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Good neighbors

Three Bees Pottery and Coffee Shop celebrates one year!

By Sarah Waggoner

On the weekend of September 8, 9, and 10, there is going to be a celebration on the Boulevard that you won't want to miss! Three Bees Pottery and Coffee Shop, which has been open for one year under new ownership, is hosting a weekend-long open house for the anniversary, and all are invited to join in the festivities. Their pottery, which is Mexican glazed Talavera style, is 20 percent off all weekend. Virgil's Plant Shop will be present with a pop-up so that you can find unique plants to go with your new pottery. Additional surprise guests will be present for the celebrations. Three Bees is also offering free yoga classes, perfect for getting in your morning stretch and enjoying some coffee

and breakfast afterward. And last but not least, there will be giveaways each day that all customers can enter for chances to win a prize. Three Bees has quickly become a neighborhood staple, with new owners Kitty, Richard, Drew, and Daniel re-opening and reimagining the space in 2021, with a recent expansion of their outdoor seating area. They serve house-made tamales and the best griddled birria burritos in town. They also offer gluten-free, dairy-free, and vegan options, in addition to a variety of traditional Hispanic drinks that are made fresh, like the delicious hand-strained horchata. And starting September 8, they are expanding their hours, opening at 8 a.m. every morning and

closing up at 6 p.m.

Make sure to stop by Three Bees Pottery and Coffee Shop at 925 Southwest

Blvd. from September 8-10 to congratulate this Rosedale business on a great first year and to join in the celebration!



Three Bees outdoor space is ready for their one-year anniversary celebration.



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R O S E D A L E D E V E L O P M E N T A S S O C I A T I O N N E W S L E T T E R

Rosedale History exhibit is now at 1401 Southwest Boulevard.


By Sarah Waggoner

Earlier this year the incredible team at the Wyandotte County Historical Museum put together a Rosedale history exhibit, aided by contributions of artifacts and stories by past and current Rosedalians. We are excited to announce that the exhibit has been installed in our community space at 1401 Southwest Blvd. for the next month.

This exhibit is full of information, from early Rosedale history to the more recent past, and everything in-between. The museum curators carefully set up the space so that when you walk through it, you experience the collection in chronological order.

The exhibit is available to the public during our normal business hours, Monday through Friday from 9 a.m.-

5 p.m. Stop by our office next door beforehand so we can unlock the space for you, and you will be welcomed to stay as long as you like. We also have Rosedale yearbooks and a limited number of the popular arch pins for sale. We will also have the exhibit open on Saturday, September 17 from 9 a.m.-noon for those unable to make it during business hours. After the last day of the exhibit on September 23, the exhibit will no longer be available to view at any location, so visit while you can and learn a little more about our community's history.

 To learn more about the Rosedale history exhibit, please contact Sarah at sarah@rosedale.org.



Come see the Rosedale History exhibit throughout September.



DDT tournament players chum it up in between rounds.

Disc De Triomphe fundraiser returns to Rosedale Park


By Sarah Oltvedt

The Rosedale Disc de Triomphe in partnership with Dynamic Discs is back! After a two-year hiatus due to the pandemic, we are excited to be back at Rosedale Park on September 24 with friends, sponsors, and volunteers. If you haven't had a chance to check out our community's very own disc golf course, there is no better time to enjoy it than by being a part of this lively and collaborative disc golf tournament.

This team tournament offers the opportunity for individuals of all ages and skill levels to join in the fun. Each player receives custom discs and t-shirt, lunch from Joe's KC, and swag bag. Teams of two are divided into "flights" according to skill levels, so someone new to the sport will not play against a seasoned pro. Everyone has the opportunity to win great prizes from

local favorites such as Joe's KC, Boulevard Brewery, Carmen's Café, and more. There is still time to join by either signing up to play, as an individual or a team, or by becoming a tournament sponsor.

The 2022 presenting sponsors are TMS, Inc., MKS Pipe & Valve, Cashen Brothers Properties, and The University of Kansas Health System. Additional sponsors include Kansas City Testing & Engineering, Midtown Signs, John Mendez & Mary Gonzales, Karen Burnett, and David & Vicky Bluford, among others. All proceeds benefit Rosedale Development Association and the various programs and services we provide in our community.

 To learn more, become a sponsor, or sign up to play, visit rosedale.org/discgolf or contact Sarah). at 913-677-5097.



There are numerous ways for families to be active at Fisher Park.


Give back and have fun with RDA on Family Active Day in Fisher Park

By Juanise Oliver

Dust off those hiking boots and come ready to use your muscles! On Saturday, September 17, we are so excited to host a Family Active Day in conjunction with a trail work-day at Fisher Park to celebrate National Family Day. Starting at 9 a.m., families will meet at the Rozarks trailhead located in Fisher Park, and volunteer to work on the trails until 11 a.m. We will be doing routine trail maintenance, so wear sturdy shoes and clothes that you don't mind getting a little dirty. Water and snacks will be provided, and all ages and skill levels are welcome.

For the second part of the day, RDA will offer a family

scavenger hunt at 11 a.m., with a Fisher Park-specific list of items to find and activities to complete. This activity should take less than an hour and will be fun for the whole family. Getting families involved in the community, out in the Rosedale parks, and enjoying physical activity are in line with RDA's goals, and we are happy to bring this event to the community. So, join us on September 17 for either or both activities and enjoy the active fun with your family!

 To learn more about RDA events, please contact Juanise Oliver at juanise@rosedale.org.

