



# The Neighborhood Bridge

April  
2017

Tyler Park Neighborhood Association

Spring 2017 Newsletter

## The Tyler Park Neighborhood Association's Easter Egg Hunt in Tyler Park Saturday, April 15th at noon



### Easter Bunny to Appear in Tyler Park Saturday, April 15th at noon

All residents are welcome to attend the annual Tyler Park Neighborhood Easter Egg Hunt. The hunt will be held Saturday, April 15th at noon. One area of the park east of the bridge will be designated for each of the following age groups:

- Toddlers (under 3 years)
- Three to five year olds
- Six to eight year olds
- Nine to twelve year olds

Each child should bring a basket or bag for collecting the eggs and line up with the appropriate age group until the official start of the hunt is announced.

Special prizes to the lucky finders of the "golden eggs" will be awarded. Kids, be sure to stop at the TPNA table to register for the grand prize drawing. Adults, remember to purchase a raffle ticket for a chance to win a dozen eggs-- freshly laid by the famed hens of Mossrose (chief hen wrangler, Manny Carralero). Please join your neighbors and greet the Easter Bunny at this fun-filled Tyler Park event.

Volunteers are needed to help prepare the park for the hunt. All volunteers should meet at the park by 10 am.

— Rebecca Watson, TPNA board

### Garden Tour Set for June 3rd

This year's Tyler Park Garden Tour is a little earlier than usual, the first Saturday in June. We would like to showcase the areas west of Baxter Avenue, if possible: Hill, Valley, Summit, Cross, Hawthorn Hill, Barret, Eastern Parkway and Royal. This would require van transportation, still starting the tour from the Mid-City Mall.

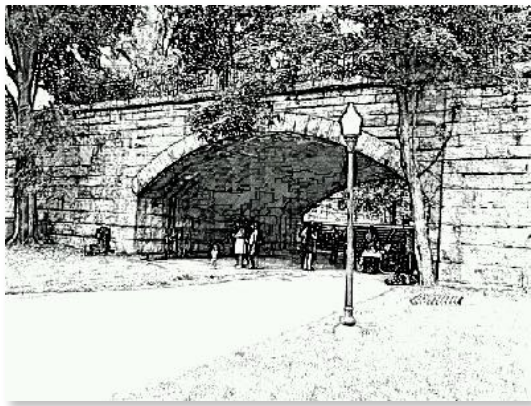
If you would like to be on the tour or know a good garden *anywhere in the neighborhood*, please contact Jeanette Westbrook at 451-8207 or Terry Redden at 802-6477. Gardens need not be professionally landscaped. Attendees love to see a variety —vegetables, flowers, evergreens, hardscapes, ponds, sculptures.

— Terry Redden



Tyler Park Easter Egg Hunt, May 2013





## View from the Bridge

Daylight Savings Time has begun, March Madness is in session and Tyler Park has started to bloom early. Despite the early blooms and warm weather, winter has made a brief appearance again. We had been lucky with the weather for the St. Patrick's Day parade for several years, but this year not as much. It was brisk but we still had a good time representing Tyler Park in the parade! Mainly, it is the Board of Tyler Park that marches in the parade, but any resident is welcome to join us! We would love to have more neighbors don their green and march alongside! We are also contemplating having a float in the parade for the first time next year. If you have a vehicle that could be outfitted as a float for the parade, and/or any ideas for the float – we are tentatively thinking of making it a mini-park – please contact us!

As many of you know, we had a very successful wine tasting in January. It is our major fundraiser of the year to help implement the Tyler Park Master Plan. One of the big reasons that night is so successful are the donations from our partners at the Valu Market and the Wine Market. We literally could not do it without them. Valu Market, in particular, has been a wonderful partner to the Tyler Park Neighborhood Association for years. They have supported us in myriad ways and we could not ask for a better neighbor. As an Association, we are looking for ways to give back to them and to show our appreciation for their support over the years. One of the easiest ways to do that is through the Valu Market card program. The prepaid gift card benefits both Valu Market and the TPNA. Please help us give back by purchasing a card and shopping at Valu Market with it. Everything you need to know about the card and how to get one is in the article on this page.

As always, we encourage everyone to get involved in Tyler Park by coming to our monthly meetings, joining a committee, and attending our events. We would love to see you! Next up is the Easter Egg Hunt in Tyler Park!

