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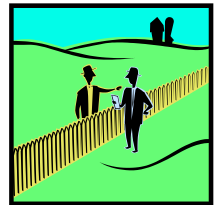


# Community

By Ken Gilbert, FPCA President

What makes a collection of buildings into a community? What turns a house into a home? The people who live there. We have a wonderfully diverse group of people in Forest Park, who have turned this collection of houses into one of the best communities in Columbus. There are about 2800 homes in Forest Park. We have residents who have lived here since the community was built in 1961. We have residents who have just moved in. We have new families and old families, seniors and kids. I have a neighbor from Peru, and our Supplemental Security Chair is from Ghana. We have a wonderful kalidioscope of people in this place we call home. I encourage you to get out and meet at least one new neighbor this month as the weather warms and we begin to work on our yards, plant our gardens, and mow our lawns. Come out to Forest Park Night at Gabby's on June 7. Watch or march in the Northland Fourth of July Parade. Have a driveway cookout for National Night Out in August. And, lest I forget, join the Civic Association.

While the people of Forest Park make up the body of our community, I like to think that the Civic Association is it's backbone. We support the community. We advocate for the residents in city government and with city officials. We help to beautify the community and keep it safe. And we have had some successes this year. The Red Carpet Inn was closed earlier this spring as a nuisance. Some Forest Park residents testified on behalf of this and worked with the police and city officials. Good use was made of the city's 311 system, which resulted in rapid repair of potholes during the spring campaign. We were able to help some residents with code concerns. And the burned out house on Boxwood was finally torn down!



While we would not want to take full credit for the latter, as it was mostly due to the dedicated efforts of residents who lived on that street, we were able to amplify that voice and make it heard. We've had failures too, to be sure. We were not able to see the changes of traffic lanes on Tamarack Circle reversed, as the residents wanted. But the city does hear our voice. Forest Park residents have been instrumental in working on the 161 Clean Up days, making the entry to our neighborhood cleaner and prettier. Our Supplemental Security service--which appears to be unique in Columbus--helps keep our streets safer with an extra 5 hours of patrols each week. While there is still crime in Forest Park, the rates are lower than in adjacent areas. And I do not want to forget our Block Watch, open to all on the fourth Tuesday of the month, which while independent of the Civic Association, also assists in keeping Forest Park safer. All we ask as a Civic Association is that you join us in these efforts.....Continued on page 3



## Northland Independence Day Parade - July 4 - Karl Road



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Foresters are available at the Karl Road Library, Donatos Pizza, YMCA & Dairy Queen

Articles for July Forester due to editor by June 20th. July, 2014 Forester will be delivered to residents on July 6, 2014.

### FORESTER BILLING ADDRESS:

Checks should be made payable to Forest Park Civic Association and mailed to : c/o Cate Gilbert  
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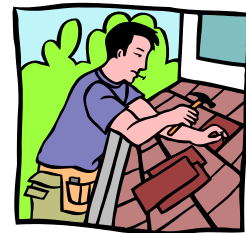
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# Community

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By now you should have received your membership application for 2014. Please consider returning it with your voluntary membership dues of just \$25 a year. That money supports many great activities--including over half of that for Supplemental Security. The higher our membership numbers the more hours of Supplemental Security we can afford to provide for the citizens of Forest Park. And we also hope it gives you a feeling of "ownership" in our community. It's just \$2 a month--less than a can of pop every two weeks. If you have misplaced your form or you want to pay electronically, just go to our website, fpcivic.org. We take PayPal! Next month is our Outreach Day, when members of the community will go throughout the streets of Forest Park asking the residents who have not yet joined to consider membership. We try to limit this membership drive to our mailing, this appeal, and Outreach Day so that we can focus the majority of our time on the needs of our neighborhood. Come join us. Be a member. Participate in our events. Come to our monthly meetings (second Tuesday at 7 pm at Epworth United Methodist Church on Karl Rd). All our meetings are now open meetings and there is time set aside at each meeting for residents to share their concerns with the Association as well as the local police and city representatives attending.



Recently, the Dispatch editorialized that Northland was "down on its luck". That's simply not true. We have a great community with great residents and volunteers. We do have challenges. So does every other community in Central Ohio. But we will work together to solve them. We are Forest Park.

