



# NEIGHBORS NEWS

## LYN DEARDORFF TO RUN FOR CITY COMMISSION

On Monday, October 6th, Lyn Deardorff officially announced her candidacy for the Decatur City Commission. Deardorff is one of the co-founders of the Winnona Park Neighbors Association and served as vice-president for two years. She also is a co-founder of the Decatur Neighborhood Alliance and served for one year as president of that organization.

Deardorff stated that she is running for the Commission because she believes that ordinary citizens should have strong representation and input into the city government.

Earlier this year, Deardorff was appointed by Mayor Carpenter to chair the Downtown Decatur Redevelopment Task Force, the new citizens group charged with reviewing all plans for redevelopment in Decatur's Central Business District. In 1979, she served on the Decatur Citizens Transportation Task Force which recommended against the Decatur Parkway (that would have divided the north and south halves of Decatur with a multi-lane expressway-type road between downtown Atlanta and eastern DeKalb County).

Deardorff is presently on the Board of Directors of the Community Center of South Decatur. This is a project of the South Decatur residents working for the purchase and rehabilitation of the former Scottish Rite Hospital. Currently, that facility is undergoing extensive repairs and will soon house a community health clinic and various other community projects.

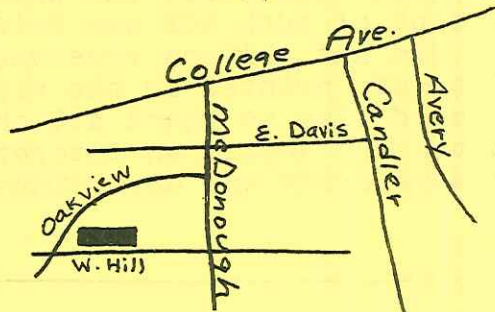
Deardorff stated that she is vitally interested in preserving Decatur as a good place to live, while providing for orderly and sensible revitalization of the central business district. She is presently co-ordinator of Historic Decatur, which is dedicated to preserving Decatur's older homes and historic resources.

Deardorff and her husband Tom and their children live at 726 S. Candler Street. Their four children attend Winnona Park School, Renfroe Middle School and Decatur High School.



### NEXT MEETING: OCT. 26th

The next meeting of the Winnona Park Neighbors Association will be a POT LUCK SUPPER & SOCIAL on Oct. 26th at 6:30 p.m. at the Community Center. Plates, cups and utensils will be furnished - bring your own beverage.



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## PUBLIC HEARING OCT. 9th

The City Commission has requested that the Planning Commission hold a public hearing on OCTOBER 9th, 7:30 p.m. at the City Hall to discuss the following:

1. Consideration of amendments to the Zoning Ordinance relating to the review and approval of Planned Unit Developments.
2. Increasing the membership of the Zoning Board of Appeals from three members to five members.
3. Rezone the following properties from C-1 (Local Commercial) to (Single and Two Family Residential): 635 East Lake Drive; 631 East Lake Drive; 627 East Lake Drive



# MIMOSA GARDEN CLUB

By: Liz O'Brien

The Decatur Mimosa Garden Club held its annual block party on Sun. Sept. 14 from 3:30 until dusk. Volleyball games and 3 legged races were a few of the activities enjoyed by the adults. A big wheel race was held for the children.

Covered dishes and home-made ice cream were enjoyed by all.

The October meeting will be at Debby Miller's house (323 Mimosa Dr.) on Monday, the 20th at 8:00 p.m.

Remember, the club is collecting aluminum cans. If you have any, drop them by Linda Sabo's house at 107 Mimosa Place.

## POLITICAL ADS AND NEIGHBORHOOD ENDORSEMENTS

Each candidate has been contacted by letter about placing an ad in our Newsletter and encouraged to list up to four (couples counting as one) neighborhood endorsers. The deadline for receipt of such ads was Friday, October 3rd and all ads received by that date are printed in the paper.

We would like to thank all the candidates who showed an interest in our Newsletter and our neighborhood.

