

# Tosa East Towne Neighborhood Association

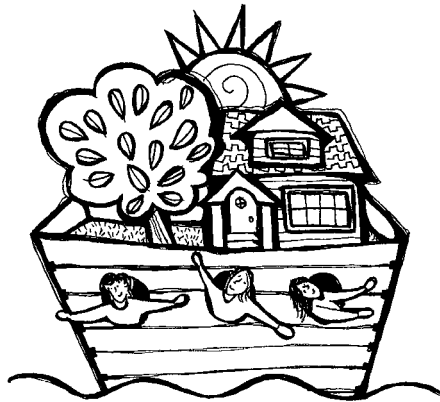


# NEWS

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## Volunteer to Build Your Neighborhood “Ark”

BY SARAH HUNT-FRANK AND  
MARY RAEBEL



**“Don’t ever question the value of volunteers. Noah’s Ark was built by volunteers; the Titanic was built by professionals.” –Dave Gynn**

I know, I know. You hear all the time about the need for volunteers. “We need help here!” “We need help there!” I know. I get it.

BUT...

If you give a little of your time, each of you, do you know how much that would add up to? 2300 households, each giving 20 minutes of time equals 776 man hours! (And any of you who really know me, my ears are smoking from calculating that sum!)

Tosa East Towne has a few areas that need a certain someone who is willing to give a little time. Just a little. The Area Rep duties add up to about one hour four times a year when the newsletter comes out. A Distributor can deliver their bundle of newsletters in about twenty minutes, four times a year. The Rummage Sale coordinator can get the job done in about 6 hours, spread out over a couple of weeks in May. A board member can do as little as 2 hours a month. A Block Party volunteer can just show up and help for an hour. Sound less scary? Sound do-able?

I know you are busy giving time to your church, to your school, to the local charity, donating to the Blood Center, or in your community, somewhere. I am, too. But it is so great and so rewarding to give right here where we live. Right here in East Tosa!

## Hey! I can do that!

Can you stand on a corner and point as dozens of runners and walkers pass you by?

Can you fill a bag with popcorn or throw a hot dog in a bun?

Can you put a treat in a bunch of plastic eggs?

Yep, we knew you could. Tosa East Towne hosts several fun events in the spring

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## CALENDAR

### MARCH

- 5 Association Meeting  
6:30 PM  
Lutheran Home, 7500 W. North Ave.  
ALL WELCOME TO ATTEND
- 7 Annual Meeting  
6:30 PM  
Cranky Als, 6901 W. North Avenue
- 31 Aldrich Family Blood Drive  
9:00 AM – 2:00 PM  
Roosevelt School Gym  
2535 N 73rd St.
- 31 Spring Egg Hunt  
10:00 AM  
Center Street Park  
FREE FOR MEMBERS

### APRIL

- 9 Association Meeting  
6:30 PM  
Lutheran Home, 7500 W. North Ave.  
ALL WELCOME TO ATTEND

### MAY

- 7 Association Meeting  
6:30 PM  
Lutheran Home, 7500 W. North Ave.  
ALL WELCOME TO ATTEND
- 25 Rummage Registration Deadline

### JUNE

- 4 Association Meeting  
6:30 PM  
Lutheran Home, 7500 W. North Ave.  
ALL WELCOME TO ATTEND
- 2 Annual Rummage Sale  
9:00 AM – 3:00 PM

**TETNA OFFICERS**

- President**– Sarah Hunt-Frank
- Secretary**– Nancy Hall
- Vice-President**– Jason Odrzywolski
- Treasurer**– Barb Blaney

**BOARD MEMBERS**

- Tiger Beyer      Bobby Pantuso      TR Yow
- Ruth Heup      Julie Terwelp

**ASSOCIATION MEETINGS**

Association meetings are open to everyone in the Tosa East Towne neighborhood. Please feel free to attend. Meetings for 2012 are currently scheduled for:

- January 2, February 6, March 5, April 9, May 7,
- June 4, July 2, August 6, September 10, October 1,
- November 5, December 3

All meetings are held at 6:30PM,  
Lutheran Home, 7500 W. North Avenue

# President's Letter

## HELLO, TOSA EAST TOWNERS!



Some of you have seen it. Some of you have filled it out. Some of you have sent it in. It is the Groups Form in the Tosa East Towne newsletter!