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**Northland Swim Club \* 5006 Almont Drive \* 614.888.0754**  
**www.northlandswimclub.com**



Have you mailed in your FOREST PARK CIVIC Association dues yet?? Your annual dues of \$25 benefits many programs including supplemental security patrols checking your neighborhood. This Forester Publication is supported by your membership dues. Check Page 2 of this Forester and contact your Area Rep about membership

Forest Park Civic Association Meeting  
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## 2014-2015 FPCA Membership Drive

Our thanks to the following Forest Park households who paid their Civic Association dues prior to May 15 for the 2014-2015 FPCA membership year, beginning July 1 and ending June 30, 2015. (Additional households paid their FPCA dues but requested that their names not be published.)

**The membership drive continues through the summer. Please join your neighbors and help support your Civic Association and our community! We can do so much more if everyone pitches in. Please return your Household Data Sheet and \$25 annual dues today.**  
+ indicates that a household included an additional donation this year toward one or more specific programs of the Civic Association.  
Thank you for your generous support!

### 10 Year Members

These member households have joined the Association every year for the last ten or more years.

Adams, Pat +	Deenhake, Roger & Georgia	Jeck, Nelson & Jo Ann +	Moore, Ellie +	Smith, Dick & Jean +
Alkire, Patrick & Cynthia +	Dignan, Barbara	Jones, Wayne & Ruth	Mould, Herbert & Betty +	Sora, Lucelle
Almon, Jay & Sally	Dolan, Lawrence & Mary	Jurusk, Emie & Helen +	Noll, Jim & Clara +	Stewart, Katie +
Antonelli, Joe & Nancy +	Dorsey, S +	Keller, Allen & Jo Ann +	Norman, Ethel	Stoll, John & Louise
Ardrey, Patti +	Eader, Gary	Keller, John & Rose +	Ohm, Walter & Trudy	Strati, Robert & Sandy
Arnold, David & Susan +	Eaton, Keith & Linda +	Kienzel, Dave & Becky	Olesnanik, Andrew & Elois	Sunderman, Bob
Baldridge, Paul & Barbara	Eng, C M	Krumm, Ruth	O'Malley, Jim & Jenni	Suter, Homer & Hong Fu
Bennett, Russell & Joanne +	Faulhaber, M I	Lacher, Andy & Karen	Paul, Dave & Carlie	Taschner, Fred & Gail +
Bietz, Bruni +	Fenton, Bob & Dorothy +	Lander, Wayne & Mary Ellen +	Pawlowski, John & Nancy	Taylor, Tim & Cynde
Billiar, Henry & Peggy +	Ferguson, Judy +	Leland, Jeff	Payne, Robert & Anna +	Teal, Nancy +
Blind, Wayne & Kay	Foster, Clarence & Joanne	Leonard, Charles & Clementine	Penn, Ann	Tennant, Richard & Judie
Boring, Steven & Hope +	Free, Kirk & Gloria	Li, Kwai Chun & Kwai Hing Lee	Perkins, Otho & Evelyn	Thomas, James & Bette +
Bowen, Tod & Laure Hancock	Frenz, Donna	Lindamood, John & Ella Mae +	Peto, George & Juanita +	Tovar, Richard & Kathryn
Bowen +	Gladwell, Norma +	Long, Patrick & Elizabeth	Ransom, Harold & Rachel +	Traini, Felix & Amadell
Bradley, Otis +	Golden, Richard +	Luther, Debbie	Ratliff, Jeff & Melissa	Truske, Richard & Emalou +
Buck, Theresa	Greene, William	Lynch, Vicci +	Rayburn, Charles & Anita	Tulga, Paul
Bukovinsky, Andrew & Phyllis	Grimm, Earl & Lois	Lynn, Vi	Reed, Jack & Pat	Tums, Norval
Butte, James & Mary +	Grubb, Judy	Mack, Ernie & Deloris	Renshler, Rosemary	Urbano, Victor & Betty
Campbell, Jack	Hand, Charlie & Julie +	Malloy, Helen	Rumora, John & Velma +	Vanasdale, Ed & Donna +
Carroll, D J	Hartigan, James & Jeanne +	Marone, William & Cecilia	Sands, Don & Cheryl +	Ventresca, Robert & Diane
Clark, Jan	Hengle, Lynne	Massey, Lori	Santoro, Frank & Nancy	Walker, Albert & Loretta
Clark, Michael	Hill, Patricia	Mather, Lee & Dottie +	Schultz, Richard & Lois +	Ward, Denver & Lorna
Clayton, Jack & Jo	Hinds, Eleanor	McCoy, Don & Barbara	Sentz, John & Yvonne	Ware, George & Annette +
Coakley, E	Hinebaugh, Bob & Mary Ann	Miller, Earl	Sguerra, Tanios & Mary	Weaver, Mary
Coles, Harold & Bette +	Hohl, Bruce & Karin	Miller, Gary & Marilyn	Shafer, William & Judie +	White, Dennis & Bea
Compton, Dick & Fran +	Holt, Pat	Miller, Mark & Amy	Shanda, Mark & Ginny +	Whittemore, Kevin & Vicky +
Connor, Rita	Houser, Tim +	Miller, T Michael & Jeanne	Shook, Kaye	Wilkinson, Shirley
Cox, DeLoyes +	Howell, Tony & Jennifer	Mills, Len & Tonya & Mary Jo	Shyrigh, Roger & Carol	Williamson, Ellen
Cozzens, Charles & Aleda	Huck, Larry	Brown	Sidie, Kenneth & Susan Ann +	Yaw, Mary Lou
Cunningham, Francis	Hufford, Fred	Mintun, Charles & Peggy	Slack, Rusty & Nancy +	
Dalluge, Myron	Iannarino, Gus & Marjorie	Moen, Janet +	Slyh, Gary & Patti	
Davis, Bob & Carolyn	Ivory, Jim & Diana	Montgomery, Marty +	Smith, Carroll & Helen	

