

Meeting April 26, 2021 12pm

Attendees: Cheryl Crowe, Hans Albing, Melaney Ditler, David Ward

Icebreaker: Easy things that neighbors can do to build community  
Melaney- Set out a display of small bouquets with a sign that says take flowers for someone you love. Set out a flat of flowers for people to take a cell for their yards or a friend.

Hans- Move Barbecue to the front- not the back- impromptu block party

David-Take your neighbors cookies

- Brooklyn New Neighbor Guide-Send to the board.
  - Name Idea: Key to Brooklyn
- Rose Festival Porch Parade- Lets encourage Brooklyn Neighbors to get involved.
  - Encourage through Social Media, Signs, flyers,
  - Does the rose festival have any flyers we could use? Email the rose parade and ask a Rosarian.
- Pedalpalooza Rides- Ideas?
  - Picnic Ride
  - Quirky Brooklyn
- Historic Gallery Show- ask Eric Wheeler to curate
  - Can we sell some of the stuff if it's not able to be passed on to the Historical Society? Pose that question to the board after the items have been sorted.
- Walking tour for May or June with Eric Wheeler
- Park Social- Want to focus on all ages, and residents without children
  - Make it like a miniature "the best of brooklyn BBQ"?
  - Tables for the committees
  - Raffle- charge? And we use the mason jar for adult

- raffle and the kids
  - DJ?
  - Possible 3-4 restaurant vendors
  - Icebreaker for the event -Neighbor bingo
- Set a date for Congregate with Community Connections- Monday May 17th- 4:00-6 at The Place or at Han's or David's home.
- Learning Circles: A group getting together to learn a topic. Can use materials already available.
  - Hans will facilitate The Science of Well Being learning circle.
- Ross Island Picnic- July or August- Hans is leading
- Houseless Outreach - Hans is researching it.
- Melaney has another event idea: Socktober Collect socks for the homeless community.
- Looking for a sponsor for the Neighborhood Cleanup for the Neighborhood this year. Melaney is researching the cost for a sponsorship.
- Next Meeting May 10th at 12PM

Icebreaker for Next meeting: Never have I ever...

Next Meeting:

- Hans give updates on learning circle and the Houseless Outreach- Ross island Picnic Date
  - Melaney updates on Porch Parade and Walking Tour and Neighborhood cleanup sponsorship update?
  - Cheryl- Pedalpalooza Rides Schedule, Update about Historical Society member contacts. Next step on New Neighbor Guide and Map
  - David- Introduce his neighbor initiative.
- Other business as needed.