



Nevillewood Neighbors

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Did you know that this newsletter is delivered to every address in Nevillewood? We reach over 400 homes! All Nevillewood residents are members of Nevillewood Neighbors, which is an outreach committee of the Nevillewood Homeowners Association.

If you have a business or know of anyone who would like to help sponsor our newsletters, please contact Linda Stengel at 412-276-6284 or lsstengel@yahoo.com .

PRESIDENT'S LETTER

Dear Nevillewood Neighbor,

"Building a sense of community" is one of the stated goals of the Nevillewood Neighbors' bylaws.

I was contacted by neighbor Patti Dellovade regarding her project called "Operation Crutch." How could she garner support among the community, and would we be willing to help her in this endeavor? The Nevillewood Neighbors' organization has methods in place to accomplish this request. The first is an e-mail "blast" which is expedited by our Street Captain chairperson Janice States. If the information to be sent meets with our policy criteria, we can use this vehicle to inform our neighbors of matters of concern or immediate importance. The second way is through our bi-monthly newsletter. Please take the time to become informed by reading about Patti's passionate project. To date, over 100 items have been collected in her garage and transported to Global Links of Pittsburgh. This will be an

ongoing project with contributions going to nine Third World countries which include Honduras, Dominican Republic, Haiti, and Jamaica.

If you are one of our neighbors who has a charitable idea that you would like to expand and need our help, please contact any board member, and we will consider your request. Some of the past projects that the Nevillewood Neighbors have instituted and supported have been the "Collier Home of Flag Day" sign, Keep Collier Beautiful community cleanup day, Hall of Flame Golf Outing and our beautiful blue recycle bins! Each one of these began with different individual neighbors' ideas and have become ongoing projects and events.

Help us build this sense of community and make a difference in our greater Nevillewood neighborhood.

Sue Melcher
President

New Directories Delivered to Residents

The newly published 2009 "complete" edition of the Nevillewood Neighbors Directory was distributed to all street captains for delivery to all published residents in January. Anyone who has not received their directory is asked to contact his/her respective street captain(s) to work out a date/time for pickup or delivery. If you are uncertain who your street captain contact is, please e-mail Janice States at statesjanice@gmail.com.

As a reminder, this brand new packet of information replaces ALL the contents in your existing binder EXCEPT the 5 TABBED DIVIDERS. So, please retain those when replacing each section. They are as follows:

1. Table of Contents
2. General Information (relating to the area)
3. Neighborhood Directory
4. Alphabetical Directory
5. Yellow Pages

Some additional reminders . . .

Current residents: Retain your tabs/binders for re-use with new inserts. Newer residents who have submitted a directory form: Alert your street captain if you are in need of tabs or a binder. Anyone requiring a replacement binder should contact Barb Addy. The cost is \$5.00.

Please shred or destroy the contents of the old directory.

Check your personal entry and forward questions/changes to Barb Addy at barbaddy@aol.com or to 2394 Hilltop Road as updates will be done later this year.

New and/or current residents who would like to have their contact information published, please fill out the directory form (page 6) and mail/e-mail it to Barb Addy.



Access the newsletter online at www.nevillewoodhomeowners.com



Retirement Plan Strategies for Small Business Owners

By Ruth A. Forsyth, MS, CFP, CLTC

If you are self employed or a small business owner, you might wish that you could invest more money for retirement than a Traditional or Roth IRA allows. Fortunately, there are several types of retirement plans de-

signed for you that are relatively easy and inexpensive to establish.

SEP – For employers with fewer than 25 employees. All contributions are funded by the employer as a uniform % of each employee's pay. Plan must be established prior to the date of employer's tax return.

Simple IRA – For employers with 100 employees or less. Traditional IRA's are set up for each employee. The employer must either match the contributions of the participants (1-3%) or make annual non elective contributions of 2% of all employees. Plan must be established by 10/1 of calendar year.

Solo 401(k) – Only for the self-employed with no employees other than their spouse.

