

Pasadena



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Invitation and Special Plea to Join our Pasadena Website

It's really important that you join the website and subscribe to the email list if you want to continue receiving the neighborhood emails.

Hello Neighbors,

I am Peggy George, one of your neighbors living on Oregon Ave., and the person who is responsible for creating our monthly newsletters and maintaining our Pasadena website. In case you have missed this information in our regular Pasadena meetings and newsletters, I would like to invite and strongly encourage all of you to take a minute to go to our Pasadena Neighborhood website and click on the link to "Join" the site. This website is created and maintained specifically for information and news relevant to our neighborhood. All of our monthly newsletters are posted there and you can either download them or read them online. The advantage to reading them online is that you can click on any of the links provided in the newsletter and go straight to the information.

There are two really important reasons for you to join the site. The first is that we are trying to "Go Green" and would like to reduce the cost of printing and distributing our monthly newsletters. The second very important reason is that **on November 1 we will be discontinuing the email blasts coming through the listserv** that Lisa Black has faithfully maintained for years for us. These email blasts provide us with very important updates about things happening in our neighborhood right when they are happening (such as break-ins, burglaries, lost pets and much more). **We will be moving our email list to those signed up for the website and subscribe to the email list so if you do not sign up you will no longer be able to receive these timely messages. Please take a minute NOW to join the website so you won't miss out!**

Website Sign-up & Use Details from A.J.

SIGN-UP: (See visual steps at the very bottom of this page.)

- 1) Go to the home page and find "Request membership access" on the right hand side.
- 2) You are required to give us your "real" name and email address. These will REMAIN HIDDEN and PRIVATE. We just want to be sure who is really on our site and we can't approve you without this information.
- 3) Choose a user name that **WILL SHOW-UP** on the site. (I chose ajinthehood,..Peggy chose pgeorge.)

- 4) You will RECEIVE a CONFIRMATION EMAIL from Peggy. Please follow the link to activate your membership when you receive this email.

If you want to CONTACT US or the NEIGHBORHOOD use this email address. pasadenaneighborhood@gmail.com

Peggy, Steven, or AJ will receive the email and send it out as a **BLAST FROM THE WEBSITE** .

We would hate for you to miss a blast, alert, meeting notice, newsletter, or party invite.

USE THE WEBSITE

Trust me, once you join the site, it is still rather PRIVATE. We made sure of THAT.

1) ONLY MEMBERS will receive "email blasts," alerts, newsletter/meeting info, and event invites.

2) As a member you can CREATE & SEE "discussions." Visitors cannot.

3) You can add as LITTLE or as MUCH to your PROFILE as you want. Some residents add a picture and bio info. This is optional.

Overall... PROFILES & DISCUSSIONS are PRIVATE to our members!!!

ON THE SITE

WOW! You must use our web site. It is one stop shopping, yet just like a specialized boutique at the same time. It is like a cupcake with sprinkles.

- 1) **PAGES & LINKS:** There are CATEGORIES for neighborhood news, police news, school news, city website links, and city news. All of the newsletters are available on this page.
- 2) **CALENDAR** has our neighborhood meetings and events, Mountain View police precinct events and important dates such as dates for Bulk Trash Collection listed.
- 3) The **CURRENT & past newsletters** can also be found on the right hand side just under the cute little neighborhood map.
- 4) Scroll down a short way to the **DISCUSSION area** and reply to a question, ask a question or START a new discussion!

5) **MEET YOUR NEIGHBORS is a PRIVATE AREA!!!!** You cannot see it unless you are signed in to the website. This is where your profile info will show IF IF IF you decide to add any. If you click on a person's User Name you can see their profile if they have provided one. You can learn all about Peggy; yet, nothing about AJ.

Feel free to email pasadenaneighborhood@gmail.com if you have any questions.

Here are the visual instructions for joining the website

To join the website, click on this link: <http://www.pasadenana.org/>

On the right-hand side of the page you will see this:

The screenshot shows the Pasadena Neighborhood Association website. On the left sidebar, there are sections for "Welcome, Visitor!" with a "Sign In" link, "Local Weather" for Sunday, Jul 22 2012, and a "Zip Code Profiler" for 85013. The main content area features a "Welcome" message, a navigation menu with "Home", "Our Info", "Calendar", and "Pages & Links", and a news banner about the July newsletter. Below the banner is a "Welcome to the Pasadena Neighborhood" section with a map and text describing the neighborhood's location and amenities. On the right sidebar, there is a "SHARE" button, a "Our Info" section with a map, and a "Membership" link highlighted with two red arrows. Below the "Membership" link, it states "Membership in this website is private. Request membership access."

When you click on "Membership" or "Request Membership Access" you will see the registration page. Follow the instructions on this page, fill in your information, and click on "Sign Up Now!" and you will be registered. Please select a user name that will help our neighbors recognize you so they will know you live in the neighborhood. All registrations are moderated and anyone we do not recognize or cannot identify as someone living or working in the neighborhood will not be approved. This protects our privacy and helps to keep spammers out.

Pasadena Registration

Already have an account? Please [Sign In](#).

All fields are required. Your name, email address, and username will be sent to the Pasadena admins.

First Name:



Last Name:



Email Address:



Username:



As you would like to be publicly identified on your website and in discussion forums.

Password:



Minimum 8 characters.

Re-Enter Your Password:



This site has 1 email list you may join:

Pasadena Email Blast List

Email list to send out important announcements and alerts to all neighbors.

I have read and agreed to the [Neighborhood Link Terms of Service](#)

I confirm that I am 13 years old or older.



You will receive an email sent to the email address you include to confirm that you are registered and to welcome you to the neighborhood website. **If you do not receive a confirmation email, please check your email address to make sure there are no typos in it, make corrections and send it again.**

Just a couple of reminders about the website:

This is the link to all of our newsletters where you can download the PDFs or read them online.

<http://www.pasadenana.org/newsletters>

You'll find all of our newsletters on the "Our Info" page OR by clicking on the "Newsletter" link in the right menu below the map. There are many other interesting, helpful links compiled for you on our website. Be sure to browse around the site and become familiar with what is there and watch for regular updates. We welcome your suggestions for information and resources you would like to see on our website.