



WINNONA PARK NEIGHBORS ASSOCIATION

NEIGHBORS NEWS

Vol. 5, No. 6

WINNONA PARK NEIGHBORS ASSOCIATION NEWSLETTER

July, 1981

JULY 4th CELEBRATION

Postscript

This was another "fantastic fourth" for Decatur as hundreds of residents and visitors socialized on the mall and enjoyed the parade, picnicking, entertainment, free watermelon (courtesy of the DeKalb Farmers' Market), balloon rides (courtesy of Decatur Federal Savings & Loan), and a fireworks display after dark!

THE PARADE

The Pied Piper's Parade kicked off the celebration and is always great fun -- to watch or be in! This year's parade, organized by Pete Carruthers (Shadowmoor) and Edith Hambie (Park Dr), was led by the "Pied Piper" and a portion of the Decatur High Band. Commissioners Bill Mealor, Marion Cunningham, Candler Broom, and Ted O'Callaghan rode in the parade, Ed Legge played the drum, Garland Hart the fife, neighborhood groups decorated floats and lots of folks just joined in the fun.

Prizes, awarded for the best floats, went to Winnona Park for "most patriotic", Park Drive for "most team spirit" and Northern Avenue for "most creative". Thanks to Dottie Ward (Avery) for the colorfully decorated July 4th cakes which she baked and decorated as prizes and to the judges -- Whit Smith (Shadowmoor), Edith Hambie (Park Dr), Scott Huie (Kirk), Rev. Leon Tucker and Arthur Rogers.

It is hoped that each year more neighborhood groups will decorate floats - not to produce expensive, "fancy" floats but to encourage more neighborhoods to have community participation (see WPNA Activities for details on Winnona Park's float).

Following the parade, many talented Decaturites provided several hours of entertainment as on-lookers picnicked on the mall. Neighborhood and church groups sold cold drinks and food items and watermelon and fireworks topped off the evening.

CITIZEN EFFORT

This is the third year for this event and it gets better each time, thanks to the hard work of many volunteer Decaturites. Each year a festival committee is formed many months ahead and those volunteers plan, organize and carry out all the various tasks that make for such success. This year's very capable co-chairpersons were Kim Datry and Catherine Carter (S. Candler). Other committee members included: Edith Hambie (Park Dr), Peter Curruthers (Shadowmoor), Louise & Leonard Thrower (McDonough), Sue Ellen Mears, Bill Woolf, Wes Saunders, Charles McKinney (S. Candler), Tom Hutton, Joe Kilgo, George Carter (S. Candler), Valeria Maier, Janet Chadwick, Henry Brown, Norman Coffman, Camille Funk, Martha Hollis (Mimosa Dr), Pat Kjorlaug, Russell Morrison, Dorothy Myers, Liz O'Brien (Mimosa Dr), Ginger Selmsn, Kerry Smith, and Robert Wayne.

DECATUR MERCHANTS SUPPORTIVE

Many Decatur merchants were also supportive of the celebration and the following contributed funds to provide the fireworks display: Aamco Automatic Transmissions, Citizens & Southern National Bank, Clairmont Shoe Repair, Clark Harrison & Co., Cotton States Insurance Co., Decatur Federal Savings & Loan, DeKalb Federal Savings & Loan, Fidelity National Bank, First National Bank of Atlanta, Fulton National Bank Corporation, Gwinnett Industries, Maud Baker Flower Shoppe, Inc., McCurdy & Candler, Moody's Fine Jewelry, Peachtree Bank, Royall-Ackerman Realty, Sensational Subs, Seventeen Steps, Sharians, Inc., Shields Market. PLEASE REMEMBER THEM WHEN YOU SHOP!

CONTRIBUTIONS FOR NEXT YEAR'S JULY 4TH CELEBRATION SHOULD BE SENT TO CATHERINE CARTER, 531 S. CANDLER, DECATUR, GEORGIA 30030.



Oakhurst Community Health Center

Oakhurst Community Health Center is encouraging well child assessments for children at regular intervals. A well child assessment includes a physical examination, urine and blood tests when needed, hearing and vision screening, developmental screening, dental screening and nutritional assessment.

Regular well child assessments help to prevent health problems. By identifying health problems early through regular well child assessments, treatment can be started earlier. Well child assessments for your child can give you the assurance that your child is physically and emotionally healthy and is developing normally.

During the teen years (13-19) we recommend that children be seen for yearly examinations. In addition to the physical examination, psychological screening and health education are available. A blood test, urine test and test for tuberculosis are done when needed. Vision and hearing screening are provided. An immunization for tetanus is given at 15 or 16 years if not given in the past 10 years.

If you would like your child to have a well child assessment at the Health Center, please call 377-6448. Our sliding fee system is applied to the cost of a well child visit when appropriate.

