

"Come Sail Away with Me...." A Bad Day of Sailing is Better Than A Good Day at Work !!

So have you found what drives you in life yet? What are your passions / hobbies? Are you doing what you love to do and working to achieve your dreams, or are you LIVING your dreams every day?

Well, one of us is doing just that. **Darryl Hawkins of Innovative Design and Renovation** has been doing that all his life. His passion for sailing / boating, being on or near water, and the love of fine automobiles has permeated his life.

Darryl if you haven't already found out, beats to the tune of a different drum (he actually participates in a drum group that meets at Loose Park). Hence the word "Innovative" in his business name. Darryl has worked for different sized organizations in his many years as an architect, and has a portfolio of work that would amaze you. He has dealt with many larger corporations throughout his career.

His influence comes from being inspired by the beauty that surrounds his projects and the mentors that have taught him the vision that one must have to create such unique designs. Darryl has been in KC since 1986, and has loved being around water much longer than that. He works on many different projects when people are both upsizing or downsizing their homes, adding an addition, or maybe just gaining more living space by doing a new deck or sunroom.

He is always amused by those people that say "Oh, I'll never need an architect" and take on a remodel job themselves as they start to demolish walls that are load bearing ones.

What we have found out knowing Darryl is his love and connection to the inner city of Kansas City itself – the heartbeat from which all other parts of our city exist. And he expresses it by having most of his clients that come from downtown or the midtown areas.

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WE ARE AT DEER CREEK CC -7300 W. 133RD ST., OPKS. MEET UP AT 7 AM; BREAKFAST AT 7:25; SPEAKER AT 8 AM. SPEAKERS SCHEDULE See Page 2



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UPCOMING

SPEAKERS

SCHEDULE

Here is a list of our upcoming speakers. Please note some events are evenings or away from Deer Creek CC.

ARE YOU INTERESTED IN JOINING PROSPECTORS?

Give Chris Pickering, our Membership Chairman a call at 913-647-9019 or email at <u>cfp@pickeringlawfirm.com</u> before you visit our group so we can make sure there are no category conflicts with our current members. Sept. 24 – Janine Terstriep – The Decorative Touch at Deer Creek CC.

Oct. 1 – NO MEETING TODAY

Oct. 2 – Annual Prospectors Golf Tournament at Deer Creek CC – After Hours at Coach's South Bar & Grill

Oct. 8 – Ken Eidson of RBC Capital AT HIS NEW LOCATION

Oct. 15 – Jennifer Shelton of Jennifer Shelton Balance at Deer Creek CC

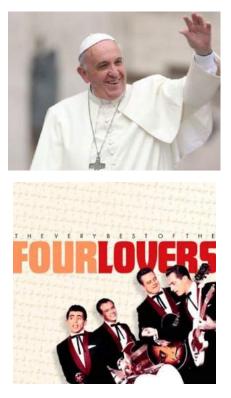




<u>SOMETHING NEW AND FRESH -</u> <u>ROCK STAR STATUS !!</u>

This is ALL about YOU. We are all ROCK STAR's in this group. So now's YOUR chance to tell us why you shine. What projects you are working on, or what makes your business stand out from the rest. So get your ideas ready - you'll be called soon to hear YOUR STORY !!

<u>Trivia Question:-</u> <u>What is the world's smallest</u> <u>independent state? (Hint....)</u>



QUOTE OF THE WEEK

Good things come to those who wait. Better things come to those who don't give up, and the best thing comes to those who believe.

The singing group once known as the Four Lovers became known as The Four Seasons.

Giving the Gift of Life to Millions of People Around the World – That's How Important Trees Are Today.

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He has joined what is called the **Urban Core Group** that has been a catalyst toward strengthening our communities and building value, pride and enthusiasm within our neighborhoods since 1995.

