# EASTGATE news

NEXT MEETING JANUARY 6 AT 6:30 PM AT EASTGATE ELEMENTARY

### Welcoming new community association officers!

At the December meeting, the association voted on officers for the next 2 year term. The new officers:

President: Casey Crisp Vice President: Marcus Oberholzer Treasurer: Pat Fluellen

Secretary: Kristen Neumann Martiensen

Christina Paolucci will continue as the website coordinator, and Missy Longsworth Crisp will continue as the newsletter coordinator. Please join us at the January meeting to meet our new officers.

Thank you to the former officers for their hard work!

### Getting to Know Your Neighbors: A Portrait Series

Each month through 2014, we will feature a portrait of an Eastgate resident in the newsletter and on the website. If you would like to be considered for the series, contact Christina Paolucci at 614-258-9931 or <a href="mailto:christinapaolucci@gmail.com">christinapaolucci@gmail.com</a>. This series is being supported through a supply grant from the Greater Columbus Arts Council.



Casey Crisp has lived on Chatfield Park in Eastgate for 10 years, and **Missy Longsworth Crisp** has lived there for 3 years. Their home was built in 1920. Casey represents a buying group that supports independent pharmacies, and Missy coordinates early intervention services for infants and toddlers with delays or disabilities. They both look forward to continued involvement in the neighborhood association and hope more neighbors will actively participate in making Eastgate a more vibrant and attractive place to live. As our new President, Casey hopes to promote a greater sense of community and neighbors being neighborly and revive the times when neighbors knew and looked out for one another. Casey encourages you to make your voice and opinions heard because this is your home too.

The Eastgate annual holiday party was held on December 7 at the Near East Pride Center. The association provided sandwiches and drinks, and neighbors brought a dish to share. Check out photos from the event on the Eastgate Garden Civic Association website at www.eggca.org.

At each of our monthly neighborhood meetings, we will have a drawing for a free gift certificate for one of the attendees!

## Around the city in January...

### Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Day Open House

January 20, 2014

The King Arts Complex: 867 Mt. Vernon Avenue, Columbus

Free admission

Share in Dr. Martin Luther King Ir's dream by participating in a vast menu of cultural activities to commemorate the holiday. Enjoy performances of African dance, modern dance, spoken word, and inspirational music.

There will also be a gathering at City Hall, followed by a march across the Broad Street bridge to Veteran's Memorial. There, community members can watch a free program featuring theatrical reenactments and the MLK Children's Choir.

### PB & J Jazz Concert Series: Sean Carney and the Sean Carney Band

January 11, 2014

Lincoln Theatre: 769 E. Long Street, Columbus

\$5 admission

10am and 11:30am

PBJ & Jazz concerts are one hour long interactive concerts designed to introduce jazz and american music to young children and their families. Featuring some of Columbus' finest musicians and ensembles, concerts are hosted by former Columbus Music Hall owner and retired music educator Rebecca Ogden. A great introduction to live music for young audience members!

#### **Bruce Monro: LIGHT**

Through February 8, 2014

Franklin Park Conservatory and Botanical Gardens: 1777 E. Broad Street, Columbus Adults \$15, Seniors 60 and over and adult students \$12, Children \$6 Select evenings, 5-11 p.m.

Bruce Monro's imaginative and magical light based works create a captivating evening experience.

Do you have information or an interesting story to contribute to the Eastgate website or newsletter? If so, contact Christina Paolucci (see contact info on front page) or Missy Longsworth Crisp at mlongsworth03@gmail.com









