



8th Ward Neighborhood Group

The Patroller

Meeting the 2nd Tuesday of Every Month

Seibert Church; 10th & Allen Sts.

Next Meeting: Tuesday, August 11th - 7PM

August 2009

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Guest Speaker: Mayor Ed Pawlowski
Do you have neighborhood problems, concerns or questions? Please stop by and speak with the Mayor.

Do you like receiving our newsletter and find that your schedule doesn't allow you to attend our monthly meetings? There is a way you could help the group and your neighborhood. Sign up to help with the delivery of this newsletter. During the summer we have lost some deliverers due to moving and vacation and we could really use your help. Call Bonnie for more information 610-432-8280. Newsletter delivery takes no more than a half hour a month of your time and our neighbors really enjoy this publication.

National Night Out 2009

WHEN: Tuesday; August 4th— 5—7:00pm

WHERE: NW Corner of 8th & Tilghman Sts.

Bring a Lawn Chair and Turn On Your Porch Light !

DATE OF APPLICATION	
CHEC/MATE NO. _____	
Last Name	First Name
Employer or Firm	Citizen Helping Eliminate Crime
Home Address	CHEC/MATE
Phone No.	THIS IS YOUR CARD
Please fill-out and mail to: Crime Prevention Unit Allentown Police Dept. 626 Hamilton Street Allentown, PA. 18101	
DATE OF BIRTH: _____	
<small>(all information will remain strictly confidential)</small>	

**Call the Police
Anonymously
Become a
Chec-Mate Member
Get your Card at our
Next Meeting**

Games/Crime Prevention/Fun!

**A GOOD
NIGHT TO
GET TO
KNOW YOUR
NEIGHBORS.**

**NATIONAL NIGHT OUT
TUESDAY, AUGUST 4, 2009**



QUIET, PLEASE! Are you a party person who is not aware of or doesn't care how many people you are depriving of sleep? Please be aware that all neighbors are encouraged to call the Police at 610-437-7751 and report you. If you are a renter and you receive 3 disruptive conducts reports within 12 months, you will be evicted. Also note, anyone observing people littering call the SWEEPS dept. at 610-437-8729 and report them. Meanwhile please continue to pick up litter on your property and help with block if possible. Litterbugs and extreme noisemakers will not be tolerated!

Neighbors, we encourage you to use your Chec-Mate Cards when calling the police.

Neighborhood 7 Crime Watch Annual Yard Sale will be held on Saturday; Sept 12th (raindate the 13th). Mark your calendar now. Call 610-437-7160 for more details.

We Must Be Vigilant in Protecting Ourselves

I keep hearing from a variety of people in our neighborhood and other neighborhoods across the city about people going door-to-door selling things such as magazine subscriptions, security systems etc. You all know you should NOT let anyone you don't know into your home. However, did you know that anyone selling door-to-door is required by the City of Allentown to have a permit from the city? The first thing you should ask anyone coming to your door is "Do you have a permit from the City?" Ask to see it. If they can't produce one, shut the door, call the police non-emergency number and report them. We must stay vigilant on reporting these people in our neighborhood. They are trying to take advantage of our good nature....don't let them. To do so, may mean you'll lose some of your valuable possessions or they may do bodily harm. Better yet, don't answer the door for anyone that you don't know. It's your door and **yes, it is okay to be rude**. If someone says they need help, keep the door closed and locked and call the police. The police are better equipped to help someone than we are.

We Must Be Vigilant in Protecting Ourselves

Not only do we have monthly meetings but we also send out e-mails with updates and timely information. If you would like to be on our e-mail list, send your name, address, phone number, and e-mail to kim8thward@yahoo.com. Please put New Member in the subject line. We do NOT sell or distribute our e-mail list.

Numbers To Know August 2009

Police-Fire-Ambulance	911
Police -Non-emergency	610-437-7751
Chief Maclean	610-437-7777
Police—Vice Unit	610-437-7726
State Rep. Jenn Mann	610-821-5577
8th Ward BW—Bonnie	484-695-1967
City Planning	610-437-7613
Recycling/ Graffiti Removal	610-437-8729
Code Enforcement	610-437-7695
Zoning Office	610-437-7630
Health Bureau	610-437-7760
Mayor Pawlowski	610-437-7546

Thank You to Our Contributors for Our Block Party:

Allentown Toy
 A-Treat
 State Senator Pat Browne
 Tom Burke
 City of Allentown—Mayor's Office
 City of Allentown—Recycling
 City of Allentown—Fire Department
 City of Allentown—Highway Safety
 Kohn Chiropractic
 Randy Leonard; Jr and Sr.
 Little Apple Market
 State Rep. Jennifer Mann
 Pawn Plus
 Pioneer Ladies' Auxiliary
 Seibert EC Church
 Shane Slaughenhoust
 Roy, Mae, Donna and Bonnie Wachter
 Yocco's Hot Dogs

Thank You to Our Volunteers for Our Block Party:

Jim Bast
 Bill, Joann and Billy Biery
 Carlos & Vivian Bernardi
 Brian, Patti and Elizabeth Engler
 Paul & Carol Fiske
 Kayla
 Winfield Knechel
 Randy Leonard
 Carol Moyer
 Minnie Nathan
 Charlie & Irene Seifert
 And Most Importantly Thank You to Those Who Supported Us