

Issue Date:
October, 2009

Coming Events:

The Fall District Meeting is 7:30p on Wednesday, October, 14, 2009 at the First Baptist Church of Dearborn at the corner of Beech and Nowlin

The Halloween Walk and Pumpkin Carving Contest is Friday, October 30, 2009

Holiday Home Tour is Sunday, December 6, 2009

Annual Holiday Walk and Santa Visit will be on Saturday, December 12, 2009



FORD HOMES HISTORIC DISTRICT NEWSLETTER

Fall District Meeting – October 14 @ 7:30 PM

Join us on Wednesday, October 14 for the FHHD Fall District Meeting. The meeting will take place at the First Dearborn Baptist Church at the corner of Nowlin and Beech, and will begin promptly at 7:30pm.

Please bring a few canned food items to the meeting. For every can of food donated, you will receive one raffle ticket for FHHD merchandise which will be raffled off immediately following the meeting! **You MUST be present to win.** All food items collected will be donated to First Baptist Church of Dearborn.

Please attend if you can! It's a GREAT way to get to know your neighbors, and to find out what's going on in the District. Questions? Comments? Give any one of the District officers a call. They'll be happy to help you. Hope to see you there!

Update - 2009 Holiday Home Tour

Sunday, December 6th is the date for the FHHD Holiday Home Tour. This year's tour is extra special as we will be celebrating the 90th anniversary of the building of the Ford Homes and the 30th anniversary of the designation of the FHHD.

We currently have 10 homes for the tour – **MANY thanks** to all participants! The tour is the District's largest fundraiser so thank you for making it happen.

We do need volunteers for sales, docents the day of the event, etc. Please contact Danielle Bergeron at 313-563-2578 if you can volunteer your time. Still unsure how you can help, come & find out more - the Committee will be speaking at the Fall meeting.

Halloween Walk and Pumpkin Carving Contest

The Halloween Walk is scheduled for Friday, October 30th from 6:30p – 8:30p. Thanks to the Clark family (22742 Beech) for once again hosting this event. Refreshments will be served, but donated baked goods are always welcome.

The annual Pumpkin Carving and Halloween Display contest will also be held that night, so light up your best pumpkin creations by 6:30p for this fun-filled night!

Awards will be given away for the best pumpkin carvings as well as best Halloween Displays. Don't forget to stop by the district table at the Clark home and inform them of your favorite pumpkin or decorated home!

Motor City Sprinklers

**Ford Homes Owners Special!!
Sprinkler Winterization for \$35.00**

Evening and weekend appointments available.

Licensed and Insured

Motor City Sprinklers – Todd Gonzalez
22641 Beech
Dearborn, MI 48124

*Family owned business and a member of the Ford
Homes Historic District*

313-562-2911

New FHHD Merchandise Available

New FHHD coffee mugs and pint glasses are now available for sale!

The coffee mugs feature a new design but have the familiar FHHD logo. These great looking mugs are available in both colbalt blue and dark green for \$7 each. The new pint glasses are frosted and also feature the FHHD logo. The cost for each pint glass is \$5 or 4 for \$18.

These new items as well as the rest of the FHHD merchandise will be available at the Fall District Meeting. Can't make it to the meeting? Merchandise is also available by contacting Pat Johnson, Merchandise Chairperson, at 791-0071.

Santa Visit and Holiday Walk!

Santa will be visiting the District on Saturday, December 12th. Thanks to the Temkow family at 22305 Edison for volunteering to host this event this year!

Stop by and tell the "big guy" just how good you have been this year – but no fibbing! Candy canes, and refreshments will be available for kids of all ages who visit, but donated baked goods are always welcomed! **Hope to see you at there!**

Thanks for your help!

We'd like to say "thanks for helping out" to several FHHD residents who volunteered for...

Edison Street Sale

The Schreiber Family

Halloween Walk / Pumpkin Carving Contest

The Clark Family

Santa Visit / Christmas Walk

The Temkow Family

Street Captains

Jason Hayburn

Mia Stewart

Susan Clark

Jennifer Malone

Kari Gawlik

Mark Davison

Gene Eisenman

Volunteers Needed! We are looking for a Military Street Captain who will deliver district newsletters 4-5 times a year. Also, Susan Clark will be stepping down as Tent Rental chairperson (thanks for all your time and effort Susan!). Please call a district officer if you can help us out in either of these positions!

DISTRICT OFFICERS

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Gary Henderson (Term ends 2010) — 359-1891

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Nolan Clark (Terms ends 2011) - 561-0535

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Mark Stewart (Term ends 2010) — 278-4918

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DISTRICT RESOURCES

Tent Rental

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Welcoming Committee

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FHHD Merchandise

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