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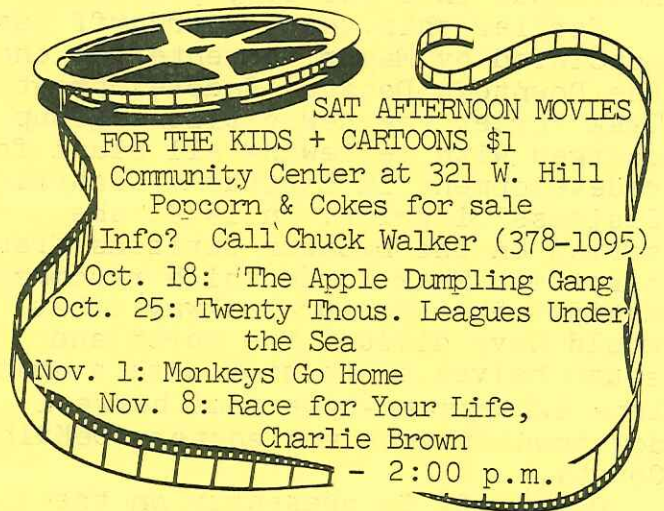
Win a trip for two to the Sugar Bowl in New Orleans. Raffle tickets cost \$2.00 each with proceeds to go toward the Community Center. The trip includes train fare, three nights and four days lodging in the Holiday Inn in the French Quarter and two tickets to the Sugar Bowl. Drawing will be held Nov. 30th. You do not have to be present to win. Call Chuck Walker at 378-1095 or Jo Deck at 373-8148 if you want to buy a ticket or help sell them.



### GIRL SCOUTS

The Northwest Georgia Girl Scout Council is recruiting girls and adult volunteers. A troop organization meeting for parents of interested girls who attend Winnona Park Elementary and Renfroe Middle schools will be held Tues., October 21, 1980 at 7:00 p.m. at the Community Center, 321 W. Hill.

## Community Center Film Series



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# THE DEKALB COUNTY RACES



With election time close at hand, it's time to take a look at the candidates for the contested races in the general election Nov. 4th.

Reprinted here are the 50-word biographies prepared by the candidates for the DeKalb County League of Women Voters. Unless designated otherwise, incumbents are listed first. In the Henley-Cunningham race for Superior Court Judge, neither candidate had prepared a biography for the League. Both were asked to do so for our newsletter and we have printed their responses.

## County Commission Chairman

No Incumbent

### Rooks Boynton — R

15 yrs. DeKalb; married, two children; mgt. consultant chm. Ga. Tax Relief Comm; exposed errors in CAPES, demanded new corrected tax bills for citizens; exposed school surplus of \$20 million in 1977, asked for internal audit of acct. system; B.A. degree UGA; varsity football; Baptist; Eagle Scout, Indian Guides.

### Manuel Maloof — D

I've been active in the Democratic Party at state and local levels for decades and served as Commissioner-at-Large. For many years I served on various commissions for DeKalb County and was the first C. R. C. chairman. I have guest-lectured at all the area colleges. I have run my own business for 30 years.

## County Commission (At-Large)

### Brince Manning — D

Incumbent Democratic office holder with experience and ability proven since has held the commissioner-at-large position since December, 1976, and is currently serving as vice-chairman.

### Beth Simmons — R

A professional educator and communications analyst, I am nearing completion of a masters of business administration in informational systems. I have served as chairman of the Evans Road Civic Assoc. and worked on appointed county committees in the formulation of the first viable zoning codes, the drainage control program and the initial community development program.

## State House (District 52)

### Eleanor L. Richardson — D

My six years of full-time service to legislative duties on key committees have allowed me vital input for needed funds and legislation for concerns of DeKalb Countians. Volunteer activities on church, agency and civic boards represent years of experience and knowledge of the community.

