

# ORGHA NEWS



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## President's Press by Dick McLain

Snowy it has been. Happy New Year and welcome to the first Newsletter of 2019. Spring can't be too far away. We had a great number of kids find out that Santa made visits in the neighborhood back in December and we are all so glad he did. I know they were all excited.

We have new people moving into the neighborhood all the time and we definitely want to make them feel welcome. We have Heather Papp heading up the Welcome Committee and she needs volunteers so look for the help wanted ad in the newsletter.

We have a great contributions drive going this month in an attempt to increase the percentage of contributors. It has been going great. Many thanks to Erin Curd and all her helpers for putting the Love Your Neighborhood Campaign together and making it fun. Any amount helps so chip in. We are asking for one contribution per year to help keep the programs we have going each year. Thanks to all contributors this year as well as those contributing last year. The newsletter list of contributions has the final total from last year. Thanks to all that provide their time and talents as well. Each contribution benefits us all and we appreciate each and every neighbor in Old Rosedale Gardens.

We look to a great year with all the usual events.

Be safe out there and see you out in the neighborhood.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

March 9	American Red Cross Blood drive - Rosedale Garden Presbyterian
April 20	ORGHA Easter Egg Hunt
April 27	Spring Cleanup

## EVENTS COMING THIS YEAR

May (TBD)	ORGHA Night Out at Luigi's (tentative)
June 1	Garage Sale (ORGHA preview May 31)
June 26	Independence Day Parade & Picnic
August 14	Ice Cream Social
October 27	Halloween Parade & Party
September 13 or 14	Movie Night
November 9	Rosedale Run/Walk (tentative)
December 2nd-5th	Santa Visits
December 13	Christmas Candlelight Walk
December (TBD)	Christmas Caroling
Each season	HOTS Judging

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## Inclusivity Statement

Old Rosedale Gardens Homeowners Association values every resident and visitor, regardless of race, ethnicity, religion, income, gender identity, sexual orientation, and physical or mental capabilities. We believe we are stronger together and that our diversity is an asset to our neighborhood as a whole and to all who visit or live in it.

ORGHA is committed to making this neighborhood become and remain an inclusive, welcoming, and respectful community that appreciates and supports individual differences. ORGHA is committed to supporting the dignity and worth of every neighbor and visitor, rejecting discrimination while promoting inclusivity and accessibility.

## American Red Cross Blood Drive

Saturday, March 9, 2019

9:00am to 3:00pm

Rosedale Gardens Presbyterian Church

9601 Hubbard St

Contact church office (734-422-0494) to sign-up.

Walk-ins welcome



# 2019 Winter Home of the Season

9814 Blackburn St  
Home of Rebekah and Matt Thomas



Simple. Rustic. Traditional. Beautiful. Nostalgic.

That's just a few of the words to describe this season's winning home of Rebekah and Matt Thomas on the third block of Blackburn. Rebekah and Matt have lived in Old Rosedale for 16 years and their home was gorgeous this year. In their words, they "wanted to have a nostalgic Greenfield Village look to their home". They certainly did it!

This was one of the hardest seasons to judge, as everyone seemed to step up their game with the warmer weather – nothing like the recent frigid weather we've had to endure. Rebekah and Matt's efforts paid off – it's a beauty!

## HONORABLE MENTION

9814 Arden	Home of Chris and Lynn Fugedi
9833 Melrose	Home of Stephen and Kelly Johnson
11310 Auburndale	Home of the Henry Family
11425 Berwick	Home of Jeff and Cindy Noble
9918 Ingram	Home of Charles and Nancy Kovelie
11037 Cranston	Home of Christopher and Carolyn Forry
11036 Hubbard	Home of Rob and Susie Rooke
32012 West Chicago	Home of Dennis and Maddie Lutz

Welcome to our new judge Tammy Barrett! Thanks for joining our team.

