

# The Neighborhood Bridge

September 2022

## Tyler Park Neighborhood Association

Fall 2023 Newsletter

#### TPNA BOURBON TASTING EVENT

One of the advantages of living in Kentucky is our state's passion for Bourbon. Tourists come from around the world to sample what we produce here. In that spirit, the Tyler Park Neighborhood Association presents its first "*Taste of Tyler Park*" on Sunday, October 8 from 5:00 PM to 8:00 PM at the Monarch Music and Arts Community building, at 1318 Bardstown Road (still known as "the old Bearno's").

Five premier distillers have committed to offering samplings of their fine Bourbons:

- ⊥Makers Mark
- Knob Creek Rye
- ⊥Barrell Bourbon
- . Pinhook
- ⊥Jefferson's

Two other distilleries may join us as well. In addition to offering tastings, the distillers are bringing Bourbon-themed items for a silent auction. The proceeds from ticket sales and the auction will benefit the Tyler Park Neighborhood Association and its good works including free events, beautification efforts and neighborhood advocacy.

Monarch will supply live music. Hors d'oeuvres will be catered by the renowned Bristol Bar and Grill. Each ticket holder will get ten tokens to sample the bourbons of their choice.

Advance ticket prices are \$60 for an individual or \$100 for 2 in a household. Tickets bought at the door are \$75 per individual.

To purchase tickets, join as a new member, and/or renew membership dues, payments can be made through the TPNA website at <a href="https://www.tylerpark.org">https://www.tylerpark.org</a>, through the Tyler Park Neighborhood Association page on Facebook, or by check sent to TPNA P.O. Box 4452 Louisville, KY 40204. To qualify for membership, you must own property, reside, or do business in the neighborhood.





#### View from the Bridge

Helene Kramer Longton, President Tyler Park Neighborhood Association

For a decade, wine lovers flocked to the annual *Tyler Park Neighborhood Association Wine Tasting* in Mid City Mall to beat the winter doldrums. This year TPNA turns for inspiration to Louisville's Urban Bourbon Trail to bring you a new signature event; our first annual *Taste of Tyler Park* on Sunday, October 8, at The Monarch on Bardstown Road. (For ticket information, refer to our cover story.) *Taste of Tyler Park* Chair, Clark Cox, has distilled a great blend of Kentucky bourbon makers paired with fine food from The Bristol for what promises to be a delicious evening. Whether you're bourbon-curious or a connoisseur, I hope you can join us.

To spruce up for Fall, the following Sunday, October 15, will feature our latest *Tyler Park Neighborhood-Wide Alley Cleanup*. These have always been productive and a great way to bond with your neighbors. Don't forget --pulling weeds, gathering tree limbs, and picking up trash is a great workout. Check out Manny Carralero's article on page 4.

By the time this newsletter is published, The Louisville Metro Police Department will have wrapped up a two-week special operation laser focusing on noise and crime in the Baxter/Bardstown Road and Frankfort Avenue corridors. This was the result of an unprecedented series of shootings police link to late night bar activity. One of those violent eruptions this

summer (on the 1500 Block of Bardstown Road) led to a murder and rocked our community; a senseless tragedy that drew nearly 400 fed up residents to a meeting sponsored by our Councilman Ben Reno-Weber, and Councilman Andrew Owen, who represents Crescent Hill and Clifton. I have little doubt this stepped-up police presence coupled with the new antinoise strategy of zero tolerance-no warnings-high fines by Alcohol Beverage Control will make a difference.

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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 Beth Long, Forrest Land, Eleanor Short, Ellie Hodapp-Patton, Jeanette Westbrook, Kristen Millwood, Lena Kearney, Mike Neal, Rebecca Watson, Shawn Reilly, Clark Cox, Christy Croxwell, and Greg Zahradnick.

#### View from the Bridge (continued from Page 2)

Then what? With most violent crime happening in the wee hours of the morning, Councilman Reno-Weber is urging the Metro Council to look at closing bars earlier than 4 a.m. (TPNA favors 2 a.m.). That's progress but only one piece of the problem.

The other? It's no state secret that our 5<sup>th</sup> Police Division has always had fewer assigned officers than most others across the city. That worked when violent crime in The Highlands was occasional. Those days seem to be gone for now. Major Jason Grissom and his 5<sup>th</sup> Division officers are doing an amazing job, but we can't expect them to keep us safe without the people power it takes to prevent crime. With LMPD 300 officers short of its authorized strength and other parts of the city making our crime problem look miniscule, finding a sustainable solution won't be easy.

As your TPNA works to keep our rising crime problem front and center, we need you more than ever. On page 6, Ray Brundige writes on the importance of membership. We are deeply grateful for your involvement and generous support of our fundraising events that make our neighborhood more enjoyable. Continue to speak up and empower your neighborhood association to advocate for what it takes to keep Tyler Park a wonderful place to live.

Wishing you a safe and colorful Fall, Helene Contact me: president@tpna.org

#### SEPTEMBER JAZZ FESTIVAL

The 14<sup>th</sup> annual Sundays in September Jazz Festival presented by Josh Laughlin, Lenihan Sotheby's International Realty, was in full swing this year! We were treated to the music of the West Coast Jazz All Stars, CTI+ and the Ethan Evans Quartet. As of this writing, we hope our streak of gorgeous weather will continue to allow us to hear the UofL Jazz Ensemble - a fan favorite - to close out the festival on the last Sunday of the month. We also collected food for Highland Community Ministries food pantry. The jazz fest always draws crowds from all over Louisville Metro, with repeat fans, and newcomers alike and this year was no different. Thank you to the Jazz Fest Committee for organizing the festival, as well as our generous sponsors: the Tyler Park Neighborhood Association, Louisville Metro Council District 8 Councilperson Ben Reno-Weber, Louisville Federation of Musicians - Local 11-637, Louisville Jazz Society, Jack Fry's and Yoga on Baxter. Thanks as well to the many local business supporters that help us keep the festival free to attend. We look forward to seeing everyone next year for the 15<sup>th</sup> Annual Jazz Fest!

