

Issue Date:
August 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)
- 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

Fall Meeting Planned – October 19, 2006!

Just a reminder to keep **Thursday, October 19th** open for the Ford Homes Historic District annual Fall Meeting. The meeting will take place at the First Dearborn Baptist Church at the corner of Nowlin and Beech, and **will begin promptly at 7:30p.**

Frank Bewick is scheduled to visit with us. As you may know, Frank is the publisher of the Dearborn Times Herald newspaper. Frank will talk with us about the upcoming elections and other events in and around 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.

Hope to see you there!

Results of the Edison Street Sale

The annual Edison Street Sale was held on Saturday, June 3rd. The FHHD tent sold merchandise, baked goods, and raffle tickets. In all, we raised about \$500! The winners of the raffle were:

Nick Toyas (Beech) – One night's stay at the Dearborn Inn

Anne Robar (Nona) – Au Bon Pain gift basket

Larry Johnson (Nona) – 2 FHHD coffee mugs

Donna – Set of 4 FHHD pint glasses

Margie Maurer (Nona) – FHHD travel mug

Nabil Abraham (Nona) – \$10 Au Bon Pain gift certificate

Phil Menna (Gregory) – FHHD t-shirt

Leon Bergeron (Gregory) – \$10 Au Bon Pain gift certificate

Nancy Colbert – FHHD t-shirt

Congratulations to all the winners!!

Many thanks to those of you who donated baked goods! We had LOTS of goodies to sell, and receive many compliments from customers.

Special thanks to the **Brown family** on Edison Street for letting us camp out at their house!

FHHD Logo Merchandise

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

look at the new coffee mugs, "sticky" notes, Cat's Meow collectibles, t-shirts, and pint glasses and Henley shirts!

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

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WELCOMING COMMITTEE

Rick & Kathy Neveu
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FHHD MERCHANDISE

Ruth Assenmacher
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*(Wooden lawn signs:
birthday or stork)*

BUILDING COMMITTEE

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Teresa Klimkiewicz
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Upcoming Neighborhood Events

Mark your calendars! In addition to the Fall Meeting, we've got a few other neighborhood events planned!

The **Halloween Walk** is scheduled for Monday, October 30th from 6:30p – 8:30p. The annual **Pumpkin Carving Contest** is also held that night, so light up your best pumpkin creations by 6:30p for this fun-filled night!

The **Assenmacher family** on Nona will host this year's event. There will be cookies and hot drinks for all. Come on out and enjoy the evening with us!

The **Stewart family** also on Nona will host the **Santa Visit / Christmas Walk** on Saturday, December 16th from 6:30p – 8:30p. Come visit with Santa, then walk through the

neighborhood that will be all decked out in its holiday splendor. Again, goodies and hot drinks are available.

We hope you'll be able to make it to one (or ALL) of these events!

Please contact one of the District officers if you have any questions, or would like to help out. *(Donated homemade goodies are always welcome and enjoyed!)*

Welcome to the Ford Homes Historic District!

Our FHHD Welcoming Committee, **Rick and Kathy Neveu** (Nona), are pleased to introduce our newest neighbors. They include **Melissa Schreiber and Chip Shade and family** (Francis), and **Joe Torres** (Park).

You can help out Rick and Kathy by letting them know when a new family moves into the District. Just give them a call and let them know the address of the new family. They will take care of the rest!

New neighbors are presented a welcome packet that includes District information, a

copy of the Preservation Guidelines, and a small gift – usually a FHHD coffee mug.

If you are new to the District and haven't received your welcome packet, please call Kathy and Rick, and they will deliver one. And, welcome to the neighborhood!

Holiday Home Tour

The FHHD Holiday Home Tour is scheduled for **Sunday, December 3, 2006**. Times will be announced.

We currently have a few homes that have been volunteered to be open for the tour, but we could use a few more!

Please call Kristie Vassallo at 278-2842 if you have any questions, or would like to help.

Once again, this is a DISTRICT-WIDE event – **everyone is invited and encouraged to participate!**

BLOCK CAPTAIN NEEDED

A new Block Captain is needed for Edison Street. Block Captains are responsible for delivering FHHD newsletters and other district event flyers. Please call Teresa at 563-2457 to volunteer.