— *Kristen Millwood, TPNA President*

## Your Neighborhood is Only a Click Away

In addition to our quarterly newsletter, the Tyler Park Neighborhood Association has a website, <http://www.tylerpark.org/>, with minutes of meetings, contacts for board members, neighborhood events, copies of past and present newsletters and more. We need a volunteer to keep it up to date. If you are able, contact Florence Saltzman, editorTPNL@gmail.com. We are also on Facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/TylerParkNeighborhoodAssociation/>. Like us and check it out periodically.



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Do you shop at ValuMarket? If you do, you can support both our civic-minded neighborhood grocer and Tyler Park by using a TPNA ValuMarket Gift 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. If you aren't using the card now and you ever shop at ValuMarket, call or email Lary at 456-1474, [worker@bellsouth.net](mailto:worker@bellsouth.net) and a \$5 starter card will be delivered to your door. Simply refill the card as needed to make all your ValuMarket purchases add cash to the Tyler Park Master Plan. Tyler Park will look even more beautiful with your help.-- *Lary Saltzman*



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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 Ray Brundige, Stephanie Callen, Clark Cox, Stan Esterle, Mike Gramig, Denis Hommrich, JoAnn Mosier, Chip Nold, Shawn Reilly, Jo Shipley, Doug Thrasher, Rebecca Watson, Andy Westbrook and Jeanette Westbrook.



## Trees of Tyler Park

The original Olmsted design for Tyler Park was completed in 1907. Accompanying this design was a survey of existing trees within the boundary of the proposed Park. Trees were scattered among the 11 acre tract which would become Tyler Park. There were approximately 70 trees consisting of four species, Beech, Sycamores, Elms, and Hawthorns. One particular Beech tree was labeled as a huge 60" diameter tree and was located close to Castlewood Ave. Currently, there are approximately 360 trees that have been surveyed in the park represented by 38 species. There are still a good number of American Elms in the park (25) with the smallest being 6" in diameter and the largest 41" in diameter and there are actually three of those. Most are rated as fair to good condition. There is only one 7" diameter Beech tree located about mid-way next to the steps leading from the intersection of Baxter and Tyler Park Dr.

As with many of the original planting plans from the Frederick Law Olmsted and the Olmsted firm, mass border plantings were recommended to give privacy to the park user while inside the park. This was very apparent in the Tyler Park design especially in the north East corner of the park in between Tyler Park Dr. and Windsor Place and along Edenside Ave. However, as with all of our Louisville Olmsted Parks these mass border plantings were not executed. The original Olmsted Planting plan for the park called for 13 species of trees, 23 species of shrubs, and two vine species. Significant numbers of Red Oak, Flowering Dogwood, Red Bud, and American Hornbeam were placed on the plan. The current palate of trees and shrubs in Tyler Park does not much resemble the original planting plan.

The Emerald Ash borer is a tree pest that has caused the death of millions of Ash trees in the eastern United States and is having a big impact on the Louisville tree canopy both on private residential and public lands. There are 68 White Ash and 8 Green Ash trees in Tyler Park. Both Castlewood and Edenside have approximately 24 Ash trees along the frontage. (# being treated) trees are being treated for the Emerald Ash Borer by Metro Parks Landscape Division but all those that are not treated will ultimately die. Once these positions are vacant, Olmsted Parks (OPC) and Metro Parks (MP) will determine if it is appropriate to fill these vacancies and if so, with what species. There were no Ash indicated on the original tree survey for the area and no Ash called out in the 1911 planting list for Tyler Park. The death of the untreated Ash trees will have a significant impact on the park but this will allow OP/MP the opportunity to re-plant species that align with the original plan so that in 25-50 years in the future the park canopy trees will somewhat resemble the Olmsted intent. — Major Waltman, Project Director, Olmsted Parks Conservancy

## Park Committee Report, Spring 2017

The Park Committee held a quarterly meeting on February 9. We said goodbye to retiring President and CEO of the Olmsted Conservancy, Mimi Zinniel, and welcomed new President and CEO, Rachel Kennedy. Rachel has spent 16 years in leadership roles in governmental and nonprofit sectors. We were so pleased to have Rachel present for her inaugural introduction to the Tyler Park Master Plan. We extended a huge thank you to Mimi, who has been instrumental in the success and implementation of the Tyler Park Master Plan.