This plan allows the highest contribution, and a portion can be invested as a Roth. Plan must be established by the last day of your business' tax year.

| 2010 Max Deductible Contributions Unincorporated | | |
|---|-----------|-----------|
| Self-Employment Income | \$100,000 | \$150,000 |
| SEP | \$20,000 | \$30,000 |
| Simple IRA | | |
| Under Age 50 | \$14,500 | \$16,000 |
| Age 50+ | \$17,000 | \$18,500 |
| Solo 401(k) | | |
| Under Age 50 | \$36,500 | \$46,500 |
| Age 50+ | \$42,000 | \$52,000 |

| 2010 Max Deductible Contributions Incorporated | | |
|---|-----------|-----------|
| W-2 Income | \$100,000 | \$150,000 |
| SEP | \$25,000 | \$37,500 |
| Simple IRA | | |
| Under Age 50 | \$14,500 | \$16,000 |
| Age 50+ | \$17,000 | \$18,500 |
| Solo 401(k) | | |
| Under Age 50 | \$41,500 | \$49,000 |
| Age 50+ | \$47,000 | \$54,500 |

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Don't Make the Mistake of Overpricing Your Home

By Jo Ann Robb,
Certified Fine Home Specialist



Pricing matters. When you decide to sell your home, one of the most important decisions you'll make is your initial price. Of course, you want to get as much for your home as the buyers may be willing to pay. However, when determining the price, don't make the mistake of overpricing. It's an understandable mistake, but one that could prove costly if it slows down the sale and/or makes other houses look like a good value by comparison.

One trap many sellers fall into when deciding a price is basing it on emotion. After all, your home has been special to you and your family. If you overprice your home, you may attract the wrong buyers — who will compare your home to other homes within the same price range and walk away disappointed. At the same time, you may eliminate a pool of potential buyers who are shopping for homes priced in the range of your home's true market value.

Another challenge you face with overpricing is less initial traffic and diminished interest. Generally, a home receives the most activity during the first weeks it is on the market. The longer your home stays on the market, the more buyers may begin to reason that there is something wrong with the property.

If you overprice your home with the thought of using a "price high then drop" strategy, you run the same risk of buyers believing that something is wrong with the property — or that you are desperate to sell. Overpricing can also result in fewer offers. For various reasons, buyers feel uncomfortable submitting a low bid when there is considerable difference between the market value and the selling price. And, if you accept a bid at an inflated price, your buyer may face financing problems, because an overpriced house will not appraise for the selling price.

What can you do to ensure you're not overpricing your home? Stick to the facts. Consult with a real estate professional who can help you determine true market value based on comparable market analysis. The key is to work with your real estate professional to price right and create a strategic marketing plan that creates excitement from the moment your home debuts on the market.

For more information contact JoAnn at 412-860-0336 or jrobb@prudentialpreferred.com
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Green Corner Recycling Phonebooks

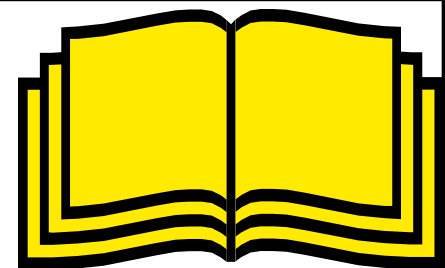
Many of our neighbors have asked why phonebooks are not accepted at local recycle bins and what can be done with the old ones when the new directories arrive.

Since phonebooks are made of recyclable paper, many recyclers won't take them because the fibers used to make the lightweight pages are too short to be reformulated into new paper. Also, mixing the pages from old directories with other waste paper can contaminate the batch.

Obsolete telephone books can be recycled into insulation materials, ceiling tiles, paper towels and cereal boxes.

Since we live in a community that won't accept old phonebooks, there are several practical uses for them. The pages make excellent fire starters for wood-burning fireplaces and outdoor fire pits. Shredding or balling the pages can be used as packing filler instead of the polystyrene "peanuts." Another use for the shredded pages is as mulch for your garden. The paper is biodegradable and in time will be absorbed by the soil.

Or be creative. If you are in need of a booster seat, cover the book with fabric, seal the seams with fabric glue or stitch with needle and thread. If you have a love for dried flowers and leaves, this cumbersome book makes a good tool for drying them.



