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John Reilly

1994 saw quite a bit of activity involving TPNA. We worked with Metro Parks and Alderman Tom Owen to select the style and placement new lights installed along the

walkways in Tyler Park. Participation in TPNA sponsored activities such as the picnic increased, as did the number of members on our Board of Directors. We participated in meetings of Bardstown Road Tomorrow and the Highland Connection, groups whose members represent the area's residents and businesses. And the TPNA sponsored meetings to promote the exchange of information as controversy arose over the plan to put theaters in Mid-City Mall.

The Tyler Park Neighborhood Association continues to devote serious effort and energy toward improving the quality of life for all of us. As always, we

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need your help. We need more people to work with us, to bring up new ideas for improving the neighborhood, and to help us carry them out. We need to hear more of the views of the neighborhood residents, to let us know how we have been doing and how we should move forward. Let us know how you feel about issues so we can better represent your interests.

Take, for example, the ongoing controversy over the plan to put theaters in Mid-City Mall. When we first heard about the prospect of a neighborhood theater returning to the local area, the TPNA Board expressed its support. Later, when we heard that eight theaters were planned, and heard from the residents in the immediate area about traffic congestion and concerns, we told the Planning Commission that we favored a scaled down version of the plan. Presently, we are hoping for a win-win solution that would allow the theaters to be created, but in a way that addresses the concerns of safety, congestion, litter, etc. We'd like to know what you think!

Below you should find the names, addresses and phone numbers of the members of the TPNA Board of Directors. Take a minute to give one of us a call, or drop us a note in the mail. Please let us know how you feel.

John Reilly **TPNA President** 





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### Tyler Park Update

After a recent automobile accident, the chain link fence that borders the south side of Tyler park along Castlewood Avenue was damaged and subsequently removed by Metro Parks. The Tyler Park Neighborhood Association requested a replacement and is now working with Metro Parks and Alderman Tom Owen to select a suitable replacement one that provides a safety barrier for children from the traffic along Castlewood Ave. and one that will maintain the history and character of the park.

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### TYLER PARK NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION MEMBERSHIP FORM

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Park Clean-Up	☐ Septemb	er Festival
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Political Action & Zoning		
Park & Neighborhood Improvement		
☐ Easter Egg Hunt	Any Way	I Can

### CALENDAR OF EVENTS

### **MARCH**

- 6 MAYOR'S NIGHT IN 5 - 7 PM, CITY HALL SIGN IN AT 6TH ST.
- 6 ALDERMAN'S NIGHT IN OPEN MICROPHONE 5:30 - 6:30 PM, ALDERMANIC CAUCUS ROOM, 3RD FL., CITY HALL USE 6TH ST.ENTRANCE, SIGN IN ON 3RD FL. TO GET ON AGENDA CALL 574 - 3521 ( PUBLIC AFFAIRS) BY MONDAY, MARCH 5TH
- 14 COURT HEARING: REQUEST FOR APPEAL OF PARKING VARIANCE AT MID-CITY MALL.

10:30 AM, COURTROOM 3, JUDGE Mc ANULTY, HALL OF JUSTICE, 6TH & JEFFERSON

- 15 TPNA BOARD MEETING 3RD WED. OF EACH MONTH, 7 PM, ST. JAMES CHURCH SCHOOL, EDENSIDE AVE.
- 21 FIRST DAY OF SPRING
- 21 31

  CHILDREN'S ART
  EXHIBIT, 'THE COLORS
  OF SPRING,"
  HIGHLANDS-SHELBY
  PARK LIBRARY, MIDCITY MALL

### APRIL

8 10AM - 12 NOON, TYLER PARK CLEANUP

15 10 AM, EASTER EGG HUNT (PLEASE DO NOT BRING DOGS TO THIS EVENT)

IF YOU KNOW OF AN EVENT OR MEETING THAT YOU THINK YOUR NEIGHBORS WOULD LIKE TO KNOW ABOUT PLEASE CALL: SONYA BROWN, 458 - 4744. DEADLINE FOR APRIL ISSUE, MARCH 10TH.