As the Board prepares to move forward, we are looking for ways to get all of you with like-interests together. Like to bike? We can get you some fellow bikers to ride with. Do you like to read? We can hook you up with a book club. If you like to drink wine, well, ... let's get together and

sample some wine! Getting the picture?

But we are only just beginning! Some of these groups have not been formed yet. So, one of the items discussed at our last meeting was "launching" these groups. We would love to have a Sheepshead tournament to kick off that group. A Dining Out club could start with a dinner at Il Mito and move on from there. An evening of poker? Are you "all in"? A kickball team with Tosa East Towne t-shirts! Maybe a volleyball team. Anyone for some Fantasy Football? Let's have a Packer party and kick off the season! Whew! I am excited about this all over again!

So fill out the form on page 3. Get connected. Make lasting friendships. And enjoy! See you around the 'hood!

*Sarah Hunt-Frank, Association President*



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### Tosa East Towne Neighborhood Association Philosophy



To provide a welcoming and nurturing environment, and to maintain the quality of life and sense of community through shared interests and neighborly interaction.

# 2012 Tosa East Towne Neighborhood Annual Meeting

MARCH 7, 2012 6:30 PM CRANKY AL'S

The Tosa East Towne Neighborhood Association invites all neighbors and members to its Annual Meeting, Wednesday, March 7, 6:30 PM at Cranky Al's, 6901 W. North Avenue.

Fifth District alderman, Bobby Pantuso and Michael Walsh have been invited to speak about the city's plans for our area. We also look forward to hearing from our community officer, Don Semega, of the Wauwatosa Police.

Another purpose of this meeting is to elect officers and a board of directors. All volunteer positions are open and members are encouraged to participate for the one-year term from May 1, 2012 through April 30, 2013.

The following positions are to be filled:

- Officers (also serve on the board of directors): *President, Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer*
- Board of Directors: *Five positions*

Those interested in filling any of these positions should contact Sarah Hunt-Frank at 774-1813 or slhuntfrank@att.net by February 22. All candidates must be association members and be present at the Annual Meeting. For those who did not sign up during the annual Membership Drive in October, the 2011/12 Household Membership form can be found on page 9 in this newsletter.

Members wishing to add an item to the agenda should contact Sarah prior to February 22. Please come to the annual meeting and consider playing an active role in your neighborhood.

## CONNECT WITH NEIGHBORHOOD GROUPS



East Towne Groups

Tosa East Towne Neighborhood Association would like to help neighbors meet other neighbors with similar pursuits. If you've got a group or want to start one, let us know. Complete the form below or contact Sarah Hunt-Frank at 774-1813. If you would be interested in collecting forms and distributing emails connecting individuals to potential interest groups, contact Sarah to volunteer!

**MOST COMMON REQUESTS:** Jogger's Club, Wine Tasting, Volleyball Team, Kickball Team, and Service Group. If you are enthusiastic about one of these, fill out the form below and send it in. You can also start a discussion on our Facebook page too.

### TOSA EAST TOWNE NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION GROUPS INTEREST FORM

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Bible Study         | <input type="checkbox"/> Artists' Group            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Recipe/Cooking Club | <input type="checkbox"/> Mother/Daughter Book Club |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____        |  |

Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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# 2011 - 2012 Membership Drive

Welcome! Thanks to all new and continuing members for joining the Tosa East Towne Neighborhood Association. Please attend our informative annual meeting on March 7. If you can't make it; try to attend one of our monthly association meetings to see what's going on and take part in the conversation.

Tosa East Towne encompasses close to 2400 households and businesses and is the largest Wauwatosa neighborhood association. Over 300 households in the neighborhood area joined Tosa East Towne Neighborhood Association (TETNA) during our annual membership drive in October.

A membership in TETNA allows you to participate in any of the events we host throughout the year. The membership fee supports free events like the Block Party and Movie Night and the Spring Egg Hunt in Center Street Park. For an additional fee members enjoy the widely popular Trick-or-Treat and the annual Kneeland-Walker House adult social. Another benefit is free advertisement for our Neighborhood Rummage Sale. Also, your membership pays for this newsletter all neighborhood residents—members and non-members—receive four times a year. Association events are meant for members, but if you are new to the neighborhood or have just never joined, you are welcome to come to one of our events to see what fun we have.

