

**Captain John Mullan**  
Neighborhood Council Leadership Team Meeting  
April 14, 2011 at 7:30 pm  
Barnes & Noble Coffee Shop

Meeting called to order at 7:35 pm

Present – Randy Johnson, Kathie Snodgrass, Nathan Howard, and Steve Schmidt

Absent - Rod Austin, Heather Phillips, and Josiah Hodge.

**Appointed Board Member:** After receiving no other volunteers to fill the Board position vacated by Jordan, Steve Schmidt has volunteered and been appointed to fill the position until the next general meeting this fall.

**Neighborhood Picnic:** Pleasant View will hold their garage sale/picnic on Saturday, May 21 this year. The semi-potluck picnic will start around 4 pm at the park area beside Bailey's. They have arranged for the jumper and bounce house again. If Pleasant View Homeowner's Association is interested in doing a joint picnic with the Captain John Mullan Neighborhood Council, we can supply burgers, dogs, and buns as we did two years ago. Steve will bring this up at the Pleasant View board meeting tomorrow. (*NOTE: Steve confirmed via e-mail on 4/21 that the Pleasant View board wants to do a joint picnic*)

**Marathon Aid Station:** Nathan reported that the marathon will be July 10<sup>th</sup> this year, and we are signed up to do our usual aid station. We will begin recruiting volunteers.

**Miscellaneous Items:**

- Kathie reported on Bryan Nickerson's clothesline project. We will send the information out to our e-mail list
- Randy and Nathan will supplement the info Kathie sent to the Office of Neighborhoods on the nice sandwich board signs we have
- Kathie reported on the upcoming Diversity Day, Neighborhood Leadership Potluck, and Sunday Streets/Neighbor Day events.
- There's no news on the Pleasant View Park or the Mullan Trail Connector
- We need to finalize our 3 points of neighborhood pride before the potluck. In general, we think the coolest stuff is
  - We have one of everything (from big box stores to an international airport to a New Urbanist development)
  - We're where Missoula began (the 1860 Hellgate Ronde settlement site and the original Higgins & Worden Hell-Gate trading post site)
  - We're the biggest and most diverse neighborhood geographically and by type of development (can we call ourselves the "Biggest, Baddest, & Best"?)

The meeting adjourned about 8:35 pm.

*Kathie Snodgrass*  
note keeper