

Fulton Neighborhood News

FULTON FALL FESTIVAL

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 13 11AM-3PM

Celebrate the best day of the year in Fulton!

Enjoy bingo, food trucks, yard games, face painting, the amazing Baron of Bubbles, a silent auction, and so much more.

We'll have live music throughout the day, featuring performances by the Southwest High School Jazz Band, The Anchorman, and other talented local teen bands.

The festivities kick off at 10:30 a.m. with a bike parade led by the SWHS Marching Band—don't miss it!

The silent auction raises funds for the Fulton Neighborhood Association (FNA), supporting beloved community events like the Fulton Community Dinners and Lunar New Year Celebration, as well as park upgrades such as pickleball lines and pool shade structures, small grants, and other neighborhood initiatives.

New this year: An adult beverage pull joins the lineup to add to the fun and fundraising!

Help make the festival full of fun!

Volunteer: We are grateful for the many hands that make our community events possible. We need your help to make the festival happen. Sign up for a volunteer shift using the QR code below.

Donate: We'd be grateful for your support. Donate an adult beverage, a silent auction item, or sponsor the festival by using the QR code below, or email info@fultonneighborhood.org

Bid on Auction Items: The silent auction, FNA's biggest fundraiser of the year, will go live on September 6. For bidding information, watch social media and our e-newsletter. For more information and how to bid, visit our website <https://fultonneighborhood.org/events/fulton-fall-festival/>



You can scan the QR code to find links to sign up to volunteer, donate to the silent auction, and sponsor the Fulton Fall Festival or email info@fultonneighborhood.org

Fulton Neighborhood Association is a 501(c)(3) non-profit neighborhood organization. Your donation is tax-deductible.

(ALMOST) 5K FUN RUN

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 10AM

Join the Minneapolis Park and Recreation Board for a family-friendly run at the "Lake Harriet Almost 5K" at 10 a.m. on September 27. Proceeds support local Minneapolis Park & Rec programming. Whether you're a seasoned runner or a first-timer, this scenic course offers the perfect challenge for all levels.

Registration includes a drink token for Bread & Pickle.

Kids under 10 are free.

Register here:



Upcoming FNA Events

September

- FNA Board Meeting
September 10, 6:30 pm
- **Fulton Fall Festival**
September 13, 11am-3pm
- Electrify Everything (virtual)
September 17, 6pm



- Lynnhurst & Fulton
Garage Sale
September 20, 9am-4pm
- (Almost) 5K Fun Run
September 27, 10am

October

- **FNA Annual Meeting**
October 8, 6:30 pm
- Bystander Training (virtual)
October 16

November

- FNA Board Meeting
November 12, 6:30

Upcoming Pershing Park Events

- Senior Luncheon
\$10
Tues. Sept 16, Oct 21, Nov 18
11:30-1:30pm
Please register in advance online
or by calling 612-370-4928.



Fulton Neighborhood Association

The FNA is a 501(c)3 organization funded by the City of Minneapolis and community donations. Our mission and vision is as follows:

Mission: The Fulton Neighborhood Association fosters community connections, supports learning and growth, encourages city engagement, and contributes to the fabric of a stronger community

Vision: A neighborhood where every resident is heard, valued, empowered, and engaged with each other and the broader community.

FNA Board of Directors

- Ray Klahr, President
- Jim Donnelly, Vice President
- Jane Kohnen, Treasurer
- Kristen Ingle, Secretary
- Melanie Heu-Kanow
- John Bender
- Carolina Li
- Jill Lock
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- Sophie Su
- Blake Ward
- Steve Young
- Sasha Jensen, Coordinator

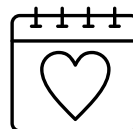
Join us!

FNA holds board meetings on the second Wednesday of each month, and everyone is welcome to attend—either in person or virtually.

Interested in getting more involved? At our annual meeting on October 8th, half the board will be up for election. Join us and help shape the future of our neighborhood!

For more information:
fna@fultonneighborhood.org

SAVE THE DATE FULTON NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION ANNUAL MEETING OCTOBER 8, 2025



Join us on October 8th for the FNA Annual Meeting! Connect with neighbors over food and drinks as we reflect on the past year and look ahead to what's coming in 2026.

Hear from our small grant recipients, meet elected officials, help elect our new Board of Directors, and celebrate with the presentation of this year's Friends of Fulton Awards.

To nominate a Friend of Fulton email info@fultonneighborhood.org. More information will be mailed to your home soon!

