

MPNA News

The Melrose Park Neighbors Association

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From MPNA President – Andy Rudin

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Historic La Mott Website updated

Bill Chambres emailed about recent updates to the historic La Mott website www.historic-lamott-pa.com are listed below. These updates bring the site up to date with all the information that our research team has currently completed. The list is printed in the order in which the work was programmed.

- Update of the abbreviations in the Cheltenham Veterans section
- Update Camp William Penn the opening page with more content
- Added “The Quakers & Cheltenham” information at the end of *A Brief History of Cheltenham* page
- Added Union Regiments information
- Added “Freedman’s Bureau” information just before the *Reconstruction Timetable*
- Added “Ben Franklin-Lucretia Mott” information following *Lucretia Mott’s Extended Family*

Some of these additions are reflected in the “What’s New” section on the website’s front page. MPNA

A New Melrose Park Blog

And this email from Norma Rotman, who coordinates the book sales to raise money for our Elkins Park Free Library.

“Time to clean out closets, drawers, shelves, basements, garages.....and any other place you keep things you no longer want or need.

The Friends of the Elkins Park Free Library will be sponsoring an INDOOR YARD SALE on Saturday, August 23rd, 10-4, in the Community Room. Details are in the flyer below and attached. We hope this will be so successful, it will turn into an annual event.

Last month, we received a huge donation of household goods, not books, to the tune of two pickup truck’s worth. We have far too much to put out at our regular book sale on the Treasure Trove tables, so decided to seize the opportunity for a special sale. Additional donations are being solicited, so pass the word. Because of our storage limitations, we request that items not be brought in until the week of the sale. Pickup might be arranged if the donations are local.

Please pass on this information to all your friends, family, neighbors and folks in your address book. And feel free to call me (215-635-1771) if you have any questions.

Norma Rotman”

Friends of the Elkins Park Free Library

INDOOR YARD SALE

DISHES, CANDLE CHIMNEYS

GOBLETS, GLASSES, MUGS, CRYSTAL

SERVING PIECES

ASSORTED HOUSEWARES

XMAS ITEMS

SCONCES & DECORATIVE PIECES

LP RECORDS, GAMES

And much, much more

When: August 23rd 10 am - 4 pm

Where: Elkins Park Free Library
563 East Church Road
Elkins Park, PA 19027
215-635-5000

Donations: Welcomed the week of the sale.
Leave outside Book Sale room during regular library hours.

All proceeds benefit the Friends of the Elkins Park Free Library.

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This Newsletter

If you have any suggestions for items for this newsletter, feel free to email them to me at andrewrudin@earthlink.net

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MPNA memberships

Membership in MPNA helps pay for plantings, signage, and many other things. Annual dues are \$10 per individual, \$20 per household. Send your contribution to MPNA Board member Jim Muldoon, 106 Parkview Road, Cheltenham, PA 19012. The membership cycle is the calendar year. MPNA

MPNA Board

Members of the MPNA Board are Andrew Rudin, Phil Kates, Gene Silver, Michael Shectman, Jim Muldoon and Albert Fried-Cassorla. If you are interested in helping out with MPNA, please email me at andrewrudin@earthlink.net. This newsletter is available or will be soon, maybe with photos, on our website – www.melroseparkneighbors.org MPNA

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