### 5 Year Members

These member households have joined the Association every year for the last five or more years.

Abrams, Sandra	Duncan, Larry & Dorothy	Kline, Andrew & Nichole	Puckett, Robert & Stefania	Smith, Isaac & Paula
Anderson, Ruth Ann & Bobbi	Edwards-Duncan	Kostanski, Neal & Shirley	Bertolini-Puckett	Stauffer, Kevin & Jennifer
Blue +	Evans, Tina	Kujaski, Joe & Michele +	Rank, Gary & Cathi	Tann, Larry & Mary Ann
Anthony, L M +	Gaston, Robert +	Landon, Sheridan & Sue	Riddlebaugh, Alan & Deborah	Toops, Brian & Joan
Ashmus, Bryan & Mary Medert +	Hadden, William & Marsha	Marcum, Don & Frankie	Robinson, L R	Veasey, Wallace & Mattie
Berlin, Johan & Virginia Berlijn +	Haggard, Paul & Amy	Markin, Larry & Joyce	Rohrer, Grace +	Wallace, Reginald & Laverne & Kim Treece
Best, Phyllis	Hartman, Thomas & Cheryl	McDonnell, Ted & Linda	Roller, Jonny & Juanita	Watson, Larry & Roan +
Carney, Daniel +	Harvey, Mark	Milner, Curtis & Rosemary	Schull, Mary Ann +	West, Mark & Charlotte
Cooper, C T & Janet	Holland, Ralph & Robin	Montell, Nick & Diane +	Shawen, Steve & Anna +	White, Robert
Cornell, Mark & Karen	Jasper, Ted & Betty Lou	Murphy, John & Cathy	Silverstein, David	
Curtiss, Patrick +	Jordan, Candy	Nguyen, Camthuy & Phuong +	Sims, Patti	
Adkins, James & Kelly Sue	Davis, Joseph & Michele	Hounmenou, Mahougon & Mildred	Perkins-Gardner, Robbie	Sidie, Trent & Marianne +
Allison, Bob & Sue Allison	Dedula, Jim	Jordan, James & Sara	Phu, Ba & Theresa	Smith, Emily
Roberts +	Deming, Edwin & Kathryn	Kreuz, Sharon	Pierce, Derek	Snider, Norm & Pat
Barker, Ken & Julie +	Denner, Laura	Lashley, Wayne & Karen +	Quincef, Darrell & Patty	Spradling, George & Daphne
Biswa, Bhim	Eckert, Christine & Jane	Martin, Tom	Rafiqy, Alan & Jannice Phillips-Rafiqy +	Martin
Bitonte, Joseph & Martha	Einboden, Tom & Mary	McPeck, Don & Bonnie	Randolph, Rev Arnold +	Stepler, Melinda
Blatnik, Anton	Fennell, Bill	McVicker, Jeffrey & Roberta	Reynolds, Richard & Georgia	Truck, Gerald
Brownlow, Walter	Foster, Bonnie	Mirras, Diane	Ricker, Donald	Tyler, Howard & Gloria
Brunelle, Adam & Jen	Fourquaren, Rebecca +	Mullin, Michael +	Roele, Adam & Andrea Myers	Vogley, Mike & Kathy +
Calcara, B J	Gaston, Lynn	Nesser, Harvey & Helaine	Roelle +	Vollmer, Lydia
Calloway, Vernice	Gorby, Lance & Stephanie	Newton, Brady	Ross, Carl	Wagner, Mike & Diane
Camechis, J B	Grassbaugh, Dan & Rosemary	Nguyen, Ganh Nhu & Do Thi Hong Thinh	Scherer, Sarah	White, Bob
Campbell, F Christina	Gregoroff, Tom & Jane	O'Brien, Joe & Estrellita	Secen, Onder & Emily	Winkle, Davy & Rebecca
Capoccio, Tony & Sandi	Gregory, Claude +	Pagani, Ted & Judith	Seymour, Barbara	
Chrysler, Thomas	Harmer, Richard & Pauline		Shupe, John & Debra Sloan	
Clark, Angela & Dottie & Marcie	Hartley, Howard			

