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The Como-tion

Welcome New Students and Como Residents! Come on Out to the Como Cookout!



The Como Cookout is a celebration of community here in the Southeast Como neighborhood. 2017 is our 14th year of having this FREE event that brings together everyone in the Como Neighborhood. All are welcome. Come out and meet us

**11:00am-3:00pm
Saturday, September 23rd
Van Cleve Park
901 15th Ave SE**

Free Food!

Hot Dogs (Halal option available), Baked Potatoes, Grilled Corn, Qdoba, Chips, Fruit, Cotton Candy, Popcorn, and Beverages provided

Live Music!

We will have The Nightstones, Hello Como, and a DJ playing live music all throughout the event

Games and Activities!

We will have a bounce house, kids games, henna tattoos, sustainable paint making, bandana leaf printing, and so many more activities yet to come.

For more information and to keep up- check our website at www.secomo.org or follow the event on Facebook: <http://bit.ly/2wCaZYk>

- Stay informed with Como Tidbits. (the lesser SECIA Publication)



- Facebook.com/SoutheastComo
- Twitter @SouthEastComo
- Instagram @ComoGreenVillage

- Hold on to your pants! It's going to be a great fall in SE Como

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Donate:

www.givemn.org/organization/southeast-como-improvement-association

Neighborhood based advocacy benefiting Southeast Como and the entire Twin Cities

Events (<http://tinyurl.com/secomo-calendar>)

Cody's Office Hours
Tuesdays 4-6PM
NE College Prep
300 Industrial Blvd
please schedule ahead

SECIA Board Meetings
Tuesday September 5th
Tuesday October 3rd
6:30pm-8:30pm
Van Cleve Park, 901 15th Ave SE

Friends of SE Library Meetings
Thursday September 14th
Thursday October 12th
5:30-7PM.
1222 4th St. S.E.

MN Energy Fair
Harriet Island-200 Dr Justus
Ohage Blvd, St Paul, MN
Saturday September 9th 9a-11p
Sunday September 10th 9a-5p

Talmage Crossing Garden Days :
Wednesday, August 9th 5:00 pm
Saturday, August 26th 10:00 am
Wednesday, Sept. 13th 5:00 pm
Saturday, September 23rd @ Como Cookout Leaf printing bandanas 11am-3pm
Saturday Sept. 30th 10:00 am
21st SE & Talmage Ave SE

Cam Gordon Office Hours
Thursday, September 14th
Thursday October 12th
9:30-11:30 am
Black Coffee & Waffle Bar

2PAC
Monday September 11th
Monday October 9th
6:00-8:00 pm
1900 Central Ave NE

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901 15th Ave SE

Make Homes Happen- Ward 1 Affordable Housing Forum
Wednesday, September 13th
6:30pm-8:00pm
Firefighters Hall
664 22nd Ave NE

Livability Committee Meeting
Tuesday September 19th
Tuesday October 17th
7:00-9:00 pm
Van Cleve Park, 901 15th Ave

Environment Committee Meeting
Tuesday, September 26th
Tuesday, October 24th
7:00-9:00 pm
Van Cleve Park, 901 15th Ave

To sign up for our digital bi-weekly newsletter (Tidbits), or to submit Comotion Articles
Please email
ben@secomo.org



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Bringing it Back– Community Garage Sale!

We have had many neighbors ask if we were going to have a community garage sale again, and we are pleased to inform you– the answer is now YES!

In order to get maximum participation and make sure that our student renters are in town for the sale, it will be held this year on:

Saturday September 30th 9am-5pm
Sunday October 1st, 9am-5pm

We are officially taking signups for hosting a garage sale, registration will be FREE for 2017, and we will be advertising the sale across a variety of platforms. We will take signups online and at the Como Cookout on September 23rd, before we will close registration

Please email kenos@secomo.org if you are planning on hosting a sale during this weekend. We will post a map updated weekly on our social media pages and website, and printed final maps of the sale will be available on Saturday September 30th at Van Cleve Park Recreation Center.



SECIA's Annual Meeting

Want to find out more about what SECIA has been up to?

Have you wanted to get involved in your community?

Would you like to meet more of your neighbors?

Interested in serving on our Board of Directors?

We invite you to come to SECIA's Annual Meeting

Our annual meeting is a great way to meet community members of all backgrounds, ages, and walks of life. We will come together to celebrate all that SECIA has been able to accomplish in the past year, make plans for the next year and years to come, and choose new community leaders to serve on our Board of Directors. All are welcome.

We currently have 6 spots up for election or appointment in 2017: 4 board seats, 1 appointed undergraduate student board seat, and 1 appointed graduate student board seat. These seats are open to homeowners, renters, students, and business owners in the SE Como community.

We are still in the process of planning for this event. If there are activities you would like to see happen at our annual meeting, or want to make sure something is featured, please call or email the SECIA office.

This year's Annual Meeting will take place:

Tuesday, November 14th 2017
 6:00PM-8:30PM
 Van Cleve Park and Recreation Center
 901 15th Ave SE, Minneapolis, MN 55414

Light refreshments will be provided