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## Enrollment Begins for 2020-2021 School Year

There are many public school options choose from and research from 2017 indicates most Kansas City families get information about school choices from their social and community networks and from touring schools. Now that enrollment has begun for the 2020–2021 school year, keep in mind that limiting your search to only those schools where you know families already enrolled can be a contributing factor to school segregation and inequitable education in our city. It's important to look beyond our own networks when considering which schools to attend, and to tour schools that enroll students with backgrounds that are different from your own.

According to a recent analysis of Kansas City schools, segregation by race and economic status is increasing in K.C. schools. In 2017, 39% of public schools (district + charter) were intensively segregated, compared to 12% in 2009 and 9% in 1999. And while white students make up only 10% of public school enrollment in Kansas City, 47% of those students are enrolling in 1 of 7 schools. Integrated schools have benefits for all students, including increased academic achievement for students of color, increased empathy, and reduced prejudice and stereotyping. All students benefit from the critical thinking skills and cross-cultural collaboration that come with a diverse learning environment.

The three neighborhood schools for Hyde Park families are Longfellow Elementary, Central Middle School, and Central High School. Signature school options provide programs focused on a specific theme such as arts, language, IB, African Centered, or Montessori. These schools enroll on a first come first serve basis, and may have screenings, auditions, or testing requirements. Enrollment for these schools can be completed at EnrollKC.org or at the KCPS Board of Education offices at 2901 Troost. If Signature schools receive more applications than they have spaces available, additional interested students will be put on a waitlist. *Applications for signature programs should be completed by February 14.*

Charter schools are public schools governed independently from the school district. Many charter schools or networks have partnered together to use a common enrollment application that is available at SchoolAppKC.org. Applications for other charter schools may be found on individual school websites or in person at the schools. Charter schools that receive more applications than they have spaces available will have an admissions lottery and additional interested students will be put on a waitlist. *Applications through SchoolAppKC are due March 2.*

## Meetings & More

### Monthly Meetings –

**Central Presbyterian Church**  
**3501 Campbell**

**HPNA Board:** Second Mondays,  
6:30 p.m.

**Neighborhood Meetings:**  
Third Tuesdays, 7:00 p.m.

**Crime and Safety:** The KCPD Central Patrol offices on Linwood Boulevard have responsibility for Hyde Park. Our proactive officers can be reached at 816-398-0405. Officers meet with neighbors monthly at 7 p.m. on the last Thursday from January through October at the Central Patrol Station's Community Room.

**The HP Playgroup:** Wednesdays  
10:00 a.m. to noon.

Contact Megan Sawyer at  
megan.m.sawyer@gmail.com

## Your 2020 HPNA Board

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## New Banners Coming to Hyde Park

Ten talented Hyde Parkers submitted designs for a new banner to be displayed on light poles throughout Hyde Park, making for a very difficult decision. The design selected by the Board of Directors was submitted by Lee Ernst. Lee, a

33-year resident of Hyde Park, worked for many years as a graphic designer at Hallmark Cards designing seasonal retail displays and window banners. He now works as a graphic designer at The Nelson-Atkins Museum of Art where he designs graphics for exhibitions, including the banners you see around the Museum.

The Board is getting proposals for production and installation, and working with the City to designate poles for the banners throughout Hyde Park. The banners are expected to be installed in the next 60 days.

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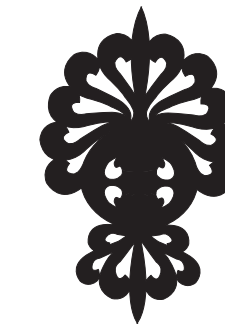
**MARK YOUR CALENDAR**

The Hyde Park Neighborhood Association meets the third Tuesday of each month at 7:00 p.m. at Central Presbyterian Church.

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Hyde Park Neighborhood Assoc. Inc.  
P.O. Box 32551  
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# The Hyde Parker

## Join or Renew Your Hyde Park Neighborhood Association Membership



Memberships are valid January-December. Join or renew today! Benefits include: Voting for neighborhood board members, free dumpster days, and your address listed in annual yard sale advertising. New this year, members will also receive discounted advertising in our Hyde Park neighborhood newsletter.

Dues start at \$35 per household. New or renewing members have **three ways** to pay:

- 1. Online** at <https://hydeparkkc.org/association/membership>
- 2. Directly to any Board member**, at any regular meeting
- 3. By mail:** HPNA, P.O. 32551, Kansas City, Missouri 64171.

## Pilgrim Run 5K raises more than \$20,000!

Thanks to the many runners and walkers who participated in this year's 5K, more than \$20,000 was raised to support the Pilgrim Center's 2020 community programs. The Pilgrim Center hosts community events throughout the year including the Spring Frolic and Egg Hunt on Easter Sunday and the month-long Hyde Park Film Festival on Fridays in June.

Visit [pilgrimcenterkc.org](http://pilgrimcenterkc.org) for more information.



Thanks to our photographers, volunteer of the Decade (middle photo), was taken by Stephanie Smith. Others were taken by Kim Horgan.

