

## June Meeting is Our Annual Pitch-in Cookout



The June Bates-Hendricks Neighborhood Association meeting on Monday, June 3 at 6:30pm will be our annual pitch-in cookout. It will be held at Hendricks Park, located at 1313 Madison Avenue (corner of Orange Street and Madison Avenue). The neighborhood association will provide hot dogs, vegan burgers, and water, as well as plates, utensils, and napkins. Please bring a side dish or dessert if you're able to. Come socialize with other neighbors and get a brief update on neighborhood happenings!

## Letter from the President

Neighbors,

Summer is here, so that means it's time for our annual cookout! Please join us at Hendricks Park (details above) for a communal meal and a few quick updates from community partners. It is a great time to connect with neighbors. We hope to see you there!

We also have a grant opportunity from the Quality of Life Committee available to any member of the neighborhood association who isn't a part of the Committee. The Committee is offering micro-grants up to \$250 for neighbors that have an idea to improve the neighborhood. The requirements are simple: just answer a few questions and get approval, and then the neighborhood association will reimburse you for the project that you lead.

The Committee does not have specific projects to complete. That's up to you. The Committee will review the applications looking at: (1) what need(s) the project satisfied, (2) what benefit(s) the project provides, (3) whether you will lead the project, and (4) whether the project can be completed in two months. The application will be available on the neighborhood website, [www.bateshendricks.org](http://www.bateshendricks.org), in June. Please apply!

And last – but not least – here is your annual reminder to please clear the storm drains on your block. Our neighborhood is a healthier, cleaner, and easier place to walk, bike, and drive when we have clear sewers so that the torrential rains of summer storms can drain. Please take a few minutes this week, put on some gloves, and clear whatever debris you find. Thanks for your help!



**BHNA President, James Bulow**

## East Gateway Painting & Cleanup on Saturday, June 8

On Saturday, June 8 from 10:00am to approximately noon, we will be doing some maintenance at our East Gateway located at 830 E. Morris Street. We plan to repaint the neighborhood sign and tidy up our garden beds and spread mulch. Bring gardening gloves, sunscreen, and water. Everyone is welcome to stay as long as you can! Contact [Beautification@bateshendricks.org](mailto:Beautification@bateshendricks.org) for more information.



## Family Movie Nights at Immanuel United



Immanuel United is excited to share their Family Movie Night Series with neighbors. The first in this series is Friday, June 21 at 402 Prospect Street (across from the Burger King). Doors will open at 6:00pm and the movie starts at 6:30pm. Come by yourself or bring your family and "Let's go to the movies" at Immanuel!

The movie, popcorn, and drinks will be provided free of charge. Bring blankets and pillows if you want to sit close with your family in front. They also have plenty of chairs if you don't want to sit on the floor.

They look forward to sharing this quality family time with you! An adult needs to accompany children.

The next movie night in the series will be Friday, July 19 at the same time and place.

## Concerts at Immanuel Music Series

Mark your calendars and plan to join Immanuel United on June 30 at 3:00pm for the next concert in the Concerts at Immanuel Concert Music Series. This month's group is Chicken Bone, who play rock, pop, R&B, and disco, and is a favorite for weddings, corporate events, festivals, parties, and clubs. The band has played almost every major event or venue in central Indiana and has become a local favorite. This concert is free and open to the public. There will be a freewill offering to help offset the concert series expenses.

## Vacation Bible School at Immanuel United

Immanuel United, located at 402 Prospect Street (across from the Burger King), would like to invite you for Vacation Bible School June 30 through July 2 from 6:30pm to 8:00pm as they explore super heroes in the Bible! Sunday night will be female heroines, Monday male heroes, and Tuesday the biggest hero of them all – Jesus! Food, crafts, stories, songs, and fun will be had by all.

# Bates-Hendricks Neighborhood Association

The Bates-Hendricks Neighborhood Association strives to improve the quality of life of those living in the neighborhood through efforts to assure safety, to maintain or improve the living environment, and to enhance the spirit of cooperation and neighborliness among all residents. We meet on the first Monday of even months at The Lincoln Center (516 Lincoln Street) at 6:30pm. Annual dues are \$10 for households and \$25 for businesses. Please mail dues to Bates-Hendricks Neighborhood Association, PO Box 342, Indianapolis, IN 46206. More information about the neighborhood can be found online at [bateshendricks.org](http://bateshendricks.org).



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## Upcoming

- Jun 3** **Annual Bates-Hendricks Neighborhood Association Cookout / Meeting, 6:30pm, Hendricks Park, 1313 Madison Avenue.** Our June meeting is a pitch-in cookout. See page 1 for details. The Association meets on the first Monday of even months. Stay involved with the neighborhood and visit with your neighbors!
- Jun 8** **East Gateway Cleanup, 10:00am, 830 E. Morris Street.** This month, join us to repaint our East Gateway neighborhood sign! We will also be tidying up our garden beds and spreading mulch. Bring gardening gloves, sunscreen, and water. Everyone is welcome to stay as long as you can! Contact [Beautification@bateshendricks.org](mailto:Beautification@bateshendricks.org) for more information.
- Jun 10** **Quality of Life / Economic Development Meeting, 6:30pm, The Lincoln Center, 516 Lincoln Street.** This committee works to improve the East Street corridor, among other objectives. For more information, contact [QualityOfLife@bateshendricks.org](mailto:QualityOfLife@bateshendricks.org).
- Jun 13** **Republic Recycling Pickup.** More info at [www.republicservices.com/residents/all-in-one-recycling](http://www.republicservices.com/residents/all-in-one-recycling).
- Jun 17** **Events Committee Meeting, 6:30pm, The Lincoln Center, 516 Lincoln Street.** This committee works to plan neighborhood events, including Street Fest, the Chili Cook-off, holiday dinners, and more. Contact [Events@bateshendricks.org](mailto:Events@bateshendricks.org) for more information.
- Jun 17** **Marketing Committee Meeting, 6:30pm, online.** This committee works to promote the neighborhood. Contact [Marketing@bateshendricks.org](mailto:Marketing@bateshendricks.org) to join the meeting or for more information.
- Jun 18** **Heavy Trash Pickup.** More information at [www.indy.gov/activity/trash-pickup](http://www.indy.gov/activity/trash-pickup).
- Jun 25** **Land Use Committee Meeting, 6:30pm, online.** This committee considers zoning, development, and property issues in Bates-Hendricks with the goal of ensuring peaceful co-existence among residents and businesses. Contact [LandUse@bateshendricks.org](mailto:LandUse@bateshendricks.org) for more information.
- Jun 27** **Republic Recycling Pickup.** More info at [www.republicservices.com/residents/all-in-one-recycling](http://www.republicservices.com/residents/all-in-one-recycling).