

Oñate Neighborhood Association

Know your Neighbors and be a Good Neighbor

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ONA Event

OÑATE NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION (ONA) BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETINGS ARE HELD ON THE THIRD WEDNESDAY OF EVERY MONTH, 6:00 PM, AT THE CHELWOOD CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH, 2200 CHELWOOD PARK BLVD. NE, ALBUQUERQUE. ALL RESIDENTS ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND.

Oñate Neighborhood Association Board of Directors

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Website: <https://onateneighborhood.com>



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Join ONA for its annual Newsletter Team RECOGNITION DINNER

Wednesday, November 20
5:30 pm dinner; 6:00 pm meeting
Chelwood Christian Reformed Church

Join us in recognizing our many dedicated Newsletter Distributors, who provide support to ONA on a quarterly basis. All ONA residents are welcome!

Please cut out and mail the form below with your dues/other payments. ✂

Much of our funding and donations go toward police patrols to help prevent crime in our neighborhood. Thank you!

Annual Membership Dues/Payment Form

Date:

Name:

Address:

E-Mail and/or Phone:

Membership Dues (\$20/Year): \$ _____

Police Patrols: Please donate for police hours/shifts that you feel comfortable with.

\$30 = ½ hour

\$60 = 1 hour

\$120 = One, 2-hour shift (all patrol shifts are 2 hours)

\$240 = Two shifts

\$360 = Three shifts

Other \$ _____

Make checks payable to: ONATE NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION, and mail to P.O. Box 13731, Albuquerque NM 87192

Please email me a receipt for my donation.

NATIONAL NIGHT OUT BRINGS NEIGHBORS, LAW ENFORCEMENT, BUSINESSES TOGETHER

The monsoon rains of August stayed away, providing near-perfect weather for ONA's National Night Out on August 6. More than 50 attended the event at Brentwood Hills Park, including Oñate residents, members of the Albuquerque Police Department and Albuquerque Fire Rescue, and representatives from the City of Albuquerque. Friends, neighbors, and guests were able to visit and get to know each other. Parents brought squirt guns, water balloons, and other toys to provide fun for the kiddos.

For the fourth year, Oñate resident Laura Garner, ERA Summit Realty, made a large donation toward providing meal vouchers for the event, and we again enjoyed the benefits of her generosity. Thank you, Laura!

Tantrum BBQ provided delicious meal options, and Wow Wow Lemonade's offerings were a wonderful way to quench the heat. (You can find Tantrum BBQ on Sundays at Marble Brewery's Heights location. Wow Wow Lemonade is at the Winrock Park Market on Saturday mornings.) Pizza and ice cream desserts were also served. Gabrielle's Greenery's Airstream van was also in attendance. Her environmentally friendly refillery/dry goods/plants shop, Fillin' Funky, just opened at The Bridges on Tramway.



Our sincere thanks go to our Oñate Neighborhood Association officers and directors who worked on set up, serving, clean up, arranging APD visitors, and posting signs around the neighborhood. We simply cannot host events like National Night Out without your continued care and encouragement for each other and your commitment to supporting community events.

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PRESIDENT'S CORNER

Greetings, Neighbors! Hope you are doing well and keeping busy despite the heat wave we had. The cooler weather is a welcome relief!

TreeNM staff will be out in force on September 7 for Oñate Neighborhood Tree Planting, and we need volunteers to help from 8:30 am to 12:30 pm, location to be announced soon. Please register by September 5 to volunteer. Send an email to onateneighborhood@gmail.com and we will add your name to the list. Bring water, a hat, sunscreen, and wear closed-toe shoes. You can access more information for this volunteer opportunity by copying and pasting this into your browser: Oñate Neighborhood Tree Planting - ABQ | One Albuquerque Volunteers (oneabqvolunteers.com).

Your Oñate Board has been exploring options for **neighborhood patrol security**. Having a neighborhood patrol remains an essential aspect of maintaining a safe and secure community. Due to APD scheduling changes, we reached out to a local security services firm who patrolled our neighborhood several years ago. We are considering their proposal and hope to begin patrols in the next few weeks. Thank you for your ONA donations which include funding security patrols!

Schools are in session: Keep an eye out for pedestrians and be mindful of your speed, especially on Morrow Avenue near Embudo Drive!

Hope to see you at the Newsletter Team Recognition Dinner on November 20!

Be safe, be well. – Sharon Ruiz

TREASURER'S REPORT

January 1, 2024, Beginning Balance:	\$6,014.98
2024 YTD Income:	2,250.00
2024 YTD Expenses:	1,940.76
August 21, 2024, Balance:	\$6,324.22

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

- September 7 – ONA Tree Planting Day
- September 18 – ONA meeting | October 16 – ONA meeting
- November 20 – Newsletter Team Recognition Dinner & Mtg.

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