WPB WINDOW WONDERLAND

Register your business to participate by October 16 to be included in PR!

For sponsorship opportunities, contact gabriela@wickerparkbucktown.com

CTA inclusion deadline is this week!

When: November 30 - December 30, 2019

Where: WPB Businesses

The Wicker Park Bucktown Chamber of Commerce is proud to present the WPB Window Wonderland. This event is FREE for all businesses to register and participate. We'll celebrate and highlight the holiday shopping season in WPB Shops with a passport program starting November 30th to encourage shoppers to visit participating stores with a chance to win a $50 giftcard. Participating businesses will decorate their window for the holidays with a

Did you know members can now apply for a micro-grant?
Learn more and apply

Visit these WPB Businesses!

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theme of their choice for a chance to win a grand prize of $500. More information

OCTOBER MIXER- A WICKED WEST CHAMBER EVENT
When: Thursday October 24, 6 - 8 PM
Where: Arts of Life, 2010 W Carroll Ave
Join us for the 1st ever Wicked West - multi Chamber Halloween mixer as we visit Arts of Life and celebrate the Halloween Wicked West Trick or Treat Event! Enjoy an evening of delicious food and drinks as we mix and mingle with our partners from West Town and Logan Square Chamber of Commerce. Costumes are encouraged but not required! Be prepared for a fang-tastic night! RSVP

DAY OF THE DEAD EVENT
When: Friday, November 1, 5 - 8 PM
Where: The Joinery, 2533 W Homer St
The Joinery, Wicker Park Bucktown & Logan Square Chambers, West Bucktown Neighborhood Association, and Boulevard BBQ are hosting the 3rd Annual Day of the Dead Community Event. This FREE family friendly event allows us to celebrate life through the Mexican holiday, Dia De Los Muertos, as we honor deceased loved ones with traditional alters, music, food, and drinks. There will be plenty of crafts, games, and a face painter for the children to enjoy and the first 100 kids to attend will receive a goody bag! Please bring a photo of a departed loved one and items beloved to them to celebrate their memory by adding to the ofrenda. More information
**WICKED WEST TRICK OR TREAT EVENT**

When: Thursday, October 31, 4 - 6 PM  
Where: WPB, West Town and Logan Square  
The Wicker Park Bucktown Chamber of Commerce in partnership with West Town and Logan Square Chamber of Commerce is proud to present the Wicked West Trick or Treat Event! Whether you are giving out treats to trick or treaters, offering a special or promotion, or in store activation like an enter to win, gift with purchase, the WPB Chamber of Commerce will help to market and promote the event through listing your promo or sale on our website, events newsletter, social media posts, and Google Map. Register your business to participate TODAY! It's FREE to participate!  
[More information](#)

**WOMEN'S OCTOBER NETWORKING EVENT**

When: Thursday, October 18, 9:30 - 10:30 AM  
Where: TOMS, 1611 N. Damen Ave  
Join us for our October Women's Networking Event at Toms. Enjoy a morning of coffee, conversations and connections with amazing business women from WPB and all of Chicago.  
[RSVP](#)

**WICKER PARK FARMER'S MARKET**

We only have TWO outdoor market dates left!  
The outdoor market in Wicker Park at 1425 N Damen Ave. will run through October 27th from 8am - 2pm. **REMINDE:** This market is plastic free. Please bring your own shopping totes.
This Week at the Market:
Live music-
8:00 am - 10:00 am Emilia Lipinska
10:00 am - 12:00 pm Tony Rojas
12:00 pm - 2:00 pm Joe Krikorian
Our rotating vendors are Bot Bakery and Recette. We are currently accepting vendors for our Indoor Market at The Robey Hall. Applications will close next Thursday! Please find more information here.

SSA UPDATE

BOOPALOOZA
Wicker Park Advisory Council’s event, Boopalooza, is a recipient of our community grant program. Boopalooza will take place on Saturday, October 26th in Wicker Park (1425 N. Damen Ave.) The event will include costume parades with prizes for children, families, and adults, a costume parade with prizes for dogs, numerous performances, a pumpkin patch with a decorating area, a maze and tons more! For more information about our community grant program, please click here.

CHICAGO SCULPTURE EXHIBIT 2019
Eric Stein’s sculpture "Irene" is sponsored by SSA #33 through Chicago Sculpture Exhibit. You can find this piece, composed of steel and cast concrete, at 1701 W. North Ave. Learn more about the Chicago Sculpture Exhibit here.

CLEANSLATE
Wondering what it takes to keep our corridors clean? Our wonderful service provider for litter abatement, Clean slate, has so far in 2019:
- Removed 6,848 graffiti tags
- Emptied 7,398 trash cans
- Emptied 2,360 recycling cans
- Removed 5,645 stickers and signs
Placed 240 Cleanslate interns have participated in the transitional job program through Cleanslate Cara.

WPB ARTS
Wicker Park Bucktown is dedicated to promoting and preserving the arts within our neighborhood and fostering a community of artists and art lovers. The WPB Weekend Arts Guide serves to compile a nearly comprehensive list of exhibitions, happenings, and events related to the arts around our neighborhood. Find out about exhibitions openings or closings as well as many other opportunities to discover and engage local, contemporary art.
GNAME THE GNOME
You know him. You love him. You’ve seen him around
the neighborhood. Now you can NAME him!
Vote Here

NEWS FROM THE COMMITTEES
All SSA meetings are open to the public and everyone is
welcome to join. Check below for the upcoming
schedule.
10/16 WPB SSA #33 COMMISSION MEETING
10/22 ARTS COMMITTEE (SSA #33)
*Please find a schedule of all meetings, locations and
times here*

What is the WPB SSA? Click here to find out!

