

Handy Resources for Home

Report Litter 28-CLEAN
Report Graffiti 241-WASH
Police Non-Emergency 553-0123
Police/Mission Station 558-5400
Help A Homeless Person 431-7400
(Mobile Assistance Patrol dispatched)
Street Cleaning 695-2017 or 695-2020
S.F. Supervisor Bevan Dufty's Office
Bevan Dufty 554-6968
bevan.dufty@sfgov.org
Diana Parker, Chief of Staff
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Next General Membership Meeting: Thursday August 19th, 2004 @ 7:30pm
Castro Meeting Room
Castro @ 18th Street
Above the Bank of America

Join EVPA by Sending Us This Completed Membership Application

Name: _____
First Last

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Organization: _____

Address: _____ Apt. _____
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Day Phone: (____) _____ Evening Phone: (____) _____

Email Address: _____

(EVPA does not share your contact information with other groups)

My concerns for the neighborhood include _____

I am interested in working on the following issues:
 City Planning/Zoning Transportation, Utilities & Neighborhood Commerce
 Public Health/Safety Education/Recreation Membership & Promotion
 Finance Internal Affairs Pink Triangle Park

Renewing membership. New membership.

Annual Membership dues are \$15 per calendar year for individuals or \$24 for households, businesses or nonprofits in Castro, Upper Market, and Duboce Triangle (Eureka Valley). EVPA is a non-profit California corporation. Please return this form with your check payable to EVPA to:
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HELP TO KEEP EUREKA VALLEY THE SUNNY HEART OF SAN FRANCISCO!

Judy Hoyem

Friendly neighbors, a clean and beautiful environment, well-cared for homes and parks, public gathering places and recreational facilities, calm traffic, convenient public transportation, a vibrant business district, safety and security at home and on the street! Sound idyllic? It is! And actually it's what we have in Eureka Valley. We who live here or have businesses here appreciate it and we want to keep it this way. It takes awareness and attention to maintain and improve a neighborhood, but a few hours a month from many neighbors can make a big difference. By joining a committee of the Eureka Valley Promotion Association, you can meet new people, contribute your point of view and lend a hand. Committees meet in small groups once a month or so at the convenience of the members. It is a pleasure to work with others on a common project. There are a number of committees to choose from, so whatever your skills and interests may be, you are needed! The committees are the strength of EVPA. Together we have an impact on decisions of City Hall that affect our neighborhood. Please join us!

The standing committees and current projects of EVPA are:

Education & Recreation: Chair—Pauline Shaver (psha@aol.com) Pink Triangle Park, EVRC remodel, Collingwood Park dog run and field redesign, liaison to SF Recreation and Park Department
Finance: Chair—Joe Foster (kaizrjoe@hotmail.com) Gerald Abbott (Gerald.abbott@ketchum.com) manages EVPA budget and oversees cash flow
Internal Affairs: Chair—Drew Bertagnolli (andrewbertagnolli@hotmail.com) ensure compliance of by-laws and rules of order



Membership: Chair—Drew Bertagnolli (andrewbertagnolli@hotmail.com) maintain membership list, creation and distribution of newsletter and membership growth.
Planning: Chair—Adam Hagen (adamhagen@aol.com) reviews notifications from the SF Planning Commission for issues relevant to EVPA, liaison with SF Planning Commission. Focuses on residential building issues.
Safety: Mike Babbitt (mbabbitt@msn.com) Working with Supervisor Dufty's office regarding Halloween in the Castro, liaison to SFPD, and SF Patrol Special Police.
Utilities, Transportation & Neighborhood Commerce (UTNC): Chair David Weiss (developsmartusa@yahoo.com) Works with Supervisor Dufty's office to attract neighborhood oriented businesses to Eureka Valley.

You can learn more about the work of the committees at the monthly membership meeting (third Thursday of every month at 7:30 p.m.). Committees report at every meeting. If it is difficult for you to attend the regular monthly meeting, you can still participate in a committee. For more information, please contact the committee chairs mentioned above or go to www.evpa.org.

General Membership Meeting Minutes July 15, 2004

Meeting began at 7:30 PM.

President Joe Foster Chaired the meeting.

Gustavo Serina acted as Recording Secretary

1. Upon motion made and carried, the June, 2004 General Membership Meeting Minutes were approved.

2. Members in attendance voted for the first three recipients of the EVPA Good Neighbor Proclamations. VP Drew Bertagnolli and Past President Lion Barnett tallied the votes. The winners were (in alphabetical order): The Castro Theatre, A.G. Ferrari, and Diane Nutting. Proclamations will be issued as soon as practical.

Meeting adjourned at 9:05PM.



Landmarked in the 1970's



HEAR YE! HEAR YE!

EVPA will be awarding proclamations quarterly, recognizing those in the neighborhood who have gone above and beyond to make the Eureka Valley a better place. The recipients can be an individual, groups or businesses. To make a nomination got to www.evpa.org and submit the name and a brief statement of merit. Use the info@evpa.org e-mail address. Alternatively, you can nominate someone at the General Membership Meeting. The Board will put together a slate of 5 nominees. At the end of each quarter, the General Membership will select up to 3 of the nominees for the award. The membership selected the following for recognition in the second quarter of 2004. Dianne Nutting, A.J. Ferrari Market, and the Castro Theater. Thanks to Mike Babbit for coordinating this effort!

** Nominees for third quarter awards are due by October 1st.*



\$\$\$ LETS COMPETE WITH E-BAY \$\$\$

Help raise money for EVPA. In the coming months, EVPA will have its first yard sale. The Friends School has generously donated their parking lot (Diamond near 18th) and we need a coordinator and someone who knows how to catch the eye of consumers. If you are interested in taking the lead on this project, please contact Pauline Shaver at psha@aol.com. In the meantime, start rounding up your gently used items that you would like to donate to the effort and keep reading the Eureka for more information.



ADVERTISE IN THE EUREKA!

There is no better time to place and ad in the Eureka than now. Announcing our new incentive program – plan ahead and save some money while letting your neighbors know how best to support your business. Ad rates are as follows, to sign up please contact Gustavo Serina at gserina@aol.com.

- 1 month, \$35
- 3 months, \$90
- 6 months, \$165
- 9 months, \$225
- 12 months, \$270

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| Make a door fit | Restore/install artwork |
| Pack things to ship | Built bookcase to fit |
| Small carpentry jobs | Consumer advice |
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EVERYTHING'S COMING UP ROSES! Saturday August 14 at 10:00 am

Have the most fabulous roses on the block! Attend a workshop by rose expert Ken Gourley, who will demonstrate how to prepare your roses for the fall. This is offered free to EVPA members and friends. Meet at Pink Triangle Park (17th & Market & Castro) for this informative and interactive lecture.