### Martha Andrews — R

Native Georgian, A.B. degree from Wesleyan, M.A. Duke; taught in high school, college; attends Church of the Nazarene; editor of Voice of Liberty for 23 years, newsletter on current affairs reaching all states and 15 foreign countries.

## State Senate

(Dist. 55)

### Bud Stumbaugh — D

Serving three previous terms in the Senate gives me "on-the-job-experience" which can reap rewards for my constituents during a fourth term. As the only member of the DeKalb Senate delegation serving on the Appropriation Committee, my continued input into the budgetary process should be especially helpful.

### Bobby Roberts — R

A native of DeKalb County, I have lived here my entire life, except the years I served in the Navy. I have worked with my sub-division and several other neighbors in zoning property in my district. I am a member of the Area 7 Planning Council and a former member of the Board of Appeals. I have served as President of Indian Lakes Civic Assn. vice president of Indian Creek Homeowners.

## Superior Court Clerk

No Incumbent

### Whit Smith — R

Smith, a native self-employed attorney, is a leader in the DeKalb Bar Association and active in community service. Smith participated in the 1980 Court Records Management Seminar. The 1980 Judicial Qualifications Poll reported 71 percent of lawyers responding voted Smith well qualified or qualified to be clerk.

### J. Lee Stanley — D

I am an attorney with extensive experience in real estate law. I am a former employee of the clerk's office, having worked there five years under the administrations of my grandfather, Ben B. Burgess Sr. and my uncle, Theron S. Burgess. During those five years, I worked in practically every department within the office.

## Superior Court Judge

### Keegan Federal — D

Elected to present position of Superior Court Judge in 1976; presided over major civil and criminal trials since then; previously had 10 years successful trial experience; National Judicial College, graduate and advanced studies; served as Georgia delegate to National Council of Trial Judges. litigation professor at Emory Law School.

### Charles D. Read Jr. — R

Graduated Young Harris Junior College, Doctor of Law, Emory Law School; member of Read, Huddleston & Medori, Decatur; former United States attorney; highest rating ability and integrity by fellow members in national law directory; over 30 years varied litigation and legal experience; member Board of Governors State Bar.

## Superior Court Judge

### Clyde Henley

Judge Clyde Henley was elected Superior Court Judge in 1972 by an overwhelming majority and was reelected again in 1976 to an additional four years. In 1976, the last time in which he was rated, Judge Henley received better than 90% of the vote rating him qualified or well qualified by the Decatur/DeKalb Bar Association. In contrast, his opponent was deemed not qualified by over 46% of votes cast.

RAY CUNNINGHAM (write-in candidate)  
NO RESPONSE

## Tax Commissioner

### Eugene E. Adams — R

Retired bank official; serving second term as tax commissioner: proven record of high rate of collections; over 99 percent collected; instrumental in building Northside Hospital; past treasurer of hospital authority of Fulton County; member legislative committee of Georgia Tax Officials; president of Decatur Civitan Club; chairman of the finance committee at Avondale Pattillo Methodist Church.

### Roger Fuller — D

Former labor leader; taught PECE classes in DeKalb school; board of trustees for Federal Employee Association; author; active Democrat; active in all civic affairs; national coordinator for Civil Service Employee Association; secretary for JP and Constables Association; recognized for community work in 1969 by DeKalb County commissioners; former president of R&M Investors - buying, assessment and investment of property.

## Sheriff

### Pat Jarvis — D

Elected Sheriff of DeKalb County November 1976; married, three children: president of Peachtree High School PTA, 1979-80; Community Service Award, B'nai B'rith; Distinguished Service Award, Chamblee-Doraville Jaycees; selected as one of the Jaycees Five Outstanding Young Men in Georgia, 1976; worked with the March of Dimes and Special Olympics for Handicapped Children.

### Ray Bonner — R

Born Atlanta, Georgia on Nov. 26, 1937. Educated in Atlanta Public School, attended the University of Georgia, University of Southern California, also Atlanta Law School. Twenty two (22) years of law enforcement experience, including service with the DeKalb County Police Department, and the U. S. Department of Justice. Over 1500 hours of Law Enforcement management and investigative schools. Elected and served as Sheriff of DeKalb Co. from 1973 to 1976.

