



Tyler Park Neighborhood Association

JUNE / JULY 1983

Newsletter

WHAT'S HAPPENING?

- June 20 Metro Parks Summer Playground Program begins at Tyler Park. Hours are 9:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. Monday through Friday.
- June 26 ANNUAL TYLER PARK PICNIC, 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. at Tyler Park.
- June 26- July 31 TPNA Membership Drive
- July 21 Bardstown Road Tomorrow meeting, 7:30 p.m., at the Information Center, 1412 Bardstown Road.
- July 25 TPNA Board Meeting, 1248 Royal Ave., 7:00 p.m.
- Aug. 18 Bardstown Road Tomorrow meeting, 7:30 p.m., at the Information Center, 1412 Bardstown Road.
- Aug. 22 TPNA Board Meeting, 1524 Rosewood Ave., 7:00 p.m.



CITY-WIDE AWAKE PROGRAM

Making people aware is the theme of the City-Wide Awake Program. The joint effort between neighborhood residents and city police emphasizes preventing crime before it happens. Services include Block Watch, security surveys, Operation ID, and house watch.

For more information call 581-3411.



SUMMER PLAYGROUND AT TYLER PARK

Metro Parks has announced that the Summer Playground program at Tyler Park will be held Monday through Friday, from June 20 until July 29. Hours are 9:00 a.m. until 5:30 p.m. Activities include softball, volleyball, arts and crafts, and specialty programs for pre-schoolers.

The Summer Playground is free and requires no registration. For more information call Metro Park's area supervisors, Jacky Gardner or Karen Gregory at 456-5731.

TYLER PARK'S ANNUAL PICNIC

The Tyler Park Neighborhood Annual Picnic will be held on Sunday, June 26, in Tyler Park from 4 p.m. until 8 p.m.

This year's picnic will feature the Cumberland Hot Air Balloon, the Shriners' Bagpipe Marching Band, and the Southern Classics, a Bluegrass band. Pony rides and other attractions, including a clown painting faces, will be of interest for children.

Plenty of food and drinks will be available. Barbeque chicken dinners will be sold for \$2.50.

Picnic volunteers are needed to serve food and work in booths. If you are interested in volunteering, call Frank Chuppe, 452-9461.

If you wish to donate a dessert call Brenda Robinson, 451-9148 or Jo Ann Mosier, 456-1585.

Rain date for the picnic is July 10, from 4 p.m. until 8 p.m.



ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

Join TPNA during our annual membership drive from June 26 until July 31. TPNA needs your support in continuing the projects that make Tyler Park a great place to live. Use the form below; dues are \$5.00 per year for a household. Make your check payable to TPNA. If you have any questions contact your block captain or Jo Ann and Rudy Mosier, 456-1585 or Miriam Bohman, 459-3011.

Membership Form

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE: _____

NO. IN FAMILY: _____

Dues: \$5 / yr.-family or indiv.

T.P.N.A.
P.O. Box 4452
Louisville, Ky. 40204

TYLER PARK HISTORY

We often hear about how much more convenient shopping is today, but is it? Fifty years ago in the Tyler Park area people could have their groceries delivered or shop at a number of stores nearby.

Part of the Tyler Park History Project has been to interview people about life around Tyler Park in the old days, and one of the questions asked was about shopping for food.

Audrey Reiss Crews said of her family on Edenside, "We never went to the store." Grocer, Lee Shore in the Haymarket area, called her mother every morning and took the delivery order. Herberger's grocery on Bardstown Road also delivered. Mrs. Florence Nofsinger, who grew up on Cherokee Road, said, "For many years when I was a girl, Ehrmann's was there, and we'd order a quart of ice cream and they'd send it right over." Ehrmann's was in the 1100 block of Bardstown Road before it moved to Mid City Mall. The bakery also delivered charlotte russe, a special Louisville dessert of ladyfingers and custard, in a glass bowl, which was picked up later. They still make charlotte russe in a glass bowl. Norma Ryan told us that her family went to Pepper's Bakery on Bonnycastle and Bardstown Road to buy bread everyday. Later the Donaldson's Bakery wagon circulated throughout the area with a large selection of bread and pastries.

There were many grocery and drug stores. A Steiden's Supermarket was next to Cole's Drugstore on Eastern Parkway at Baxter where Decorator Paint and Wallpaper is now, and Ron Swikert, the carpet man at Decorator used to be a soda jerk at Cole Drug. There were also a number of grocery stores on Bardstown Road: one at Edenside where Parrot Cleaners is; one at Bonnycastle which was a major shopping area; the A&P which moved to Mid City Mall was near Grinstead; and there was a small store at Highland Avenue but not where the grocery store is now. That area was taken up by the streetcar barn.

If you find inaccuracies in this account, or if you remember places where you shopped in the old days, please get in touch with Andrea McElderry at 459-1343 or drop a line to 1707 Edenside.

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LARGE STUFFED ANIMALS NEEDED

Anyone who wishes to donate a large stuffed animal for the auction to be held at the TPNA Annual Picnic, please call 459-6220.

BARRETT

FUNERAL HOME

1230 Bardstown Road
since November, 1923

- 1882 - John J. Barrett, Undertaker
on East Market Street, near Wenzel
- 1892 - John J. Barrett and Sons, Undertakers and Embalmers
In the residence at 822 East Main Street; parlor available
for wakes.
- 1904 - John J. Barrett's Sons, Embalmers and Funeral Directors
- 1923 - J. J. Barrett's Sons, J. Raymond Barrett, Prop.;
at 1230 Bardstown Road, in the suburban Highlands
- 1930 - Barrett Funeral Home, in the heart of the expanding
Highlands.
- 1983 - Barrett Funeral Home; same family, same location
in the inner Highlands.

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