IMMUNIZATION SCHEDULE

Age	Immunization
1-4 wks	Well baby assessment
2 mos.	DTP, Polio
4 mos.	DPT, Polio
6 mos.	DPT
12 mos.	TB test
15 mos.	Measles, Mumps, Rubella
18 mos.	DPT, Polio
2 yrs	Well child assessment
3 yrs.	TB Test
4-6 yrs.	DPT, Polio
7-9 yrs	Well child assessment
10-12 yrs.	TB Test

(Note: at the time of immunization indicated above, the child should also receive a well child assessment and nutrition counselling)

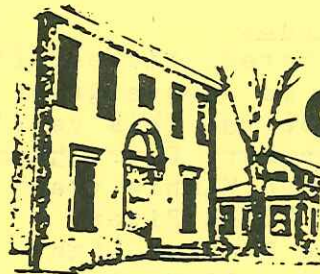
O'BRIEN PLACES FIRST!



With a score of 146 in a field of over 60 players, Matt O'Brien placed first in the June 24th, 36 hole qualifying tournament at Bobby Jones Golf Course in Atlanta.

He and two other players will represent Georgia as a team in the National Public Links Championship Tournament held in Houston, Texas July 13th through 14th at the Bear Creek Golf Course. Besides competing as a team, they will also compete individually.

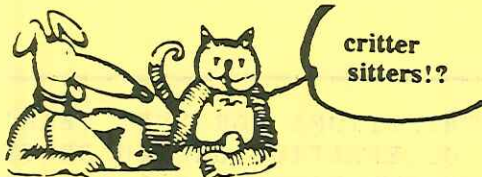
Matt resides at 360 Mimosa Drive with his wife Liz and their four children -- Cathy (14 yr), Matty (10 yr), Eric (7 yr) and Leslie (2 yr).



Community Center

The Community Center sponsored a bake sale at the 4th of July Celebration as a fund raiser for the Center. Special thanks to Winnona Park residents who baked: Patty Bonner (Winnona Dr), Chuck Walker (Inman), Susan & Karen Purdom (Heatherdown), Laura Moore (Avery), Rebecca Avruch (S.Columbia), and Liz O'Brien (Mimosa Dr).

TUES. EVENING VOLLEYBALL GAMES:
ON THE WINNONA PARK PLAYGROUND.
IT'S FOR EVERYONE -- JUST SHOW UP!



CONDOR PET SERVICES

Personal Pet Care In Your Home

References:

Elizabeth Marshall-Winnona

Debbie Cooksey-Avery

377-5475

THE FRAME

10% off framing in May

Call for appointment.

We'll come to your home or office.

484 Norcross Tucker Rd.
Norcross, Georgia 30071
(404) 447-5265



Creative Framing
Gallery
Prints/Lithographs
Dollhouses/Accessories
Silk Flowers

WPNA ACTIVITIES

July 4th

WPNA's float won the "most patriotic" prize at the July 4th celebration! This float was largely the effort of Winnona Park youth who decorated and/or rode on the float: Lara Wirth (Shadowmoor), Ben & Bailey Anderson (Shadowmoor), Courtenay Corruthers (Shadowmoor), Shannon Bonner (Winnona Dr), Reed Roberts (Derrydown), Jason & Adam Deck (Avery), Christy Wiggers (Heatherdown), Kim & Karen Carter (S. Candler), Kirstin Danner (Winnona Dr), Leighton, Daniel, and Amy Moore (Shadowmoor), Anna Lisa & Rob Silliman (Oldfield Rd), Amy Martin (Hilldale), Katie Ward (Avery), Paul Samford, and Erin Pratt (Kirk).

The flatbed trailer was loaned to WPNA by John Spoon (S. Candler) and the straw was donated by Green Brothers at Columbia Dr. and Memorial. Jane Anderson (Shadowmoor), Blanche Roberts (Derrydown), and Pete and Fran Carruthers (Shadowmoor) were the adults who organized and supervised the preparation of the float.

WPNA also sponsored the children's games on the 4th as a fund raiser. Thanks to the following who took time away from the activities of the celebration to help fun the games: Jim Bonner (Winnona Dr), Martha & Molly Cochran (Avery), Carolyn French (Mimosa Pl), Laura Moore (Avery) and Karen Purdom (Heatherdown).



City of Decatur
Neighborhood Service Center
in cooperation with the
DeKalb Extension Service

mead road center

Many Winnona Park residents do not know about or take advantage of the programs offered at the Mead Road Center. This is a local office of the DeKalb Extension Service which offers community development programs for our area.

Objectives of the Center include:

- A. Community & resource development
- B. Urban gardening and home grounds care
- C. Youth development and leadership
- D. Housing foreclosure prevention
- E. Employment education.

Many helpful pamphlets (gardening and home repair for ex.), tools for borrowing, workshops, etc. are among a few of the available resources. A calendar of events (which is too detailed to print here) is also available upon request. Just call (373-8950) or drop by (135 Mead Rd) and someone at the Center will be able to help you.

Note: the Center will move from its current Mead Road location later this year into newly renovated facilities at the Community Center (old Scottish Rite Hospital)!



MIMOSA GARDEN CLUB

By: Liz O'Brien

The Yard of the Month winners for July, 1981 are:

- 1st: Kathryn & Charles Dodd
330 Mimosa Dr.
- 2nd: Ruth & Hugh Garvin
345 Mimosa Dr.
- 3rd: Ginger & Cal Horton
116 Mimosa Pl.

