

Annual Garden Tour Postponed Until Next Year

After much discussion and deliberation, the Greentrees Garden Tour Committee has voted to postpone the Annual Garden Tour until 2010. Declining attendance at the tour, minimal income over expenses and increasing competition for the prime weekends in May were among the many factors contributing to this decision.

An incredible amount of thanks goes to the Garden Tour Committee and its members for the commitment they have given to this effort for the last 14 years. One of those most closely associated with the event, and eventually dubbed "Queen" of the Garden Tour, is Wilma Goode. Married last year, Wilma and husband Carl Primm recently moved to Rossville to restore an historic home and to plant other gardens. For years, Wilma generously donated her home and garden as the main gathering spot for the tour. We wish Wilma and Carl many happy years in Rossville.

As you might imagine, staging such an event involves an incredible amount of time and talent. Other club members who have contributed greatly throughout the years are Joan Vegezzi, Ann Florendo, Ann Elliott, Ramona Seabold, Jennifer Vescovo, Cindy Waters, and Alexa Robinson. We look forward to future events that this group will spearhead for our neighborhood.



FallFamilyFest

Get Ready for Neighborhood Fun!

With the temporary suspension of the Garden Tour, the efforts and creativity of the Tour Committee will be put to work planning the

FallFamilyFest for the neighborhood. The event is tentatively scheduled for October 25 in Holmes Park. It will be all about the kids! The kids can preview their Halloween costumes and participate in many fun events.

We'll give you more information as plans develop for this time of friendship and fun. It will be a great place to meet your neighbors.

If you would like to volunteer to help the committee plan this event, please contact Joan Vegezzi (754-5485) or Ann Florendo (755-3745). Email Margie @ gtreesca@earthlink.net if you have ideas you would like to see at this event.

Start Looking for Those Flags to Wave!



While we are waiting for *FallFamilyFest* in October, remember we'll soon have fun with the annual July 4th Parade & Holmes Park Picnic. The whole family can get involved with costumes, decorated bikes & cars and parading to the park for a picnic. If you would like to volunteer for this event, please email Margie at gtreesca@earthlink.net.

Calendar of Events

Please mark your calendars for these upcoming neighborhood events...details to come.

| May | July | September | October |
|---|--------------------------------------|--|----------------------------|
| 7 | 4 | 22 | 25 |
| Security Mtg. 7:00 pm Lord of Life Church (Satinwood @ Poplar Pike) | Parade & Picnic Holmes Park | Neighborhood Meeting 7:00 pm (Satinwood @ Poplar Pike) | FallFamilyFest Holmes Park |

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New Gate at Holmes Park Playground

In response to requests of neighbors, Greentrees Civic Association has installed a gate into the Holmes Park

playground. Please keep this gate closed when your children are playing there to keep them safe and from running into the street.

Thanks to Board member Eddie Halbert for getting this done. This is just another way Greentrees Civic Association is working for you. *Enjoy!*



REMINDER!

PLEASE PAY YOUR GREENTREES DUES!

Annual Greentrees Civic Association dues are only \$25.00.

Your support paid for the new Holmes Park gate; maintenance of the Kirby Parkway median and signs; the July 4th parade and picnic; the newsletter; and many other things that are being done to keep Greentrees the wonderful neighborhood it has been for nearly 30 years.

Please make check payable to

Greentrees Civic Association and mail to:

Carol Morris, GCA Secretary 2405 Kirby Parkway Memphis, TN 38119

It's Important!

Please come to Greentrees
Security Meeting
May 7, 7:00 p.m.
Lord of Life Church
(Satinwood @ Poplar Pike)

Are You Hitting Sour Notes?

Neighbor Ann Brown highly recommends: Registered Piano Technician - Monica Hern Phone 662-234-3279,

email: mhern3@juno.com