This year's member households are recognized monthly in *The Forester* subject to available space during the membership drive. Other households who join (and who have not requested that their names not be published) will appear in future issues of the newsletter.

# We Move the Meter

By Mike Stone, Past President



Ohio State football is never boring. Some commentators make a living bashing the Buckeyes and provoking its fan base. ESPN has sued Ohio State over public records issues and yet wants to broadcast every game it can get. Why is that? Because Ohio State "Moves the Meter!" It has the largest alumni base in the country and people root hard for or against them. Large, passionate groups get attention.

As a Forest Park resident, you are part of the largest individual neighborhood in Columbus. Forest Park and the entire Northland Community also moves the meter. That is why if a crime happens on 5th Avenue, the local news teaser will label it a north side crime. We care in great numbers and therefore we move the meter.

Moving the meter provides huge opportunities for neighborhood enhancement. In our email and letter campaign to cleanup 1299 Boxwood, countless residents filed 311 reports or sent messages. All indications are that this process moved the meter and brought it to a much quicker conclusion. A larger, better connected group of FPCA members will move the meter further. Here are three actions you can do to help.

**Action #1** Please Get your Membership Sent Back to Us Soon. It's only \$25, but it funds supplemental security patrols and neighborhood advocacy. Also, consider including your email address so that we can add you to the electronic newslister. When you mail in your membership (or join via paypal through our website), you help the door-to-door campaign to expand FPCA's base. Your action is greatly appreciated.

**Action #2** Send a Quick Email... You're probably aware of the April YMCA shooting incident. While details are few, we can suspect that it was drug related. Much of our neighborhood's illegal activity can be directly connected to several poorly ran hotels off of Dublin Granville Rd. As always, FPCA will continue to work with the police and Block Watch, send as many security patrols as our budget will allow, and provide community information.

That brings us back to the proposed "Chula Vista Hotel Ordinance" proposed by CPD Officer Scott Klinger this past fall. This proposed legislation would require hotels with questionable conduct to apply for annual licenses to operate. They would have to make the case for why they deserve to stay open (no longer the city's case for why they shouldn't). Last fall, it was an idea and now it will be debated. Klinger said our previous letters and phone calls to the city really helped in the progress (he joked that he got a slap on the wrist for providing us contact information). Let us re-express our desire for this legislation and further support our CPD.

**CONTACT... Email: [aemarsico@columbus.gov](mailto:aemarsico@columbus.gov)** (Legislative Aid to Councilwoman Michelle Mills), **Email: [gdjames@columbus.gov](mailto:gdjames@columbus.gov)** (Legislative Aid to Councilman Zach Kein) and **Email: [mac@columbus.gov](mailto:mac@columbus.gov)** (the mayor's office). Briefly ask for the passage of the Chula Vista Hotel Ordinance. Emphasize the importance this bill would have to your community. PLEASE be friendly and polite.

