

Neighborhood Bridge

August 1998

TPNA Annual Fall Festival - Sunday, September 13, 2PM until dark

Music, Music, Music!

The TPNA presents a day of music in Tyler Park, as part of the annual festival to take place on Sunday, September 13. The music begins with folk singer Misha Feign starting at 2 PM. Then at 3:30 PM, feel the blues with Winston Hardy and The Roadmasters. Topping off the evening will be the fabulous Ovation Orchestra with June Kelly Roy beginning at 6 PM. Be sure to bring a chair and relax with the music in beautiful Tyler Park. Music for the festival is made possible by the City of Louisville, Third Ward Alderman Tom Owen, the Louisville federation of Musicians Local 11-637, and the TPNA. Enjoy!

Trolley Tours of the Neighborhood

In conjunction with the Annual Fall Festival,
Alderman Tom Owen will once again conduct
three trolley tours of the Tyler Park neighborhood
providing interesting information on the history of
our neighborhood. The tours are scheduled for
3:45, 4:30, and 5:15 and will depart from the east
entrance to the park, where Tyler Parkway intersects
Tyler Park Drive. Because of limited capacity of the
trolley, free tickets must be picked up at the
Membership Booth in the park prior to each
scheduled departure. Tickets will be collected when
boarding the trolley.

Membership and TPNA Items

The Membership Booth will be open throughout the day of the festival accepting membership dues for 1999. Dues are \$5 for individuals and families, and \$10 for businesses. Also available for sale will be TPNA T-shirts, sweatshirts, and mugs. Please show your support for the Tyler Park Neighborhood Association by beginning or renewing your membership.

TPNA Raffle - Grand Prize \$300

The proceeds from the annual TPNA Raffle provide financial support for the Annual Fall Festival as well as other activities during the year. This year there will be a Grand Prize of \$300 cash as well as prizes from local merchants. Also this year there will be a Special Prize from Tyler Park resident Lt. Governor Steve Henry, who will entertain four people for dinner at the historic Lt. Governor's residence in Frankfort. Drawings for all these prizes will take place every 30 minutes beginning at 4 PM, but winners need not be present at the time of these drawings. However, there will be a drawing at 6:30 PM for \$100 cash that does require the winner to be present at the time of the drawing. Raffle tickets are \$1 each. TPNA Board members will be selling raffle tickets door-to-door in the neighborhood prior to September 13. Tickets will also be sold at the Raffle Booth on the day of the festival. Winners names will be posted at the Raffle Booth starting at 4 PM that day. Winners may claim their prizes at the Raffle Booth. Prizes not claimed will be mailed or delivered within a few days after the festival.

Honoring Alderman Tom Owen

Alderman Tom Owen, a resident of the Tyler Park neighborhood for many years, will be ending his long and effective service at the end of this year. Neighborhood residents, as well as all Louisvillians, will miss his dedicated and competent efforts as a public servant. At 6 PM on the day of the TPNA Annual Fall Festival, at the bandstand, the TPNA Board will take a few minutes to recognize Tom Owen as an outstanding citizen of our neighborhood. Please join us in showing our support and caring for a very special person in our neighborhood.

Just For Kids!

There will be several activities that will focus on children. A group of Girl Scouts will conduct hands-on craft stations. The Louisville Fire Department will be on site with a fire engine, and will distribute free fire helmets and coloring books. The Louisville Police will bring their Talking Car, and Officer McGruff will be "taking a bite out of crime" at the Crime Prevention Booth. The Birds of Prey will be on hand again this year. And several clowns will be strolling around the park entertaining kids of all ages. All the activities listed above will take place between 2 PM and 4:30 PM.

Food and Drinks

Several vendors will provide a variety of food and drink throughout the day at the Annual Festival. Sandwiches available will **include rib-eye steak**, **pork**, **and chicken**. Food and drink booths will be located under the bridge in Tyler Park. Picnic tables will be located throughout the park for use on a first come, first served basis whether you purchase food or bring your own. While adequate supplies of food may have been a problem last year, this year that should not be a problem.

How Well Do You Know Your History?

See how many of the 25 questions on the history of Tyler Park neighborhood you can answer. Pick up a sheet at the Membership Booth, answer as many questions as you can, and return your answers before 5 PM. There will be **prizes** awarded to those with the most correct answers (drawings will be held to break ties). Answers will be posted at 6 PM.

Park Tot Lot Improvements

The TPNA Board has been working with Metro Parks to plan improvements to the Tot Lot playground in Tyler Park. In addition to the features announced in July's newsletter, a bouncing turtle toy will also be added. If you would like to see a drawing which depicts the latest draft of the new Tot Lot design, stop by the Tot Lot on the day of the Annual festival. It will be posted there for your review, if you are interested.

