

2012 TROOST FESTIVAL PLANNING MEETINGS
3101 TROOST
THURSDAY EVENINGS, 7:30PM

WANTED

“neighbors celebrating neighbors”

The 8th Annual Troost Ave. Festival

The theme of the 8th Annual Troost Ave Festival is Growing a Village. In that spirit we call to all urban pioneers, village builders, farmers, chicken-, goat-, and bee-keepers. Come butchers, bakers, candlestick makers, and fire breathers! Those with a healing touch and spirit of adventure, come, create the Festival. All who are doing and dreaming of a sustainable inclusive community, come and showcase your passion, share your vision, and above all, celebrate each other.



VOLUNTEERS

help with flyer distribution, children's activities, setup, cleanup, etc ... 816-200-0731



VENDORS / EXHIBITORS & “how-to-tables”

food*, artists, crafts, flea market - RESERVE YOUR SPACE NOW! ... 816-200-0731 or 237-0517



PERFORMERS

musicians, dancers, performance artists, etc ... 913-707-1286

“... Be the Change!”



816-200-0731
www.troostvillage.org

31st & Troost Mural by Alexander Austen for The Troost Folks.

8th TROOST AVE. FESTIVAL 2012
SAT. APRIL 28 • NOON-10PM
3100 BL. TROOST AVE., KCMO
USA, WESTERN HEMISPHERE, PLANET EARTH,
MILKY WAY GALAXY, UNIVERSE



About Troost Village and Garden and the Troost Ave. Festival

The organizers of the Troost Ave. Festival are the “Troost Folks,” a loose collaboration of individuals in the midtown area of Kansas City, Missouri who are engaged in dialogue around ten areas of concern- art, community, communications, education, environment, health, justice, resources, science and spirituality. We are evolving a community.

The idea for the Troost Ave Festival was created by the 2005 Race Relations Action Team, one of several teams of citizens that came together through the KC Forums project and with encouragement from the vision of Human Investment section of the FOCUS Kansas City Plan.

Goals of the Festival are:

- * to recognize and celebrate the diverse creative energies of Troost Avenue,
- * change the Troost image to a place of meeting from one of division and fear,
- * to prompt residents of the community to join in life long learning.

People who live, work, and worship in the neighborhoods surrounding the Troost, Prospect, and Main Corridors are welcome to share their time and talents in all aspects of the Festival, and to invite their friends to the afternoon and evening.

*Planning meetings are scheduled Thursdays, 7:30 pm, at 3101 Troost.
For more information call 816-200-0731, www.troostvillage.org, FaceBook

The past festivals have been fantastic and some exciting new projects are happening on the block - we're formalizing the Troost Village Community Association demonstrating a consensus model for decision making, a community garden, and food co-op.

Please feel free to copy and distribute this flyer. Thank You!

VENDOR and EXHIBITORS INFORMATION

Go to www.troostvillage.org to download the 2012 vendor agreement. By signing and returning the application to reserve vendor/exhibitor space at the Festival you are accepting all terms and conditions of the Vendors-Exhibitors Agreement.

Vendor Forms will also be available at the Thursday evening planning meetings, 3101 Troost, 7:30 pm.

Tabling Fees:

NFP community organizations - **FREE*** if you bring your own table & chair(s).

Occasional Vendors - **FREE***, with your own table/chairs

Licensed Vendors (your full time business) \$100

*If you would like the Troost Festival to provide a table & chairs, the rental fee is \$10/per table & 2 chairs. **You must make prearrangements with the Troost Festival organizers for this service.** If you need to speak to someone call 816-200-0731.

ATTENTION FOOD VENDORS:

You **MUST** have a **FOOD VENDOR PERMIT** to provide food at the Festival. Food Vendors must comply with the Kansas City Health Department Regulation. Call the Health Department directly at 816-513-6315. **NO HOME MADE FOOD.**

All Sales Taxes are the responsibility of the vendor.

Set up available at 9 am, Festival Hours 12 noon to 10 pm (family centered from noon to 6 pm, evening entertainment.)

SEND TO: The Troost Ave. Festival, % Reconciliation Services, 3101 Troost, Kansas City, MO 64109.
MAKE CHECKS OUT TO RECONCILIATION SERVICES and make a notation for “**The Troost Ave. Festival 2012.**”

Donations are deeply appreciated.

