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RNA General Meetings are held three times a year on the second Tuesday of April, July, and October. Board meetings are held every month, with the exception of August and December.

All meetings are open to the public.

The meetings are held at Grace Lutheran Church, 7610 NE Fremont, 7 p.m.

Hope to see you there!

FREE SUMMER FUN IN ROSEWAY! by Angela Carpenter

Roseway is a hotbed of free entertainment this summer, with both concerts and movies planned at our neighborhood parks.

The fun begins with Roseway's first **Concert in the Park** on **July 9** at Glenhaven Park as part of Portland Parks & Recreation's free Concerts in the Park series. Concerts begin at **6:30 p.m.** In addition to live music, there will be a rock-climbing wall and free hands-on art activities for kids beginning at age 6. Additional concerts will be held on **July 16** and **July 23** at the same time and place.

Concerts will feature food for sale by Roseway favorite Bacchi's Italian Delicatessen (sandwiches and gelato) and The Healthy Horse (desserts, popcorn and teas). Or bring your own picnic and beer/wine! The Missing Link will again host corrals to park bicycles and strollers during the show.

The complete Thursday concert lineup (see more information on pages 4-5):

July 9: The Barn Door Slammers (honky tonk & Western swing)

July 16: Vagabond Opera (eccentric operatic cabaret)

July 23: Brownish Black (indie basement R&B and soul)

And that's not all! Parks & Rec is also putting on three (3!) free movies at Roseway parks this summer as part of the **Movies in the Park** series. Pre-movie performances begin at **6:30 p.m.**, with free popcorn! Movies begin at dusk:

Sunday, July 12: The Book of Life (Spanish with English subtitles) at Glenhaven Park, music by Conjunto Alegre (salsa, cumbia, bachata & more)

Saturday, July 18: Back to the Future (English with Spanish subtitles) at Glenhaven Park, music by All Together Now (Beatles singalong)

Wednesday, August 19: E.T. The Extraterrestrial at Wellington Park, music by Echoes of Yagurs (classic rock)

Concerts in Glenhaven Park are made possible in part by: Healthy Smiles Dental Group, Hookset Automotive, The Kristan Knapp Fund, Lumberyard Bike Park, Maid Brigade, The Missing Link, Multnomah County Cultural Coalition, Nest Design + Construction, Oregon Cultural Trust, Pacific Power, Portland Family Dentistry, Portland Parks Foundation, Realty Trust -- Sue Coon & James Coon, Regional Arts & Culture Council, Rose City Liquor, Roseway Neighborhood Association, Roseway Roots, Shift Wellness PDX and Umpqua Bank. Thanks to our sponsors!!!

First Tree Inventory Day a Success!

by Caitlin Shelman

You may have noticed volunteers in bright vests identifying and measuring street trees near Wellington Park on June 20. Neighbors are collecting data on Roseway's street trees in order to get a better sense of our urban canopy and to create a neighborhood tree plan. The survey on June 20 is the first of four such surveys to be held over the summer.

Thank you to the Roseway neighbors and the many volunteers from other neighborhoods who came out to help. We need additional volunteers for the three other surveys this summer. No experience is necessary and we would love to have your help! We will be out counting again on the following days: **Wednesday, July 1, 2015** from 4:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. (meet at Wellington Park); **Saturday, July 25, 2015** from 8:30

a.m. - noon (meet at Glenhaven Park); and **Saturday, August 29, 2015** from 8:30 a.m. - noon (meet at Glenhaven Park). You can find out more about the tree inventory project and register for inventory days at www.portlandoregon.gov/parks/53181.



Roseway Summer (shave) Ice Cream Social August 4

by Mark R. Sandri

On **August 4 at 6:30 p.m.**, please join us on the 72nd Avenue Park Blocks for some shave ice, finger foods, and a chance to meet and socialize with your neighbors. The event will take place on the park block between Beech and Failing. This annual event is put on by *your* Neighborhood Association and is the only completely "social" event that we put on each year. Please come out and say hi to your friends and neighbors!