Our membership drive is also when we promote making donations to the Tosa East Towne Neighborhood Association scholarship offered to area high school seniors. This year we received so many generous donations toward this fund that we have increased the scholarship amount from \$400 to \$500. Thank you to all!

We strive to create many opportunities throughout the year for residents of all ages and interests to participate and build friendships with their neighbors. If you have ideas about how to make YOUR neighborhood better, come to one of our association meetings and share with us. If you can't make it to a meeting, we also have a Facebook page that gives the opportunity for discussion among members. We are always interested in keeping an open communication with our members.

## THANKS TO OUR NEWSLETTER DISTRIBUTORS!

If you are a distributor, but do not see your name listed here, we are sorry that we missed you. Please contact Nancy Hall at nancyhallatr@gmail.com.

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**BEAUTY SHOP VOLUNTEER  
NEEDED AT LUTHERAN HOME**



Lutheran Home, on the corner of 76th and North Ave., is seeking a volunteer to assist our in-house Beauty Shop on Monday mornings.

Transport elderly residents and physical therapy clients by wheelchair to and from their beauty shop appointments. Our full-service beauty shop is always

buzzing with lively conversation as our residents are pampered from head to toe!

Any person who has an interest in getting exercise while helping others will enjoy this position. No lifting of residents is ever required. A friendly, cooperative attitude is essential.

Volunteer is needed on Monday mornings from 8:45 – noon. Complete training is provided.

**If you are interested in these positions, please call  
Michelle Mittelsteadt at (414) 258-6171, ext. 258.**

**To learn more about our many other volunteer  
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### YOUTH SERVICES DIRECTORY LISTING FORM

Are you looking for ways to earn some extra money? Provide your information for FREE in the Tosa East Towne Neighborhood Association Youth Directory. This directory lists association member's kids who are interested in doing jobs in the neighborhood. Members can access the list when looking for babysitters, yard work, etc.

All fees for services to be arranged by the parties involved. If you are interested in receiving a copy of the Youth Directory, contact Sarah Hunt-Frank.

Member Family Last Name:

Name and birth year:

Phone:

Service(s) offered:

Deliver completed form to Barb Blaney, 2356 N. Lefebber Ave.



## Spring Egg Hunt

SATURDAY, MARCH 31  
10:00AM  
CENTER ST PARK

Mark Saturday, March 31st for the East Towne Neighborhood Association Egg Hunt at Center Park at 10AM. We're hoping for NO SNOW and warm temperatures. This event is great for the kids and a wonderful way to connect with your neighbors. All families with current memberships participate for FREE! If you are not a member, a membership form is available on page 9 of this newsletter.

If you're interested in volunteering for this event, we'll need help promoting, setting up, and cleaning up. Please contact Brian Holtz at [brian.holtz@micorp.com](mailto:brian.holtz@micorp.com) if you'd like to pitch in to help.

### GO GREEN!

In order to reuse and recycle, we will be collecting empty plastic eggs to fill for next year's hunt. If you have eggs that you'd like to donate, drop them in the bin on Jason Odrzywolski's front porch located at 2607 N. 70th Street. Eggs will be collected from Saturday, March 31 to Saturday, April 21. If you have any questions, please contact Jason at 708-4891 or [jasonodsky@gmail.com](mailto:jasonodsky@gmail.com).

## March Blood Drive

in memory of student and neighbor Jake Aldrich

ROOSEVELT ELEMENTARY SCHOOL GYM  
SATURDAY, MARCH 31 9AM - 2PM



The Aldrich Family will sponsor Jake's 13th Blood Drive on Saturday, March 31, from 9am until 2pm at Roosevelt School, 2535 N. 73rd St. Appointments are encouraged and can be made by visiting [www.bcw.edu/jakes13th](http://www.bcw.edu/jakes13th) or by calling Jennifer Aldrich at 414-810-4793. Walk-ins welcome. Child care will be provided. Save a life, donate blood!

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## KICK-OFF AND REGISTRATION EXPO:

Tuesday, February 28, 6:00PM,  
Firefly Room, Wauwatosa Public Library

## EVENT DATE:

Friday, July 27–Saturday, July 28, Wisconsin Lutheran  
Athletic Fields, 10200 W Watertown Plank Rd.

Please join us for a fun filled night and honor our survivors and caregivers during The Relay for Life of Wauwatosa on Friday, July 27 to Saturday, July 28 at the Wisconsin Lutheran Athletic Fields, 10200 W Watertown Plank Rd. The Opening Ceremony begins at 6:00 pm.