### Tyler Park/Baxter Bridge Preservation Study

Martha Berner, Metro Parks landscape architect and project manager for the Tyler Park Master Plan, brought us up to date on the Tyler Park/Baxter Bridge Preservation Study. Last year, Metro Parks was successful in getting a \$120,000 Federal Highway Administration plus a \$30,000 match from Louisville Metro that Councilman Owen provided. The scope of the project is to perform a professional inspection and survey including a load rating analysis, assist agency/stakeholder coordination, and prepare a preliminary preservation plan. The federal grant is passed through the Kentucky D.O.T. which

is currently negotiating the consultant contract fee with a specific firm. The tentative schedule is for the project to start in the spring and take 6-8 months.

### Tyler Park Hilltop Path Project

This project, between Tyler Parkway and Edgeland, is estimated to cost \$74,650. State Representatives Mary Lou Marzian, Jim Wayne and State Senator Morgan McGarvey had funding included in the 2017-2018 Kentucky D.O.T. budget but the funding is not in a priority status and it is doubtful that it will survive with all of the change in Frankfort. We will not count our chickens before they are hatched.

### Tyler Park Master Plan Phase 1

The big news is that funding for the Tyler Park Master Plan Phase 1 is planned to be included in this year's Olmsted Conservancy and Metro Louisville budgets. An updated cost estimate is \$1.115 million. Funds available are \$840,000 (the original estimate) from the Olmsted Parks Conservancy with a \$275,000 match still needed. Mimi Zinniel reported that she recently met with Mayor Fischer and it looked promising that the \$275,000 gap money may be earmarked for Tyler Park in the Metro Parks budget. The work will include relocation of the playground and spray ground, relocation of the restroom, improvement of 4 tennis courts, drainage improvements, and construction of an accessible walk under Baxter Bridge. Tentative Schedule: design phase - summer 2017; construction phase - spring 2018.

### Park Maintenance

Shawn Reilly, Joan and myself did a walkthrough of Tyler Park identifying the repair and maintenance of the current pathways throughout the park as the greatest need. A specific focus would be on the sled riding hill walkway which is in a serious state of deterioration. Joan and I did a follow-up walkthrough with Jason Canuel of Metro Parks to identify the specific problems. We have emphasized that the neighbors are quite concerned that the park has accumulated a backlog of deferred maintenance and that we have worked diligently to find funding for planning projects and feel that Tyler Park is due.

### Trees!

LG&E has notified Metro Parks about tree trimming in Tyler Park. Work was completed on the Edenside frontage and will proceed to Tyler Park Drive West. Residents are asking about the state of trees in Tyler Park. LG&E has flagged at least 2 dozen trees in this section for removal from the easement for power lines. In addition,

the ash trees in the park are deteriorating seriously with several having been removed and more heavily trimmed. This is a serious threat to our tree canopy. Most of the large trees in the park along Castlewood are ashes and even with Metro Parks treating them, are beginning to show signs of ash borer damage and decline. This is part of a multiple hit on the park. In recent years we have lost many of our massive oaks. Our tree advocate extraordinaire, Ray Brundige, is on the case. He heads up our efforts to replace lost trees.

-Mike Gramig, TPNA Board



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## Meet Our Newest Neighbor, The Eagle Restaurant

The Eagle Restaurant is located at 1314 Bardstown Road, directly across from the Bristol. The Eagle specializes in their all natural, free range chicken from Ohio farms. This is no ordinary chicken, believe me. It's first brined for 24 to 48 hours, then double-dredged in a secret flour recipe; finally it's fried in the restaurant's custom-made fryers. It's served with their house-made spicy hot honey. You must taste it to appreciate it.

The restaurant is one of four—the other three locations are in Indianapolis, Cincinnati, and Columbus. They are owned by an umbrella group called ThunderDome.

The manager, Greg Huertas, hails from Long Island, New York and after graduating from the University of Las Vegas with a major in restaurant management, he began his career working with celebrity chef Marc Murphy in a 300 seat restaurant. Moving on, he became a GM at Ditch Plains in Manhattan, working there for six years. Later, he became involved with the ThunderDome folks, and eventually became a GM at The Eagle in Cincinnati. Altogether, Greg has had 20 years in the restaurant business. He opened The Eagle in Louisville only a couple of months ago. It's the first and only in Kentucky! Greg reports that he likes Louisville much more than Cincinnati. He and his wife are looking to buy a home here in Louisville.