Darryl asked us what the three top sports in the world are – They were soccer (football), Formula One racing, and the America's Cup (sailing) – two of which he has a true passion for. The other interesting fact he presented was he asked us what the largest city in the USA was – the answer – New York City. Then he asked – how many cities in China are larger than NYC? There are over 50 cities in China with a larger population. Love these brain teasers.

So what did we take away from Darryl's presentation – that he is appalled that only about 1% of all homes built

had an architect that was involved with building it. And we found out that he has learned to love and admire things of beauty in his life – cars, buildings and houses, his spouse and his dog (probably not in that order).

Tonight be sure, if you have time in your schedule, to make it down to the Weinberger Gallery to check out the 20th Anniversary of the Urban Core Group and see some amazing art in the great setting of downtown KC. (See the post later in this newsletter)

And Thanks Darryl for inspiring each of us to focus on what we love and what beauty there is around us each and every day.

BE A PART OF THE BEST NETWORKING GROUP IN JOHNSON COUNTY – COME JOIN YOUR FELLOW PROSPECTORS THIS THURSDAY.

UPCOMING EVENTS:-

PBC Annual Golf Tournament – Friday, October 2nd at Deer Creek CC. (There is no meeting on that Thursday, Oct. 1st). Tee times will be announced closer to date. Plan on joining us for a great After Hours at Coach's South after golf (around 5:30 pm). SIGN UP NOW FOR GOLF AND SPONSORSHIPS

Thursday, October 22nd – Annual Give-A-Bear Fundraiser Auction - \$50 in advance; \$75 at the door. Contact Kevin York for more details.

PROSPECTOR EVENTS / NEWS / CHARITABLE CAUSES



TONIGHT'S THE NIGHT – Come Celebrate the URBAN CORE at their 20th Anniversary Celebration – Join Us, Explore, and Learn TONIGHT ONLY – The \$25 Guest Fee is being picked up by Darryl Hawkins for any <u>Prospector members only</u> that want to attend. THANK YOU DARRYL !!

2015 marks the 20th year of Kansas City's Urban Core Group. The Urban Core Group has been a catalyst toward strengthening our communities and building value, pride and enthusiasm within our neighborhoods since 1995 and will commemorate their 20 year anniversary on **Wednesday**, **September 23, 2015.**

Your paid membership and guest fees make it possible for all of us to meet each month at a different location, but for this special occasion, we are reaching out to businesses in the KC community to help us make this celebration even more magnificent. Our current sponsors are listed <u>here</u>.

At 5:30 p.m. on September 23, 2015, at Weinberger Fine Art, we will host a celebration of our continuous love for Kansas City and all it has to offer as it grows and develops. <u>BluesBerry Jam</u> will be playing and this location in the Crossroads Arts District is only a few blocks from the site of the group's original meeting in 1995.

Check out the invite on our website: www.KCUrbanCoreGroup.com

Jeff Morgan along with Morgan Miller

Plumbing will be organizing a coat drive



in the near future for those that do not have a winter coat



Hangers and desperately need one. More

details will be forthcoming, so as you begin cleaning out

your closets for fall, set a few gently used coats aside for

Jeff's cause. And Kathleen Cussen at Hanger's Cleaners

will be providing dry cleaning for those coats before they

are donated.

KC FUN TROLLEY TOUR – Saturday, October 17th – departs from Union Station at 2:00 pm promptly – last approx. 1 hr 45 min. – Cost \$20 per person – only 32 seats available. Contact Janet Stone for reservations.

Christmas Party Saturday, December 5th, 2015 – SAVE THE DATE At 1520 Grand on Downtown KCMO !!

