

Issue Date:

May, 2006



Coming Events!

- The Fall **District Meeting** is 7:30p on Thursday, October 19, 2006 at the First Dearborn Baptist Church of Dearborn at the corner of Nowlin and Beech
- The Halloween Walk and Pumpkin Carving Contest is Monday, October 30, 2006 from 6:30p – 8:30p at the Assenmacher home (22513 Nona)
- Tentatively, the Holiday Home Tour is Sunday, December 3, 2006 – times to be announced
- Santa Visit and Christmas Walk is Saturday, December 16, 2006 from 6:30p – 8:30p at the Stewart home (22812 Nona)
- The FHHD Annual Easter Egg Hunt is Saturday, March 31, 2007 at 10:30a – location to be confirmed.
- The FHHD Spring District Meeting is Thursday, April 19, 2007 at 7:30p. - location to be confirmed.

District News

Edison Street Sale – June 3, 2006

It's that time again! The **Edison Street Sale** is scheduled for 10:00a to 4:00p on Saturday, June 3rd. Rain date is Sunday, June 4th.

The Brown family, at the corner of Edison and Beech, have volunteered to host the District tent. Thanks!!

Can we count on your help? **Donate** some baked goods, or **volunteer** to help by selling baked goods and FHHD merchandise at the District tent.

Baked goods can be donated throughout the day. Please drop them off at the District tent the day of the sale.

Hint: Cookies and brownies are BIG sellers!!

And, don't forget to buy some raffle tickets! We have GREAT prizes, including new FHHD merchandise. The grand prize this year is one night's stay at the Dearborn Inn!

Results of the Spring Election

The Ford Homes Historic District Spring Meeting was held on Thursday, April 20th. Three seats on the District's board were up for election. The District officers for 2006 - 2007 are:

President:
Leon Bergeron
(term ends 2008)

Vice President:
Patrick Karasinski
(2007)

Treasurer:
Mark Stewart (2008)

Secretary:
Teresa Klimkiewicz
(2007)

Members at Large:
Carter Brown (2008)
Mike Assenmacher
(2007)
Phil Menna (2008)

Congratulations, and thanks for volunteering your time!

The Canned Food Raffle resulted in two **full** boxes of assorted items that will be donated to the Friendship House in Detroit by the First Baptist Church. Prizes distributed to the raffle winners included FHHD t-shirts, pint glasses,

mugs, and a Cat's Meow collectible. Two pairs of tickets to the Art on the Avenue premiere night were also given as prizes by the FHHD.

Turnout wasn't the greatest... it seems that we're down to just a handful of regulars that show up for meetings. Please contact one of the officers with your comments or suggestions to increase attendance. If you'd be interested in having a speaker at each of the meetings, please give us some topics of interest.

District Officers

PRESIDENT

Leon Bergeron
563-2578

VICE PRESIDENT

Patrick Karasinski
570-1351

TREASURER

Mark Stewart
278-4918

SECRETARY

Teresa Klimkiewicz
563-2457

MEMBERS AT LARGE

Mike Assenmacher
274-4192
Carter Brown
561-4277
Phil Menna

District Resources

TENT RENTAL

Patrick Karasinski
570-1351

WELCOMING COMMITTEE

Rick & Kathy Neveu
730-9285

FHHD MERCHANDISE

Ruth Assenmacher
274-4192

WEBMASTER

Mike Assenmacher
274-4192

SIGN RENTAL

Erika Morrison
791-2709

*(Wooden lawn signs:
birthday or stork)*

BUILDING COMMITTEE

Sylvia Tillman
278-4055

NEWSLETTER

Teresa Klimkiewicz
563-2457

NEIGHBORHOOD

LIAISON

Jim Gillett
943-3085

Thank You, Volunteers!!

We'd like to take this opportunity to say "thanks!" to some District volunteers...

Thanks to those who helped out at the **Military Street Median Planting Day** on Saturday, May 20th - namely, **Ruth and Mike Assenmacher, the Karasinski family, Dan Alford, Mark Stewart,**

Leon and Danielle Bergeron, Gene Eisenmann, and the Crandall family.

Thanks also to **Mike McDonald, David Brackney, and Norm Record** of the First Baptist Church who volunteered their time to help clean up the Park Street Park for the District!

Thanks to **Joshua Clark** (Beech) for once again mowing the Park St. Park this season.

The First Baptist Church of Dearborn is hosting a Blood Drive on Friday, June 16th from 12:00p – 6:00p. Call 277-7711 to make your reservation to donate blood!

And On That Note...

We ALWAYS need volunteers! Please let us know if you have a special talent or interest, and we'll put you to work!

WE NEED SOMEONE TO CHAIR THE HOLIDAY HOME TOUR THIS YEAR!

We really need **gardeners** to help care for the planting beds on Military, and help clean up the Park Street Park. If you have a few moments to spare, just stop and pull a few weeds or "deadhead" some flowers.

And, we always need **"helping hands"** at special District events. Or, please contact us if there is some other way you'd like to help. We have plenty to do, and often not enough hands to do it all!

Results of the Easter Egg Hunt

The annual Easter Egg Hunt was held on Saturday, March 19th at the Duvall Elementary School playground. Our thanks to **Mrs. Makki**, Principal, for letting us use the playground;

Kurt Klimkiewicz for organizing and hosting the Easter Egg Hunt, and **Mike and Ruth Assenmacher** for helping the District "get the goods"!

Winners of the "grand prizes" for each of the age groups are:

4 and Under:
Grace

5 to 8 years old:
Tess Robar

9 and Up:
Hannah Robar

New FHHD Merchandise!!

Ruth Assenmacher, Merchandising Chairperson, is pleased to offer new FHHD logo merchandise! Check out the website for a look at the new

stainless steel "traveler" mugs, "sticky" notepads, Cat's Meow collectibles, t-shirts, pint glasses, and Henley shirts!

Call Ruth (274-4192) to purchase your FHHD merchandise. And, don't forget... they make **GREAT gifts** for "Dads and Grads"!!