The Eagle has 120 seats inside, and when the patio opens March 3, it will provide 70 more seats. There are 25 parking spaces behind the restaurant, and they can be accessed by way of the alley. An additional 20 spaces are available after 7 pm when the nail salon has closed. There is an upper level, called the Loft, which may be rented for private parties and other events. Contact Greg at [huertas.gk@gmail.com](mailto:huertas.gk@gmail.com) for prices. Think Derby! The Eagle does take reservations and has gift cards.

Let's talk food!! The Eagle has a casual atmosphere and is very reasonably priced. For two people, the check, with drinks will be around \$40. Besides the outstanding chicken, all their many sides are a modern take on comfort food. So you'll find mac and cheese, collard greens, (Greg surprised me by saying this was a favorite), grits and spoon bread, plus many other choices. Additionally, they have interesting salads, mouth-watering biscuits, and sandwiches.

They have specialty drinks: bourbon punch, it's an 18 oz. favorite; Bloody Mary's, Mule's and the Eagle's version of Long Island tea. If beer is your drink of choice, the Eagle has a long list of craft beers. To see the entire menu go to [eaglerestaurant.com](http://eaglerestaurant.com) I discovered that Yelp also has reviews of the Eagle, as well as 117 pictures. Check it out!!

Welcome to Louisville and especially Tyler Park. We hope you'll be around for a very long time. — *Phyllis Costello*



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## The TPNA Greets St. Paddy

Cold temperatures couldn't dampen the spirits of the Irish (or the Irish at heart) as thousands of revelers lined Bardstown Rd. on March 11<sup>th</sup> for the Ancient Order of the Hibernians' annual St. Patrick's Day parade. The theme of the parade was "One United Ireland" and 2017 marked the 16<sup>th</sup> appearance of the TPNA in this festive event. Board members Mike Gramig, Manny Carralero, Rebecca Watson, Jeannette Westbrook, and Kristen Millwood with her son Gareth donned their green and led the way bearing the Tyler Park banner. Andy Westbrook followed driving his vintage VW van all decked out for the occasion. What a great way to honor our beautiful neighborhood and enjoy one of the most widely celebrated holidays in the world! —*Rebecca Watson, TPNA Board member*



## Neighbor and Councilman, Brandon Coan

Howdy, folks! Hopefully, many of you already receive my regular, bi-weekly District 8 eNewsletter, wherein I report on streets, development, crime and other information relevant to Tyler Park, so I thought I'd use this opportunity to get more personal with you here. (Not yet an eNews subscriber? Visit <https://louisvilleky.gov/government/metro-council-district-8/subscribe-stay-informed>)

To borrow from Woody Guthrie, this neighborhood is my neighborhood, this neighborhood is your neighborhood. That is (if you didn't know), my wife (and pets) and I live right in the heart of Tyler Park – almost dead-center, in fact! – on the 1500 block of Rosewood Avenue, and we love it here! If you haven't met Summer and me, here are some ways to recognize us:

- We walk our dogs Olive (a silver-gray Weimaraner) and Miles (a black Chihuahua-Beagle mix) daily;
- We often go to Baxter Avenue Theaters – and regularly see every movie showing between Christmas and New Year's!
- You can catch us at ValuMarket picking-up missing ingredients late in the evening;
- Occasionally, you can catch us at the Back Door meeting friends *even later in the evening* (and you can always catch me there – if you can find me – on the wall); and
- Among many great restaurants, we like to eat at Dragon King's Daughter.



Don't hesitate to say hi if you see us around. I'm even happy to "talk shop," although the best way to bring a serious issue to my attention is to call 574-1108 or email [brandon.coan@louisvilleky.gov](mailto:brandon.coan@louisvilleky.gov)

Best wishes for a wonderful spring – and see you on the street!

— *Councilman Brandon Coan*



**"Friends, Romans, countrymen, lend me your ears!"**

**- JULIUS CAESAR, William Shakespeare**

For 56 years, Kentucky Shakespeare, a not-for-profit charitable organization, professional theatre company, and the oldest free Shakespeare Festival in the United States has presented free Shakespeare in Central Park in Old Louisville during the summer.