What's HAUTE for Spring and Summer?

**By Nancy Gilmore, Owner/Artist
MoZaic Boutique**



After arriving home from shows in Atlanta & NYC, I could not wait to share some specific trends for spring/summer. As I was searching for images, I stumbled across the following article. Rather than reinvent the wheel, I feel I would be serving you as well by sharing Diane Sanger's "2010 Fashion Jewelry Trends." So please enjoy this article regarding the fun fashion to be had in the upcoming seasons!

"Budgets are tight these days, but that does not mean that you need to stop being fashion conscious. Jewelry is one of the best ways that you can stay current with today's trends without having to spend all of the money that you have in your savings account. To really get the most bang for your buck it is important that you know what the top trends and styles are going to be so that you can choose quality pieces that will update your style.

Statement jewelry is actually one of the largest trends right now. Pieces like this may not be the most expensive pieces in your wardrobe, but they will pack a lot of punch for the amount of money that you have spent on them. You will want to choose pieces that are a bit more outrageous than your every day jewelry. Explore fun shapes, rich colors, and lots of sparkle. The key to making this type of look work for yourself is to keep your statement down to one piece per outfit. You do not want to have a large statement ring paired with a chunky armful of bangles, and some chandelier earrings. Instead, choose to simply work either a large statement ring or some dangly earrings.

Speaking of earrings, chandelier earrings are back in the spotlight this year. They bring with them an instantly feminine and glamorous look to any outfit that you add them to. Typically, chandelier earrings have some sort of sparkle to them, and this makes them the perfect addition to any going out look. However, do not think that you can only wear chandelier earrings in the evening. They are actually really beautiful when paired with simple jeans, heels, and a T-shirt. They will give you a bit of glamour to add into your everyday life.

Colors are really important this year. The fashion focus with this year's colors are actually warm and rich shades. Jewel tones are very popular as long as they are rich and lush. Additionally, warm tones are very in style this year. That means that yellows, oranges, and reds are very popular. Additionally, yellow gold is also making a comeback. It did fall out of fashion a while ago, but now yellow gold is emerging as a new favorite this year. It looks especially great when paired with rich chocolate browns and denim.

Don't forget to incorporate the colors into your choice of sparkle as well. You can choose to incorporate gemstones into you collection that are very rich in hue. These do not need to be the most expensive stones either. You can choose amethysts or citrines to give your accessories that glitz and glam that you are looking for. Additionally, you might want to explore pieces that have multiple stones in multiple hues to add to your collection.

Your jewelry is a great way to help enhance your wardrobe as well as to integrate the top fashion trends into your wardrobe. With a little bit of effort and attention to detail you will find that you are turning heads in no time!"

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(Behind the Post Office)**

**Your Carpet Fiber Affects
Your Cleaning Results**

**By Frank Capezio,
Owner of EnviroClean
IICRC Master Certified**



"I have been a Master Textile cleaner since 2002, and it is quit an honor-not all are dedicated enough to achieve this level of training and expertise."

People like to have their carpets restored to a "like new" condition when they are professionally cleaned. Unfortunately, there are some things that prevent that outcome. The most significant factor is your fiber's content.

Most residential carpet is made from nylon, wool, polyester or olefin fibers. The two fiber characteristics that determine how carpets respond to cleaning are **resilience** and **color stability**.

Resilience is the natural ability of carpet fibers to *bounce back* or regain its fluffy texture. Heavy soil buildup tends to mat down carpet fibers. Good resilience means fibers will *bounce back* after the soil has been removed.

When carpet fibers with poor resilience become matted, they do not have the ability to *spring back*, even after a complete and thorough cleaning.

Color stability refers to the carpet's ability to maintain its color. How does it respond to fading, bleaching and staining from spills containing food color dyes? **How do the different carpet fibers compare?**

Both nylon and wool dominate over polyester and olefin in their **natural resilience** and will *spring back* to their original fluffy texture after cleaning. When polyester and olefin fibers have been flattened from foot traffic or soiling, they will never regain their fluffy appearance, even if well maintained.

