

Get ready to sell some stuff at the annual TLNA Neighborhood Yard Sale | Saturday, August 11

by Anne Katz

All TLNA residents are invited to participate in the eighth annual neighborhood yard sale, sponsored by the Tenney Lapham Neighborhood Association, on Saturday, August 11, 8am - 3pm.

If you want to participate in the yard sale, please send me an email at tenneyyardsale@gmail.com, with:

- Name
- Address
- Email
- A list of some of the especially cool things you will be selling, e.g. furniture, electronics, children's clothes, toys, books, tools, etc.

Bob Shaw will create a map, hosted at www.tenneylapham.org, with the participating locations. Your location will be featured on the map with addresses (no names and no contact information - just your address) for each yard sale participant as well as a Google Map showing folks where they can go to find your cool treasures. The sale will also be posted on Craigslist. And, there will be an event listing on the TLNA Facebook page.

TLNA will take care of advertising the event on Craigslist, through the listserv and Next Door, social media, through the newsletter, and any other way we can think of to get the word out. Neighborhood-wide yard sales really bring folks in because they can hit a lot of sales in a small geographic area. Last year, we had as many as 40 yard sales going on at once in the neighborhood.

Why is TLNA sponsoring the yard sale?

- In the spirit of building community, it is one more thing that we can do together as a neighborhood.
- In the spirit of sustainability, we are reducing (you're getting rid of stuff), reusing (someone else can use your stuff), and recycling (you'll probably end up buying at least one thing from your neighbor).
- And we're hoping that you'll consider donating 10% of the proceeds from your yard sale to TLNA to help support the work of YOUR neighborhood association.

Participants are asked to donate 10% of their "take" to TLNA, to help keep our neighborhood strong.

Get ready to clear out some stuff and make some money! Get in touch with me at tenneyyardsale@gmail.com or by phone at 608-256-2958 to sign up today.