We'll again be presenting it in Central Park all summer, but we'll also touring to 23 other parks this spring with free Shakespeare! Since 2014, we've been bringing touring the community with our "Shakespeare in the Parks" program, and this spring, **we return to Tyler Park with**

**JULIUS CAESAR – Saturday, April 8 at**

**6PM.** This will be the fourth year we've toured to Tyler Park, and we're grateful for the opportunity to return, thanks to new Councilman Brandon Coan and the residents of District 8.

This powerful and entertaining six-actor, eighty-minute adaptation of Shakespeare's political thriller is jam-packed with issues that resonate in our world today. So, bring a chair or blanket and a picnic and join us for this free community event!

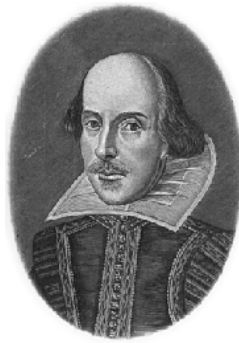
We'll also be touring the production to area parks this spring including Shawnee Park, Russell Lee Park, Iroquois Park, Sun Valley Park, Petersburg Park, Emerson Park, Hounz Lane Park, Story Avenue Park, Veterans Memorial Park, Highview Park, Robsion Park, Water Tower Park, Locust Grove, Big Four Station Park in Jeffersonville, and Broad Run Park in the Parklands, among others.

Once you've experienced Kentucky Shakespeare in Tyler Park, it is my hope that you will join us in Old Louisville's Central Park this summer to experience our 2017 summer season of the FREE Kentucky Shakespeare Festival in Central Park. We will present three professional productions in rotating repertory – MUCH ADO ABOUT NOTHING, RICHARD II, and JULIUS CAESAR, plus our Globe Players student production of THE MERCHANT OF VENICE. Our late night Saturday show will again be the Louisville Improvisors with LATE NIGHT SHAKES, and in the last two weeks of our season in we will again welcome other theatre companies to present their own productions on the Festival stage. Cincinnati Shakespeare Company will present THE MERRY WIVES OF WINDSOR, the Jewish Community Center's CenterStage will present the musical KISS ME KATE, and the Louisville Ballet will present SHAKESPEARE IN DANCE. The total season runs 11 weeks, 8 productions, and 66 free performances this summer from May 31-August 13. We've added nightly pre-show performances, food trucks, and bar service for your full festival experience! Check out the full schedule at [www.kyshakespeare.com](http://www.kyshakespeare.com)

We look forward to returning to District 8. We invite you to experience YOUR Kentucky Shakespeare, a Louisville tradition for over 56 years. See you in the park! — *Matt Wallace, Producing Artistic Director, Kentucky Shakespeare*

**"April hath put a spirit of youth in everything."**

*- William Shakespeare*



**Hola, Neighbors!**

The 10<sup>th</sup> Annual Tyler Park Neighborhood Association Wine Tasting was a huge success with another sellout crowd attending the festive event on Sunday, January 29th, at the Mid City Mall. The South American themed event featured a wide selection of Chilean and Argentinean wines from the Wine Market, including Torrontés, the signature white grape of Argentina and Malbec, Argentina's flagship red wine. ValuMarket's catering department served authentic Chilean and Argentinean hors d'oeuvres including bocaditos, cocados, brigadeiros, pastel de chaco and barro lucos. ValuMarket's floral department provided the beautiful flower arrangements that decorated the venue.



Dancers from Blair's Ballroom entertained attendees with lively tango dancing.

Proceeds from the fund raising event totaled almost \$3300, and benefited the Tyler Park Master Plan which funds improvements in Tyler Park. Special thanks to Martha Berner of Metro Parks and Mimi Zinniel of the Olmsted Conservancy for providing updates on the Master Plan.

Many thanks go to ValuMarket and The Wine Market along with Sandy Metts and the Metts Company for providing the venue, Blair's Ballroom, Bazo's Restaurant, Terry Redden of Semonin Realtors and our advertisers, Drs. Young and Linehan of Art & Crafts Dental, Infinite Bliss Yoga Studio, Highland Family Dentistry and Dr. Gabor S. Vargo D.M.D., The Fish House/Café Beignet, The Jewel Box, Kaleidoscope Hair Salon, Jazzercise, Margy Taylor and Clay & Cotton, and VCA Fairleigh Pet Center.

