



*We are Proud
to Live Here!*

**Lincoln
Terrace**
NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION

January 2013 Newsletter

Happy New Year, Neighbors!

We had a great year in 2012, including many fun social events, a new website and interactive online community, and we had 39 families/individuals join the association. There are a lot of great things going on in Lincoln Terrace, and we want to continue to strengthen the beauty and character of our unique part of Oklahoma City. Thank you for helping us making Lincoln Terrace a terrific and beautiful place to live – we look forward to meeting more of you in 2013!

Stay Connected



Looking for recommendations for a reliable handyman? Looking for someone to help watch a pet? Want to stay connected with your neighbors?

We encourage everyone to join us on our online community at lincolnterrace.nextdoor.com. There are several resources and groups on the Nextdoor site that you can access anytime to stay up-to-date on community events, notices, and information. Signing up at Nextdoor.com is fast and free!

And don't forget to check out the neighborhood website at www.lincolnterrace.org, where we showcase our neighborhood's history and character, and our neighbors' efforts to preserve and update it!

Upcoming Events

- Mon Jan 28 LTNA Board Meeting, George's Happy Hog, 5:30 p.m.
- Sat Feb 18 18th Annual Mardi Gras Parade 7 p.m., Downtown Norman
- Mon Feb 25 LTNA Board Meeting, TBA
- Mon Mar 25 LTNA Board Meeting, TBA
- Sat Apr 13 The Big Event Neighborhood Cleanup, 10 a.m.*
- Apr 23-28 Festival of Arts, Myriad Botanical Gardens
- Apr 27-28 Lincoln Terrace Home Show, 12-5 p.m.*
- Sun Apr 28 Oklahoma City Memorial Marathon, 6:30 a.m.*

***We need volunteers – see inside for details!**

2013 LTNA Board Members

Please help us extend a big welcome and thank you to this year's board members!
 Our first board/committee meeting of the new year will be on Monday Jan. 28 at
 George's Happy Hog (712 Culbertson Drive) starting at 5:30 p.m.

2013 Officers

President: Suzi Epps
 Vice President: Mark Smith
 Secretary/Ex-oficio:
 Samonia Byford
 Treasurer: Jennifer Smith
 Parliamentarian: Mike Wofford

2013 Committee Chairs

Beautification: Debbie Doyal &
 Ginny & Bill Morris, co-chairs
 Communication: Christy Sooter
 Governmental: Bill Fulmer
 Home Tour: Suzi Epps
 Social: Sara Whitney
 Strong Neighborhood
 Initiative: Suzi Epps

Additional Board Members

Beverly Davis
 Melodie Fulmer
 Suzanne Kelley
 Carolyn McShan
 Karen Pettit
 Paul Ryckbost
 Jennifer Snow

Free Income Tax Assistance beginning February 4, 2013

Super Saturday's, February 9 & 23, 9-2 pm, 319 SW 25th



Community Action Agency:

Central Office
 319 SW 25th
 Monday-Friday, 9 - 3

Metro Tech Parents Center
 1901 Springlake Drive
 Tuesday & Thursdays, 9 - 12

EI Reno Office
 203 N Bickford
 Monday-Friday, 9 - 3

OKC Community College
 7777 S May
 Mon - Thurs, 9 - 2

SATURDAY ONLY

Ralph Ellison Library
 2000 NE 23rd
 Saturday's, 9 - 4
 (Beginning February 2)

What to bring with you:

- Picture identification
- Social Security cards for everyone on the return
- W - 2's for 2011 income
- 1099's for 2011
- Last year's tax return if possible
- Day care expenses
- Name, address, phone number of day care
- Day care tax identification number
- If doing electronic deposit for refund bring:
 1. Voided check
 2. Bank routing number
 3. Account information

Earned Income Tax Credit

Families with one child who earned less than \$36,920 in 2012 (or less than \$42,130 for married workers) are eligible for a maximum credit of up to \$3,169.

Families with two children who earned less than \$41,952 in 2012 (or less than \$47,162 for married workers) are eligible for a maximum credit up to \$5,236.