Relay For Life is the American Cancer Society signature fundraising event that gives participants a chance to celebrate cancer survivors, remember loved ones lost, and fight back against the disease. Relay is a fun-filled overnight event where teams of 8-15 people camp out at a local track and take turns walking around the track. Each team has a representative on the track at all times during the event. Because cancer never sleeps, neither do Relay participants for this one evening.

Relay starts with an Opening Ceremony in which we honor cancer survivors. Survivors join together for the first lap while



everyone encourages them and celebrates all they've overcome. Around dusk we have our Luminaria Ceremony in which we honor and remember all of those who have been affected by cancer. Luminaria are white paper bags that are decorated and placed around the track. During our ceremony, the bags are lit and the night is brightened by the glow of a name of someone who has battled cancer.

Participants can also join in our other activities: spoofs of reality TV shows, Wii tournaments, music, talent shows, hypnotists, Olympics, themed laps, karaoke, bean bags, dunk tanks, etc. There is something for everyone at Relay For Life!

## OTHER IMPORTANT DATES:

- Kick-off and Registration Expo: Tuesday, February 28th, 6pm, Firefly Room at the Wauwatosa Public Library
- This Kick-off and Registration Expo is your opportunity to learn about Relay for Life, to sign up your team, or register as a Survivor or Caregiver.
- Committee Meetings are the 4th Tuesday of every month. Please join us if you would like to be a part of planning Relay For Life. If you are interested in attending, please contact Shannon.

For more information, contact Shannon Malnory-Silbernagel, Community Relations Staff Partner (262) 523-5534 or Shannon.malnorysilbernagel@cancer.org

Visit our website at [www.relayforlife.org/wauwatosawi](http://www.relayforlife.org/wauwatosawi)

# Senior Scene

Are you looking for something to do? Come join us at Hart Park Senior Center where there are a lot of activities, classes, outings, weekday lunch, camaraderie and more. Here are some of the activities scheduled for February. Visit us on the web at [www.hartpark.org](http://www.hartpark.org) to discover more!

Thursday, February 13: **Polish Paper Cutting Skill Builder** presentation at 1 p.m. Learn the basic folding pattern for a traditional round paper cutting. Each participant will leave with one finished piece of work and can work from other patterns and create an original design. Cost: \$10 for members, \$15 for non-members.

Tuesday, February 21: **Birthday Party** for members born in February. Call to register and bring a friend.

For more information contact the Tosa East Towne Senior Rep, Ruth Heup at (414) 774-1856 or [rheup1@wi.rr.com](mailto:rheup1@wi.rr.com).



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**Volunteers Needed** *continued from page 1*

and summer and would love to have you be part of them. (Teenage volunteers welcome!) Here are a few volunteer opportunities:

**EGG HUNT VOLUNTEERS:**

- Fill plastic eggs with small toys and jelly beans
- On the day of the event, scatter the eggs in Center Park,
- Sign in the participants,
- Make sure everything is picked up afterwards.

**RUMMAGE SALE VOLUNTEERS:**

- Place ads with the local media, i.e. the Journal Sentinel, the Wauwatosa Now, the Patch, etc.
- Collect rummage sale forms
- Make a map of participating houses

**CHARITY RUN VOLUNTEERS:**

- Deliver flyers to the houses on the run/walk route
- Collect registration forms
- Register runners and walkers the day of the event
- Stand on a corner and direct participants



**BLOCK PARTY/MOVIE NIGHT VOLUNTEERS:**

- Serve concessions
- Help run a game
- Pick up the Park and Rec Block Party kit and bring it to the party!

In the future, we may need a few people to step up and coordinate a few events. We will give you a title and call you “Sir” or “Ma’am” if you’d like. However, we’re not asking anyone to boldly go where no man or woman has gone before. (Although, if you’ve got some fresh ideas, we’d love to hear them.) Basically, what we need is someone to run through the “To Do” list for a particular event and make sure the list gets done. You can delegate responsibilities to the list of volunteers we give you, and ask your family and friends to join in on the fun, too.

However, the best job in Tosa East Towne is to be a TETNA officer or board member. Impress your friends and influence people with your East Towne title. Get your name in the newsletter. Attend meetings. Say “yay” or “nay” to things that impact your neighborhood. Express your opinions and have a drink with us afterwards at Walters!