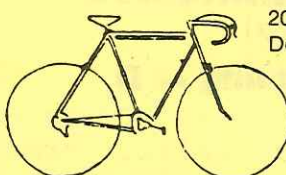
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# WPNA ACTIVITIES



WPNA will operate the SPOOK BOOTH at the Halloween Carnival at the Decatur Recreation Center October 31 from 6:30 - 9:30 p.m. in the gym at 231 Sycamore Street. This is an annual event sponsored by the Decatur Recreation Department and is a

good way for our kids to spend a fun (and safe) Halloween. All proceeds of the Spook Booth will go to WPNA. Anyone with "spooky" ideas, call Catherine Carter at 373-6187.

## LAST MEETING

The Sept. meeting of the WPNA was held at the Community Center on W. Hill St. The program topic was the Health Center which is going to be located at the Community Center. Bill Deck, project director, and Elizabeth Wilson, board chairperson, were guest speakers and gave a tour of the facilities. Supplemental funding of \$66,000 for renovation of the center has just been approved, bringing the total to \$125,000.00 and completion of the renovation is anticipated for March, 1981.

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Senator  
**STUMBAUGH**



Dear Friends,

As your state senator for the past 3 terms, I have dedicated myself to fiscally responsible government while remaining sensitive to social and community needs.

If you agree with the strong stands that I have made in your behalf, then I urge you to go to the polls, November 4th, and vote to keep me working for you.

*Bud Stumbaugh*

Endorsed by:

Bob & Nancy Leitch  
Steve Haworth

Tom Deardorff  
Betty & Charles McKinney

## DECATUR REGISTRATION

Nov. 13th is the last day for registration for voting in the Decatur city elections in December. This is a separate registration from the DeKalb County registration and is a must if you want to vote in the city races. You may register at City Hall on N. McDonough (across from the new courthouse) or you may register with anyone who is a deputy registrar. If you want to be registered but are unable to get to City Hall, call Catherine Carter at 373-6187 or Susan Purdom at 377-5531 or 378-2931 and a deputy registrar will set up an appointment to come to your home.

## ELECT ROOKS BOYNTON

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  - A dollar of value for every dollar of tax.
  - Good money management; economy with no cut back in service; hold the line on taxes.
  - Open door policy in office, accessible to all Dekalb citizens.
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# SCHOOL NEWS

## Winnona Park

Winnona Park will hold its Open House on Thursday, Oct. 9th at 7:30 p.m. It's a perfect opportunity to meet your children's principal and teachers.

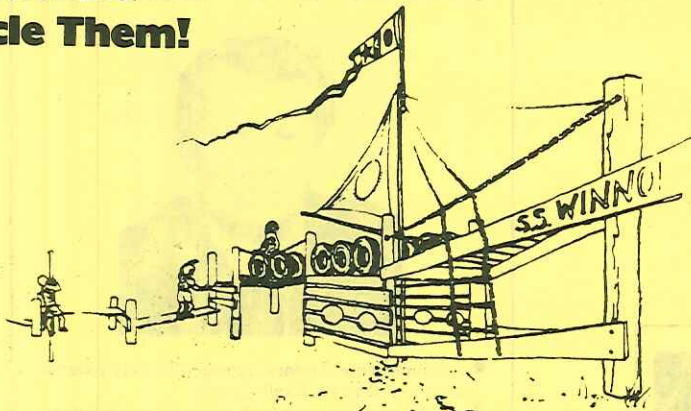
On Friday, NOVEMBER 14th the Winnona Park PTA will have a SPAGHETTI SUPPER. The time and cost will be announced later.



DON'T THROW AWAY YOUR OLD NEWSPAPERS.