### WHAT TPNA DOES FOR YOU

Your membership donation enables the Tyler Park Neighborhood Association to:

- 1. Enhance and maintain the beauty of Tyler Park.
- Sponsor events in Tyler Park, including Easter Egg hunt, SummerScene, September Festival, Safe-and-Scary Halloween Party, and so on.
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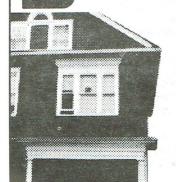
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### **EDITORIAL**

### **Editor's Column**

Welcome to the Tyler Park Bridge. This is the first issue of what we hope will become a regular monthly publication. Our goal is to bring you news of the neighborhood, items of general interest and (to the best of our shilling) entertainment. best of our ability) entertainment.

Our hope for regular monthly publication means we'll have to dedicate time every week - and we can do that, most weeks. It also means I will have to get my own schedules on track. (The other people who work on this are real fireballs who seem to have their lives thoroughly under control). You can look to this column to see how an old hand at procrastination and management by disaster is getting along.

In short, I'm a man of average desperation who muddles through life. Every time you see this column it means I've made it through another month.

You may ask "Ray, if life in general has so many pitfalls, why do you volunteer for TPNA?" My answer is that I work for the neighborhood to avoid pitfalls.

Disasters like a water main breaking just after my in-laws arrived for Thanksgiving, the furnace heat exchanger cracking just before winter and my dog eating chocolate will still happen. Since I like old houses and dogs, I have to accept some of the disasters that come my some of the disasters that come my

Working for the neighborhood is my way of fighting off some of the disasters city life could bring. For example, I hope to contribute to efforts like those which brought lights to Tyler Park. The lighting helps avoid the threat of muggers, vandals and other violent types. If I can spend a little time with my neighbors and bring results like the park

lights, I feel my time is well spent.

As you may have guessed, my next step is to encourage you to work for the neighborhood. You may not share my attitude that helping the neighborhood is a form of self-help. So I am going to list some of the selfish reasons you could

have for working with TPNA.

- The Neighborhood Association does not charge anyone for attending meetings. (You can support the Association annually by paying a measly \$5.00 in dues - but you need not be a member to attend the meetings)
- If you work with the Association, you get to meet with wonderful people.
- As more of us get involved, the neighborhood will become an even nicer place to live, work and play. The old adage that many hands make small work is
- More involvement brings political attention to the area. Our elected officials listen to active groups. If tax dollars are available for a limited number of projects, the group that asks first, most and best is most likely to get funds.
- Best of all, this is volunteer work. You can walk away from any project at any time. We all have lives away from TPNA. No one gets angry when personal matters have to take precedence.

I, for one, promise that I'll never, ever scold you if you volunteer to help on the *Bridge* and cancel out of a meeting because your dog ate chocolate.

Ray Brundige **TPNA Board** 





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**EXHIBITORS** 

Spring Fling

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### THE COLORS OF SPRING

### An Exhibit By Our Children

The Tyler Park Neighborhood Association and the Highlands-Shelby Park Library are co-sponsoring a children's art exhibit in celebration of Spring. Children in our neighborhood are invited to be a part of the display by submitting an art composition on Spring. Your children may explore this topic through whatever medium they choose: crayons, markers, watercolors, pastels, a collage of magazine clippings, photography, etc. The only requirements are that the artwork must be on a sheet of paper no larger that 20 in. x 28 in. and that it can be hung on the wall. Unfortunately, we cannot handle sculpture at this exhibit. On a separate

sheet of paper clipped to the artwork please write the child's name, age, and one or two of their comments on

Submissions will be accepted by the library staff on Friday, March 10th and Saturday, March 11th ONLY. The exhibit will premiere Tuesday, March

21st and run through the end of March. You may pick up your artwork starting April 1st. The TPNA and the Library are not responsible for pictures not picked up in a timely manner. As the library has no suitable storage space any artwork left after one month may be disposed of. If you have any questions please

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