**Action #3** Register with the Forest Park Blockwatch... Add your eyes and ears to our community's protection. If you have not done so, go to [www.fpcivic.org/bwforum](http://www.fpcivic.org/bwforum) to get access to the blockwatch forum. Please get connected! Blockwatch meets the fourth Tuesday of every month 7:00 P.M. at Epworth UMC.

Finally, thank you to all of the supporters who diligently join, advocate and support. There are so many members who quietly support us without receiving fanfare of recognition. We greatly appreciate you, and value your sincere dedication to our community. **THANKS!!!**



Boxwood Dr. house BEFORE as it sat as an eyesore of fire damage for over a year.

AFTER—in May the house was finally torn down.





# Forest Park Block Watch

Website: <http://blockwatch.fpcivic.org/>.



**Next meeting:**

**Tuesday, June 24th, 2014**

All Forest Park Residents are welcome and encouraged to attend. Come and be informed about what is going on in our neighborhood. Keep Forest Park the Safe Neighborhood it has always been.

Block watch holds their meetings on the 4th Tuesday of every month, at 7 pm at Epworth Methodist Church, 5100 Karl Road.

Jon Biteman, director, 614-848-6360

## Supplemental Security House Check Forest Park Business Members and Homeowner Members only!

Use this form to have your home checked while you are on vacation. The form will be passed on to the supplemental security officer and the Security Officers.

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Vacation Dates: Depart \_\_\_\_\_ Return \_\_\_\_\_ Please notify \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Who has key? \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Lights on timer? \_\_\_\_\_ Location \_\_\_\_\_

Radio or TV continuously on timer? \_\_\_\_\_ Location \_\_\_\_\_

Will older children be in and out ? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

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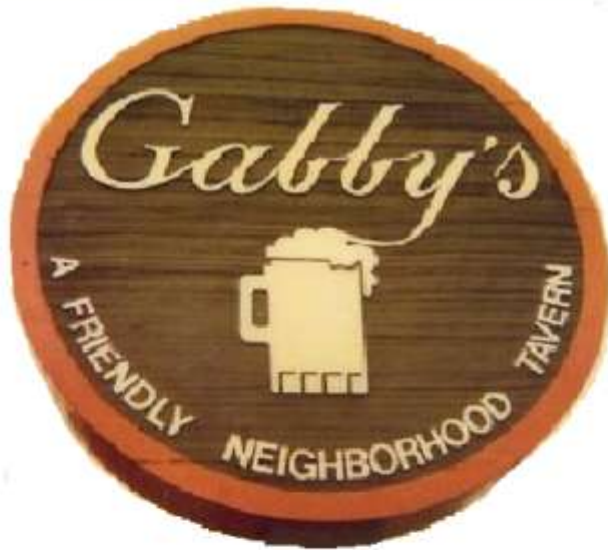
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## Dick Buttermore Bikes and Trikes Parade

On the 4<sup>th</sup> of July we will once again be having our traditional **"Dick Buttermore"** Bikes and Trikes Contest and Parade! This will kick off at the parking area in front of the Woodward Park Middle School at 10:15 am. Bicycles and tricycles should be decorated and will be judged in three separate categories: **Patriotism, Originality and Theme of Parade**, (HONORING OUR AMERICAN HEROES). Theme of Parade is a new category this year. Contestants will be judged on how their decorated bike ties into this year's parade theme: **Heroes**. First, second and third place prizes will be awarded for each of these categories yielding nine in all. Prizes will be \$25, \$15 and \$10 Meijer gift cards. Meijer generously donates a portion of these gift cards each year.

After the judging has been completed, the kids will be able to watch the parade until it is our time to enter (usually around 11:30) behind the Forest Park contingent. Parents are welcome and encouraged to walk along with their kids in the parade. Come Celebrate the 4th of July with Forest Park and be in the Northland Parade. Any questions, contact Jenni O'Malley 906-9842 or [jenjim2021@yahoo.com](mailto:jenjim2021@yahoo.com). It's really fun and the kids have a great time!