Recruiting members for RDA's 2023 Board of Directors

By Erin Stryka

Are you passionate about Rosedale and want to give your time and energy to this community? RDA is now accepting applications to join the Board of Directors in 2023. Board members are responsible for determining RDA's strategic direction, setting policy, approving the annual budget, and representing RDA in the community. Prospective

board members must also live or work in Rosedale, commit to serve on one or more board committees, participate in fundraising and in RDA programs and events, and make a personal financial contribution that is meaningful to you. Apply online at rosedale.org/about-us/our-board-of-directors or email erin@rosedale.org for an application.

RDA plans fun fall events in Rosedale


By Juanise Oliver

Summer flew by like a good breeze, sweeping us right into fall! RDA staff is so excited to invite you to save the dates for our upcoming fall events. As we settle into the cooler temps of fall, we invite you to our very first Family Active Day on Saturday, September 17. During this event we will do some routine work on the Rozarks trails and also provide a family scavenger hunt in Fisher Park. Please arrive at 9 a.m. to volunteer your time for the trail cleanup; the scavenger hunt will begin directly after at 11 a.m.

To keep the fun going, we invite all our neighbors and friends to our Healthy Halloween/Haunted Trails event on Saturday, October 29. Feel free to dress up and join the ghost and ghouls as we as they wreak havoc on the Rozarks trails at the Rosedale Arch. Festivities will begin at 3 p.m., and all are welcome to stay until dark at their own risk!

As we wrap up the year, we invite community members and local businesses to our fall Business Social, which will be held at our community space at 1401 Southwest Blvd. on Wednesday, November 2 from 5:30-7:30 p.m. This is a fantastic opportunity for businesses and employees to come together, to network, and discuss what is new in the business sector of Rosedale.

In culmination of 2022, our annual meeting will be held on Tuesday, December 13, followed by the Third Annual Luminary Hike at the Rozarks trail in Fisher Park, which will be set up from December 12-18. Please look out for further information and opportunities to join in as the date approaches. We can't wait to connect with you this fall!

 To learn more or to volunteer during any RDA events, please contact Juanise Oliver at juanise@rosedale.org.



Rosedalian families showed up in costume to last year's event.

Kicking it up with our youth programs this fall

By Ajhanae' Franklin

As the weather cools down and youth return to school, RDA is preparing for our fall youth programs to begin! This year we are offering two fall programs for Rosedale youth; Rosedale Future Professionals and our Rosedale youth soccer league, both long-running programs that have had great participation and success.

Rosedale Future Professionals is a six-week financial literacy program offered for youth in middle school. The program focuses on providing youth with the opportunity to explore different career goals through careful and thoughtful planning with an integrative Junior Achieve-



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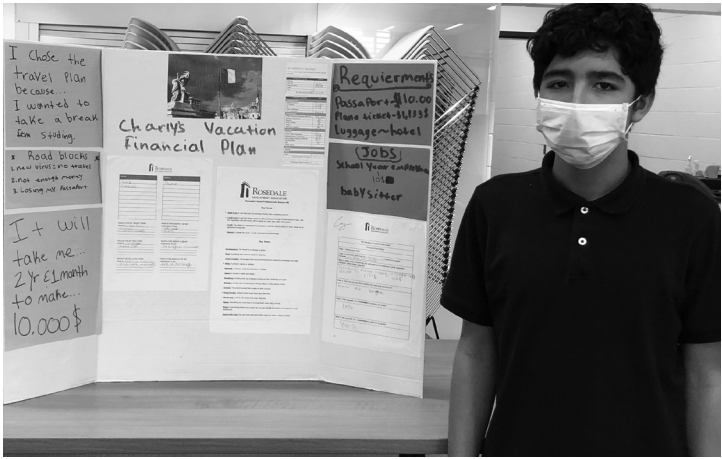
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Rosedale Future Professionals plan for their financial futures

ment curriculum. Students will work directly with RDA program staff and community volunteers to help them craft plans and set goals for their financial futures. Participants will be paid \$10 for each class they attend, offering a real chance at learning how to manage their money. We are currently looking for volunteers to come in and help lead the curriculum with the youth of Rosedale.

RDA will also be hosting a four-week soccer league for youth ages 5-12, and all abilities and skill levels are welcomed. Youth in the soccer league will have the opportunity to practice every Tuesday and Thursday at

5:30 p.m. and play games every Saturday, with the time yet to be determined. The league will start on September 27 and will go until October 22. All practices and games will take place at Rosedale Park, and water and snacks will be provided for youth. We are still looking for volunteer coaches for the youth soccer league, so if that interests you, please reach out!

Both programs are being offered free of charge, and registration can be found on our website at rosedale.org.

 To learn more about our fall youth programming, please contact Ajhanae' Franklin at ajhanae@rosedale.org.

Events calendar

SEPTEMBER

September 9

Adult kickball league
5:30 p.m.
Rosedale Park

September 16

Adult kickball league
5:30 p.m.
Rosedale Park

September 17

Family Active Day
9 a.m.
Fisher Park

September 17-23

Rosedale History Exhibit open
9 a.m.
1401 Southwest Blvd.

September 19

Rosedale Future Professionals begins
3:30 p.m.
Rosedale Middle School

September 21


Rosedale Leadership Council
6:30 p.m.
1401 Southwest Blvd.

September 24

Disc de Triomphe tournament
8:30 a.m.
Rosedale Park

September 27

Rosedale youth soccer league begins
5:30 p.m.
Rosedale Park

 To learn more about upcoming events and other community happenings, visit rosedale.org or call 913-677-5097.

Rosedale Development Association

Our mission is to work with residents, businesses, and institutions to develop a thriving Rosedale community.

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