If you’d be willing to do just one of these things for your neighborhood this year, please fill out the form below and let us know!

**TOSA EAST TOWNE NEIGHBORHOOD VOLUNTEER FORM**

**You may mail or drop off form to:**  
**Sarah Hunt-Frank, 2355 N. 62nd Street, Wauwatosa, WI 53213**  
**or email slhuntfrank@att.net**

**Sure, I can VOLUNTEER an hour to help with:**

- The Egg Hunt in March/April
- The Rummage Sale in June
- The Charity Run in August
- Block Party/Movie Night in August

**Sure, I’m interested in COORDINATING:**

- The Egg Hunt in March/April
- The Rummage Sale in June
- The Charity Run in August
- Block Party/Movie Night in August

**Yes, I would (because who wouldn’t?) want to be:**

- a TETNA board member or be
- a TETNA officer

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**As always, everyone is welcome to attend Tosa East Towne meetings every first Monday of the month at 6:30PM at Lutheran Home.**



# Annual Rummage Sale

SATURDAY, JUNE 2 ■ 9AM-3PM

It is never too early to start cleaning your closets, de-cluttering your garage and re-organizing your basement! Tosa East Towne will hold its annual neighborhood-wide rummage sale on Saturday, June 2nd. Please complete the registration form and mail it to Jennifer Lautz, 2536 N. 72nd Street, Wauwatosa, WI, 53213. Starting May 1st, you can also drop your registration in a bin on Jennifer's porch. No call-in registration, please. Deadline for rummage registration is May 25th and the rummage is free for TETNA members; for non-members the fee is \$5.00.

We would like to have more yard signs this year and additional forms for spreading the word. If you're interested in helping with the rummage sale in any capacity, or if you have questions, please contact one of our Rummage Sale team members:

Jennifer Lautz; jenlautz@gmail.com  
 Sarah Hunt-Frank; slhuntfrank@att.net  
 Kristyn St. Denis; kstdenis@gmail.com

**The deadline for Rummage registration is Saturday, May 25th—this will give us one week to create and distribute a database map for our shoppers!**

## RUMMAGE REGISTRATION

SATURDAY, JUNE 2 ■ 9AM-3PM

Mail or bring registration form to:  
**Jennifer Lautz, 2536 N. 72nd Street**  
 Registration Deadline: **May 25**

Name:			
Address:			
Phone:			
Email:			
<b>Check items you will have for sale:</b>			
Baby items:		Young child:	
Adult clothes:		Household:	
Furniture:		Appliances:	
Tools:		Other:	

**Note: Enclose a \$5 fee for non-members only.**

# Tosa East Towne

Neighborhood Association



Annual memberships run from  
**October 2011 to September 2012**

## 2011/12 HOUSEHOLD MEMBERSHIP REGISTRATION FORM

Adult Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

OPT-OUT: We use email addresses strictly for updates on Association and Tosa happenings. Check this box if you do NOT want to be on our email list.

## PAYMENT

Household Membership status:  
 Membership Renewal  New Member

Membership Fee: <b>\$8.00</b> per household	=	
Donation to East Towne Scholarship Fund	=	
<b>TOTAL:</b>	=	

Cash  Check # \_\_\_\_\_

**Make checks payable to TETNA. \$20 fee for checks returned for non-sufficient funds.**

**You may mail or drop off form and dues to:  
 Barb Blaney, 2356 Lefebber Avenue, Wauwatosa, WI 53213**

## Neighborhood Supports Scholarship Fund

Once again, our neighbors have shown tremendous support for the Tosa East Towne Neighborhood Association Scholarship through generous donations to the fund. Over the course of the past membership year, the fund has received a total of \$745. Of this, \$240 was the proceeds of the concessions stand at the Neighborhood Block Party in August and \$505 was direct donations by generous individuals in our neighborhood. Thank you to all! This is a testament to how much we believe in our younger generation!

This year we will be offering one \$500 scholarship to be awarded to a neighborhood high school senior planning on furthering their education. This scholarship is based on community involvement as evidenced through school extracurriculars, church activity, scout groups, and volunteerism in the community at large. If you know of a deserving student who will be graduating from high school this Spring, remind them to apply for this scholarship by March 14. The application can be found at [www.tosaeasttowne.org](http://www.tosaeasttowne.org).