## ORBS

To be in the know about local events that affect Rosedale Gardens, add your name to the Old Rosedale Broadcast System (ORBS) by sending an email to [oldrosedalegardens@yahoo.com](mailto:oldrosedalegardens@yahoo.com).

As a member of the ORBS you will receive announcements via e-mail about developments such as lost/found animals, special announcements, etc.

# HELP WANTED - Volunteers Needed

## Position: Welcoming Committee

Description: Monitor assigned streets for new neighbors moving into the neighborhood. Contact and personally welcome new neighbors or contact and drop welcome bags to new neighbors who prefer not to be personally welcomed. Submit newsletter articles and Facebook posts to introduce new neighbors.

Contact: Heather Papp 734-732-4036, e-mail [heatherlynnf1972@gmail.com](mailto:heatherlynnf1972@gmail.com)

## Other opportunities

All events need volunteers so consider picking an event and volunteering. It is one of the best ways to get involved and give back to the neighborhood. It is fun too. Contact the ORGHA Events Director or any board member if you think you would like to volunteer. And thanks.

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## Welcoming New Neighbors

If you are new to ORGHA, please contact Heather Papp at [heatherlynnf1972@gmail.com](mailto:heatherlynnf1972@gmail.com). She will be visiting new neighbors throughout the year.

## Santa Visits Thank You!

A huge thank you to Mr. Santa Claus's super organized local Executive Assistant Ms. Christie Facione for arranging visits with Old Saint Nick and many of the good little children in Rosedale and their families last December! This heartwarming event gets more popular every year. It's not easy to get Santa all the way from the North Pole down here to Livonia and to so many houses in Old Rosedale at such a busy time of year. A hearty thanks to the Facione family! And all the kids in Rosedale better be good in 2019 because Christie says she's already put Rosedale on Santa's calendar again for this year!

## 2018 ORGHA Contributions

Thank you, ORG for your many contributions in November and December which allowed us to surpass the contribution rate of the previous 2 years. Our final 2018 results were 241 contributors which represented 39% of the neighborhood making a contribution. Congratulations to the folks on Ingram who lead the neighborhood in 2018 with 48% of its residents contributing to ORGHA!

We hope to surpass the above totals in 2019 and we are off to a great start due to the February "Love Your Neighborhood" fundraising campaign!

The suggested contribution for 2019 remains at \$30, but as always, **any amount** contributed is gratefully accepted.

**As a reminder, you can make your contributions either by mail by sending your check with the contribution form that is included in this newsletter, or by making your contribution using our convenient online system using the link <http://tiny.cc/gi4kky>.** This link is also available on the Facebook Group page.

If you encounter any problems using this new system, please contact us at [oldrosedalegardens@yahoo.com](mailto:oldrosedalegardens@yahoo.com).

Thanks again for your ongoing support!