The wine tasting is only possible through the generosity of these local merchants, so please remember to support them.

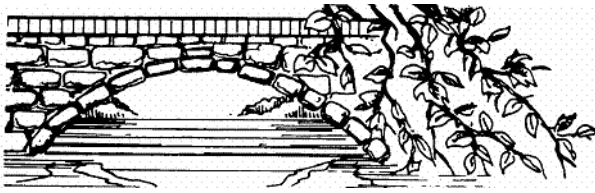
Also, many thanks go to the dedicated and hard working wine tasting committee members, Jo Ann Mosier, Ann Finney, Joan Dubay, Ken Baker, Florence Saltzman and Rebecca Watson, and the numerous volunteers who put together the event. — *Jo Shipley*



A Tyler Park resident enjoys Gordo's description of a Malbec by Cantena.



Hamlet in Tyler Park, April 2014



## Comprehensive Planning

Imagine a place where people have to stop, unload, and reload before going further upriver. Things will stack up, a town will form, and the town will eventually grow into a city. That will happen without much planning. But imagine instead you already have a city and things are moving a bit faster than in the steamboat days. For that you need comprehensive planning and given the speed of change, the planning has to look farther ahead. Louisville Metro government has invited citizens to join the planning process.

The first step was to assess where we have been and to predict where we can go, guided by citizen input on where we want to arrive. The result was the extensive report Vision Louisville, with a specialized look at transportation called Move Louisville.

The years of effort in those two projects and other related work has been applied to give a meaningful context for a revision of the central planning document of our Metro government.

The current plan, called Cornerstone 2020, is “the framework for Louisville and Jefferson County’s land development... the community’s direction for future development and growth... [and recommended] policies and projects to achieve its desired results”, as explained on the [www.louisvilleky.gov](http://www.louisvilleky.gov) website. The Kentucky statutes require cities to have comprehensive plans and to revise them on a regular basis. Cornerstone 2020 was adopted in June, 2000 as a long range plan for the twenty-year period whose end we are now approaching.

The Mayor formed an advisory committee to guide development of the new comprehensive plan, and a general meeting for the public was held in November to organize the detailed work.

At this stage the public is participating in work groups to write goals and objectives for six topics: community facilities, community form, housing, livability and environment, marketplace, and mobility. Refer to the sidebar for information on the individual groups.

Public participation is vital. Every person who shows up brings a fresh view of our issues and the solutions we can create. Nothing says people can only come to one work group, either. Personal insight can inform the groups on how the different topics relate. As a recent example, the closing of the 810 Barret government center (a point of discussion for the Community Facilities work group) creates a need for transportation from some of the old city neighborhoods out to the new government center in Middletown.

— Ray Brundige, TPNA Board

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For basic information, see:

<https://louisvilleky.gov/government/planning-design/comprehensive-plan>

For advisory committee information, see:

<https://louisvilleky.gov/government/planning-design/advisory-committee>.

Look there for the notes on the August 31, 2015 meeting, which has some basic information. The committee meets monthly, skipping December.

There are six work groups, which are listed at <https://louisvilleky.gov/government/planning-design/work-groups>. Each has its own page.

**Community Facilities** – This work group will focus on updating the Comprehensive Plan policies related to the location and design of public facilities including parks, government buildings, schools, utilities and non-transportation infrastructure such as water and sewer facilities.

**Community Form** – This work group will focus on updating the Comprehensive Plan policies that address the character and diversity of Louisville’s neighborhoods by reviewing and updating the Form District descriptions and incorporating recommendations from the Historic Preservation Task Force.

**Housing** – This work group will focus on updating the Comprehensive Plan policies that address and advance the provision of and access to housing for all of Louisville’s citizens.

**Livability & Environment** – This work group will focus on updating the Comprehensive Plan policies to enhance community health and equity, and incorporating sustainability into the Plan. The work of this group will be informed by Sustain Louisville, Healthy Louisville, and the Health Equity Report.

**Marketplace** – This work group will focus on updating the Comprehensive Plan policies relating to Louisville’s business and economic growth.

**Mobility** – This work group will focus on updating the Comprehensive Plan policies related to land use and transportation patterns, including street connectivity, transit, enhancing the pedestrian and bicycle networks and the relationship between land use and transportation. The work of this group will be informed by the goals identified in Move Louisville.