Polyester and olefin definitely win for color stability. They never lose their color due to fading or bleaching, and it is extremely difficult to stain these carpet fibers.

However, the colors in nylon and wool are vulnerable to color loss and staining. Their colors can be permanently changed from bleach, sun fading, pet urine, food coloring, coffee and medications.

Which fiber is best? Nylon is the most practical carpet fiber for residential carpets. A well maintained nylon carpet will provide the longest "like new" condition.

**Enjoy Expert, Professional,
Environmentally Responsible Cleaning!**

**EnviroClean
McMurray, PA
724-942-4243**

Pour For The Poor

Fighting Hunger One Sip At A Time!



Friday, June 18th

The Club at Nevillewood
VIP - 6:30-7:30 pm—\$100

General Admission - 7:30 pm— ?— \$50

**10% Nevillewood Neighbor discount for
groups of 10 or more!**

Contact Ruth Forsyth at 412-429-1179 or r.forsyth@comcast.net for more information or if you would like to help.

Checks can be made payable to "Rotary District 7300 Foundation" and sent to Ruth's attention at 1095 St. Mellion Drive.

All proceeds benefit the Carnegie-Collier Rotary's "Meals For Hunger" campaign. To date, the Rotary has packaged 255,000 nutritional dry meals for distribution and for fighting hunger in the Carnegie-Collier area. While some meals are distributed through the Pittsburgh Food Bank, others are given to local school districts to be given to students who do not have food.

Our goal is to pack one million meals by the end of 2010! Join your neighbors and friends for a great time for a great cause!

Interest Groups

Poker Club

We meet every other Thursday night, (*usually the 1st and 3rd*) from 8 pm to 11 pm sharp at various Nevillewood homes. E-mail Joe Blattner at josephblattner@verizon.net to sign up and be included in the e-mails for Poker Club.

Gourmet Dinner Group

On February 6 (weekend of Snow-mageddon), we met for dinner at the home of Ruth Forsyth and Jim Denvir to celebrate the Chinese New Year. We started the evening with Genuine Singapore Slings using the following mix:

1 oz gin
1/2 oz cherry brandy
4 oz pineapple juice
1/2 oz lime juice
1/4 oz Cointreau® orange liqueur
1/4 oz benedictine herbal liqueur
1/3 oz grenadine syrup
1 dash Angostura bitters

Combine all of the ingredients in a shaker, fill with ice and shake until the shaker is well frosted. Strain into a tall glass and garnish with a slice of pineapple and cherry.

The "Year of the Tiger" menu included a delicious side dish, P.F. Chang's Zodiac Noodles. The noodles cannot be purchased at P.F. Chang's restaurant, but rather can be prepared by following this great recipe from P.F. Chang's "Flavors of Yunnan" menu (preparation serves 2):

5 ounces Guilin Rice Vermicelli
1 teaspoon any vegetable oil
2 teaspoons any vegetable oil
8 each chili pods
3 ounces pork loin, cut into thin strips
1 teaspoon garlic
1 1/2 ounces Yunnan ham, cut into thin strips (substitute Proscuttio or Serrano)
2 each green onion, cut into 2-3 inch sticks
1/4 cup sliced cabbage, cut into thin strip
1/4 cup Shiitake mushrooms, sliced (substitute any mushrooms)
1/8 teaspoon salt
2 tablespoons soy sauce
1 teaspoon oyster sauce
1 teaspoon sugar
1/2 teaspoon sesame oil

Procedure:

1. Soak vermicelli in very hot water for 1 hour.
2. Bring a pot of water to a boil, add Vermicelli and boil for one minute.
3. Rinse under warm water for one minute, drain well then mix with 1 tea-spoon vegetable oil.
4. Heat a wok over high heat until it begins to smoke (can substitute cast iron skillet or saute pan).
5. Add 2 teaspoons vegetable oil, then chili pods and pork. Then stir-fry until pork is almost done.
6. Add garlic, ham, green onion, cabbage and mushrooms then stir for 10 to 15 seconds.
7. Add vermicelli, salt, soy sauce, oyster sauce, sugar and sesame oil then stir-fry until all ingredients are mixed well.



