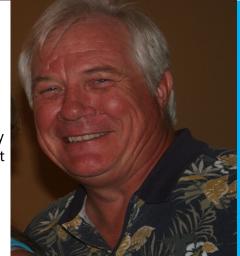


President's Message

By the time this newsletter is out another year will have passed. Holiday celebrations, family gatherings, Hobbit watching and Les Mis will have happened.

We start the New Year again concentrating on neighborhood safety. Work has been done to try to make a difference. It will cost money.



Also entrance improvements are going to be on the agenda. Another cost.

Can we afford both? Should we afford either? The neighborhood needs to have the dialogue that will answer these questions.

January's meeting will include the election of officers. The candidates have been selected by the nominating committee.

Also on the agenda will be the question of voluntary neighborhood dues. These may be necessary if above issues are to move off center.

A new member of the WLH Trust will be elected.

It all promises to be a fun filled evening for all and I encourage attendance.

Bill Hanna President

Next Neighborhood Association Meeting:

- Monday, Jan. 14, at 7pm
- Catholic Renewal Center, 4503 Bridge Street just east of Nolan High School

Agenda

- 1. Call to order
- 2. Approve minutes
- 3. Treasurer's report
- 4. NPO report
- 5. COPS report
- 6. Nominating Committee
- 7. Beauty Committee
- 8. Trust Election
- 9. Dues
- 10.Adjournment

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Minutes from the October meeting

On October 8 2012 The WLHNA met in the Catholic Renewal Center. Bill Hanna conducted the meeting. After approval of the last meetings minutes Bob Curtis gave the treasurers report.

The audit committee was formed with Bob Curtis, Cindy Schneider, and Lynn Molpus as members. The will audit the checking account for 2012 and report at the January meeting.

The nominating committee will include Charles Edmond, Cynthia Williams, Elaine Shumate.

Beauty Committee will include Peggy Terrel, Larry Vossburg and Doug Forsythe.

Motion to amend the bylaws to allow for two consecutive three year terms for the treasurer was made and seconded.

Motion to allow voluntary dues for the neighborhood was also made. It was questioned whether this was necessary of already provided for in the bylaws.

Dates for this year's social events are as follows

January 14 Winter meeting WLHNA

March 23 Easter egg Hunt

April 8 WLHNA Spring meeting

April 13 Park Cleanup

July 4 Jack White Memorial Parade and Picnic

July 8 WLHNA summer meeting

October 14 WLHNA Fall meeting

October 26 Neighborhood Garage Sale

November 2 Pot luck Diner/BBQ Cook-off





1st Place - Pat and Willy Anderson 509 Willow Ridge



2nd Place - LG Cornish 4908 Sugar Lake



3rd Place - The Fosters 4901 Sugar Lake



We are always looking for new COPS patrollers. If you or any of your neighbors are not yet members of Citizens on Patrol and have an interest to serve, please consider a personal investment in the neighborhood. Once training is completed, COPS duties will take no more than a few hours of your time each month. Give me a call at 817-457-4457 and let's discuss the possibilities. Hope to hear from soon.

-Mike Cook

Winners of this year's Christmas Decorating Contest

BEAUTIFICATION

It takes lots of work to keep our entrances looking clean, well-kept and watered. We always are looking for a few men, women and youth who want to work in the garden. If you are interested please call, Peggy Terrell at 817-909-5623 or 817-457-1507. We all want to thank Larry Vosberg and John Cortez for their hard work at St. Lawrence. Larry has come to the plate in making some changes in our entrances at St. Lawrence and Willow Ridge. Let's all help and support in these efforts.







We're on the Web! www.whitelakehills.org

Mark your calendars for these upcoming events

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Membership in the White Lake Hills Neighborhood Association

If you are new to the neighborhood, then welcome! We are happy to have you join our community. Just a reminder that membership in our association is free, although voluntary donations are appreciated. We look forward to seeing you at the next meeting or upcoming event.

Directory updates

We are in the process of putting together a new neighborhood directory. Please send updates to directory@whitelakehills.org. Get them in as soon as possible so that we can have the directory ready later this year.

Newsletter Submissions

Going forward, the newsletter will also be available in pdf format. If you would like to be placed on the list, please email newsletter@whitelakehills.org

If you have something you would like to submit to an upcoming newsletter (stories, thoughts, concerns, pictures) please email them to

newsletter@whitelakehills.org.



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SUNSHINE COMMITTEE

If you would like to remember a person with special thoughts, please call Patsy Cooper at 817-496-1531. She will send a card for sympathy, get well, and congratulations.



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