George DuPuis

# Contributors January - December 2018

<b>Arden</b>		10006	Bracey, Cliff & Michelle	9928	Treadway, Megan
9605	Foster, Michelle	11010	Harris, Donald & Margaret	11018	Neiendam, Bob & Jennifer
9610	Durst, Daniel	11013	Niles, Tim & Lila	11024	Underys, Vitas & Taura
9614	Carey, Dennis & Lee	11026	Hatten, Jesse & Helena	11028	Stempin, Girard & Cindy
9615	Jones, David & Ahlijian, Steve	11028	Begley, Shawn & Salena	11030	Pebley, Nick & Jill
9627	Slade, Roberta	11035	Stimac, John & Kanai, Susan	11036	Rooke, Rob & Susie
9806	Yardley, Matt & Shelley	11040	Little, John & Dianne	11300	Pawelski, Greg & Janine
9829	Fugedi, Chris & Lynn	11304	Halliday, Brandon & Christine	11314	Aaron, Brandon & Banafshe, Jasmine
9832	Black, Jason	11305	Senda, Dan & Jeanne	11326	McLain, Richard & Schultz, Lonni
9837	Michelini, John	11311	McCue, Bob & Betsy & Alexis	11406	Orosz, Mark & Nicole
9901	Bischoff, Carole & Pulk, Harold	11420	Shearer, Jenny	11424	Calleja, Bob & Mary
9911	Mueller, Donna & Douglas	11425	Noble, Jeff & Cindy		
9915	Petrie, Ava	11429	Hayes, Jay & Jozina	<b>Ingram</b>	
9916	Paielli, Michael Allen & Pat			9610	Austin, Dale & Loiselle, Rachel
9924	Schirrick, Allen	<b>Blackburn</b>		9615	Crombez, Dale & Mary
9929	Cox, Kent & Linda	9610	Sanderson, Debbie & Doris	9619	Brennan, Terry & Pat
10001	Patterson, Linda	9614	Johnson, Bruce & Chris	9805	Michael, Daniel & Melissa
10004	Sundeck, Eric & Dorothy	9619	Seiter, Robert & Julie	9806	Brady, Timothy & Stephanie
10007	Bergsman, Rolfe & Mary	9628	Sherman, James & Paula	9809	Treecce, Jason & Jennie
11010	Horgan, Daniel & Aliece	9810	Montgomery, James & Rebecca	9816	Mitra, Joseph & Margaret
11012	Rouse, Scott	9824	White, Cathryn	9819	Paiva, Matt & Lindsay
11033	Johnston, Elsa	9837	Balog, David & Marnie	9820	Auth, Robert & Velma
11035	Kisabeth, Kelley	9908	Stroud, Kim	9827	Flaugher, Scott & Robbins, Jerry Lee
11040	Simpson, Mike & Emily	9911	Porteous, Richard G	9832	Emrick, Joan
11311	Hartom, Jennifer & Timothy	9918	Stephens, Don R.	9835	Wilkins, Jamie & Renee
11317	Facione, Russ & Christie	9924	Hillary, Tara & Chiu, Ed	9836	Horvath, Ilona
11320	Miller-Brosnan, Maureen	10002	Burnett, Kathy	9839	Morland, Mike & Jenn
11324	El-Atrache, Ahmed & Lomas, Lindsay	10004	Koloski, Norm & Linda	9904	Curd, Zach & Erin
11328	Weber, Sue	11015	Carlson, Ron & Ruth Ann	9905	Reckling, Art & Pat
11400	Trujillo, Jeff & Kim	11019	Fawkes, Christine	9915	Voorheis, Tom & Lindsay
11420	Banks, David	11020	Lobbestael, Ella	9918	Kovelle, Charles & Nancy
11429	Madigan, Jeff & Devon	11027	Schooley, Kent & Jami	9921	Mack, Fred & Patricia
		11028	Tromblay, Bill & Theresa	10001	Ogden, Michael & Renee
<b>Auburndale</b>		11033	Konkel, Matthew & Tatiana	11022	Wright, George & Donna
9609	Ogilbee, Tom & Donna	11038	Papp, Matthew & Heather	11030	Heenan, Kathleen
9805	Barrett, Patrick & Tammy	11309	Neary, Sean & Maureen	11032	Cadotte, Dave & Lynne
9826	Nixon, Gary & Karen	11325	Grad, Jeff & Jaclyn	11033	Corrieri, Joann
9829	Nelson, Michael & Carol	11406	Reuter, Corey & Sara	11034	Percin, Kevin & Renee