NEIGHBORHOOD EVENTS

2019 NETWORKING EXTRAVAGANZA
When: Wednesday, October 16, 5:30 - 7:30 PM
Where: Kings Dining & Entertainment,
1500 N. Clybourn
More Information

BRECKENRIDGE BREWERY BEER DINNER
When: Thursday, October 17, 7 PM
Where: Quimby’s Bookstore, 1854 W. North Ave
More Information

OLD FASHIONED THURSDAYS FEATURING
MORGAN PIRTLE
When: Thursday, October 17, 8 - 11 PM
Where: Tricycle Chicago, 1700 N. Damen Ave
More Information
WORLDVIEW ADVENTURE
**When:** Now October 18  
**Where:** Chopin Theatre, 1543 W Division  
[More Information](#)

SPOOKY POP-UP PUPPET FAMILY WORKSHOP
**When:** Friday, October 18, 6 - 7 PM  
**Where:** Holstein Park Fieldhouse, 2200 N. Oakley  
[More Information](#)

CIRCUIT SATURDAY
**When:** Saturday, October 19, 10 - 10:30 AM  
**Where:** HealthSource Chiropractic of Chicago, 1448 North Milwaukee Ave  
[Tickets](#)

STORYTIME
**When:** Saturday, October 19, 10 AM  
**Where:** Volumes Bookcafe, 1474 N. Milwaukee Ave  
[More Information](#)

OPEN HOUSE CHICAGO
**When:** October 19 - 20  
**Where:** Various WPB locations and Chicago area  
[More Information](#)

INA’S VOODOO LOUNGE NOLA HALLOWEEN POP UP
**When:** October 24 - November 3  
**Where:** Ina Mae Packaged Goods, 1415 N Wood St  
[More Information](#)
THE ODDITY BAZAAR
When: October 25 - November 3
Where: Jackson Junge Gallery, 1389 N Milwaukee Ave
More information

LA OFRENDAL
When: October 26 & November 2
Where: Adventure Stage, 1012 N. Noble St
Tickets

HALLOWEEN PARTY AT MAC'S WOOD GRILLED
When: October 26 - 27, 8 PM - 3 AM
Where: Mac's Wood Grilled, 1801 W. Division St
More information

MR. SINGER & THE SHARP COOKIES HALLOWEEN ALBUM RELEASE!
When: Sunday, October 27 12 - 1 PM
Where: Beat Kitchen, 2100 W. Belmont Ave.
More information

SWAP-O-RAMA!
When: Sunday, October 27, 3 - 5 PM
Where: Nature Yoga Sanctuary, 2021 W Division St
More information

For more local events and deals, please visit our website at wickerparkbucktown.com.
WELLNESS TIP OF THE WEEK

Brought to you by HealthSource of Wicker Park

We are getting into the time of year when it may be beneficial to take extra steps to boost your immune system. Certain foods can also reinforce our body’s resiliency to fighting infections. The first of these foods is bone broth. Whether in home made chicken soup or slowly boiling beef or other bones for 24 to 48 hours, broth can strengthen your stomach lining and reduce inflammation. Additionally, fermented foods like sauerkraut, kimchi, kefir and tempeh are made with live cultures of bacteria to support your healthy gut biome and a stronger immune system. Shiitake, maitake, and reishi mushrooms supply potent beta-glucans, which activates white blood cells and garlic contains allicin, a compound that can help fight infection and bacteria. Finally, dark leafy greens and berries are packed with micronutrients, minerals and antioxidants for optimal immune system performance.

CHICAGO E-SCOOTER PILOT SURVEY

The Chicago E-Scooter Pilot ends on October 15. BACP has created the Chicago E-Scooter Survey to help the City understand ridership and evaluate the impact of scooters on the community during the four-month pilot. The survey is available to everyone, whether or not they rode a scooter during the pilot. The survey will be open until October 27.

Survey

POP UP AND SELL!

In 2018, the City Council passed a new Pop-Up ordinance designed to make it easier to do business in the City of Chicago! Are you looking to launch a new business or test a new concept? Can a Pop-Up help expand your business and reach new customers? Are you a landlord interested in hosting other businesses at your location? Are you looking to take your current Pop-Up business model to the next level? If so, then there are a few things you should know. Come to our FREE Pop Up & Sell Information Session. 10/19 at Woodlawn Resource Center. More information

2020 INDIVIDUAL ARTISTS PROGRAM GRANTS

Application Opens: Tuesday, October 22

DCASE is pleased to announce the timeline for the 2020 Individual Artists Program (IAP) grant cycle. IAP grants aim to assist Chicago’s practicing artists in creating work that develops their craft and elevates their careers, while adding to the cultural vitality of the city of Chicago. IAP grants support artists across all artistic disciplines including Film & Media Arts, Literary Arts, Performing Arts (Theatre/Dance), Music and Visual Arts/Design. The application will open and guidelines will become available on October 22, 2019. The application deadline is
December 5, 2019 at 5pm CST. All applicants are encouraged to attend an Application Assistance Workshop to learn about important updates to this year's program. For eligibility requirements, grant calendar, and to RSVP for workshops please visit chicagoculturalgrants.org.

SMALL BUSINESS CENTER ON THE ROAD EXPO
The next small business expo will be Saturday, November 2nd at Malcolm X College from 10:00 am - 2:00 pm! The expo is free and open to the public. There is free parking adjacent to the building. The FREE expos bring business resources to the community for new and existing entrepreneurs looking to start or grow their business in the City of Chicago.

More information

CHAMBER COMMITTEES
Join a Chamber committee! Help guide the direction of the neighborhood from events and marketing to business development. We encourage all motivated and insightful Chamber Members to get involved.

Learn more