

Collins View in SW News for August 2018

All Collins View residents are invited to the National Night Out Ice Cream Social to be held on Sunday August 5th from 3pm to 6pm. If you feel like sitting down as you enjoy your ice cream cone then remember to bring a chair. It will be held in St Mark Church parking lot. The church is on SW Terwilliger Blvd, right across from Riverdale High School.

A Collins View Fact

Talking of Terwilliger Boulevard, did you know that the posted speed on Terwilliger in Collins View is higher than any other section of the entire boulevard until south of the Lewis and Clark Law School? In contrast, speeds are as low as 25 mph near the OHSU complex. In our Collins View neighborhood, the main traffic thoroughfare is posted at 35 mph and passes a school and has sidewalk protection on only one side of the two lane street. In comparison, Barbur Boulevard is a street also posted at 35 mph and has 4 lanes and a center turn lane in many areas.

Still on the subject of roads, no doubt many of you felt the effects of the storm which blew through the neighborhood on Sunday June 17th. If you belong to the Neighborhood Emergency Team (NET) you would have also received a call or text asking you to deploy to help guard the downed power lines on Boones Ferry Road and on View Point Terrace. Both roads were impassable and as dusk fell it was increasingly difficult to see the yellow tape across the road. The NETs, not just from Collins View, worked in shifts until 11pm to assure that everyone was safe. Several neighbors braved the very hungry mosquitoes to have a chat with the NETs as they kept watch with their flash lights, reflective vests and hard hats. Special thanks to Bob Fischer



NET fire extinguisher refresher.