

CITY PEOPLE

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Join Us At the Downtown Grill and Brewery on August 17!

Come join us for our monthly board meeting at Adaptable Furniture Concepts above the Mast General Store at 5:30pm on Monday **August 17th**. We will adjourn the meeting at 6:30pm to the Downtown Grill and Brewery for our social hour.

Dinner at Regas and Theatre Knoxville Downtown On August 1, 2009

We start the evening at 6:00 at The Gathering Place at Regas <http://www.regassquare.com>. Enjoy casual dining options from their new menu or try one of the sharing plates with a friend. City People members receive a free dessert with the purchase of two entrees.

At 8:00, we relocate across Gay Street to Theatre Knoxville Downtown. The Theater Board has set aside a block of 25 seats for the opening night performance of "Moon Over Buffalo" directed by Robert Hahn.

If you are interested in joining us for this evening of fun, you will need to contact the Theatre directly to reserve tickets and make payment. You must confirm your ticket reservation by **Friday, July 24**. You will receive the \$2/seat discount for City People members, so the ticket price will be \$13.00. If you choose to pay online with a credit card thru KnoxTix, they will reimburse you the \$2 each at the door. Go to www.theatreknoxville.com for more information about tickets.

New Business Partners

City People want to welcome their newest business partners: **Trio** and **Gingers Dream Doggie Boarding & Daycare**. Their benefits are listed below.

Shakespeare on Market Square

Come join your City People friends on Sunday, **August 9th** for a group viewing of A Midsummer Night's Dream performed by our partners the Tennessee Stage Company. Bring your chair and snacks, and join us around 6:30pm as we setup our prime-time viewing spot. From that point on, we'll be whisked away into a fairy tale. See you there!

Downtown Home Tour October 11, 2009

We need volunteers for our upcoming home tour. Please email citypeople.knox@gmail.com if you are interested in being a host for the tour. We would love to show off your place! We also need volunteers to help with various duties during the afternoon. A committee meeting will take place on **August 4 at 6:00pm** in the community room of The Holston. Email us at the address above if you plan to attend the committee meeting.

First Friday Open House



OPEN HOUSE: August 7th
Be OUR guest, be our guest...133A South Gay Street
Wells Fargo Home Mortgage
is
DOWNTOWN
Come visit our new downtown location and stay around for the 1st Friday festivities!!!
Appetizers, drinks and music will be provided.
See you at 5:00 until ... August 7th, HERE at 133A South Gay Street

Thank you, Rita's, for hosting our July Board of Directors Meeting!

Knoxville Botanical Garden presents BEN SOLLEE Live in Concert

WHEN: Saturday, August 29, 2009 at 8 pm (VIP reception begins at 6:30 pm)

WHERE: Knoxville Botanical Garden – 2743 Wimpole Avenue. The concert will take place outdoors on the Garden's Stone Terrace.

HOW: Tickets are available for \$20 plus applicable fees to Garden Members (password required for online and phone purchases) and \$25 plus applicable fees to the general public. VIP tickets are \$40 and include a pre-show reception with wine, beer and hors d'oeuvres, meet & greet and photo opportunity with Ben Sollee, and access to a premium seating area directly in front of the stage.

Tickets are available now via the following sources:

ONLINE: <http://www.knoxgarden.org>

BY PHONE: (24 hours a day) 1-800-838-3006

IN PERSON: Stone Wall Gardens Office, 2743 Wimpole Avenue (Mon-Fri 9a-5p)

Arts & Culture Alliance Consignment Sale August 7, 2009

This very unique consignment sale takes place on Friday, August 7, from 5:00-9:00 PM as part of First Friday celebrations. The public is invited to peruse and purchase items from local artists, former gallery owners, and art enthusiasts. The sale will take place at 108 S. Gay Street in downtown Knoxville, next door to the UT Downtown Gallery. One-third of all sales benefit the Arts & Culture Alliance, which serves and supports a diverse community of artists, arts organizations, and cultural institutions. For more information about the sale or submitting items to be included, please contact the Arts & Culture Alliance at (865) 523-7543, info@knoxalliance.com, or visit www.knoxalliance.com.

Hillside and Ridgetop Meetings

Thursday August 6, 2009

6:30pm Dean Hill Recreation Center
7400 Deane Hill Drive

Monday August 10, 2009

6:30pm Ramsey House
2614 Thorn grove Pike

Picnic at James White Fort Sunday, Aug 30th @ 7pm

Bring your favorite chair, side dish, and beverage because we are going to have a picnic! City People will provide the main course, and James Whites Fort will provide the tranquil setting. Invite your friends and family for this wonderful evening event in a historical oasis right amid our downtown neighborhood!