9830	Ridolfi, Dennis & Alice	11409	Dye, Brian & Jennifer	11037	Steele, Dan & MaryLou
9836	Blaker, Joanne & Don	11419	Pearson, Barbara	11040	Kent, Richard
9904	DeLand, Trevor & Abby	11425	Mrasz, Adriana & Lyons, Scott	11300	Sedlar, Pat & Julie
9905	Kopack, Alan & Laura			11305	Lucid, Wendy
9909	Thayer, Marilyn	<b>Cranston</b>		11310	Madigan, Joseph & Jennifer
9916	Adams, Mary & Ebarb, Myra	9611	McGrail, Lucas & Vickie	11321	Oke, Brian & Stacie
9928	McKee, Pamela	9625	Ryder, Tom & Cathy	11325	O'Donohue, Garrett & Noelle
10001	Kenyon, Sally	9629	Turner, Irene	11404	Bagazinski, John & Brenda
11009	Meier, Alan & Karen	9812	Dale, Peter & Hench, Chris	11406	McGrann, David & Michelle
11014	Higgins-Luthman, Mike & Kathy	9904	Brown, Lindsay & Parman, Bryan	11407	Thompson Steckel, Lenda
11015	Meier, Larry & Mary Kay	9909	Novak, Joseph & Kristin	11426	Owens, Jim & Nancy
11018	Shureb, John	9911	Barker, Kris D & Susan	11427	Brow, Larry & Helen
11029	Garrett, David & Cheryl	9914	Fitch, David & April	11428	Sayles, Dennis
11037	Maguran, Ted & Louise	9915	Martin, Scott & Suzanne		
11301	Melvin, Troy & Liz	9917	Fitzgerald, Robert & Kathleen	<b>Melrose</b>	
11310	Henry, Family	9921	Amell, Robert & Mary Ann	9605	Cherry, Todd & Erin
11315	Deming, Terry	9928	Palmer, LaRue	9618	Cahill, Liz & Jim
11327	McIntyre, Judy	10006	Burklow, Dennis & Patty	9805	Rasthaban, Porscha
11400	Gibbs, Mabel & Irish, Barbara	11021	Szeremet, Joe & Gretchen	9807	Newman, Darryl & Laurie
11407	Wojtowicz, Marilyn	11026	Matthei, Barbara	9819	Accardo, Stefanie & Giacomo
11419	Treharne, Rick & Paula	11027	Groves, Erin	9822	Newman, Linda
11425	Polehanki, Dayna & Walkup, Jim	11032	Bourdon, Andrew & Stephanie	9828	Kotlinski, Joe & Susan
11427	McKernan, David & Sylvia	11036	Ruckhaber, Thelma	9832	Zaranka, Nata
11428	Cantin, Michael & Rosemary	11324	Kuhn, Tim & Caroline	9833	Johnson, Stephen & Kelly
11431	Post, Kathy	11326	Kevin,	9836	Paulisin, Cathy & Liggett, Craig
		11418	Hetu, David & Mary	9837	Butler, Sarah
<b>Berwick</b>		11419	Walser, Kurt & Kathleen	9841	Bobowski, Danny & Bond, Melody
9605	Warrick, Nick & Bethe	11423	Peters, Ben & Lauren	9901	Kalasz, Michael & Maritsa
9612	Mies, Patrick & Shelby	11428	Tryon, Joe & Carol	9912	Ledermann, Rick & Kathleen
9816	Stempin, Ken & Nancy			10001	Ryktarsyk, David & Georgi
9824	Brownfiel, John & Kim	<b>Hubbard</b>		11008	Berberovic, Albin & Amela
9830	McCullough, Amy & Matt	9607	Hayward, Richard & Debra	11030	McFall, Jason & Kassandra
9832	Kalinski, Frank & Mary	9620	Modes, Mike & Meg	11032	Roulier, Randy & Laura
9835	Ellsworth, Melissa & Justin	9800	Bunch, Valerie	11037	Schofield, Randy & Deise
9837	Horvath, Karen	9904	Guthard, Monica	11040	Corrie, Tony & Alice
9840	Gray, Gary & Peggy	9905	Coseo, Colin & Stocker, Katharine	11310	Selden, Leslie & Powers, Sandy
9900	Squire, Brad & Marnie	9906	Noble, Frank & Julie	11407	Kepsel, Jason & Marla
9916	Pesys, Edmund & Toni	9912	DuPuis, George & Julie	11409	Hempel, Justin & Marceau, Brigitte
9923	Griep, David	9918	Afonso, Antero & Jan	11410	Lowrey, Pat & Cheryl
9927	Jenkins, Dan & Stacy	9921	Sherlock, Craig & Teresa	11415	Brubaker, Lee & Pamela