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TPNA Board member,  
Ray Brudige, presents  
a check from the  
TPNA to the  
Highlands/Shelby  
Park Library.





## Winter Doldrums Equals Downward Trend in New Members Joining TPNA

Only 3 new individuals joined TPNA this quarter compared to 10 last quarter. 61 individuals renewed this quarter compared to 61 last quarter and 66 the previous quarter. However, 1 business member & 8 individual/family members for January did not renew after repeated emails or postcards if emails were not available and the same held true for 3 individual/family members for February. I am reporting for March as I have been to the P.O. Box several times the last few days and there have been no checks. 15 individual/family members for March have not renewed.

Membership deposits for this quarter were: January \$211, for February \$625 and for March 1-17 \$295 for a grand total of \$1131 which is \$174 less than the total for last quarter. Although membership deposits were down this quarter, they were enough to pay for the printing & postage of the Winter Newsletter of \$573.96 leaving TPNA short \$16.92 for the Spring Newsletter.

TPNA has a total of 358 members this quarter up from the 355 last quarter due to the 3 new individual/family members. We still have 22 business members leaving us with 336 individual/family members.

3 new individual/family members joined this quarter: Bay & Art Baltes, Mrs. Curtis Raizer and Nathalie Raymer.

61 individual/family members renewed this quarter: Luckett Davidson & Stephen Woodring, Ed & Nancy Seitz, Terry & Bill Redden, Sandy & David Bennett, Bill Falvey, Brian Caudill, Amber Dale Cann, William & Mary Stark, Keller & Therese Riede, Bill & Barbara Juckett, Angela & Frank Jones, Sara Rose, Laura & Charles Sellers, Jim & Shelle Lally, Stephanie Glasford & Zoe Eme, Kathleen Crawford & Cindi Ramm, Scott & Mary Pat Nimmon, Emily & Nick Iliff, Joseph & Selena Ballantine, David & Julie Doll, Andrea McElderry, Lu Ann & Eddie Muench, Jeanette & Andy Westbrook, Ray Brundige, Steve & Glenda Watkins, Bob & Cindy Foshee, Charles & Martha Corrigan, Robert & Sally Hattemer, Hiro & Venus B. Tanamachi, Stan & Rose Ann Esterle, Michael Hanks & Larry Miller, Ms. Nancy C. Brown, Charles & Lynnell Edwards, Tom & Phyllis Owen, Linda George & John McGeeney, Michael & Serena Hirn, Marcelle Gianelloni & C.J. Pressma, Nancy M. Theriot, Kathy & Hal Baumann, Will Nefzger, James & Rebecca Watson, Mary Ann & Kenneth Hyland-Murr, Pam & John Phelps, John & Judy Bidwell, Elizabeth Paterson, Katy & Paul Schneider, Eric & Debbie Wright, Herbert Zimmerman, Jennifer Gebhart & Jason Cooper, Lisa Hite & Jeremy Levine, Phyllis N. Costello, Cindy Read & Chip Nold, Ruth Miller Bennett, Karen Ryan Harris, Gerry Lang, Al Spotts & Maggie Steptoe, Ed Kruger & Jeff Rodgers, Mike Gramig, Elizabeth & Lee Hinson-Hasty, Karen W. Phillips, Paul & Denise Stine and Amy & AJ Holley.

No new businesses were added to TPNA this quarter. 2 business members renewed this quarter: Sandy Metts – Mid City Mall and Rick Hill of Hill Brook DesignScapes. 20 recurring business members were: Highlands Tap Room Grill, Dragon Kings Daughter, Highland Coffee Company, Arts & Craft Dental, Keith's Hardware (Pamela Martin), VCA Fairleigh Animal Hospital, The Back Door (John Dant), Gabor S. Vargo, DMD, PSC, The Jewel Box, Kizito Inc., Highland Morning (Bruce/Susan Coe), Edenside Gallery (Nancy Peterson), Barret Liquors (Manoj Uppal, owner), St. James Catholic Church, Patient Advocacy of Louisville, Michael Breitenstein, realtor with Eline Realty company, Sanjay Sakaria / Bazo's Fresh Mexican Grill, Heine Brothers' Coffee, Inc. and Charles Williams Design.

