provide information and support to the neighborhood.

The Century Club is an elite group of LVCC donors. We are asking for your support to help us continue our mission through another successful year. Membership is achieved with a donation of \$100 or more during this fundraising campaign. As a Century Club member, you will receive LVCC membership, minutes of Board Meetings, and a copy of our newsletter "The Lake View Citizen" and an invitation to our Century Club Cocktail Reception. This event is a great opportunity to meet fellow contributors, members of the LVCC board, elected officials and business leaders.

This year's Cocktail Reception will be held at John Barleycorn's on Saturday, November 5, 2005 at 6PM. Refreshments and hors d'oeuvres will be served and cocktail party attire is appropriate. We hope you will support our endeavors and be able to attend our reception.

If you can help us out, please complete the form at the right and send it to the LVCC Office by November 2nd. Thanks and hope to see you there.

CENTURY CLUB RSVP

NAME _____

ORGANIZATION / BUSINESS: _____

ADDRESS: _____

EMAIL: _____

PHONE: _____

CREDIT CARD NUMBER: _____

EXPIRATION: _____

SIGNATURE: _____