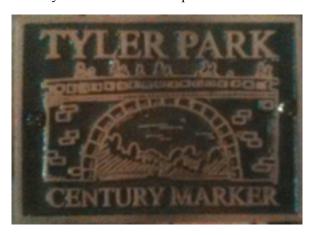




#### **Add Value to Your Home**

By Ray Brundige, TPNA Secretary

If the main building on your property in the Tyler Park neighborhood is 100 years old, or older, you can get a TPNA Century Marker like the one pictured below.



#### Here's the process:

- 1. Send an email to <u>secretary@tylerpark.org</u> with your name and the address of the property.
- 2. We will verify your ownership, the location, and the age as shown on the Jefferson County Property Valuation Administrator's website, <a href="https://jeffersonpva.ky.gov/">https://jeffersonpva.ky.gov/</a>, and will notify you if your property qualifies.
- 3. Send a check for \$100 made to TPNA, at our mailbox: PO Box 4452, Louisville, KY 40204, or go to our website, <a href="https://www.tylerpark.org/">https://www.tylerpark.org/</a> and select the green DONATE NOW button and then complete the CENTURY MARKER dialog.
- 4. A TPNA volunteer will deliver the Century Marker to you.

## Alley Cleanup, Sunday October 15, 2023

Mark that date Tyler Parkers! I am challenging every able-bodied resident of Tyler Park to dedicate a few hours to cleaning alleys for a Neighborhood Wide Drive to beautify our alleyways. It is the home owner's responsibility to maintain the alley section that borders their home but more importantly, the state of our alleys is a reflection on all of us. This means that if you can help a neighbor clean their section, please consider doing so. In order to make this a truly fun event, the Executive Committee of The Tyler Park Neighborhood Association will recognize the best 3 alleys, after a thorough walkthrough of the neighborhood alleys, the following day. Some of our alleys are quite long, so to make this a fair competition each long alley will be partitioned into smaller sections. The winning alleys or alley sections will be featured in our Winter Newsletter and the home owners personally thanked by one of our executives. Perhaps we will do more than shake hands but I prefer to keep some suspense. Let's have some fun and show the pride of Tyler Park on October 15!

Manny Carralero







For tickets go to www.http:/tylerpark.org

#### Do You Have a ValuMarket Card?

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, <a href="worker@bellsouth.net">worker@bellsouth.net</a> and a \$5 starter card will be delivered to your door. Simply refill the card as needed. All your ValuMarket purchases will add cash to the Tyler Park Master Plan. Tyler Park will look even more beautiful with the help of ValuMarket and you.-- <a href="mailto:Lary Saltzman">Lary Saltzman</a>

## **Membership Report**

Ray Brundige, TPNA Secretary

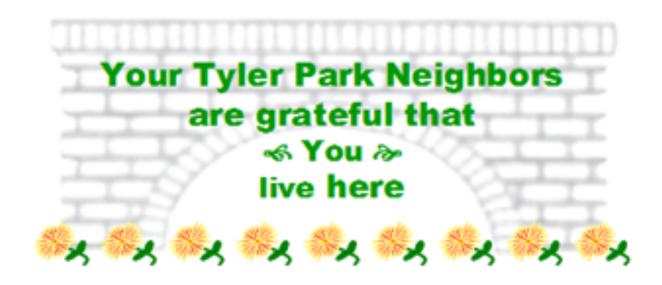
As of September 19, 2023, we have 222 memberships. Twelve are due for renewal in September and sixty-two are lifetime memberships. The membership rolls have been updated to reflect research on member property sales.

Our business members are Arts & Crafts Dental; B C Plumbing; The Back Door; Charles Williams Designs Inc; Derby City Chop Shop; Edenside Gallery – Nancy Peterson; Highlands Family Dentistry; Highland Morning - Bruce Coe\*; Kizito, Inc - Elizabeth & Todd Bartlett; Louisville Federation of Musicians; Metts Company Real Estate; and Thomas McGee Pinch Spice Market

Our individual and family members are in the following list, more-or-less in alphabetical order, and usually by the last name of the person who made the last dues payment. Those marked with an asterisk have a lifetime membership. Check your mailing label for your renewal date.

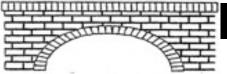
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## **Attention to all Tyler Park Neighborhood Association Members**

On Thursday, October, 26, 2003, from 7 pm to 9 pm, the Tyler Park Neighborhood Association will hold its annual meeting, which includes the election of Directors. All members are encouraged to attend.



## Join Your Neighborhood Association

#### Memberships

Let us know about new or changed emails for our eblast alerts.

I/we would like to work on the following:

Bourbon Tasting\_\_\_\_

Zoning and Enforcement\_\_\_\_\_

Board of Directors\_\_\_\_\_

Winter Festival\_\_\_\_

Garden Tour\_\_\_\_\_

Tree Conservation

Membership\_\_\_\_

Park Cleanup\_\_\_\_\_

Fundraising\_\_\_\_

Individual and Family dues — \$25 per year Business dues — \$50 per year Lifetime membership - \$350

#### Donate to The Tyler Park Fund

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Dues should be written to TPNA, Inc.

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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.

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