**Recycle Them!**

Just a reminder that the bright green and orange bin on the parking lot of Winnona Park Elementary School is for your recycling convenience. You may bring your papers any time and put them in the bin. A grocery bag is just the right size for keeping papers together.

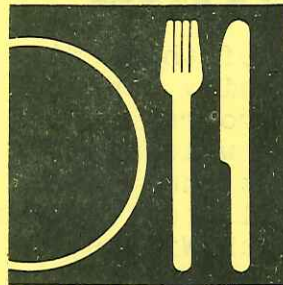


# Renfroe Middle School

Open House at Renfroe held by the PTA on Sept. 18th attracted over 65 parents and teachers.

This year the PTA will be selling soft drinks and baked goods at the Saturday morning eighth grade and B team games (9:00 - 12:00 a.m. at the high school). The proceeds from these sales will be divided between the 8th grade athletic program and the enrichment fund for Renfroe teachers and library. Anyone who would like to contribute baked goods or would like to sell at the concession stand on Sat., please call Liz O'Brien at 373-1961 or Susan Purdom at 377-5531 or 378-2931.

Net profits from the first Sat. were \$143.00 and all baked goods were sold out the first game. Twice as much could have been sold, so please bake as much and as many times as you can.



Also on the Renfroe PTA schedule is a HALLOWEEN SPAGHETTI SUPPER to be held at the middle school on OCTOBER 30th from 5:30 - 8:30 p.m. Tickets are \$2.50 for adults and \$1.00 for children under 12 years. Baked goods will be sold for dessert.

## RE-ELECT GENE ADAMS

DEKALB COUNTY TAX COMMISSIONER PROVEN RECORD

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## Re-elect Judge Keegan Federal

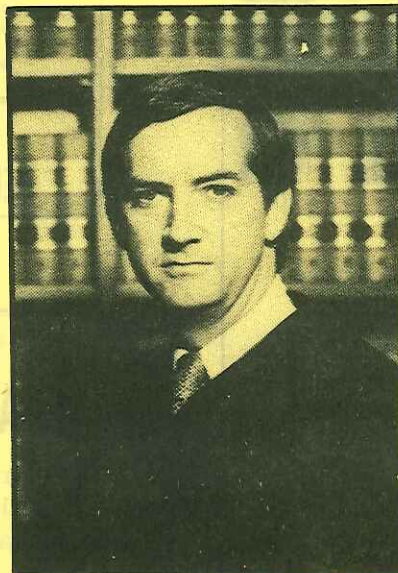
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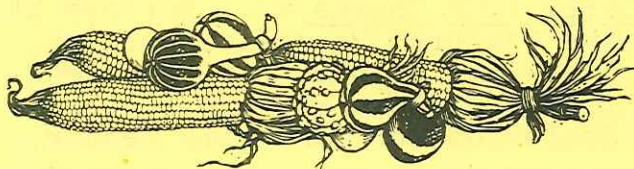


## decaturneighborhoodalliance

The next regular DNA meeting will be the fourth Tuesday in Oct. at the Decatur First Baptist Church. 7:30 p.m.



The Decatur Neighborhood Alliance has formally approved sponsorship of a political forum for candidates for the Decatur City Commissioner's race. A committee headed by Wes Saunders (Adams) has been authorized to handle the details with a tentative date of November 20th. Three commissioner's seats will be on the ballot Dec. 3rd: seats now held by Ted O'Callahan, Lamb Johnston and Bob Carpenter. Qualifying ends Nov. 17th. Announced candidates at the time of this writing are Lew Ballard (Superior) and Lyn Deardorff (Candler).



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## The Community Center Of South Decatur

321 W. Hill Street, Decatur, Georgia

The Fall, 1980, South Decatur Neighborhood Assembly has approved the addition of seven new board members of the Community Center of South Decatur, Inc: Bill Denton (Adams), Michael Harris (East Lake), Susan Purdom (Heatherdown), Ronald Johnson (Adams), James West (Kings Highway), Mrs. T. H. Johnson (Woodlawn), and Mrs. Barrie Aycock (Upland).