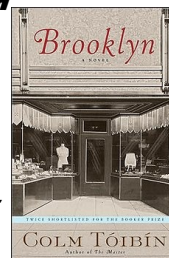
Group members braved a snowy night in Nevillewood to enjoy a festive Chinese New Year celebration.

The next Gourmet Dinner Group gathering will be hosted by Sue and Ray Melcher on May 1st. You don't have to be a great cook to join! The only requirements are that you love great food, wine and conversation with a great group of people! If you are interested in joining us, please contact Connie Cesario at 412.429.6271 or ckcesario@yahoo.com

Book Club

Upcoming Book Club selections are:

- April 12, **Brooklyn** by Colm Toibin, hosted by Jenny Scherrbaum.
- May 10, **The Catcher in the Rye** by J.D. Salinger, host TBD



Please contact Sue Melcher at melch724@hotmail.com if you would like to participate in our discussions. We meet the second Monday of each month.

Chick Flicks

Tired of all this cold and snow? Escape for an evening and see a movie with

your Nevillewood friends and neighbors. We meet the third Tuesday of every month to see a current movie followed by dessert and coffee at a nearby restaurant. Mark your calendars for April 20th and May 18th.

An e-mail is sent out the weekend before suggesting movies, show times and places to go after the movie. If you are interested in joining us, contact Leslie Joyce at Tjlj1969@aol.com or 412-892-9397.

Dining Out

Save the date of June 4, 2010, for a fun, outdoor experience with your Nevillewood Neighbors. More details to follow in the next newsletter or contact Lois Krash at lkrash@yahoo.com to guess where we will be dining or to reserve your spot.

Knitting Caps for Chemotherapy Patients

Somewhere in our community, there are cancer patients in need of hand knitted caps. Whether you are an experienced knitter or a first timer, you are invited to get involved with the newest Nevillewood Neighbors interest group. These simple caps can help sooth patients' emotions resulting from hair loss due to chemotherapy, plus they keep the head warm.

Please contact Marilyn Townsend at 412-319-1087 or pmtownsend@comcast.net if you are interested in being a part of this service project.

Thinking of Starting your Own Interest Group?

To start your own interest group, contact JoAnn Robb at joannrobb@prudentialpreferred.com.

Recycling

Recycling is mandatory in Collier Township!

Recyclable Items: Aluminum and Bi-Metal Cans, Clear, Green and Brown Glass, #1-6 Plastics, Newsprint

Non-Recyclable Items: Card-board and Phonebooks



April 2010

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
|--------|--|--|---|---|---|--|
| | | | | 1 Spring Recess - No School | 2 Spring Recess - No School | 3 |
| 4 | 5 Spring Recess - No School | 6 6:00PM HS Chorus rehearsal | 7 6:00PM HS Chorus rehearsal 7:00PM PS PTG Meeting | 8 7:00PM HS Chorus Concert Poker, 8-11 pm | 9 | 10 ACT College Entrance Exam |
| 11 | 12 8:00AM NHS Rehearsal 8:00AM PSSA Math & Reading Assessment 3:30PM IS Gold Band Rehearsal Book Club | 13 8:00AM PSSA Math & Reading Assessment 7:00PM NHS Induction NN Board Meeting, 7 pm | 14 8:00AM PSSA Math & Reading Assessment | 15 8:00AM IS Spring Picture Day 8:00AM PSSA Math & Reading Assessment | 16 8:00AM PSSA Math & Reading Assessment 3:00PM MS 6th Grade Dance | 17 |
| 18 | 19 PSSA Writing Assessment 3:45PM IS Orchestra Rehearsal | 20 PSSA Writing Assessment Chick Flicks | 21 PSSA Writing Assessment 3:45PM IS Gold Band Rehearsal | 22 PSSA Writing Assessment 7:30PM MS Musical Poker, 8-11 pm | 23 MS Career Day PSSA Writing Assessment 7:30PM MS Musical | 24 7:30PM MS Musical Keep Collier Beautiful, 9 am-1:30 pm |
| 25 | 26 PSSA Science Assessment | 27 PSSA Science Assessment 3:45PM IS Orchestra Rehearsal 7:00PM HS Band/Jazz Concert | 28 PSSA Science Assessment 7:00PM MS Band Concert Nevillewood Homeowners Annual Meeting, 7 pm | 29 Act 80 2 Hour delay Exhalations Rehearsal PSSA Science Assessment | 30 PSSA Science Assessment 9:30AM Vietnam Veterans Symposium 7:00PM Exhalations - HS Talent Show | |