A total of \$53 was contributed above the cost of renewal dues to be used as needed by the following: Kathleen Crawford & Cindi Ramm, Nancy M. Theriot, John & Judy Bidwell and Al Spotts & Maggie Steptoe.

For the months of January, February and this part of March, a total of \$148 was given to The Tyler Park Fund by: Chip Nold & Cindy Read, Robert & Sally Hattemer, Kef & Molly J. Hollenbach, Ophelia & Steve Helm and from the Valu Market gift cards (\$58).

Thank you for all that you do for the Tyler Park Neighborhood Association. The Membership Committee will be meeting in April to discuss how to get more new members & membership renewals and the idea to introduce life-time memberships. If you have any comments on the above, please call or email me. (502) 727-6856 or [janetdakan@gmail.com](mailto:janetdakan@gmail.com).

--Janet Dakan, Membership Committee Chair & TPNA Board



### After School STEAM Storytime, Ages 3-8.

Wednesdays, 4:30 pm

Join us after school for special Science, Technology, Engineering, Art and Math stories and fun STEAM related activities and crafts. A healthy snack will be provided.

### Crochet and Knitting Circle, Teens and adults.

Thursdays, 7:00 pm

Join us in The Outpost for crafting, conversation and snacks. For all skill levels, beginner to master. Bring your projects to the circle, to learn and share!

### Friends of the Highlands-Shelby Park Library

2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of the month, 6:30 pm

April 10 and May 8

### Café LOUIE

### Meet your legislators and public officials.

Saturday, April 1, 9:00 am

Followed at 10:30 by:

### Know Your News: Media Literacy

Be confident in what you read and share with others.

Anne Marie Grisanti and Ruth Ellen Flint offer tools to become informed news consumers.

### Nonfiction Book Club

1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday of the month, 10:30 am

Call 574-1672 for title

### Fiction Book Group

Wednesday, April 5, 6:30 pm

Discuss *The Gilded Years* by Karin Tanabe

### Family Pinterest Club, All ages.

Join us for family focused crafting time, fun for grownups and kids!

Saturday, April 15, 2:00 pm

## Mark your calendar and plan to attend:

### Shakespeare's *Julius Caesar*

in Tyler Park on Saturday, April 8 at 6PM.

### Easter Egg Hunt in Tyler Park

Saturday, April 15th, noon

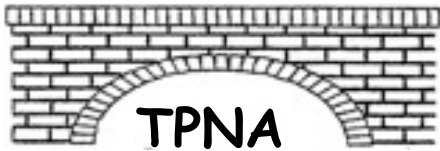
### TPNA Garden Tour

Saturday, June 3rd

### TPNA Meetings

4th Thursdays 7-9pm — April 27, May 25, June 29  
Highlands/Shelby Park Library

Keep up-to-date with your neighborhood!  
Check out [www.tylerpark.org](http://www.tylerpark.org) regularly!



# Join Your Neighborhood Association

## Memberships

Individual and Family dues \$15 per year

Business dues \$25 per year

For convenience, you may pay for two years if you'd like-\$30/\$50.

## Donate to The Tyler Park Fund

Please write separate checks for donations and dues.

Dues should be written to TPNA, Inc.

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Mail check/s and form to:

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### I/we would like to work on the following:

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Wine Tasting \_\_\_\_\_  
Garden Tour \_\_\_\_\_  
Membership \_\_\_\_\_  
Zoning and Enforcement \_\_\_\_\_  
Park Cleanup \_\_\_\_\_  
Board of Directors \_\_\_\_\_  
Fundraising \_\_\_\_\_  
Neighborhood Quality of Life \_\_\_\_\_  
Tree Conservation \_\_\_\_\_

**YOU ARE NOT A MEMBER:** 1) There is no date appearing next to your name: or 2) The membership date that appears next to your name is 00-00. TPNA needs your financial support for our activities including the publication and mailing of the newsletter so please join now. Submit this form and your check to the above address.

**YOU ARE A MEMBER:** 1) Your first & last name appears on the label followed by a date (month and year). The date is your renewal date or when your membership is due. Since mailing costs have increase, TPNA no longer sends acknowledgement thank you cards for membership dues. If you must have one, please contact Janet Dakan at the number below or write a note to the address above.

**If the information on your label is wrong,** please print the correct information on this form & mail it back to the address listed above so that I can correct your information for the next newsletter. Thanks for your support and help.

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

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