



Join Us As We Celebrate Our New Dental Clinic

DENTAL CLINIC OPEN HOUSE
MONDAY, 11/14/11, 4-6 PM

Metropolitan State University Dental Clinic
 1670 Beam Avenue, Suite 203
 Maplewood, MN 55109

Come tour our new state of the art dental clinic. These clinical facilities have been specifically designed to educate dental therapists and advanced dental therapists in our Master of Science Oral Health Care Practitioner Program.

Learn about your neighbors; attend the Bridging Cultural Understanding series at Metro State

This school year, Metropolitan State University is presenting a series of introductions to various cultural communities. Each session will cover a brief history of that month's selected culture, as well as information about traditions, names, identity, communication, family structures, belief systems, and health.

The Hmong, Latino, and American Indian cultures have already been featured. On February 8, learn about the Somali culture. Upcoming events in the series include:

- March 28: Karen Community
- April 11: LGBTQ Community

These events are free and open to the public; light refreshments or dessert will be provided. No RSVP required; Contact 651-793-1542 for questions or details. This event is sponsored by the Asian and Asian American Student Services, Diversity Learning Task Force and, in part, by student activity fees.

Crime prevention tips
by Karin DuPaul

Over the last few months, there has been an increase in "shots fired" calls to the police in the Eastern District. When the police come to investigate, sometimes they find bullet casings and other times there is no evidence found. The callers can help by providing the police with as much information as possible. The more information you can give the police, the better. If you see people, let the police know how many, their descriptions, which way they went, the address of the house that may be the problem, and so on. In talking with neighbors, police often find that some of these booming noises are fireworks. Remember that all fireworks that boom are illegal in Minnesota.

Burglaries are another crime that had been on an increase until a couple of people were arrested. Here are some helpful hints that may help keep burglars away:

1. Keep your doors locked when you are inside or outside of your home – even if you are just in your yard.
2. Keep your valuables out of sight from doors and windows. In the evening, leave a light on when you are out. Report strangers hanging around your area. Keep your car locked at all times and do not leave valuables in plain sight. For more information about crime and crime prevention, email Karin@Daytons-Bluff.org or call Karin 651-772-2075.

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Photo by Greg Cosimini.

It's hard to miss 1047 Hudson Road, home to Liquor Liquidator and East River Eats, with its new, bright-orange exterior. The recently-remodeled liquor store, under new ownership, offers a greatly-expanded selection of affordable quality wine, beer and spirits. East River Eats supplies food for take-out at the Saint Paul Saloon next door at 1045 Hudson Road.

Where in Dayton's Bluff?

The stained-glass window featured in our October and November issues was correctly identified as Bethlehem Lutheran Church (at Forest and Margaret) by Doug Nelson (former organist at the church); Robin Weinkauff-Bultmann; Della Noll of Frank Street; Sandra Lee Miller; and Brad Griffith.

The winner of the pack of postcards is Della Noll. Congratulations!

Can you identify the location of this month's mystery photo? Email editor@daytonsbluff.org. All correct responses received by midnight on January 10, 2012 will be entered into a drawing for a pack of Dayton's Bluff postcards. Happy hunting!