The event is scheduled to coincide with National Night Out. NNO is a community-police awareness-raising event held yearly since 1984 on the first Tuesday in August. The event is meant to increase awareness about police programs in communities. Although the Roseway event is not affiliated with NNO, issues concerning crime prevention and community policing are often brought to the attention of the RNA. This event is a good opportunity to better acquaint yourselves with neighbors and bring us closer together



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New Tree Code Protects Portland's Urban Forest

by Erik Carr

Portland's new tree code, Title 11 Trees, went into effect on January 2, 2015. The biggest change from the old tree code is that a permit is now required to remove trees on all private properties if the tree is 12 inches in diameter at breast height (DBH, measured at 4.5 feet above the ground) or greater. Trees that are dead, dying, or dangerous will automatically be granted a permit for removal and require one-for-one tree replacement. On private properties, trees that are within 10 feet of a building and trees on the nuisance plants list will also automatically be granted permits for removal and require only tree-for-tree replacement. Property owners will also be granted permits to remove up to four trees per year on private property if the trees are less than 20 inches DBH. Because more trees are regulated and tree replacement is required for nuisance species removal, the City anticipates that this new code will do a better job of preserving Portland's urban canopy than the previous tree code. Additional information about the new tree code can be found via the City's tree hotline: 503-823-TREE (8733), or on the Portland Trees website: www.portlandoregon.gov/trees. On the website you can find customer service hours, download tree permit applications, and find helpful tree care tips.

**Information courtesy of Portland Parks & Recreation - Urban Forestry*

2nd Annual Roseway Garden Walk

by Del Lewis

On June 7, 2015 twelve Roseway neighbors opened their gardens for the 2nd Annual Roseway Garden Walk. Attendees and hosts all reported a very pleasant and rewarding experience. As one host noted "It's a wonderful way to build community and meet neighbors you might not otherwise encounter...it also doesn't hurt to have people appreciate all of your hard work."

The reported number of attendees varied from garden to garden, but the median per garden was between 20 and 30. Some attendees valiantly tried to visit all twelve gardens while others concentrated on specific

gardens or areas of the neighborhood. However, everyone who attended seemed to have a great time visiting, meeting new people and seeing old friends, and exchanging information and ideas about creating and maintaining the perfect garden for a NE Portland home.

The Roseway Neighborhood Association hopes to establish the Garden Walk as a yearly event if interest continues to warrant. Thanks again to all those that participated and those that welcomed our neighbors into your home. Let us know your thoughts via Roseway.org



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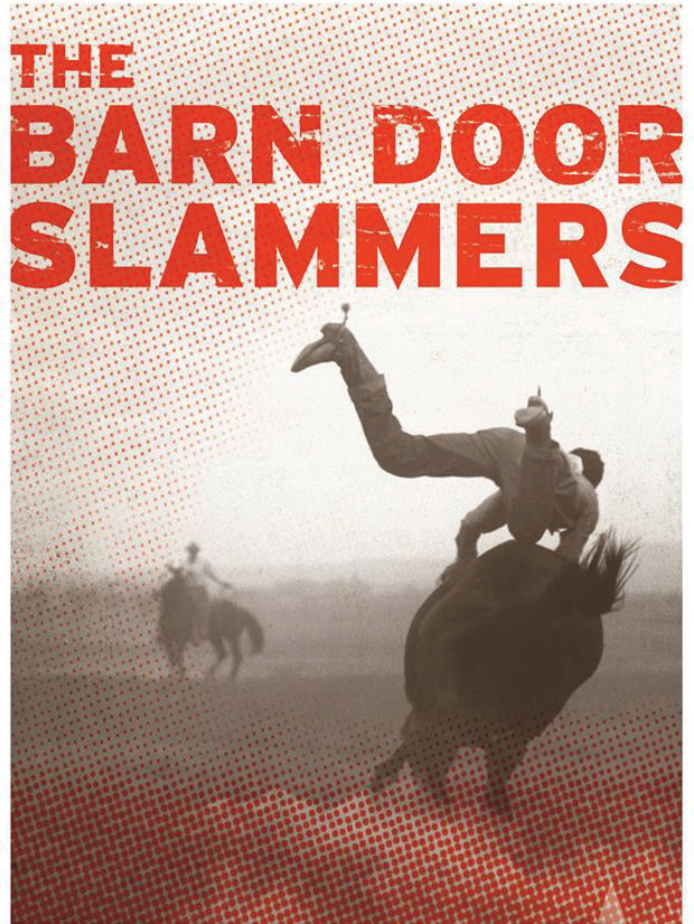
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The Roseway 2015 Concerts in the Park Lineup

