WE GOT IT IN WPB

A WEEKLY BUSINESS & EVENTS NEWSLETTER

FEATURE STORY

WPB SUMMER SIDEWALK SALE

When: Saturday & Sunday, August 25 & 26, 12-6pm
Where: Wicker Park & Bucktown, Multiple Locations
The WPB Summer Sidewalk Sale is our neighborhood shop local event of the season! Come out and enjoy live entertainment, deals, promotions and Al Fresco Fashion Show on Saturday starting at 4:30 at the Boombox Plaza at 1262 N. Milwaukee Ave. To see the map of all the participating businesses click here.
SEPTEMBER MIXER AT THE FRAME SHOP
Join us for our September Mixer at The Frame Shop. Come for food, booze, mingling and a frame of one of your photos for free.* This event is sponsored by Compass Mortgage.
*Pick a photo off your phone and the Frame Shop will print it in the shop teach you how to frame it and give it to you for free! RSVP

HEY GIRL, I MISSED YOU!
After a long summer, it's time to get the ladies back together for a morning of power networking! Bring your beautiful smiles to NK Dental for a check up... on what's been going on with each other. RSVP

WICKER PARK FARMER'S MARKET
When: Sundays, 8 am - 2 pm
Where: Wicker Park, 1425 N. Damen
The Wicker Park Farmers Market has had a great first half of the season so far! We are excited to announce Beacon Donuts is now with us as a full-time vendor. Don't forget that Healthy Soil Compost offers drop-offs of compost for a donation of $5 every Sunday! If you mention you heard about them through our market, you will receive $10 off your first home pick-up service. We also offer free yoga classes every Sunday, 9-9:45am with Nature Yoga Sanctuary. We have had classes as big as 50 students already! Classes are located in Schiller's Grove. B.Y.O.M and beginner friendly.

This Sunday at the Wicker Park Farmers Market:
Live Music - Tom Compton - 9 am-1 pm and the 1099 String Quartet 11 am-12:30 pm
Live Chef Demo with Charlie Mckenna from Lillie Q's at 10am
Historic Garden Walk at 10 am
Community table - Cranium Care
Free yoga at 9:00 am with Nature Yoga Sanctuary
Compost drop-offs are available with Healthy Soil Compost for $5 every Sunday! 
[Farmer's Market Website]

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**SSA UPDATE**

**CLEANSLATE**

Wondering what it takes to keep our corridors clean? Our wonderful service provider for litter abatement, [Cleanslate](#), has so far in 2018:
- removed 4,205 graffiti tags
- emptied 2,600 trash cans
- removed 1,955 stickers and signs
Placed 65 Cleanslate interns in full-time employment through the [Cleanslate Cara](#) program.

**PATIO PLANTER HOT TIP**

If you own a business with a sidewalk café permit and have planters nearby, we encourage you to use unused water from customers and dump into the planters - extra watering will keep the summer blooms healthy and happy!

**GREEN MESSAGE**

Mark your calendars for our next community recycling and e-shredding event taking place on Saturday, September 8, 2018. WPB SSA 33 provides this bi-monthly service as a program of our Clean, Green and Safe Committee. Visit here for more information.

**COMMUNITY GRANT PROGRAM**

Have an event in the fall that you need a little extra capital for? WPB supports events and activities that promote the mission of the SSA. To that end, the Community Grant Program was developed as a way to respond to requests for support. Read more

**CALL FOR COMMISSIONERS**

Are you interested in helping to direct how a portion of your property tax dollars are spent? Do you own property or have a business in the red-shaded areas on this [map](#)? If so, you could be eligible to join the WPB SSA #33 Commission, a group of volunteer stake-holders who approve the expenditures of the SSA #33 budget. To learn more, visit [www.wickerparkbucktown.org](http://www.wickerparkbucktown.org), attend a [Commission Meeting](#), a [Committee meeting](#) or Email [samantha@wickerparkbucktown.com](mailto:samantha@wickerparkbucktown.com).

**NEWS FROM THE COMMITTEES**

We will not hold meetings in the month of August but will resume meeting the week of September 3rd. Visit our website to see a list of [SSA Committees](#) and meeting times. All SSA meetings are open to the public and everyone is welcome to join.
DO YOU HAVE AN EVENT YOU WOULD LIKE TO MARKET?