Families with three or more qualifying children who earned less than \$45,060 in 2012 (or less than \$50,270 for married workers) are eligible the maximum credit up to \$5,891.

Workers without a qualifying child who has earned less than \$13,980 in 2012 (or \$19,190 for married workers) are eligible for a maximum credit of \$475.



Call 232-0199 x2301 for more information

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Lincoln Terrace Home Tour April 27-28

The buzz in the neighborhood is that a lot of remodeling is going on! It's really exciting to hear about all the work that our neighbors are doing to restore the beautiful homes in our neighborhood. Why not show off all of your hard work at our home tour?

We are looking for folks to volunteer their homes for this year's Lincoln Terrace Home Tour. This is a big fundraiser for our association and great time to showcase how wonderful living in Lincoln Terrace really is! If you are interested in helping us display the beauty and history of our neighborhood, please contact Suzi Epps for more information at president@lincolnterrace.org.

Volunteers—We Need You!

Lincoln Terrace has many events throughout the year that will give you an opportunity to meet new faces and improve and promote our neighborhood. Please contact Sara Whitney at sarajwhitney@gmail.com or 720-364-2707 to volunteer!



The University of Oklahoma's Big Event Saturday April 13, 10 a.m.

We will have OU student volunteers coming out as part of their annual community service event to help spruce up the neighborhood. We will meet at Nichols Park in the morning. It's a fun day to work outside with your neighbors and the OU volunteers!

The Oklahoma City Memorial Marathon Sunday April 28, 6-10:30 a.m.

The 20-mile Oklahoma City Memorial Marathon runs partway through Lincoln Terrace on Lincoln Boulevard. We will be setting up a support station on Lincoln to cheer on the runners, joggers, and walkers of all ages and to promote our great neighborhood. We are also looking for donations of oranges or beverages to hand out to keep them hydrated.

Useful Community Information

Non-Emergency Police Line
405-232-2121

Neighborhood Complaints
405-297-2535
www.okc.gov/action/onlineservicerequest

Oklahoma City Animal Shelter
405-297-3100
www.okc.gov/animalwelfare

Trash and Recycling Collection
405 297-2833
www.okc.gov/trash/index.html
www.okc.gov/trash/recycle/index.html

Garage Sale Permits
405-297-2606
www.okc.gov/services/garage_sale/index.html

OKC Government
Councilman Ronald "Skip" Kelly, Ward 7
405-297-2569
ward7@okc.gov

Sen. Connie Johnson
405-521-5531
johnsonc@oksenate.gov

Rep. Anastasia Pittman
405-557-7393
anastasia.pittman@okhouse.gov



Join the Lincoln Terrace Neighborhood Association!

Any resident of Lincoln Terrace – whether a property owner or renter – is eligible to become a member of the neighborhood association.

We benefit from the collective experience of all of our neighbors, whether you have lived here for decades or if you are new to the neighborhood. The needs of the neighborhood continually change, but all have to do with strengthening the beauty, security, character, and friendliness of our neighborhood.

When you join the LTNA, your dues help pay for:

- A wide range of social functions for you to get to know your neighbors
- Quarterly newsletters informing you on the community around us – whether it's the OU Medical Center, the Capitol Medical Zoning Commission or events in our neighborhood
- Beautification and upkeep of our neighborhood
- Improved safety for our neighborhood
- Interactive community at lincolnterrace.nextdoor.com for socializing, staying informed, and receiving timely notices of things impacting our neighborhood

Member dues are due annually in January, regardless of the time of year you initially joined. Individual memberships are \$25.00, and family memberships are \$40.00. You can pay online at www.LincolnTerrace.org/membership, or complete the membership form enclosed and mail your payment today to start reaping the benefits of being a part of the Lincoln Terrace Neighborhood Association.

Please send this form and your payment to:

Lincoln Terrace Neighborhood Association (LTNA)
c/o Jennifer Smith, Treasurer
625 NE 14th Street
Oklahoma City, OK 73104

Visit our website at www.LincolnTerrace.org for more information about our vibrant, colorful, and historically rich neighborhood. Not sure if you have paid your membership dues? Check the membership list page to see if you are current.

Join Today!