COMING
SOON...

Watch the next issue of the Newsletter for details on the neighborhood "block party" which will be held in September.



real estate sales
1663 McLENDON AVE., N.E.
ATLANTA, GA. 30307

GRANT/WALKER PROPERTIES

WHEN YOU NEED A LARGER KITCHEN,
SMALLER YARD, MORE FIREPLACES,
FEWER HEADACHES, CALL A NEIGHBOR:

Tina Buechele
Off. 404/377-0107
Res. 404/373-7103

SHOP WITHOUT GOING SHOPPING THE AMWAY WAY

Guaranteed Amway Products for every need are just a phone call away.

Samples are available for your testing and comparison.

JOE CAVENDER
432 Avery St.

WE DELIVER
CALL 378-9870

Neighbors' Exchange

SHARE YOUR TALENTS, SERVICES, PRODUCTS, ETC. Call Chuck Walker (378-1095) or Susan Purdom (378-2931 or 377-5531). There is no charge to anyone living in south Decatur for placing an ad in the Exchange. We will run it as long as space permits.

Experienced piano teacher: Now accepting a few students for the fall. M. Mus. piano performance. Call Beth Lancaster at 378-9984 or 872-5673.

Seminary student and working wife need babysitter: 8:00-5:00 weekdays for 1 yr. old beginning in Sept. Your home or ours. Call Grady or Mary Wynne Perryman at 371-0459.

Mother's Helper: 10 yr old, 5th grader will help with toddlers -- play games, take for a walk, etc. 50 cents/hour. Call Julie Deardorff at 377-8010.

Sample designer dresses for sale. Around \$25 each. A few in each size from 6 to 16. Must be tried on to size correctly. Call Claire Hertzler at 377-7995.

Wanted: Cheap used V.W. or Toyota station wagon (four door). Call 378-1879.

Adult drawing & water color classes to be taught this summer. Call Janet Chadwick (378-1879).

Need your yard mowed? 16 yr. old will mow yard, do other yard work & odd jobs. Call David Young at 373-6719. Will baby-sit also.

Babysitter: \$1.45/hr. Experienced 13 yr. old. Call Sunja Blasingame at 373-3248 after 3:00 p.m.

Babysitting Available: Experienced babysitters. References furnished upon request. Call Kerry or Kris Deardorff at 377-8010.

Babysitter: \$1.50 /hr. Experienced 12 year old sitter. Call Karen Purdom at 378-2931 (evenings).

Found: soccer ball. Call 378-2931.

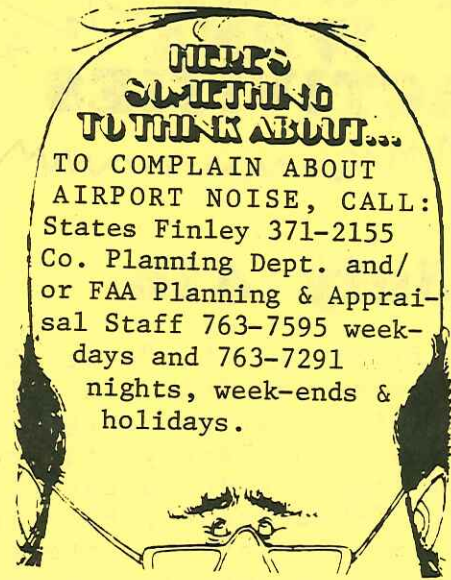


FOR ALL YOUR PRINTING NEEDS.....
VISIT OUR PRINTING DEPARTMENT

DeKalb
OFFICE EQUIPMENT

701 CHURCH STREET, DECATUR, GEORGIA 30030

377-4231



COMMISSION NOTES



By Catherine Carter

After their tremendous output of energy and time on the July 4th celebration, the Carter family is on a much deserved vacation. George and Catherine devote so much of themselves to our neighborhood and community -- and tend to push aside any attempts to applaud their efforts -- so we are taking advantage of their absence to express publically our appreciation for their hard work and to say a very heart-felt "thank you" to them both.

Nutritional Supplements and Foods
Personal Care Products
Household Products
Free Catalogs

Shaklee

Independent
Distributor

ANN WORSTELL
105 MISSIONARY COURT
DECATUR, GA 30030
(404) 377-3619

Products in Harmony with Nature and Good Health.

S
T
A
F
F

Editor: Susan Ellis Purdom

Distribution: Liz O'Brien,
Brenda & Allen Price, Whit
Smith, Karen Purdom, Chuck
Walker, Frank Bartkus, Lyn
Deardorff, Catherine Carter,
Valinda Carter, Bonnie Cole,
Edith Hambie, Willie Ruth
Sheppard, Beverly Brewton,
Julius Avruch, Jason Deck,
the Manfredi-Petitt family,
Bob & Nancy Leitch, Gus &
Martha Cochran, Margaret
Kavanaugh & Alselm Atkins.