11419 Tahmouch, Laura & Tony  
11428 Morgan, Anne

32218 Preston, David & Lauren

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31511 West, Sara & Schreck, Brian  
31709 Conrad, Tracey  
31710 Miller, Paul & Wittl, Diane  
31711 Schulte, Jay & Dorene  
31736 Devlin, Brian & Jane  
31800 Johnson, Justin & Melanee  
31801 Swan, Derek & Desiree  
31803 Knapp, M.J.  
32006 Andrews, Linda & Chuck  
32012 Lutz, Dennis & Maddy  
32015 Cicotte, Marisa & David  
32023 Verhelle, Kristyn & Skyler  
32024 Kracht, William & Marge  
32033 Kemp, Linda & Robrecht, Jason  
32106 Tomala, Tom & Linda  
32116 Calhoun, Donald & Peggy  
32124 Kuykendall, James  
32206 Alcala, Anthony & Anita  
32210 MacLeod, Dave & Kimberly

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Northville, MI 48168  
  
Hudy, Bob & Joyce  
9224 Texas  
Livonia, MI 48150  
  
Leece, Paul  
19485 Eddington  
Northville, MI 48167  
  
Lewandowski, Eric & Melissa  
29813 Linda St.  
Livonia, MI 48150  
  
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Marzolf, Jeff & Kathy  
9155 Montana Ct.  
Livonia, MI 48150

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Livonia, MI 48150

**ORGHA Contributor Percentages  
January - December 2018**

<b>Street</b>	<b>Contributors Homes</b>		<b>Percent</b>
Arden	31	72	43%
Auburndale	29	76	38%
Berwick	26	76	34%
Blackburn	26	73	36%
Cranston	24	60	40%
Hubbard	20	46	43%
Ingram	38	79	48%
Melrose	27	80	34%
W Chicago	20	54	37%
<b>Totals ==&gt;</b>	<b>241</b>	<b>616</b>	<b>39%</b>

**Treasurer Report**  
Account Balance \$10,628

**ORGHA Facebook Group**

Join the ORGHA Facebook Group! Here, you can share thoughts on events, share photos, and receive reminders for ORGHA events.

Search "Old Rosedale Gardens Homeowners Association" on Facebook and click the "join" button. Please contact **Kim MacLeod** at [kturnquist77@gmail.com](mailto:kturnquist77@gmail.com) to confirm your residency so she can approve your request.

**ORGHA Buy, Sell, Trade Group**

All ads now go on the new group so join today!  
Search "ORGHA Buy, Sell, Trade Group" on Facebook and click the "join" button.



# Old Rosedale Gardens

# Homeowners Association

Become an ORGHA contributor today! Your contributions are used for all of the family-fun activities listed below in addition to other neighborhood projects and expenses (e.g., pillar and wrought iron gate repair and maintenance, neighborhood holiday decorations, ice cream social, scholarships, etc.) All of the above help make Old Rosedale Gardens a special place to call home and couldn't be done without your generosity. The suggested donation amount is \$30, but any amount makes you a contributor!

Names: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Amount: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Contribution Year: \_\_\_\_\_

If you would like your name and / or phone number changed or excluded from the directory, please contact George DuPuis at [gdupuis@mi.rr.com](mailto:gdupuis@mi.rr.com).

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Circle the Activities (if any) you would like to chair / volunteer for:

- Board of Directors
- Beautification
- Garden Walk
- City Government
- Public Safety
- Home of the Season
- Block Captain
- Independence Parade / Picnic
- Ice Cream Social
- Advertising
- Spring Cleanup

- Newsletter
- Christmas Decorations
- Garage Sale
- Halloween Parade
- Christmas Walk
- 5K Run / Walk
- Welcoming
- Soccer Clinic
- Annual Report / Directory
- Easter Egg Hunt
- Santa Visits

Comments & Suggestions: \_\_\_\_\_

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