



RENAISSANCE NEIGHBORHOOD SCAVENGER HUNT

The Renaissance Neighborhood Association is proud to offer a self-guided scavenger hunt for your entertainment. While amusing, it may serve to hone your observation skills and see things you have never noticed before. It can be as casual or as competitive as you would like! To get started head out your front door and start finding the items on the list.

Scoring Suggestion: Each item is worth 10 points. Bonuses are each worth 5 points!.

NEIGHBORHOOD INFRASTRUCTURE

The basic physical and organizational structures needed for a community.

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- ☐ Find a sidewalk with a stamp, writing, or other imprint.
 - ☐ Find a house without a sidewalk.
 - ☐ Find the Renaissance Neighborhood Sign closest to your house.

HINT: All of our signs are on the back of stop signs located at the entrances to the neighborhood.

- ☐ **BONUS POINTS:**
For five extra points, find this stamp near 12th and Birmingham Place.



OF REGULAR ITEMS X 10 =



OF BONUS ITEMS X 5 =



INFRASTRUCTURE SCORE:

NEIGHBORHOOD NATURE

Flora and fauna (plants and animals) abound in our neighborhood. Keen observation skills are needed for this category.

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- ☐ Spot a wild animal and take a picture.
- ☐ **BONUS POINTS:** Earn five more points for finding a red bird, or a hawk.
- ☐ Spot a domesticated animal on a leash.
- ☐ Take a photo of the largest, oldest tree you can find.
- ☐ **BONUS POINTS:** For five extra points, find the 200 year-old cotton wood in a park on the East side of the neighborhood.
- ☐ **BONUS POINTS:** Find a tree spilling over the side walk for five extra points.



OF REGULAR ITEMS X 10 =



OF BONUS ITEMS X 5 =



NATURE SCORE:

NEIGHBORHOOD ARCHITECTURE

Many of houses in our neighborhood were built in the 1920's and 1930's. Keep your eyes open for what the houses have in common and how they are different.

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- ☐ Find a chimney made of more than one type of material.
Example: Two colors of brick, or brick and rock.



- ☐ Find an adobe or Spanish-style house.

- ☐ Find a house whose exterior has more than brick.
Example: brick, rock, frame

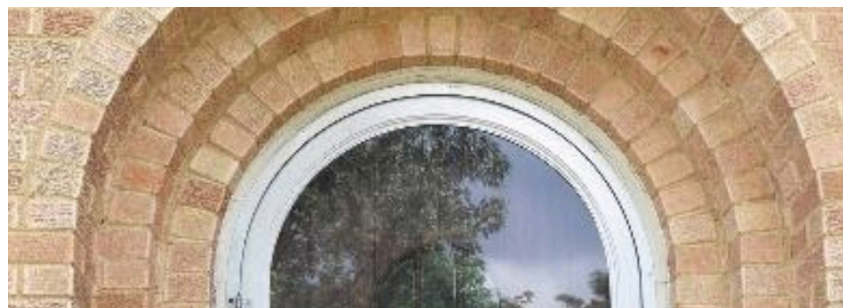
- ☐ Find a house with an awning over a door or window. These were original to many of the Renaissance houses, but a lot have been removed.

- ☐ Find a house with a screened in porch/patio. These were also once common, but many have been converted into rooms.

- ☐ Find a building with a flat roof.

- ☐ Find an empty lot where something has been torn down or demolished.

- ☐ Find a front door with a round top.



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OF BONUS ITEMS X 5 =



ARCHITECTURE SCORE:

NEIGHBORHOOD DECOR

Many neighbors decorate their front doors, porches and yards throughout the year. What do you notice?

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- ☐ Find a house with holiday decorations.
- ☐ Find a house with statuary in the yard or near the door.
- ☐ Find a mural in our neighborhood.
- ☐ **BONUS POINTS:**

Five extra points for a photo of a pair of lions or a tree trunk carving.



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OF BONUS ITEMS X 5 =

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DECOR SCORE:



RENAISSANCE NEIGHBORHOOD SCAVENGER HUNT SCORECARD

INFRASTRUCTURE SCORE:

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NATURE SCORE:

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ARCHITECTURE SCORE:

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DECOR SCORE:

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FINAL SCORE: