

Summer 2015 Newsletter

# Tenth Annual Tyler Park Neighborhood Association Garden Tour **"The Musical Notations Garden Tour"** Saturday, June 27th from 9:30AM - 3:30PM



Will you hear music in the air as you stroll through beautiful gardens in the Tyler Park Neighborhood? The answer will be "Yes!" This year's theme is "Musical Notations" because we will have the added attraction of live music in several of the gardens. Can anything be more pleasant?

All tickets for the Garden Tour are available on the day of the tour for \$15 or in advance for \$12 at ValuMarket in the Mid-City Mall, starting June 1st. Start the garden tour at the Mid-City Mall on Bardstown Road where tour participants can purchase tickets, receive a map with descriptions of all gardens on the tour, free bottled water, and register for several nice door prizes. Be sure to wear comfortable shoes for this self-guided walking tour. It is a rain or shine event. You can take time to stop and relax and to enjoy the music, as you go at your own pace. There is a good variety of large, small, newer, established, manicured and wild gardens, a pond with large koi, unusual perennials, and interesting terraces and hardscapes.

We are asking area residents and business owners to help make this year's garden tour a success by contributing in the following ways:

1. Become a sponsor with a monetary donation between \$50 and \$500. 2. Volunteer to sit in one of the gardens to assist participating home owners. 3. Volunteer at the ticketing table the day of the tour. 4. Purchase a ticket

for the tour for yourself or for a friend! 5. Contribute a door prize.

The same day of the tour, The Daylily Society of Louisville will hold The Twenty-Second Annual Daylily Show and Sale at Mid-City Mall. The flower show is open to the public from 1:00 to 4:30 p.m. Admission is free. The plant sale will be from 11:00 a.m. until sold out.

For more information about the Tyler Park Musical Notations Garden Tour, contact Garden Tour co-chairs Terry Redden at: 454-5795, <u>tredden@semonin.com</u> or Jeanette Westbrook at: 451-8207, <u>westbrookj@aol.com</u> -- *Terry Redden* 





### View from the Bridge

I am honored to have been elected to succeed Brian Caudill as your new TPNA Board President. All of us owe a huge "thank you" to Brian, as well as to all of our tireless board members for making Tyler Park a very special and vibrant place to live. The Board has never been as organized and energized as it is now. I hope that you will read with interest articles about upcoming events and think of ways that you might get involved. You do not have to be a board member to participate on a committee or contribute a special talent or interest that you might have. For example, we need someone who can help update and maintain our website and Facebook page, we need idea people who might help design and implement a plan for future fund raising events, perhaps you would be willing to lead a Block Watch group on your street. We also are always looking for volunteers to help with Olmsted Parks cleanups in Tyler Park. If you have an interest in environmental issues we could use your help implementing programs available through our local utility companies. We need all of your eyes and ears in the neighborhood to let us know how we can make our neighborhood safer. My challenge for each of you is to ask yourself, "How can I contribute?" Say hello to your neighbors as you pass them on the street. Pick up trash in the street. Shop at our neighborhood businesses, many of whom sponsor our fund raisers and donate to our Tyler Park Fund. Our neighborhood is over 110 years old

Volunteering is the rent we pay for our time on Earth. -- Kathey Schickli, TPNA president



### You, ValuMarket and Tyler Park

Do you shop at ValuMarket? If you do, you can support

Tyler Park by using a TPNA ValuMarket Gift Card. Call Lary at 456-1474 to get a card. At no cost to you, ValuMarket donates four percent of your purchases to the Tyler Park Master Plan when



you use your gift card. See the article on page four to see the next project for Tyler Park. If you aren't using the card now and you ever shop at ValuMarket, call Lary and get the one! -- *Lary Saltzman* 

### Looking Ahead to 2016

The nominating committee of the TPNA Board of Directors is recruiting volunteers to serve on the board in 2016. If you are interested in serving, or would like to learn more about the requirements and responsibilities of board membership, please contact Rebecca Watson by email at <u>rebecca.watson@twc.com</u> or by phone at 456-4320. Board members must reside in the Tyler Park neighborhood and be a member in good standing of the neighborhood association. The election of the Board of Directors will be held at the annual open meeting in October. -- *Rebecca Watson* 



TPNA is on FaceBook and the Internet! https://www.facebook.com/ TylerParkNeighborhoodAssociation http://www.tylerpark.org/

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TPNA meetings are held the fourth Thursday of each month (except November and December) from 7 to 9 pm at the Highlands/Shelby Park branch of the Louisville Free Public Library inside the Mid City Mall. All neighborhood residents and business neighbors are welcome to attend.

In addition to the officers, Tyler Park Neighborhood Association Board Members are Ken Baker, Ray Brundige, Drew Duncan, Brian Elstner, Stan Esterle, Mike Gramig, Denis Hommrich, Mike Kuharich, Jon Matthews, JoAnn Mosier, Chip Nold, Kathey Schickli, Jo Shipley, Doug Thrasher, Rebecca Watson, Andy Westbrook, and Jeanette Westbrook.

## The Tyler Park Jazz Festival "Sundays in September"



The Tyler Park Neighborhood Association proudly presents its fifth annual Tyler Park Jazz Festival -"Sundays in September". The festival will be held in Tyler Park on three consecutive Sundays from 4pm to 6pm:

September 13th--Carly Johnson and Craig Wagoner September 20th--Squeeze-bot September 27th--University of Louisville Jazz Ensemble

Many thanks to our wonderful sponsors so far: Cornerstone Group Realtors The Back Door Jamey Aebersold BC Plumbing and others

The ValuMarket will be catering the event selling food and beverages. This will be a pet free event and please no outside alcohol. Bring your own lawn chairs.

We hope this continues to be a very special free annual event for the Tyler Park Neighborhood and for all jazz enthusiasts. Hope to see you there.

### It Was a Beautiful Day for the Tyler Park Easter Egg Hunt



More photos from the Easter Egg Hunt on pages 4 & 5.









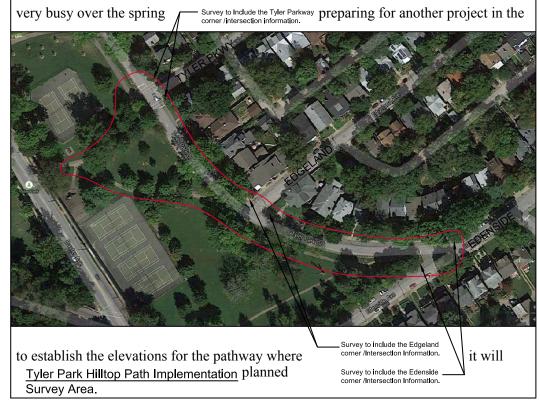






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### **Master Plan Committee Report**



The Master Plan Committee has been park. The committee has requested and received approval from the TPNA Board to expend \$4,550 for the preliminary design for a new section of walkway inside the park extending from the entrance at Tyler Parkway to the area across from the intersection of Edgeland Avenue and Tyler Park Drive. The preliminary design work includes a geotechnical engineering report and surveying for the pathway excavation. Environs, Inc. is the consultant used for the Olmsted projects and will be doing the preliminary design for the "Hilltop Path."

The purpose of the preliminary design is to ascertain the scope and costs involved in constructing the pathway. We need to know if there are any problems with the subsurface limestone with regard to excavation, and to survey intersect with existing pathways and the crosswalks and entrance at Edgewood. This is necessary to get the preliminary costs established for fund raising

purposes and/or the necessity of pursuing alternate plans. Environs will begin work on the design on June 8, and should be able to present the results to the TPNA by mid-July.

Metro Works has completed a traffic survey for the area of Edenside and Tyler Park Drive to Tyler Parkway. This is to determine the needs and eligibility of those intersections for stop signs, crosswalks, and other safety and access issues. Any changes need to meet NTSB traffic engineering standards.

Another component of the project entails the sidewalks across from the park along Tyler Park Drive and the two intersections involved. The sidewalks and crossing curbs are of course not ADA compliant and we are hoping to get information from Metro Works, also by mid-July, regarding these issues and what, if anything the city will do to improve the crossings. We have high hopes of getting much help in improving the safety of the crossings and entrances.

The members of the committee have been working very hard to get this next phase of the Tyler Park Master Plan started, including researching the availability of any financial grants. Now all we have to do is raise the finances for executing the project! -- *Mike Gramig* 



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### Welcome <u>BAZO'S</u> **Our Newest Neighbor and Newest Member of the TPNA!!**



Bazo's owner, Sanjay Sakaria, is a most unusual restaurant owner. He has an undergraduate degree in Chemical Engineering and an MBA with concentrations in International Business and Entrepreneurship. He had no background in the restaurant business, but while at North Carolina graduate school in Chapel Hill, he was required to write a business plan. So he wrote a business plan for starting a chain of Mexican restaurants in India. The business plan won awards in several prestigious international business plan competitions and ultimately led Sanjay and his partner, Nira Kinkhabwala, to Louisville, Kentucky to develop Bazo's Fresh Mexican Grill in 2006. While Sanjay has an impressive business background, Nira attended culinary school and had significant experience in the restaurant industry before coming to Louisville. They make a great team and have worked tirelessly to build Bazo's into a great local restaurant chain.

They started off in a small neighborhood spot in St. Matthews and later moved to Dutchmans Lane, in the same shopping center as the Village 8 movie theater. Over the years, they have added locations at the University of Louisville at 4th and Cardinal and downtown at 5<sup>th</sup> and Market. The Dupont location is open 7 days a week from 11am until 9pm Monday-Saturday and 11am until 8pm on Sundays. UofL hours vary according to the school year, while the downtown location is open for lunch 11am to 2pm Monday-Friday.

And now Bazo's Fresh Mexican Grill has expanded to our neighborhood. They have just opened in the Mid-City Mall next door to the Baxter Avenue Theater. They are open 11am-9pm Sunday through Thursday, and 11am-10pm on Friday and Saturday. They have all the usual Mexican favorites such as tacos, burritos,

quesadillas, and nachos, but they have become famous for their fish tacos, which are available Baja-Style (lightly battered and fried), grilled, or blackened. While there are other Mexican restaurants in the area, what sets Bazo's apart is the fact that they make everything from scratch every day – they don't use pre-packaged, processed ingredients or anything with artificial colors, flavors, or fillers. They make all of their own sauces, salsas, seasonings, and marinades, right down to the chili-lime seasoning on their fresh tortilla chips! I was surprised to learn that they don't even used canned beans - they start with dried beans (black and pinto) and cook them in small batches each day.

Bazo's focus has always been on making fresh, healthy food that tastes great and is affordable. They admit that it's a lot of hard work, but they refuse to take shortcuts and the results are well-worth the effort. My personal favorites are their chicken tortilla soup and blackened fish taco, but give them a try and see what your favorites will be. They also have many vegetarian items and the majority of their menu is gluten-free. www.bazosgrill.com

So I say welcome to our neighborhood! I think you will fit in perfectly !! -- Phyllis Costello

#### **Highland Community Ministries Trips to Derby Dinner Playhouse**

Saturday, August 8: Peter Pan

Saturday, Sept. 12: The Last Potluck Supper

Cost is \$35 for the play, lunch, and TARC transportation from the Highlands Court Apartments (1720 Richmond Dr.). TARC leaves Highlands Court at 11:15 A.M.

For reservations call 459-0132 and pay at least one month before each play. Send payment to HCM Senior Services, 1228 E. Breckenridge, Box 2, Louisville, Ky. 40204.



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### Highlands-Shelby Park July-August 2015

### Children

**Beach Preschool Party:** Come have a whale of a time at the library with beach and sea animal themed books, songs, crafts, and activities.

Ages 3-5; Saturday, July 18, 2 p.m.

**Humane Hour With Metro Animal Services--**Join us for an hour with Metro Animal Services. We will use interactive materials and shelter animals to teach a greater understanding of animal safety and animal welfare. Children will also be able to share and ask questions. Please call 574-1672 to register. All ages; Thursday, July 23, 2 p.m.

**DIY: Bookmarks Craftshop--**Join us to make personalized bookmarks with a variety of craft materials. Ages 8 and up; Monday, July 20, 2 p.m.

**Rock On! Rock Painting Craftshop-**-Join us to paint and decorate rocks. We'll provide the rocks and craft materials. Ages 8 and up; Monday, August 17, 2 p.m. **Camping Preschool Party-**-Join us for a special storytime filled with camping-themed activities and snacks. Ages 3-5; Saturday, August 22, 2 p.m.

#### Teens (Grades 6-12 unless listed otherwise)

**Monday Party--**Anime Club and More! Every Monday, 3 PM

**Abyssal Zone: Teen Special Event-**-Listen to dubstep, EDM, and electronica and explore the surreal creatures of the deep ocean. Wednesday, July 8, 6 PM **Retro Computer Lab**--Classic DOS and Apple II games in the Outpost. Friday, August 7, 3 PM

#### Adults

**DIY: Introduction to <u>Lynda.com</u>--**Monday, July 6, 7 pm

**DIY: Japanese Stab Book Binding--**Thursday, July 9, 2 PM

DIY: Cherry Blossom Art from Recycled Soda
Bottle--All ages, Thursday, July 30, 2 PM
Best Books on Kentucky History--Monday, August 24, 7 pm
Friends Meetings--Monday, July 13 and Monday,
August 10, 6:30 p.m.
Computer Classes by Appointment

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Mark your calendar and plan to attend: TPNA Garden Tour starting in Mid City Mall Saturday, June 27th, 9:30-3:30

Tyler Park Jazz Festival "Sundays in September" September 13th, 20th and 27th from 4-6pm

TPNA Meetings, 4th Thursdays, 7-9 pm Highlands-Shelby Park Library in the Mid City Mall I

> Keep up-to-date with your neighborhood! Check out <u>www.tylerpark.org</u> regularly!

### **Membership Is Dismal This Quarter**

TPNA has a total of 364 individual/family members and an overall total of 387 including 23 business members. As of this date, May 27th, 20 individual/family members had not responded to renewal postcards sent out in January and February. On May 27th, the 20 people were mailed a second reminder postcard. 22 members had not responded to renewal postcards sent out in March. I ran out of postcards so I did not send a second reminder postcard to these 22 people. 60 renewal postcards were mailed (28 for April, 12 for May and 20 for June) on May 27th. Please respond to these renewal postcards.

Counting deposits from membership dues in March at \$931, \$355 in April and \$220 in May for a grand total of \$1,506, we have received enough money to pay for the Summer Newsletter even without counting the extra contributions.

2 new individual/family members joined this quarter: Amy Curry & Tommy Nolan, Bob Diehl & Marilyn Foulke.

58 individual/family members renewed: Nancy & Ed Seitz, Jack & Shelly Meredith (for two years), Sandy & David Bennett, Bill Falvey, Keller & Therese Riede, Kevin & Jane Beck, Bill & Barbara Juckett, Brad & Erica Sutton, Brian & Kathleen Chandler, Sara Rose, Jonathan Smith, David & Laura McManus, David & Katie Krebs, Susan Blair, The Wilkerson Family, Steve Martin, Scott & Mary Pat Nimon, Jim & Susie Pope, Greg Guelda, Kimberly Naber, Natalie & Jason Snyder, Anita Chambers, Charles & Martha Corrigan, Charles Borders, Sr., Alice Vardiman, Scott Beldon & Matt Rummele, Rodger & Christine Payne, Hiro & Venus Tanamachi, Martin Killmeier, Scott Goldberg, Ralph Fort, Cissy & Ralph Mills, Michael Hanks & Larry Miller, Ms. Nancy Brown, Kef & Holly Hollenbach, Michael & Nancy Breitenstein, Marcelle Gianelloni & C.J. Pressma, John & Julia Robbins, Deborah Hino & Clyde Brown (for two years), Michael Kuharich, Ms. Nancy Theriot, Will Nefzger, James & Rebecca Watson, Gary & Trudy Fischer, Greg Zahradnik & Rebecca Dail, Miriam Marcus & Jerry Kauper, Rose Mary & Lawrence Toebbe (for two years), Jennifer Gebhart & Jason Cooper, Ruth Miller Bennett, Karen Ryan Harris, Steve & Virginia Mattingly, Ralph Dunlop & France Morton, Rogers Hunt, Mike Gramig, Teresa Dowell & Marc Inman, Karen Phillips, Jessica & Mac Thompson, Paul & Denise Stine, Amy & A J Holley.

TPNA added one new business member this quarter -Michael Breitenstein - REALTOR with Eline Realty Co. The 2 businesses that renewed were: Philip W. Barber, DMD, PSC and Rick Hill, owner of Hill Brooke DesignScapes. Recurring members are: Keith's Hardware (Pamela Martin), The Back Door (John Dant), Garbor S. Vargo, DMD, PSC, Edenside Gallery (Nancy Peterson), Sandy Metts - Mid City Mall, Arts & Craft Dental, Heine Brothers' Coffee, Inc., El Camino, Kizito Inc., St. James Catholic Church, Louisville Jazz Society, Highland Coffee Company, The Jewel Box, Highland Morning, Dragon Kings Daughter, VCA Fairleigh Animal Hospital, Lou Federation of Musicians 11-637, Barret Liquors, Almy Law Office, Charles William Design. JOIN US

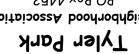
The following members contributed a total of \$70

above the cost of renewal dues to be used as needed: Brian & Kathleen Chandler, Natalie & Jason Snyder, Ms. Nancy Theriot, Miriam Marcus & Jerry Kauper, Karen Ryan Harris, Anonymous. This amount will help pay for the needed renewal postcards.

After reading the article on the Tyler Park Master Plan, consider making a tax-deductible donation to The Tyler Park Fund. Amy Curry and Janet Dakan gave to The Fund this quarter. Much more is needed to meet the new goals. Thanks for considering making this contribution.

-- Janet Dakan, Membership Committee & Board Member

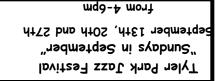


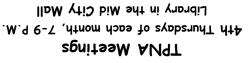


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--Janet Dakan, Membership Committee Chair (502) 727-6856

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