LYNNHURST & FULTON GARAGE SALE SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 2025 9AM - 4PM, RAIN OR SHINE



*To register your sale (and get a spot on the map), complete the information below (your personal info will not be shared publicly) and send it, **along with \$5 (check payable to Lynnhurst Neighborhood Association)** to:*

Mary Vander Leest
4653 Aldrich Av. S.
Minneapolis, MN 55419

Registration must be received by Saturday, Sept. 13

Your name: _____

Phone number: _____

Description of items for sale (limit five words)

If you'd like a list of tips for garage sale set up/execution, please include your email address below:

Sale is advertised in StarTribune, on NextDoor, Craigslist, FB Marketplace and several garage sale-specific websites. Questions? Call Mary at 612.718.5814

WEST FULTON IMPROVEMENT PLAN OPEN HOUSE HOURS



The City of Minneapolis will be holding office hours at Pershing Park

The City of Minneapolis will be holding office hours to get feedback and give information on the West Fulton Improvement Plan.

Office hours will be held at the Pershing Park Rec Center from 2-4pm Tuesdays from August 12-September 16.

This is a major reconstruction project in our neighborhood from France to Xerxes and its goals are to increase safety and traffic calming, improve pavement condition, and improve stormwater and drainage.



Planning has been in the works for several years and construction is scheduled to start next year and last until 2030.

GARDENING CORNER



Community Pantry Garden

Did you know that the Fulton Neighborhood Association supports a pantry garden that provides free produce for the neighborhood? These gardens on the east side of the Pershing Park Rec Center are tended carefully by our neighbors all summer to provide produce for you! When you are at the park, take a look at what is ready to harvest and take something home. Stop by often in late summer and early fall to see what is ready!



The Community Pantry Garden is located behind the Pershing Park Recreation Center. You can enjoy the harvest anytime.

THANK YOU FOR ATTENDING THE FULTON ICE CREAM SOCIAL!



This year our Ice Cream Social fell on one of the coolest days of the summer, but temperatures in the upper 50's and a little drizzle didn't stop almost 300 Fulton neighbors from coming out to enjoy some ice cream and see the play "The Little Mermaid".

We could not do this without our partners at Pershing Park and La michoacana Rose at 50th & France who donated ice cream.

Upcoming Bystander Training

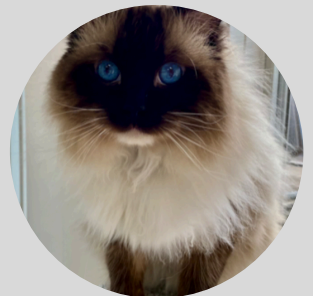
We all have a role to play when we see street harassment happening, but too often we freeze. We don't know what to do. Bystander intervention training gives us tools to intervene without compromising our own safety. When we intervene, we don't just reduce trauma for the person being harassed. We also start to chip away at the culture that allows harassment to be so prevalent. The goal of the training is to give participants the tools to intervene the next time they witness harassment in public spaces.

This training will be provided virtually the evening of **October 16th**. Watch e-news and social for sign up details.

Pets of Fulton Spotlight

Have a lovable pet in your life? Submit your pets to be featured in this new spotlight, Pets of Fulton!

A photo and brief description can be submitted by email to: fna@fultonneighborhood.org



Meet Dennis! This 3-year-old seal point Ragdoll is delightfully clumsy and full of charm. Dennis loves feathery toys & being the center of attention. The only thing that can pull him away from bird feeder videos on YouTube is the sound of a tuna can being opened.

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Mark your calendar—Fulton's biggest day of the year is coming!

Fulton Fall Festival

Saturday, September 13, 11am-3pm

- Enjoy a full day of entertainment with live music, a silent auction, bingo, face painting, delicious food trucks - there's something for everyone!!
- All activities are FREE! Food is available for purchase.

SAVE THE DATE

- Family Jam-family friendly and fun music sing-along Wednesday, 9/3 10am & 11am at Linden Hills Library-**funded by Fulton Small Grants Program**
- Fulton Fall Festival-Saturday, 9/13 11am-3pm Pershing Park
- Community Sing-Family Community Singing Fest-Saturday, 9/20 10am-1pm at Pershing Park-**funded by Fulton Small Grants Program**
- Lynnhurst/Fulton Garage Sale-Saturday, 9/20 9am-4pm
- Southwest Community Education Trucksploration-Saturday, 9/20 noon-3pm Lake Harriet Community School Upper Campus
- Lake Harriet (Almost) 5K Saturday, 9/27 10am-see link in this newsletter for more info and to register
- Fulton Neighborhood Association Annual Meeting, Wednesday, 10/8, 6:30pm

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