Also on the agenda were reports on various activities related to the Community Center. Nancy Nolan (Jefferson Pl) explained the historic nature of the old Scottish Rite Hospital and the current effort to place the building on the National Register of Historic Places. Elizabeth Wilson (Greenwood) and Bill Deck (Avery) gave an update on the Health Center and Carter Garber (Benson) reported on current efforts of the South Decatur Community Council's displacement committee, which is documenting demographic trends in the area and working to prevent displacement.

The hit of the day however was the presentation to the Community Center of a \$750 donation by the South Decatur Community Council. The gift was presented by SDCC president Fred Boykin (W. Hill), who stated that the funds were raised over a period of a year by members of the council.

The next formal neighborhood Assembly of the Community Center is scheduled for March, 1981,

## ELECT MANUEL J. MALOOF Chairman DeKalb County Commission

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- Selected as the Outstanding Young Man of the Year for DeKalb County for 1979 by the DeKalb County Jaycees.
- Currently Vice-Chairman for the DeKalb County Commission.
- Member of the Commission-School Bd. Liaison Committee.
- Member of the DeKalb Council for the Arts.

Endorsed by: Mr. Charles McKinney  
Mr. William H. Breen, Jr.

# COMMISSION NOTES

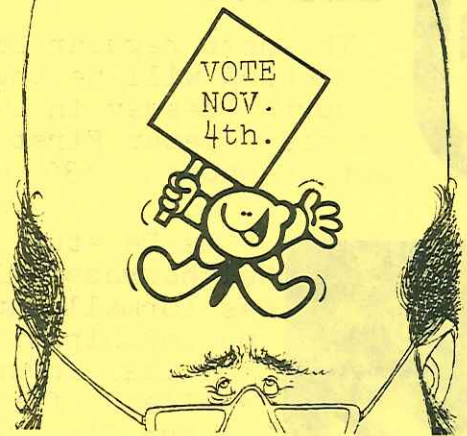


By Catherine Carter

The September 8th City Commission meeting began with two requests for waivers for penalties for late payment of taxes and one request for refund of sanitary tax. Robert Lamar, who recently purchased Big Al's was granted a beer license as requested. The Commission agreed to increase by 25 cents per hour tennis center fees. Seven lots, 627-635 E. Lake Dr., were rezoned from commercial to R-60. Lot 635 which is closest to commercial property has been renovated by HUD. Mayor Carpenter was chosen to be the voting delegate, with Lamb Johnston the alternate, at the Annual Congress of Cities. The Commission awarded a bid in the amount of \$6367 to DeBra Industries to replace a three wheeled scooter which had been wrecked. Mrs. Walker of 302 Sycamore Dr. requested help from the city to rectify a drainage problem created by a damaged drainage line originally installed by the city.

At the September 15th Commission meeting Mr. Duke of 236 Woodlawn requested a subdivision of this lot to create five lots. As the plan had been previously approved by the Planning Commission, it was passed. Avondale Mayor John Fletcher, representing the First Church of Christ, Scientist, presented the Church's plan to remove a house from a lot adjacent to the church to form a parking lot. The Church was assured by city officials in 1979 when the lot was purchased that it could be used for this purpose. A decision was deferred partly due to complaints from neighbors and partly due to an ordinance which states that no more than 50% of certain property may be covered by buildings, parking lots, drives etc. Mr. Branscome had reviewed building permits issued to area churches since to determine whether other churches were not in compliance with this ordinance. Mr. Branscome noted the increase in speeding, parking and other traffic violation citations issued during the last 30 days. Mr. Richard Matysiac of Garden Lane requested immediate attention to the drainage problem in his area.

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SOMETHING  
TO THINK ABOUT...



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Decatur Civic Chorus will perform at the Oakhurst Baptist Church on Oct. 19th at 4:00 p.m. Proceeds from donations will go to the South Decatur Community Center.

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