## GABBYS

**1887 Tamarack Circle N**

**(614) 433-0583**

### Summer Band/Party Schedule

FRI. 6/6 - Free Booters

SAT. 6/7- Alexander Band

- **FOREST PARK CIVIC ASSOCIATION COOKOUT**

FRI. 6/13- Uncle Fester

SAT. 6/14- Tim Owings

FRI. 6/20- Ken&Co

SAT. 6/21- Big Joe

FRI. 6/27- CR2

SAT. 6/28- Shotgun Karma

FRI. 7/4- 4th of July Party

SAT. 7/5- TBA

FRI. 7/11- Shotgun Karma

SAT. 7/12- Free Booters

FRI. 7/18- Uncle Fester

SAT. 7/19- Alexander Band

FRI. 7/25- CR2

SAT. 7/26- Christmas in July Party feat. Cross Cut

FRI. 8/1- Tim Owings

SAT. 8/2- Ken&Co

FRI. 8/8- Shotgun Karma

SAT. 8/9- Big Joe

FRI. 8/15- Alexander Band

SAT. 8/16- CR2

FRI. 8/22- Uncle Fester

SAT. 8/23- Free Booters

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***Reminder:***

**Saturday, June 7th, 2014  
Forest Park Civic Association  
Cookout! 6pm- 8pm**



FOREST PARK CIVIC ASSOCIATION						
April 2014 Treasurer's Report						
	Month		Year-to-Date		Budget	
	Income	Expenses	Income	Expenses	Income	Expenses
Membership	\$ 3,125.00	\$ 1,790.05	\$ 3,175.00	\$ 1,790.05	\$ 19,978.00	\$ 2,000.00
Business Membership			\$ -	\$ -	\$ 720.00	\$ -
Supplemental Security	\$ 635.00	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 660.00	\$ 3,968.75	\$ 447.00	\$ 13,447.00
Interest			\$ 0.22	\$ -	\$ 2.00	
Forester	\$ 645.00	\$ 2,058.20	\$ 2,530.00	\$ 5,120.19	\$ 12,000.00	\$ 17,000.00
Garage Sale			\$ -	\$ -	\$ 300.00	\$ 100.00
Additional Donations	\$ 160.00		\$ 160.00	\$ -	\$ 440.00	
Island Maintenance & Improvement			\$ -	\$ -		\$ 450.00
Liability Insurance/Bond			\$ -	\$ -		\$ 450.00
Miscellaneous			\$ -	\$ -		\$ 200.00
Northland Community Council		\$ 405.00	\$ -	\$ 405.00		\$ 380.00
Treasurer Expenses		\$ 9.00	\$ -	\$ 9.00		\$ 125.00
Beautification Awards	\$ 160.00		\$ 160.00	\$ 67.57	\$ 315.00	\$ 200.00
Outreach Day			\$ -	\$ -		\$ 200.00
July 4th Bikes/Parade Floats			\$ -	\$ -		\$ 250.00
Block watch			\$ -	\$ 47.58		\$ 100.00
Volunteer Grant/Welcome Committee			\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 300.00
<b>Total Income &amp; Expenses</b>	<b>\$ 4,725.00</b>	<b>\$ 5,262.25</b>	<b>\$ 6,685.22</b>	<b>\$ 11,408.14</b>	<b>\$ 35,202.00</b>	<b>\$ 35,202.00</b>
<b>Net Income (Loss)</b>		<b>\$ (537.25)</b>		<b>\$ (4,722.92)</b>		
Bank Balance at end of month		<b>\$ 4,049.63</b>				

## THE BAG AND FORESTER DELIVERY

The Forest Park Civic Association has been working diligently to make sure that you are receiving the "Bag" with the ads from your local stores weekly. On the first Sunday of the month the FORESTER is included in the bag. The "Bag" is to be placed on your front porch. If you do not receive the "Bag" on your front porch weekly, please call the "Bag" at 1-740-548-5049, tell them you have not received it, give them your address. Also, let them know if it was not on your front porch but somewhere else on your property. The Bag is to be delivered Sunday noon to Monday 1 P.M. weekly.



