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Don't forget to pay your EGGCA membership dues.

Annual dues are \$15 per resident. You can bring the dues to the monthly neighborhood meeting or mail to EGGCA: P.O. Box 132331, Columbus, OH 43213 www.eggca.org

The second annual **Eastgate Stumble**

will be held on Saturday, July 11 at 5:00 p.m.

Are you interested in opening your yard, porch or home as a stop in this years traveling party? Each host provides a beverage and a snack.

Consider co-hosting with a neighbor.

To volunteer or to get more information contact an Eastgate board member.

This is a fun way to turn neighbors into friends!



The spring cleanup was a tremendous success. Thank you to all the volunteers who collected over 20 bags of trash from Eastgate and nearby areas. We want this to be an annual event, but please don't wait until next year to pick up trash in our neighborhood if you see it. It only takes a minute to keep Eastgate looking its best.

And please remember to take a bag along when walking your dog.

Islanders Needed!

Instead of having scheduled gardening sessions, we're going to try something new. Mary Daniels will be posting on Nextdoor what needs done in our public gardens.

We're asking our neighbors to TAKE THE INITIATIVE and complete the needed tasks at their convenience. Post on Nextdoor when you will be working in case others want to join you, and once you've completed a task, post that as well so your neighbors know what still needs done.

Clean-up and weeding are currently needed at all 3 gardens.

Volunteers needed!

VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED TO DELIVER OUR MONTHLY NEWSLETTER. PLEASE CONTACT CASEY CRISP IF INTERESTED. THE SIZE OF THE ROUTE CAN BE BIG OR SMALL--IT'S UP TO YOU.

IT'S SPRING...A GREAT TIME TO GET OUT OF THE HOUSE, VOLUNTEER, AND ENJOY THE BEAUTY OF OUR NEIGHBORHOOD!

IF YOU VALUE THE INFORMATION IN THIS NEWSLETTER THEN DO YOUR PART AND HELP US GET THE WORD OUT.

Eastgate Garden Civic Association is seeking representatives to attend the Near East Area Commission (NEAC) meeting on a rotating basis and report back. NEAC meets the second Thursday of each month in the police substation at 950 E. Main Street.

For more information, please contact Lela Boykin at <u>lboykin15@att.net</u>



Dana with **Capital City Equestrian** spoke at the May neighborhood meeting. She shared information about the non-profit organization that she hopes to bring to the Woodland community in a property near Maryland and Woodland avenues.

Capital City Equestrian believes in the academic, social, physical, and emotional benefits that firsthand experience with horses can provide. They seek to further enrich the lives of youths and families by introducing them to the world of horses and equestrian pursuits.

They will provide after-school, tutoring, and home-school programs, teen leadership and 4H programs, recreational and public riding classes for all ages and skill levels, youth summer camp, family outings and activities, job training opportunities, special events, equine assisted learning and therapy, and more!

For more information, visit their website at <u>www.capitalcityequestrian.org</u> or call 614-914-5599.



Around our city in June....

Fountainside: Wednesdays June 3 to August 12, Bicentennial Park Enjoy water play in the fountain and free activities for children!

Columbus Arts Festival: June 12-14, Scioto Mile Columbus Pride Festival: June 19-21, Goodale Park Com Fest: June 26-28, Goodale Park