# NEIGHBORS NEWS

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WINNONA PARK NEIGHBORS ASSOCIATION NEWSLETTER

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#### LAST MEETING

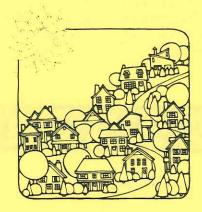
On the recommendation of the Nominating Committee, the following slate of officers was elected by the membership at the March meeting.

President ----- Bob Leitch
Vice President - Lyn Deardorff
Treasurer ----- Bill Simmons
Secretary ----- Amelia Wilborn

Officers for 1978 will be elected in November, 1977, and installed in December.

It was resolved at the last meeting that all policy considerations of WPNA would be brought to the general membership for a vote in order to be established as policy. It was also resolved that the official spokesperson for WPNA would be the President or his designate.

After the close of the business meeting, Mayor Ann Crichton
spoke on Decatur development,
stressing that the aim of the
City Commission is to preserve
Decatur as as residential city,
providing the best of services,
while maintaining the lowest
possible tax base.



#### SDCC

The South Decatur Community Council will hold its regular meeting on Tuesday, April 19, at 7:30 P.M., at the Mead Road Community Center, 135 Mead Rd. Walt Russell, Chairman of the DeKalb County Commission, will be there to discuss how the county government relates to the City of Decatur.

#### **NEXT MEETING**

Do you want Kirk Road widened?

Do you want more neighborhood parks?

Do you want 25 duplexes opening on Kirk Road?

Do you want more street lighting?

Decatur is actively involved in preparing studies on land use, transportation, and economic development. In order to be certain that the resulting plans meet residents' needs, goals, and objectives, the planning procedure is being brought to the neighborhood level through a series of

Ms. Helen Myers,
Decatur City Planner, has announced two sets of neighborhood meetings.
At the first, city officials and staff will listen to residents' ideas and desires for their own neighborhood. City staff will then formulate plans, and during the second meetings these plans will be presented to residents for further discussion and revision.

public meetings.

The first neighborhood meeting is scheduled in conjunction with our regular WPNA meeting on April 24. This is your opportunity to tell city officials what you do and do not want for your neighborhood.

A nursery will be provided.

#### CHICKEN DINNER

Good eating is the order of the day on Saturday, April 23!
The Decatur High School Band's annual fried chicken dinner will be held at the Plantation Cafeteria (140 Clairmont Avenue, Decatur). Proceeds from the dinner and baked goods donated by band parents will go toward the purchase of uniforms for the band.

The dinner, which can be eaten at the cafeteria or taken out, will begin at 11:00 a.m. and end at 7:30 p.m. Tickets are available for \$1.75 from band members or at the door.

# **Neighbors' Exchange**

LIGHT hauling - 1.5 Ton Dump Truck Ed Faust, 378-6080.

TUTORING - Reading and math by teacher with Masters degree in learning disabilities. Peggy New, 377-9488 after 5:30 p.m.

CATERING - Wedding receptions and buffets; also bartending service and cakes for special occasions. J.W. Reese, 373-5195.

TUPPERWARE - Isabelle Mathieson, 284-1406.

BOOK CLUB for Winnona Neighbors Meets 3rd Wednesday, 10:00 a.m.
Heartbreak Hotel to be discussed at April 20 meeting.
To participate, please call
Blanche Roberts, 378-8054.

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MORNING koffee klatch - 10:00 a.m.
April 26. Home Extension
Agent, Marjorie Mason, to
discuss services and workshops
available to civic associations through the Extension
Service. All neighbors
welcome. To participate,
please call Martha Hightower,
377-5369.

Share your talents, services, products, etc. by calling Patty Bonner, 373-5874 or Carlene Duncan, 373-8698.

### **Boundaries**

Many people have been asking about geographic boundaries for WPNA, and until recently, all the answers have been rather vague. Now, upon recommendation of the Membership Committee, tentative boundaries have been suggested as College Avenue on the north, Chevelle Lane on the south, Candler Road on the west, and Columbia Drive on the east. The Executive Committee accepted the boundary recommendation as tentative for a three month period of study and discussion. Adoption will be considered at the end of There is a real need that period. for membership input into this decision, so please give this some careful thought. Let the Membership Committee Chairman, Paige McRight, know your opinion or put it in the suggestion box.



## People

THANKS TO

Mayor Ann Crichton, for her informative talk at our last meeting.

Jo Allen Bradham, for agreeing to serve WPNA as Historian.

New Committee Chairs - Carlene Duncan, Social Committee and Dr. Bill Jackson, School Liaison Committee.

Faye Whetstone, for keeping the nursery during our last general meeting. A nursery will be provided during all future meetings. If you can help, please call Martha Hollis, 378-2133.

All the people who helped distribute the Neighbors News.

CONGRATULATIONS TO

Amelia Wilborn, for being named "Legal Secretary of the Year" by the Atlanta Legal Secretaries Association.

