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MEMBERSHIP MEETING ON JULY 16, 2007, 6:30 P.M.

July's membership meeting will take place at Downtown Grill and Brewery at 6:30 p.m. on Monday, July 16. Please plan to join us! An e-vite sent prior to the June meeting yielded about 50 City People members and guests in attendance! This is a great way to meet fellow downtowners and to get involved. A Board of directors meeting will immediately precede the July membership meeting at 5:30 in the Phoenix Boardroom.

The Board of Directors recently voted to start holding all monthly membership meetings at Downtown Grill and Brewery (DTGB) beginning with the July meeting, in hopes that a consistent location will boost attendance. We urge all City People members to attend these meetings to meet your fellow downtown residents and associates and get involved! DTGB is located at 424 S. Gay St., 37902. Please remember that members are always invited to observe the monthly Board of Directors meetings in the Phoenix Boardroom at 5:30 p.m. on every third Monday. The Board plans to survey members via email soon to gather opinions on the best locations for monthly membership meetings.

The next Board of Directors meeting and Monthly Membership Meeting will take place on Monday, August 20 at 5:30 in the Phoenix Boardroom, and 6:30 at Downtown Grill and Brewery, respectively.

CLEANING UP:

City People has been working actively with the Graffiti Cleanup Task Force and Keep Knoxville Beautiful, and has participated in two graffiti clean-up days. Another clean up day is being planned, and we will email members with information once we receive a date. Some may prefer to do a late evening project and keep weekends open, now

that we are in the longer days of the year and have light until late. City People has also received donations from business partners specifically earmarked for purchase of paint and to offset graffiti clean-up expenses. If you know of problematic graffiti in the downtown area, you can contact Keep Knoxville Beautiful 865-521-6957 for information on designating that area as part of a graffiti clean up project. City People thanks Board member Lt. Robert Hubbs for his continued involvement with this project.

City People is also in negotiations with the City of Knoxville regarding a partnership to install and maintain more pet waste disposal stations in green areas of downtown. City People hopes to solicit involvement from its business partnerships to help increase the number of stations on private property locations as well.

DOWNTOWN DEVELOPMENTS:

This monthly feature will be our insider information about what's happening in the rapidly-changing and growing downtown community. You can help us with leads, tidbits, or updates by sending them to gsherrill@gmail.com.

The Big Screen(s): The City of Knoxville Public Building Authority is nearing completion of the downtown movie theater. Once PBA's contractors are done, they will hand the reins over to Regal Entertainment Group for the final build-out and furnishing, a process expected to take four weeks. A final grand opening date has not been announced, but is expected to be a Friday in early August.

Farmers' Market: The Market Square Farmers' Market is now open every Saturday 10am-2pm and Wednesday 11am-2pm through November 17, and features local & organic produce, free-range meat & eggs, baked goods and regional crafts – all in the middle of downtown! Contact Charlotte at 865-405-3135 or charlottetolley@hotmail.com for more information. The City People Board of Directors just approved a grant for the Market Square Farmers Market for some publicity purposes. The Market is a great way for downtown residents to have access to fresh produce and handmade items right in our neighborhood!



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CITY PEOPLE MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS PARTNERS

Art Market Gallery 10% off items over \$25
Bliss home 10% off purchases up to \$100
Carpe Librum Booksellers 10% discount
Clancy Optical Company 15% off any complete pair of glasses
Clutterbusters – Complimentary Consultation
Dr. Corbitt - Complimentary chiropractic exam & consultation (by appt only, 405-6427)
East Tennessee Historical Society 5% off gift shop purchases
First Tennessee Bank - Free first order of checks and one year free rental of 3" x 10" (or smaller) safe deposit box (deposit account required)
Knoxville Ice Bears - \$1.00 off game tickets
Knoxville Museum of Art - \$5.00 off Membership
Knoxville Opera – 10% discount on single tickets
Lindsay Young Downtown YMCA 50% off the Membership Registration Fee and 15% monthly fees
Maplehurst Inn \$20.00 discount per night

Market Square Kitchen On Friday, free bread or dessert (with purchase) or ½ price bowl of soup
Martin Mill Veterinary Service \$5 off Rabies Vaccine with Exam, By Appt Only 579-1700
Patins' Field of Greens On Friday, buy 2 salads, get the 3rd for ½ price on Fridays
Preservation Pub \$5.00 discount off Executive Preservationist Membership.
Prestige Cleaners 10% discount (downtown only)
Sam Smith Complimentary Legal Consultation
Theatre Knoxville Downtown \$2.00 off show tickets
Vagabondia 10% Discount off Regular Price Merchandise

E-mail is a wonderful way for us to keep you informed of upcoming events. Please let us know your e-mail address and keep us informed of any changes.

2007 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 \$40 business \$20 student

New Member Renewal Include in Directory

Name(s) _____

Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Work Phone _____ Home Phone _____

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