

Happy Halloween

THE TAFT APARTMENTS
THE SUN ALWAYS SHINES AT THE TAFT
A NEW HAVEN TRADITION SINCE 1912

TAFT TIDINGS

OCTOBER 2009



MAINTENANCE CORNER

- We have not seen many Rate-Your-Maintenance cards returned to the office. If you have had a service request completed lately please take a moment to complete and return it to the office. We would love to know how we are doing and if there is anything we can do to provide you with better service. For every service request returned you are entered to win a \$25 gift certificate to the Taft retail establishment of your choice.
- This month's Rate-Your-Maintenance Winner is Song Won Shin. Congratulations!
- With the winter months approaching quickly now is the time to prepare for keeping warm. Please refer to the preventative maintenance memo that went out the end of last month for timing of when our Team will be entering your apartment.
- Some tips for staying warm in your apartment as the weather gets colder: Make sure all windows are fully closed; all baseboard vents are in the open position; move furniture away from baseboards to allow air to circulate; and on very cold days make sure to keep your blinds down and in a closed position.

HAPPY HAUNTINGS

Thank You

A big thank you to everyone who came down and celebrated President Taft's birthday with us on September 15. Also, thank you to Downtown at the Taft who graciously donated several pizzas for the occasion.



Downtown at the Taft

If you got the chance to try some of the pizza, keep in mind Downtown at the Taft is looking to restart the "Room Service" option, whereby delivering right up to your apartment. Also, they have been offering a 10% discount to all Taft Residents. For a menu stop by the restaurant or Management Office.

Ghostly Fun

In honor of Halloween the Management Office will be hosting a Halloween party in the Grand Lobby. Come down and enjoy some refreshments on Friday, October 30 from 2pm to 4pm. There will be some trivia, puzzles, and other minor entertainment. We hope to see you then!

Bare Bones

Are you or a friend looking to minimize the number of items in your apartment, but not ready to part for good with your stuff? Taft offers on-site mini-storage starting at \$50 a month. You do not have to be a Taft Resident in order to utilize the storage units. Please contact the office with any questions.



AT YOUR SERVICE

Just a friendly reminder that the Taft Management Office has plenty of additional services it offers to our residents.

Need to send or receive a **fax**? We can help! \$1/page domestic and \$2/page international.

We also will make **photo-copies** at \$.25 per page.

The Office **Tool Chest** has just gotten freshened up with a nice new array of tools. All we require is a photo ID and the tools are yours to borrow. The same applies for the Office Vacuum and hand trucks. Keep your eye out for our newly implemented sign-in and -out system to help us better keep track of who is borrowing the items.

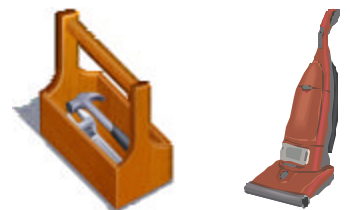
Keeping Us In Mind

The Office would like to thank everyone who responded to our requests for updated information. It helps us communicate more efficiently and effectively if we know the best ways to get in contact with you.

If you must leave, as sad as we will be, we still require a 60-day move-out notice from all of our current residents. Please feel free to stop by the office and discuss your plans for the future with us.

Home is where the heart is; and our friends and family are some of the biggest parts of our heart. So why wouldn't you want them to share your home? Any resident that refers someone to the Taft resulting in a lease will receive a \$25 gift certificate to the Taft commercial tenant of their choice. Resident Referrals are the best way to keep our community feeling like home.

As always, the Office and our Service Assistants are more than happy to help you with packages, dry cleaning, and any other needs you might have.



Upcoming Events



With the swing of New Haven back in motion the Theater scene is back up and running.

Check sites as follows for further details:

**Shubert Theater, 247 College St,
203-562-5666, www.shubert.com**

The Clean Up Woman

by JD Lawrence

October 2-3, 2009

An Evening with David Sedaris—

Presented by WSHU

Oct 5, 2009

Luis Bravo's

Forever Tango

By Luis Bravo

Oct 7, 2009

Avenue Q

Broadway Series

Oct 9-11, 2009

Yale Repertory Theater, 203-432-

1234, www.yalerep.org

The Master Builder

By Henrik Ibsen

Directed by Evan Yionoulis

Sept 18-Oct10, 2009

Eclipsed

By Danai Gurira

Directed by Liesl Tommy

Oct 23-Nov 14, 2009

Long Wharf Theater, 222 Sargent

Drive, 203-787-4282,

www.longwharf.org

The Fantasticks—

Book and Lyrics by Tom Jones

Music by Harvey Schmidt

Directed by Amanda Dehnert

Oct 7-Nov 1, 2009

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