Thanks  
for  
feeding  
the Pig!

## Dinner, Desserts & Drinks Review

BY TIGER BEYER, TGIT CHAIR

Our second annual TETNA adults-only party at the Kneeland-Walker was a blast!

We had our Dinner, Desserts, & Drinks event on Thursday, November 3rd, and it was soo much fun. In fact, we had so much fun, we forgot to take pictures! You'll need to ask those of us that attended about this great event. We had our pre-dinner drinks while the music out of my boom box was rocking. The delivered food from Cranky Al's was delicious and plentiful. We had coffee and desserts galore! And then we had more drinks, beers, shots in the kitchen, and laughter in all the rooms of this great house. What a great way to spend a night with our neighbors. The time just flew by and now we're talking about making it a Friday night party for next year November 2012.

Please send me an e-mail, [tigermilw@sbcglobal.net](mailto:tigermilw@sbcglobal.net), and I'll add you to my Tosa address book and you can be reminded of these events in the future. Some of our Tosa East Towne attendees walked to the K-Walker party, so they really did not need to worry about their consumption level. Thanks to all those that attended. I hope you and many more will plan to attend next year. It was a blast!



## 2011 TOSA EAST TOWNE NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION

### Trick or Treat Night

October 29th was a clear and crisp night for our little creatures trick or treating in the night! We want to send out a big THANK YOU to all the TETNA members who registered their children for trick or treating this year. We had 665 costumed kids out that night! And to help make this event so frightfully fun is the number of houses decorating and handing out candy. Most notably 72nd Street, with 27 houses! 69th Street came in close with 24 houses! Thanks for making the night fun and spooky....for both kids and parents alike!

A big THANKS also goes out to all the wonderful neighbors who volunteered at trick or treat registration this year! We couldn't pull off this event without help from TETNA volunteers....thanks!! And to Bethany Calvary Church for their continued support....thank you!

TETNA Trick or Treat Co-Chairs

Jenny Farr, Wendy Swenson, and Julie Terwelp

## Halloween Yard of Distinction 2011

It was another year of fantastically-spooky houses in our neighborhood. We try to get out early enough to hand out signs before the event. Some houses really amp it up on the night of trick or treat, so sorry if we miss you. It's always hard to pick out just one!

Here are the winners this year:

2511/2513 N. 63rd Street

2572 N. 65th Street

2627 N 68th Street

2430 N. 69th Street

2443 N. 69th Street

2462, 2466, 2472 N. 72nd Street  
(a Trifecta of Trick or Treat houses!)

CONGRATULATIONS!

# East Towne Tidbits

## FOLLOW TETNA ON TWITTER AND FACEBOOK

Become a fan of the Tosa East Towne Facebook page! To join, visit [www.facebook.com/TosaEastTowne](http://www.facebook.com/TosaEastTowne). Find us on Twitter, @TETNA.

## ASSOCIATION VOLUNTEERS

### RUMMAGE SALE COMMITTEE POSITIONS FILLED

Thank you to Kristyn St. Denis, Jennifer Lautz, and Sarah Hunt-Frank (a.k.a. Queen Rummage of Sales) for coordinating this year's neighborhood rummage sale. The rummage is free to all East Towne members and wouldn't be successful without volunteers like these three to get the word out! Thank you, also, to Heather Stuart and Jessie Zurawik for working on the rummage for the past few years!

### SPRING EGG HUNT COMMITTEE POSITIONS FILLED

Thank you to Brian Holtz for taking over as chair for the Spring Egg Hunt. Special thanks and recognition to Kathy Flanders for coordinating this event since 2006. Did you know the very first egg hunt began in 2005? Kathy has filled probably thousands and thousands of eggs. Whew! You've definitely earned your bunny ears Kathy!

### THE CHARITY RUN RETURNS FOR ANOTHER LAP!

We are excited to announce the return of our neighborhood run. Thank you to Kelley Ruzicka for leading the way for our residents to officially run in the middle of their streets for a good cause! An event like this takes a lot of effort, so if you are interested in volunteering, please contact Kelley at [kelley@gEEK.com](mailto:kelley@gEEK.com).

### KEEP THE PARTY GOING

For two years the association board has been asking for Block Party coordinators to plan and organize our summer's biggest event. We love this fun event and are happy to announce that Julie Esch has volunteered to chair our favorite summer event! Thank you Julie! We still need volunteers to bring their time and talent. To party on, contact Julie Esch at [jules11@wi.rr.com](mailto:jules11@wi.rr.com).