## Trash Amnesty will be December 26 – 31.

Residents may place up to 15 bags at the curb without tags. No hazardous waste, bulky items or leaf and brush will be collected.



A welcoming, justice seeking congregation invites you to worship with us Sundays 10:30 a.m.

# Central Presbyterian Church

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Heidi Peterson, Pastor

## ANNUAL MEETING

### Recap

HPNA members elected new board members and approved the budget below at the annual meeting on November 19.

**LaVonne Meyer** was reelected to a two-year term as South Hyde Park Rep, **Harry Kattner** was elected to a two-year term as Central Hyde Park Rep., **Brynn Brichet** was elected to a two-year term as Corresponding Secretary.

**First Vice President** and **Treasurer** are open positions. *Anyone interested should contact Allan Hallquist at president@hydeparkkc.org.*

INCOME		
Membership Dues	\$10,000	
Event Income		
Candlelight Gala	8,000	
Homes Tour	26,000	
"The Hyde Parker" Advertising	1,000	
Interest	25	
Miscellaneous	200	
<b>Total Income</b>		<b>\$45,225</b>
EXPENSES		
Administration		
Banners - Production and Installation	\$25,000	
Website Expansion/Maintenance	5,000	
Memberships	150	
Postage	100	
License & Permits	250	
Insurance	1,750	
Office Supplies	150	
Other/Historian	100	
Bank Service Charges	50	
Charge Card Fees	1,000	
Square Fees	25	
<b>Total Administration</b>		<b>\$33,575</b>
"The Hyde Parker"		
Printing	4,000	
Postage	1,500	
<b>Total Hyde Parker Programs</b>		<b>\$5,500</b>
Crime and Safety	---	
Publicity, Image & Visibility	500	
Cleanup (Dumpsters)	1,000	
Graffiti Removal	500	
Neighborhood Planting	2,000	
Garage Sale	500	
Community Sponsorships	2,000	
Social Committee	1000	
<b>Total Programs</b>		<b>\$7,500</b>
Events		
Candlelight Gala	8,000	
Homes Tour	20,000	
<b>Total Events</b>		<b>\$28,000</b>
<b>Total Expenses</b>		<b>\$74,575</b>
<b>Net Income/(Loss)</b>		<b>(\$29,350)</b>



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**3817 Campbell**  
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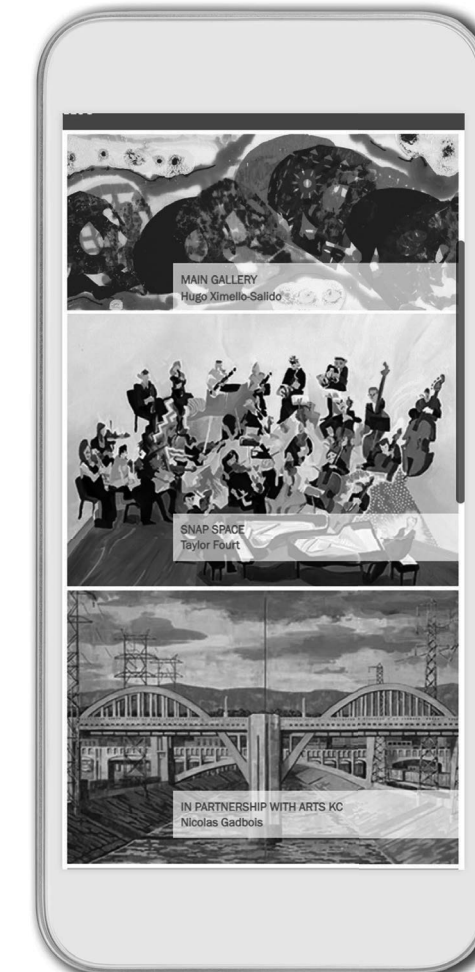
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## Kansas City Artists Coalition Relocates to Hyde Park

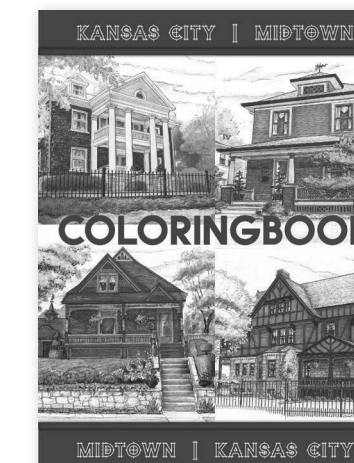
**Hyde Park has a new neighbor.** The Kansas City Artists Coalition has relocated to 3200 Gillham Rd. Assistant Director and local artist Jessica Rogers shared this about the organization:

KCAC is a non-profit arts organization, and for the past 40+ years it has been their mission to serve local and regional artists through exhibitions, business programming, and creating supportive community engagement. With our move to the neighborhood, this will be the first time that KCAC will also be able to offer artists studio spaces on site for reasonable rates.

For more information, visit: [kansascityartistscoalition.org](http://kansascityartistscoalition.org)

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