May 2010

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
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| | | | | | | 1 SAT College Boards Gourmet Dinner Group |
| 2 | 3 MS Spring Book Fair PSSA Make-up exams for all subjects 7:30AM AP U.S. Government & Politics exam 2:30PM MS Orchestra Rehearsal 3:45PM IS Gold Band Rehearsal | 4 MS Spring Book Fair PSSA Make-up exams for all subjects 7:30AM AP Computer Science exam 12:00PM AP Statistics exam | 5 MS Spring Book Fair PSSA Make-up exams for all subjects 7:30AM AP Calculus exam 7:00PM IS Spring Chorus Concert | 6 MS Spring Book Fair PSSA Make-up exams for all subjects 7:30AM AP English Literature & Composition exam 1:45PM PS 2nd Grade Concert 3:45PM IS Orchestra Rehearsal Poker, 8-11 pm | 7 MS Spring Book Fair PSSA Make-up exams for all subjects 7:30AM AP U.S. History exam 1:45PM PS 2nd Grade Concert | 8 |
| 9 | 10 7:30AM AP Biology exam 12:00PM AP Physics exam 3:45PM IS Red Band Rehearsal Book Club | 11 12:00PM AP Psychology exam 3:45PM IS Blue Band Rehearsal NN Board Meeting, 7 pm | 12 7:30AM AP English Language & Composition exam 3:45PM IS Gold Band rehearsal 6:00PM Showcase Rehearsal 7:00PM IS PTG Meeting | 13 8:00AM Showcase 7:00PM IS Band Concert 7:00PM MS PTSG Meeting | 14 8:00AM Showcase | 15 |
| 16 | 17 3:45PM IS Orchestra Rehearsal | 18 7:00PM IS Orchestra Concert Click Flicks | 19 12:00PM MS Teachers v. Students Basketball | 20 Teachers' Inservice - No students 5:00PM HS Promenade / Prom Poker, 8-11 pm | 21 School Picnic - No School | 22 |
| 23 | 24 Act 80 - 2 Hour delay | 25 MS/HS Act 80 Day (No school 6-12) | 26 | 27 7:00PM MS Chorus Concert | 28 Preschool graduation | 29 |
| 30 | 31 Memorial Day - No School | | | | | |

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|--------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|
| All Schools | Intermediate School | Board Meetings | Middle School |
| Delays | No School/Holiday/Inservice | District Events | Primary School |
| Elementary Schools | PTG Meetings | High School | Secondary Schools |

Events in Bold Relate to Nevillewood

Important Nevillewood Neighbors Directory Information

New Neighbors

To be included in our current or upcoming editions of the Nevillewood Neighbors Directory, please fill out the Directory Form below and mail or e-mail the information to Barb Addy. This form may also be downloaded at: nevillewoodhomeowners.com

Existing Neighbors

As noted in the past several newsletters, another update to the Nevillewood Neighbors Directory was completed in mid-December.

Should you have any additional directory-related questions or suggestions, please contact Barb Addy at 412-276-2078; e-mail barbaddy@aol.com.

Use the following form to add yourself to the directory or to update your existing entry.

