



NEWSLETTER

Fall 2019

ECCO presents at Earlewood Park:

EarleJam

A FREE family-friendly music and beer festival

Sunday Oct 27
11 am—7 pm



Featuring:

STATION SEVEN BAND @ 4:30

Jade Blocker @ 3:45

Logan Steel Drum Band @ 3:00

Festivities start with a **Disc Golf Tourney from 11:00 - 2:00**. FYI, the Earlewood Disc Golf Course is Columbia's first disc golf course and was established in 1991. Disc Golf Tourney awards will be presented at 2:30.

Food trucks will begin serving at 2:00. Both back by popular demand: the **Haute Dog Lady** will be serving traditional New York style hotdogs or specialty gourmet hotdogs, and **Drip!** will be serving delicious coffee, espresso drinks, gelato, and sorbetto. And appearing for the first time at EarleJam: **Los Chicanos** will be serving your favorite Mexican cuisine.

Curiosity Coffee will begin serving beer and wine at 3:00. **Cottontown Brew Lab** has brewed a special beer for Earlewood that will be introduced for the first time at EarleJam; come and be one of the first people to taste it.

Admission is FREE, but bring cash or credit card for the purchase of food, drinks, and Earlewood t-shirts, garden flags, and koozies. You may also bring blankets and chairs, but no coolers, please.

**Disc Golf
Tourney
Sponsors:**

You still have time to sign up for the EarleJam Disc Golf Tourney; go to www.earlewood.org
INNOVA DISC GOLF, THE WAR MOUTH, COTTONTOWN BREW LAB, BURNETTE SHUTT & MCDANIEL, State Farm – Megan O'Connell, & Coldwell Banker – Jennifer McBroom

Upcoming Events

<p>Thursday October 17 6:30p-8:00p</p> <p>ECCO Quarterly Meeting</p> <p>Police & Safety Briefing @ 6:30</p> <p>General Session @ 7:00</p> <p>Guest speakers include representatives from Conservation Voters of SC and the Arborist for the City of Columbia</p>	<p>Friday October 18 7:00p-10:00p</p> <p>Porch Party</p> <p>Attending neighbors are asked to bring a dish to share, and if you want alcoholic beverages, please BYOB.</p> <p>Join us for the last Porch Party of 2019 @ 1025 Parkside Drive</p> <p>Hosted by: Michele & Andrew Rabuck</p>	<p>Saturday October 19 9:00a-11:00a</p> <p>Fall Clean-up Day</p> <p>Please join us as we canvas our neighborhood to pick up trash from our streets & sidewalks. Supplies provided by Keep the Midlands Beautiful</p> <p>Meet us @ Earlewood Baptist Church, 2930 River Drive</p>	<p>Thursday October 31 6:00p-8:00p</p> <p>Trunk-or-Treat @ Reformation Lutheran Church</p> <p>A spooky and safe good time with candy, cider, roasted marshmallows, popcorn & hotdogs! Join in the fun!</p> <p>1118 Union Street</p>	<p>Wednesday November 20 6:30p-8:00p</p> <p>Thanksgiving Dinner</p> <p>ECCO provides the turkey, dressing and drinks & attendees are asked to bring a side or dessert to share.</p> <p>Meal begins @ 7:00 @ Earlewood Park Community Center 1113 Parkside Drive</p>
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FROM THE PRESIDENT — JENNIFER MCBROOM

As we come to the end of my first year as your president.... I am feeling exhausted... (j/k), I actually am feeling grateful. I am feeling grateful to Virginia Bedford, one of our past presidents and longtime volunteers. I am grateful that she tricked me into getting involved in Earlewood several years ago.

I was apprehensive about getting involved with the neighborhood because, like all of you, I am busy. I didn't want to have one more thing that I would feel guilty about not doing or not getting done. What I didn't expect was that I would have fun. Of course Porch Parties are fun, but so is:

- ◆ event planning
- ◆ meeting so many different kinds of people
- ◆ picking up litter on "cleanup days"
- ◆ cooking dishes for the Earlewood Thanksgiving dinner
- ◆ designing t-shirts
- ◆ teaming up with our sister neighborhoods to support issues that affect us all
- ◆ volunteering time at our neighborhood fundraisers like The Big Flea and EarleJam
- ◆ working with the City of Columbia officials to ensure our neighborhood looks and grows the best way it can.

Ok, ok that last one may not be fun, but it is very satisfying. There are so many more ways to volunteer, I only listed a few of my favorites.

If I can trick you into discovering the fun and satisfaction of being an Earlewood volunteer, I will consider that a great accomplishment. **Contact Elizabeth Anne Perkins our Volunteer Coordinator for opportunities to volunteer perkinselizabethanne@gmail.com** (we could use you on Oct 27th)



ECCO Officers (2018-2020)

**President
Jennifer McBroom**

**Vice President
Emily Burn**

**Secretary
Chellé Hook**

**Treasurer
Yvette Sistare**

**Member At Large
Allison Caldwell**

Thank You!



**GARDENER'S
OUTPOST**

*For providing flowers
at the Earlewood
Neighborhood
entrance signs.*

Congratulations to Earlewood's Yard of the Month Winners!

September—3125 Park Street

October—1103 Beaufort Street

Do you have a neighbor with a beautiful yard?

Nominate them for the next Yard of the Month by contacting Jennifer McBroom at 803.397.5021. Winners will receive this awesome garden flag, while supplies last, that is a replica of the new banners flying on North Main Street.



Safety Contact Information

Non-emergency, Columbia Dispatch: 803.252.2911

Columbia Police Department: 803.545.3500

Street Light Outage: 800.251.7234

Code Enforcement: 803.518.4634

Report all suspicious activity to Columbia Dispatch. Even if nothing is damaged or missing, information gathered is important and could assist the Police Department as they continue working to keep Earlewood safe.



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