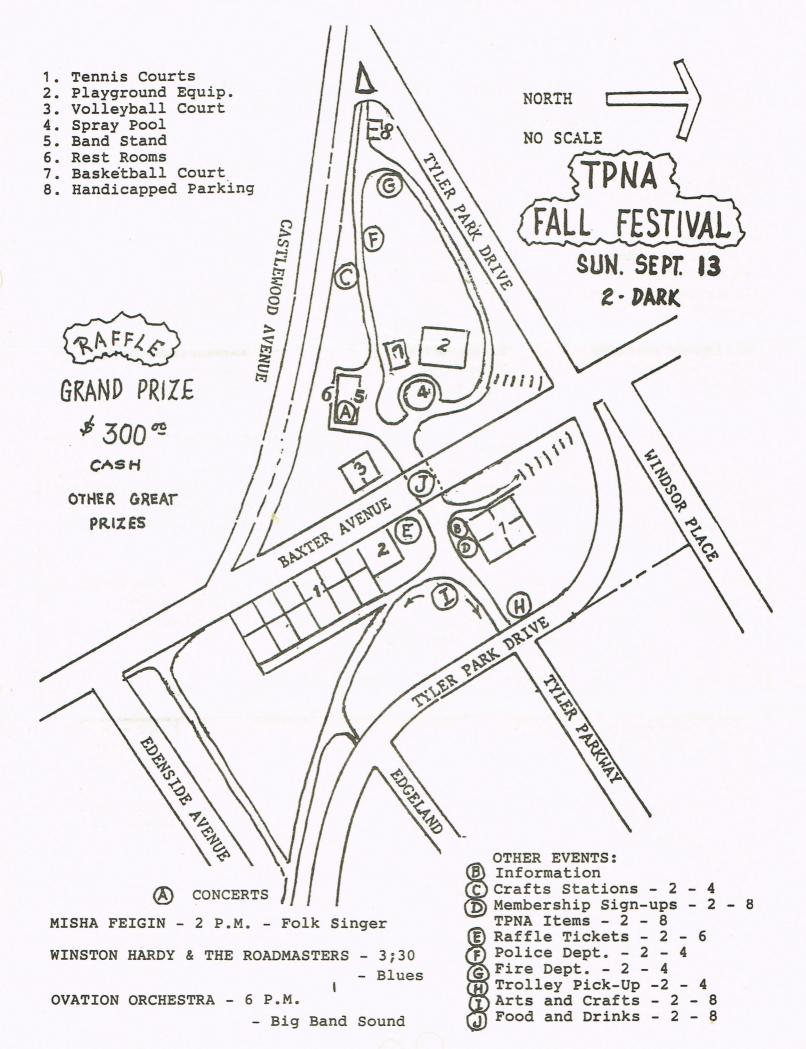
Annual TPNA Meeting

The Annual Meeting of the Tyler Park Neighborhood Association is scheduled for Thursday, October 22, 1998, at 7 PM in the auditorium of Bloom Elementary School on Lucia Avenue. All residents of the Tyler Park neighborhood are urged to attend this meeting to hear the annual reports of the Association and to elect the TPNA Board of Directors. Any resident may serve on the Board. Officers of the Board of Directors will be elected at a later meeting from among the newly elected Board members. If you wish to be a candidate and serve as a Board member, call Bob Waters, President, at 458-4002 prior to the Annual Meeting. You may also be nominated from the floor during the Annual meeting. Regular monthly meetings of the TPNA Board of Directors are held at the Highlands-Shelby Park Library at MidCity Mall at 7 PM on the fourth Thursday of every month (except October, November, and December).

TPNA Proposes Entertainment for Park

At recent TPNA Board meetings, discussions have occurred concerning reestablishment of regular musical entertainment at the bandstand in Tyler Park. In years past, musical entertainment was often heard filling the park. The Louisville Orchestra and other local acts often played in the park. The wildly successful musical events provided by the Cherokee Triangle Neighborhood Association on Sundays in Willow Park attest to the popularity of free live music in the Louisville area. The TPNA is considering scheduling concerts in Tyler Park on alternating dates so as not to conflict with those held in Willow Park. The TPNA Board would like to hear from area residents and other interested parties concerning this proposal. Please let us know by writing the TPNA at P.O. Box 4452, 40204, or by calling Jeanette Westbrook at 451-8207, or stop by the Membership Booth at the Annual Festival.

Come to the TPNA Annual Fall Festival – Sunday, September 13



Thanks to Those Who Contributed Prizes to the Raffle

The following businesses support the TPNA by providing prizes this year. Your neighborhood association encourages you to support these organizations.

Actors Theater Alcott & Bentley Amazing Grace Foods

Amazing Grace Foods
The Bakery
Bank of Louisville
Baxter Avenue Theaters
Carmichael's Bookstore
Cherokee Coins and Jewelry

Comedy Caravan
Dairy Queen
Day's Espresso and

Day's Espresso and Coffee Dundee Candy Shop Edenside Gallery Ermin's Restaurant Fairleigh Pet Center Fantasy Factory Jack Fry's

Gates Chevron The Glass House Guitar Emporium

Hair Designer School Highland Cycle

Hungry Pelican
Jasper Oriental Rugs
Keith's Hardware

Kizito Cookies Leatherhead Shop Louisville Ballet Lynn's Paradise Café Murphy's Camera

Old Town Wine & Spirits

Papa John's PNC Bank Precision Tune Ramsi's

Scissorhands Salon

Skyline Chili Susan's corner

Swanson-Cralle Gallery

Winn-Dixie ZA's Pizza Pub

Why Support Your Neighborhood Association?

The ways to support your neighborhood association are as diverse as the residents who live in the Tyler Park neighborhood. You can become a Board member, attend Board meetings, write articles for the newsletter, help with the Annual Festival, clean up the neighborhood, let the Board know about interesting people and events, make suggestions for improving the neighborhood and the park, by paying membership dues, or by contributing to the TPNA Endowment Fund.

Then what does the TPNA do in return for individuals, families, and businesses in the Tyler Park neighborhood?

- Acts as liaison between residents and government officials and agencies to foster communication.
- Provides area residents with information about issues and events of interest to the neighborhood.
- Serves as liaison between residents and law enforcement.
- Monitors and helps with efforts to improve and beautify Tyler Park.
- Provides neighbors with opportunities to meet and socialize with each other.

Tyler Park
NEIGHBORHOOD
ASSOCIATION

P.O. Box 4452 Louisville, KY 40204 Non-Profit
Organization
U.S. Postage
PAID
Louisville, KY
Permit 1549