Thursday, July 9

For Roseway's first concert of the 2015 season, we proudly present **the Barn Door Slammers**.

Inspired by the great western dance bands of Bob Wills, Tex Williams, Spade Cooley, and Billy Jack Wills, the Barn Door Slammers feature authentic instrumentation and a repertoire of Western Swing that draws on traditional fiddle tunes, blues, big band swing, and country ballads.



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Thursday, July 16

For the second concert, the **Vagabond Opera** brings their unique blend of jazz, swing, and sounds from all over the world.



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Thursday, July 23

For our final concert, **Brownish Black** brings Roseway their authentic brand of vintage rough-edged R&B and soul.

The band is currently performing in support of their recently released album, *Life Lessons*, available as a digital download at brownishblack.bandcamp.com.



The RNA would like to give special thanks to Angela Carpenter for all her hard work planning, organizing, and coordinating the concerts on behalf of the RNA.

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New Tennis Programs at Grant Park by Pamela Judge

Through August 21, the United States Tennis Association of the Pacific Northwest is offering tennis programs for new and returning players. All equipment is provided – you don't even need to own a racquet in order to play! There are programs for whole families age 6 and up. With music, games and prizes, it feels more like a party than a practice and is very family-friendly. A family of four costs \$25 and sessions last 1.5 hours. Register at Grantft.eventbrite.com or visit Granttennis.eventbrite.com for more information.

2015 Roseway Neighborhood Cleanup Report

by Jessica Ediger

The Roseway Neighborhood had our biggest Cleanup yet! THANK YOU!!! to our **57 volunteers** who worked tirelessly May 30 in Glenhaven Park!!! All of your time, stamina and talents cleared our neighborhood of **17 tons of waste, 12 tons of wood and yard debris, 3 tons of metal, 1 huge container of plastics** for recycling and many, many tires and a huge trailer load of electronics. We had **277 participant vehicles** with over 86% coming from right within our neighborhood! Our "You-Price-It" zone was quite a success thanks to a dedicated team of individuals. Pat yourselves on the back because none of this could have happened without neighbors working and achieving together. A portion of the proceeds from our hard work will go to our neighborhood concert series in Glenhaven Park. Come celebrate with us!

Roseway is grateful to our partners and sponsors: Portland Bureau of Planning and Sustainability, City of Portland, Metro, Recology, CNN, Junk Jugglers, and the Rebuilding Center. Refreshments were provided by local businesses Ira's Deli, Annie's Donuts and Brickhouse Pizza. Thank you!



Community Calendar

Roseway General Meeting

Tuesday, July 14, 7 p.m.
Grace Lutheran Church - 7610 NE Fremont

Roseway Movies in the Park

Saturday, July 18 at 6:30 p.m. - Glenhaven Park
Wed., August 19 at 6:30 p.m. - Wellington Park

Roseway Concerts in the Park

Thursday, July 9 at 6:30 p.m. - Glenhaven Park
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Roseway Social in the Park Blocks

Tuesday, August 4 at 6:30 p.m. - 72nd Ave.



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