

## Northaven Hills Neighborhood News

February 2018

Neighbors united for a better community

## Have you visited the Gladstone Community Center lately?

There is something going on for everyone -numerous activities and programs for children, adults and seniors. To list *just a few* of the upcoming activities:

Spring Break activities: A variety of camps, classes, and activities will be available March 19-23.

Walk 'N Wag: Walk your dog to benefit pets at the Gladstone Animal Shelter. (Please tell your dog about this fun morning in Happy Rock Park; they will undoubtedly want to attend.) Saturday, April 7. Call 816-436-1810 for more information.

Spring beautification and brush drop-off at Public Works Department coming in April. Watch future newsletter for details.

Gladstone 50+ activities (call the Community Center to sign up for their newsletter): group travel, arthritis aerobic swim sessions, bridge, pot lucks, and much more.

Indoor and outdoor pools: Swimming lessons, American Red Cross lifeguard certification, and Gladstone Gators swim team for ages 6-18 years.

Rental of Community Center space for family events, parties and children's birthday parties.

Ladies Bunco Night: Registration deadline is Wednesday, February 28<sup>th</sup>.

There are many, many more activities available. For more information visit the City of Gladstone website: http://www.gladstone.mo.us/ or call 816-423-4200.

Gladstone Community Center 6901 N. Holmes Street Gladstone, MO 64118

## Northaven Hills Calendar

- Thursday, April 12
   Board Meeting, 6:30 p.m.
   Neighborhood Meeting, 7:00 p.m.
   6740 N. Euclid
- Saturday, June 9
   Ice Cream Social
   Time to be announced
   6740 N. Euclid



Neighborhood meetings are held four times a year at board members' homes. All residents of Northaven Hills are eligible to vote at neighborhood meetings and are invited to attend.



## Northaven Hills Board of Directors

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# December 2017 and January 2018 Report

from Gladstone Public Safety

January

01/02 – 6500 block of N. Michigan – Vehicle theft, later recovered in Cass County on 01/26/18.

01/05 – 6700 block of N. Euclid – Credit card found in driveway.

01/29\_-6700 block of N. Euclid – Neighbor dispute.

#### December

12/05 - 6700 block N. Euclid - Domestic assault.

12/06 – 2000 block of N.E. 67<sup>th</sup> Street – Suspicious vehicle, located and investigated.

12/05\_-6700 block of N. Michigan – Vehicle theft, later recovered on 12/05/17 in Kansas City, Kansas, unoccupied.

Gladstone Public Safety continues to advise residents to lock vehicles and not to leave valuables or keys inside the vehicle.

If you have questions about activity in the neighborhood or Gladstone Public Safety policies and issues, a Public Safety officer will be present at neighborhood meetings to answer questions and discuss any issues that may arise.



Presidents Day Monday February 19



# New restaurant coming to downtown Gladstone



Summit Grill will be located on the ground floor of the Heights at Linden Square apartment building at 601 N.E. 70<sup>th</sup> Street.

Summit Grill currently has locations in Lee's Summit and Waldo. The menu includes burgers, salads, sandwiches, steaks and seafood.

Opening is expected to occur in late summer 2018.

## February Fact

The name of February comes from the Roman purification ritual Februa, which took place on February 15.

## Onions anyone?

Board member Tom Pritchard reports that his Masonic lodge is holding a sale of Vidalia onions as a fundraiser for the Shriners Hospitals for Children.

Cost is \$10.00 for a ten-pound bag of onions. Tom will be taking orders for the onions through the end of March. Delivery of the onions will occur in April or May

If you are interested in purchasing onions to help Shriners support their Hospitals for Children please contact Tom at 816-452-6538 or by email at muddag90@gmail.com. Tom

must turn in all orders by the end of

March.



## Chef's Corner

## Coconut Rice

- 3 Tbsp. unsalted butter
- 1 Tbsp. minced ginger
- 1 cup white rice, preferably jasmine
- 1 1/2 cups water
- 3/4 cup unsweetened coconut milk (shake can well before opening)
- 3/4 tsp. salt
- Zest of 1/2 lime

Melt butter and add ginger. Cook and stir about a minute. Add rice and stir until coated. Add coconut milk, water and salt.

Cook for 15 minutes or until liquid is absorbed. Stir in lime zest before serving. Yum.

This yummy rice is the perfect accompaniment for pork or chicken. It's worth buying the fresh ginger, which can be stored in the fridge, because you will probably want to eat this rice again.

Recipe by Linda Elkins Submitted by Carol Elkins

## February Quotes

A Valentine poem

"If apples were pears
And peaches were plums
And the rose had a different name.
If tigers were bears
And fingers were thumbs
I'd love you just the same."



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# The newsletter continues to be available only online and via email

The newsletter is available on the City of Gladstone's public website. From the City of Gladstone's home page go to: Residents > Homes & Neighborhoods > Neighborhoods > Northaven Hills.

To receive the newsletter in your email box, please call Carol Elkins at 816-452-3709 or email northaven3news@gmail.com.

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