NEVILLEWOOD NEIGHBORS DIRECTORY FORM

Please circle one of the following below:

New Neighbor Update Correction

Family Name _____
Address _____

Home Phone _____ Fax _____
E-mail _____

First Name _____ Birth Date(M/D) _____
Employer _____
Work Phone _____

First Name _____ Birth Date(M/D) _____
Employer _____
Work Phone _____

Children/Birth Dates (living in residence)
*Attach more names on separate sheet if necessary.
Name _____ Birth Date(M/D/Y) _____
Name _____ Birth Date(M/D/Y) _____
Name _____ Birth Date(M/D/Y) _____

I give permission for this information to be printed in the directory:
(circle one)
Yes No

Name _____ Phone _____

Signature _____ Date _____

I Please return form to:
I Barb Addy, 2394 Hilltop Road, Presto, PA 15142
I Or e-mail to: barbaddy@aol.com

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| Maria's Ideas | Wright's Seafood Inn |

The Nevillewood Neighbors send special thanks to Ellen and Gary Pandolfo from Heeter Direct for a JOB WELL DONE on the publication of our 2009 directory!

Operation CRUTCH: Crutch Recycling Used To Comfort Humanity Cherry Hill Drive Home is Drop-off Site for Walking Aids for Victims of Haitian Earthquake

Nevillewood neighbor Patti Dellovade has partnered with Global Links to meet a critical need for crutches, canes and walkers in Haiti," said Sue Melcher, President of the Nevillewood Neighbors. "It is a wonderful opportunity to contribute to the tremendous response to this disaster, and everyone in Nevillewood can be a part of this effort."

Patti, in partnership with the Pittsburgh-based medical relief agency Global Links, will be collecting gently used crutches, canes and foldable walkers. Global Links will send these items to their partners in Haiti where there is an urgent need due to the large numbers of patients with broken or amputated limbs.

Items can be dropped off at Patti's home at 201 Cherry Hill Drive, Presto, Pa. The collection will be held in her garage, until she makes her delivery to Global Links' Garfield facility. Deliveries will be on the first Saturday of every month. In addition to Patti's home, there are also two drop-off sites in Washington County; one in McMurray and one in Canonsburg. You do not need to call in advance; you may just leave your donations at the garage door. All items donated should be clean and in good condition with no broken parts. Patti asks that all pairs of crutches be taped together using packing tape.

Working directly with the staff of Hopital Albert Schweitzer and a team of more than 400 physicians in Haiti, Global Links is responding to the specific needs of workers on the frontlines of this disaster through regular shipments of medical and surgical supplies, medicines and durable medical goods. Global Links has more than 20 years experience in international medical relief and has worked in Haiti since 1996.

For more information or to arrange pick-up, Patti Dellovade can be reached at 412-994-0740.



Patti Dellovade provides a collection site at her home for crutches, canes and walkers bound for Haiti.

About Global Links:

Global Links is a registered 501(c)3 not-for-profit organization that collaborates with U.S. institutions to recover surplus medical materials before consignment to land-fills and makes them available to hospitals abroad through their ongoing programs. Because poorly planned donations can be worse than no aid at all, each donation is carefully tailored to meet the needs of the recipient institution. Dedicated volunteers help Global Links to maintain high quality standards and low costs. Since its founding in 1989, Global Links has provided more than \$160 million in critical medical aid to developing nations, including Bolivia, Cuba, Dominican Republic, Guatemala, Guyana, Haiti, Honduras, Jamaica and Nicaragua.

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The Annual Nevillewood Homeowners' Association Meeting is Wednesday, April 28 at 7 p.m., The Club at Nevillewood Grand Ballroom.

Keep Collier Beautiful Scheduled for April 24

Plans are being made for the fourth annual Keep Collier Beautiful cleanup day on Saturday, April 24 from 9 am to 1:30 pm. The event has been extremely successful in years past, and we expect participation to continue to grow. This year, we are again looking for community-minded volunteer heroes to help spruce up areas around Collier Township in this annual spring cleaning event.

Volunteers should report to the Collier Township Municipal Building at 9 am to register and to receive their work assignments. Groups, churches and businesses are also encouraged to participate.

Volunteers may pre-register for the event by calling Bob Caun at

412-279-2525. Pre-registered volunteers will receive free t-shirts, gloves and safety vests. As in previous years, lunch will be provided to volunteers, along with a raffle.