If you are a chamber member and have an upcoming event, we would like to hear from you! Contact our Events Coordinator, Debbie, directly to get listed.

MEDITATION IN THE PARK

When: TONIGHT, August 22, 6:30 pm
Where: Wicker Park, 1425 N. Damen
More information

NICKEL SALE

When: August 22-August 27
Where: City Soles, 1630 N Milwaukee
More information

KATE GAVINO READS FROM SANPAKU

When: Thursday, August 23, 7:00 - 8:00 PM
Where: Quimby's Bookstore, 1854 W North Ave
More information

WICKER MIC

When: Friday, August 24, 6 - 9 pm
Where: Wicker Park, 1425 N. Damen
More information

ONE WALL & ARTWEAR:
Opening Reception

When: Friday, August 24, 6-9pm
Where: Jackson Junge Gallery, 1389 N. Milwaukee Ave.
Tickets
YOGA IN THE PARK
When: Tuesday, August 28, 6:30 pm
Where: Wicker Park, 1425 N. Damen
More information

COMMUNION: An Evening of Magic
When: September 13-September 22
Where: The Den Theatre, 1331 N. Milwaukee Ave
Tickets

BUCKTOWN ARTS FEST
When: Saturday & Sunday, August 25-26
Where: Across from Holstein Park, 2200 N Oakley
More information

HISTORIC PARK & GARDEN TOURS
When: Sunday, August 26, 10-10:45am
Where: Wicker Park, 1425 N. Damen
More information

1099 STRING QUARTET
When: Sunday, August 26, 11am-12:30pm
Where: Wicker Park, 1425 N. Damen
More information

TIDING OVER: A VISUAL ARTS PROJECT IN PHOTOGRAPHS
When: Now - August 26
Where: The Ukrainian National Museum, 2249 West Superior Street
More information

CHICAGO ONSCREEN AT WICKER PARK
When: Wednesday, August 29, 8:00 - 9:30 PM
Where: Wicker Park, 1425 N. Damen
More information
City of Chicago's
ONE THE ROAD EXPO
When: Saturday, September 5, 10-2pm
Where: Truman College, 1145 W. Wilson Ave.
RSVP

SIP & SAVASANA
When: Monday, September 10, 7-10pm
Where: Easy Bar, 1944 West Division Street
Tickets

SHUFFLE BOARD FALL LEAGUES BEGIN
When: Starting Tuesday, September 11
Where: Royal Palms, 1750 N Milwaukee Ave
Sign Up

SATIATE THE 'I DESERVE ITS!'
When: Thursday, September 13, 6:30 - 8:30 PM
Where: Roots Family Chiropractic, 2744 North Lincoln
More information

For more local events and deals, please visit our website at wickerparkbucktown.com.

NEWS FOR ALL
WELLNESS TIP OF THE WEEK
Brought to you by HealthSource of Wicker Park
Studies show that people under regular chiropractic care have a 200% greater immune competence than people who had not been under regular care.

PROPERTY TAX, EXEMPTIONS, AND APPEAL WORKSHOP FOR WEST TOWNSHIP
When: Thursday, September 6, 6 - 8PM
Where: 2nd Ward Organization Office, 1402 n. Ashland
Please bring a copy of your recent Property Tax Bill or make sure you have Property Index Number (PIN) available. For more information please email ward02@cityofchicago.org or call the 2nd Ward office at 312-643-2299
FREE WORKSHOPS AT CITY HALL
The City of Chicago Department of Business Affairs & Consumer Protection (BACP) offers FREE business education workshops every Wednesday and Friday at City Hall. To register for a workshop call 312-744-2086 or e-mail BACPoutreach@cityofchicago.org.
Click here to view the workshop calendar

LIST YOUR BUSINESS AS A POP UP OR EVENT SPACE!
Need a pop up space or would like to list your own businesses to host events and pop ups? List it on www.thestorefront.com. It is FREE to list your business and details and is a nationwide database that spaces and places of all sizes to host your next event, gallery opening or small business! Check it out at www.thestorefront.com

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

NEIGHBORHOOD JOBS!
As a benefit to our members, we list open positions for their businesses. Check out these exciting opportunities in your neighborhood! See Open Jobs!