### BECOME BOARD MEMBER

Please consider playing an active role in Tosa East Towne Neighborhood Association (TETNA) this year. The time commitment for a board member position is only about one to two hours a month and attending one 1½-hour association meeting ten times a year. We vote for our officers and board during the annual meeting on March 7. Please contact Sarah Hunt-Frank at 774-1813 or [slhuntfrank@att.net](mailto:slhuntfrank@att.net) for more information.

### NEWSLETTER DISTRIBUTORS & AREA REPS

If you enjoy receiving the newsletter, become a distributor for your block or a representative for your area. Many of our neighbors have been volunteering for a number of years and wish to pass the task on to new volunteers. If you'd like to help, contact Nancy Hall at [nancyhallatr@gmail.com](mailto:nancyhallatr@gmail.com).

# Memory Corner

One of the great advantages of living in Tosa East Towne is being able to walk along North Avenue and visit the various shops. With the opening of *Rocket Baby Bakery* and *Signature Sweets*, along with the ever-popular *Cranky Al's*, we have a delightful variety of baked goods to satisfy our carb cravings.

TETNA's Senior Rep, Ruth Heup, says one of her kids' favorite memories of East Towne is walking (without parents) to the bakery on North Avenue. The best part of the trip was when they could eat the warm crusts on the walk home.

Ruth can't remember the name of the bakery, so we did a little investigating using the new Wauwatosa City Directories Historical Database on the Wauwatosa Library website. *Mews' Bakery* was located at 6230 W. North Avenue in 1932. In 1936 until 1960's, the listing became the *Tosa Bake Shop*.

Do you have a special memory of Tosa East Towne or Wauwatosa? Do Tell! You can fill out the form below and send it to Mary Raebel, 2441 N. 70th Street, or use the form on our website at [tosaeasttowne.org](http://tosaeasttowne.org).

## TOSA EAST TOWNE NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION MEMORY CORNER FORM

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

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Memory: \_\_\_\_\_

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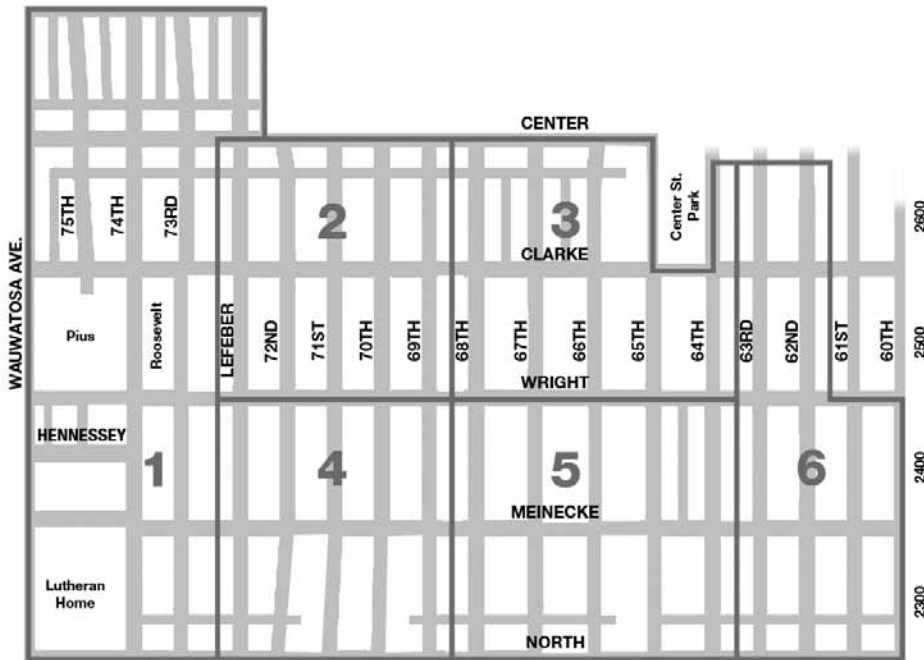
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**Can we contact you to ask questions?** (circle one):

No, thank you                      By phone                      Email me

If you need more room to tell your story, just attach this form to your written memory. Deliver completed form to Mary Raebel, 2441 N. 70th Street



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