You are, also, to get the THIS WEEK COMMUNITY NEWS NORTHLAND which is a free weekly newspaper delivered on your front porch. Times for delivery are Wednesday to Thursday 1 P.M.. It has a lot of great news about our neighborhood and surrounding area. If you are not receiving it every week, call 1-888-837-4342.

Make your contacts by Monday evening. If your calls do not work to correct the delivery problems, e-mail Ed Vanasdale at [evanasdal@insight.rr.com](mailto:evanasdal@insight.rr.com) or call him at 1-614-847-1494. Be sure to leave your name and address when leaving your information so we can pinpoint the areas that are not receiving delivery of the Forester, the Bag, or This Week Community News Northland.

Forest Park Civic Association would like to thank the Dietz Property Group--Friends of Jeff & Beth Gatewood of Troy, Michigan and Bill & Julie Owens of Columbus, Ohio for \$50 donations to the FPCA in memory of Richard Henning.



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## May 13, 2014 FPCA Meeting Minutes

Submitted by Marie Douthitt

The May FPCA meeting was called to order by President Ken Gilbert at Epworth United Methodist Church at 7:04 p.m. Roll Call was taken after the Pledge of Allegiance.

Treasurer Dan Hartzell presented his financial report, which was accepted by the membership as read. Members discussed the demolition of 1299 Boxwood Drive. Questions regarding possible uses and ownership came up, and remain open.

Members discussed changes in billing for advertisements in the Forester and voted on implementing those changes from billing in arrears to in advance beginning July 1, 2014. Established accounts will be grandfathered in.

Dick Graham, a neighborhood liaison for the city, took notes regarding complaints of overgrown bushes, water leaks, the parking of commercial trucks on residential property, and high grass, and damaged traffic guides on Tamarack Circle.

Officer Clinger wants all Forest Park residents to be mindful of keeping garage doors closed when working in the yard, as valuable items can be stolen in just a minute or two. He took questions about the parking of commercial trucks on city residential streets, and reported that some unruly school truants had been effectively handled.

Due to the sporadic delivery of the Forester, Ed Vanasdale will look into alternate delivery systems, including fees and possible restrictions.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:04 p.m. by Ken Gilbert.



# Free Fresh Produce

**At Victorious Life Christian Center**  
**1875 Tamarack Circle North**  
**Columbus, OH 43229**

Thursday, June 26th, 2014

4 P.M. to 6 P.M. or Until Food Runs Out

Please bring your own bags/boxes to carry out Produce  
 One person to register per household required




### **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED:**

There is a need for set-up, registration, baggers, carriers, prayer warriors and clean up people. We set up and bag between 2 and 4. we hand out 4-6 or until food runs out. The Food comes from Mid Ohio Foodbank and area farmers.

**Contact:** Sis. Lisa Johnson, Outreach Community Liaison  
 (614) 880-3700 option 3 or vlccoutreach@yahoo.com



If you would like added to the Teen Work List ,  
please email me at  
Forester\_ed@fpcivic.org or call 785-1555



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SOLOMON HAYES	846-4156	13		XX					XX	WEST
JOSHUA HAYES	846-4156	16	XX	XX	XX					WEST
JANAIR EVERETTE	840-0163	16		XX				XX		WEST
JOSH WINKLER	891-6879	17	XX	XX	XX				XX	EAST
ALEX BARNETT	625-1228	16	XX		XX				XX	EAST
MORGAN SAUNDERS	625-1228	14	XX							EAST
JOSEPH HANSEN	396-6336	13	XX	XX				XX	XX	WEST
CADE CAREY	975-9688	15	XX	XX	XX				XX	EAST
DYLAN PAYNE	396-6972	15	XX	XX	XX			XX	XX	WEST
KYLA PAYNE	396-6972	13				XX	XX	XX		WEST
KAREN JOHNSON	773-491-7918	16				XX	XX	XX	XX	WEST
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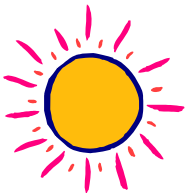
All of Forest Park  
pick up is still on  
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## Beautification Awards



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JULY 4th, 2014

Forest Park will have an entry in the parade with its Traditional Bicycle Brigade. If you would like to help FPCA plan, create, organize things for our part of the parade, contact Ken Gilbert, 888-3559, and he will give your info to the parade committee.