Volunteer Opportunities

August 20 YWCA Tribute To Women Time: 5pm-8pm

City People volunteers will be assisting the YWCA 25th Anniversary Tribute To Women with their silent auction. The Silent Auction will be at the First Tennessee Bank Lobby and the Awards Ceremony will carry on to the Bijou Theatre. Volunteers will be assisting patrons in bidding on items and encouraging items to sell. This is a great cause to raise funds that support downtown's Social Service agency vital programs. We need several more volunteers. **If you would like to attend and not volunteer, you can contact Danielle at the email below to purchase tickets!**

Hispanic Heritage Festival September 15 Time: TBA

City People volunteers will be helping in Market Square for the event doing tasks such as working a booth, assisting with set-up, coordination and crowd participation.

Contact Dkriger@ywcaknox.com

Abode and Sapphire

A special thank you to Abode for providing a wonderful setting for our social on July 20 and thanks to Sapphire for wonderful food and drinks!

100 Block Construction

The next meeting for the 100 Block Community is Tuesday August 11, 2009 at 5Pm at the Emporium. KPD, Contractor, KUB, City Engineering, and the CBID, will possibly be represented there to give an update on activities to date and to discuss future work and schedules. Hope to see everyone there!

<http://100blockconstructionknox.blogspot.com/>

City People Membership Benefits:

Partners offer exclusive savings to City People Members. Check out these savings:

Abode	10% off purchases up to \$100
Adaptable Furniture Concepts	10% off any ergonomic task chair
Art Market Gallery	10% off items over \$25
Bliss Home	10% off purchases up to \$100
Clancy Optical Company	15% Off any complete pair of glasses
Cool Beans Restaurant & Tavern	Buy one entrée, get the second half off!
Crowne Plaza	Community Meeting Space
Downtown Grill & Brewery (Must present City People card)	\$2 Beers, all day on Sundays
Dr. Corbitt	Free chiropractic consultation and exam and \$45 for 1 hour massage (by appt only 405-6427)
Downtown Massage Therapy	\$10.00 discount off one-hour massage or facial and a \$7.00 discount off a Manicure and Pedicure Combination
East Tennessee History Center	\$5 off gift shop purchase
First Tennessee Bank	Free first order of checks, one year free rental of 3" x 10" (or smaller) safe deposit box (deposit account required), and complimentary financial planning (At First Tennessee Plaza Financial Center, 800 S. Gay Street only)
Gingers Dream Doggie Boarding & Daycare	10% discount on the total bill whether it is for boarding or daycare.
Jennie Huettel Photography	\$25 off 1-hr photo session (regular price is \$75)
Knoxville Ice Bears	\$1.00 off single game tickets
Knoxville Opera	10% discount on single tickets
Knoxville Museum of Art	\$5.00 off Membership
Lindsay Young Downtown YMCA	\$5 off individual and \$10 off family monthly membership rates
Little Havana	Happy Hour 24/7

Mahogany's Restaurant in the Crowne Plaza	20% Discount on food purchases (except on holidays)
Maplehurst Inn	\$20.00 Discount per night
Market Square Kitchen	Free bread or dessert (with purchase) or a half price bowl of soup on Fridays
Operation Bootcamp	10% off your first month!
Patins' Field of Greens	Buy 2 salads, get the 3rd for ½ price on Fridays
Preservation Pub	\$5.00 discount off Executive Preservationist Membership
Prestige Cleaners	10% off dry cleaning (downtown location only)
Regas	Free dessert with the purchase of any two entrees
Remedy Coffee	Purchase one drink, get one free
Resurrectionsdesign	5% off any purchases from the Design Line or any custom request work at www.resurrectionsdesign.com
Rita's Italian Ice	15% off any purchase
Sapphire	Enjoy \$5 Signature Martinis and Mojitos anytime Monday through Thursday with your City People membership card
Southern Tails Pet Sitting	\$3 Off first Pet Sit or \$10 Off first Overnight Sit www.southerntailspetsitting.com
Summit Title	\$50 off closing fees
Slamdot	Free 1-page website OR 10% off a full page website package (Domain name included in both)
Theatre Knoxville Downtown	\$2.00 off show tickets
Trio	\$2.00 Bottles of Beer w/ Food Purchase on Wednesdays.
Vagabondia	10% Discount off Regular Price Merchandise

2009 City People Membership/Renewal

I want to be part of City People and support the Center City. Enclosed is my tax deductible check for:

\$25 Individual \$40 Family New Member Renewal Include in Directory

Name(s) _____

Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Work Phone _____ Home Phone _____

Fax _____ email _____

Mail to: City People / P.O. Box 533 / Knoxville, TN 37901