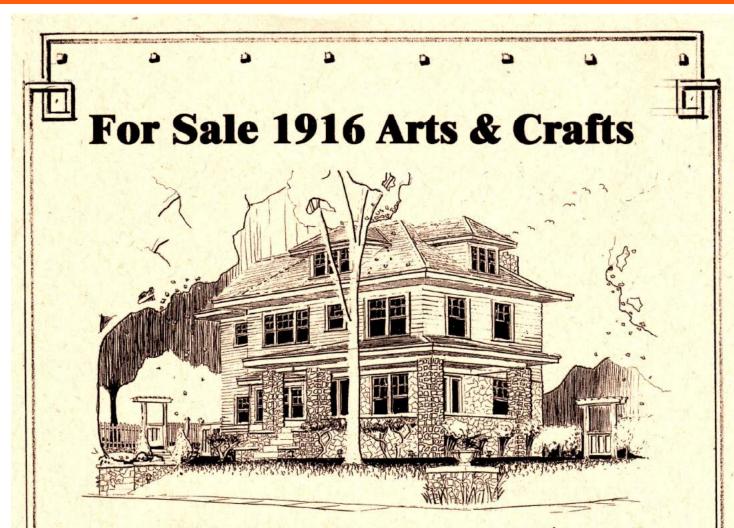




WHOOPIES & WHISKEY!

We're 8! We're 8! Come Help Us Celebrate! October 1st 5:30-7:30pm

Come by for fun, games, food, friends and your first taste of fall. We will be pairing our signature Pumpkin Whoopie Pies with Fall Spicy Cider featuring *Little Freshie* Spicy Ginger Syrup & Rieger Whiskey. We'll also be celebrating with wine from *Rimann Liquors* and savory treats from our friends at *Tavern in the Village*. Our shelves will be fully stocked so you can take a taste of fall home with you. Come on, we don't want to celebrate alone.



Large 3-Story Historic Prairie Style Home (2 West 52nd Street)

Located on a beautifully landscaped corner lot (1/3 acre) lot with 4 car driveway. Nationally Historic CountrySide neighborhood. Historic stone wrap around covered porch to garden with spacious fenced back yard and patio. Oak hardwoods throughout. 5 large bedrooms and separate sunroom. 2 1/2 baths, plenty of windows, 2 wood burning fireplaces. Partially finished large basement. \$55k in recent upgrades including electrical, period correct fixtures, 5 ton high efficiency central air/heat and newer high efficiency hot water boiler. R-49 insulation in attic, recent energy audit. Numerous plumbing upgrades, all appliance upgrades in 2014 (American made high-end GE slate). 35 Yr. Timberline roof.

Conveniently located. Just a short walking distance to the Country Club Plaza, UMKC, Trolley Trail, Loose Park, Ward Parkway, Nelson Atkins, Crestwood, shopping, restaurants and much more! Offered at \$539,000.

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RECONCILIATION SERVICES JUST BY CLEANING YOUR CLOTHES!

Hangers will contribute 10% of every dollar spent on services by Reconciliation Services supporters back to the school.

For example: If Reconciliation Services has 500 supporters and each family

spends and average of \$500 a year at Hangers it will result in a **\$25,000**

contribution to Reconciliation Services - Every Year! (500 x \$500 = \$250,000

Delivery to Reconciliation Services family's homes:

Hangers will pickup and deliver every Monday and Thursday or Tuesday and Friday How to Sign Up:

- On-line at <u>www.hangerskc.com</u> or call at 816.941.2262. Make sure to mention "Reconciliation Services" on the phone or type it in the "comments" box if you sign up on-line. Already a customer? Just put this flyer in your bag!
- 2. Hangers will make a personalized blue "Hangers" bag for your dirty items.
- Hangers will pick up the dirty clothes from a designated spot (front porch preferred) and will then deliver it back to an agreed upon spot the following delivery day. There is no minimum order size.
- 4. From then on, just place your dirty clothes in your blue bag and put it on front porch and Hangers will pick it up on the scheduled day!

Contact: Kathleen Cussen at <u>kcussen@hangerskc.com</u> or call at 816.941.2262



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- FREE Pickup & Delivery
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 & Operated
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- Competitive Pricing
- Up to \$30 of free cleaning (\$10 off your first three visits)

Prospector's Breakfast Club Attendance and Thank You's Meeting Date:- <u>SEPT. 17, 2015</u>
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Your Position (owner, sales, etc.)