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Dispatch Consumer Services delivers the Forester on the first Sunday of each month.

Advertising rates for each issue for camera ready advertisements:

Full Page		125.00
Half Page	7 1/2" w x 5" h	65.00
Fourth Page	3 5/8" x 5"	45.00
Business Card	2 1/2" x 3 1/2"	25.00

Only black and white original photographs should be submitted. We cannot guarantee the quality of a color photograph.

For further information on The Forester, please call Cate Gilbert at 888-3559 or email to:

forester\_ads@fpcivic.org

## FPCA BUSINESS MEMBERS 2013-2014

- Columbus Square
- Circle Dairy Queen
- Tamarack Circle Drive Thru
- Donatos Tamarack Circle
- Epworth United Methodist Church
- Gabbys Tamarack Circle
- Helping Hands Day Care Sandalwood Plaza
- HER Realtors - Mary Sguerra
- Karl Road Christian Church
- Schoedinger Funeral Home Karl Road
- Union Savings Bank Morse Road
- Drelzye Restaurant Tamarack Circle
- John Allen Landscape
- US Protection Service Columbus Square
- CS Bank - Dublin-Granville Rd.

## Are You a New Neighbor? or Do You Have New Neighbors?

The Welcome Committee has a folder of helpful information and coupons for new residents. Contact me if you are new. One of us on the committee or your Area Rep will visit.

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**Dear Neighbors:**

Summer is right around the corner and now is the time when many people will be looking to make a move. Please give me a call for a free market analysis of your home and let me show you what HER and I can do for you. My listings at 4908 Lyle Rd. and 5371 Poplarwood Rd. both went in contract this month.

**2 NEW LISTINGS**

- 5277 Hedgewood Rd.** -- Wow! Lovely ranch w/ 3 BR's & 1.5 BA's, formal dining room, family room, eat-in kitchen, lower level rec. room, beautiful hardwood floors & attached garage. \$110,000
- 5256 Plumwood St.** -- Wow! Nice 2 Story w/4 BR's, 2.5 baths, family rm w/WBFP, lg eat-in kitchen, lower level rec. room, deck overlooks fenced back yard & 2 car garage. \$ 125,900

**CURRENT MARKET WATCH**

The following homes are For Sale with HER Realtors:

		Asking:			Asking:
1383 Boxwood Dr	Ranch/3BR	90,900	5507 Blue Ash Rd.	2-Sty/4BR	123,500 **
5277 Hedgewood Rd	Ranch/3BR	110,000 *	5256 Plumwood St.	2-Sty/4BR	125,900 *
5221 Honeytree Lp W	2-Sty/5BR	112,000	1471 Cypresswood Ct.	Split/4BR	135,000
1255 Cherrywood Ct.	Split/3BR	119,700	5204 Honeytree Lp W	2-Sty/5BR	159,500 **

\* New Listings      \*\*New Price

**HER Realtors homes In Contract**

5176 Avalon Ave ©	Ranch/3BR	99,900
5233 Avalon Ave ©	2-Sty/4BR	107,000
4908 Lyle Rd. ©	Split/3BR	111,500
5371 Poplarwood Rd.	Ranch/3BR	125,000

(C)=In Contract Contingent (E)=I/C w/Escapae clause

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		Asking:	Sold Price:
5387 Vinewood Ct	Bilvl/3BR	73,800	49,000
2120 Honeytree Ct	Split/3BR	64,900	60,000
5472 Hazelwood Rd	Ranch/3BR	57,000	64,500
1812 SandalwoodPl.	2-Sty/4BR	69,900	65,100
1721 Sugarmaple Dr.	2-Sty/4BR	90,000	81,500
1387 Pegwood Dr	Split/3BR	99,900	95,000
5261 Hedgewood Rd.	Ranch/3BR	104,900	104,900
5064 Palmwood St	2-Sty/4BR	114,900	114,900
1680 Pin Oak Dr.	2-Sty/5BR	119,000	119,000
5415 Maple Canyon	2-Sty/4BR	122,500	120,000
1693 Rocky Pine Lp S	Split/4BR	134,900	125,000
5341 Sprucewood Rd	Split/4BR	134,900	129,900
5645 Hazelwood Rd	Split/3BR	129,975	133,000



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