

JULY 2010

MeadowsMemo



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ENGLISH MEADOWS NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION is dedicated to making our neighborhood a better place to live through the efforts of every resident.

To prevent crime and enhance our community.

The Riverdale entrance is maintained by GOOD WINDS NURSERY.

Hey, it's ICE CREAM

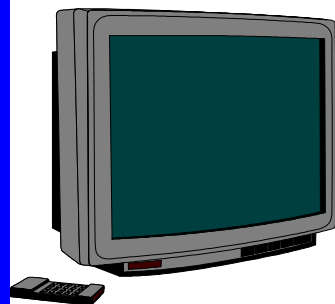
Yes! THE DATE IS Au-

gust 3rd when we just gather after a light supper and enjoy an early evening of cooling ICE CREAM.

We meet at the Cumberland Presbyterian Church of Germantown (corner of McVay Rd. and Riverdale at 6:00

p.m. We had considered letting a few politicians in to let you hear different views, but it's a bit late, so this is just a get together with your friends and neighbors to enjoy dessert with the family. Catch up on what's going on in the neighborhood and renew casual acquaintances.

OH! Did I mention that we are again giving away a TV, just for your attendance? Last year, we did similar and it was a great hit. So, if you



want to get in on the chance to win a TV, remember August 3rd. We're always looking for dues paying people. It's never too late. Edna will be at the door willing to accept your

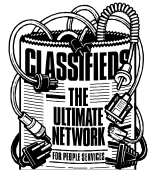
check for \$15. Also at the door, will be assorted posters soliciting your help in different opportunities within your association. Becoming in-



involved is a good way to get to know your neighborhood. This association was formed with Crime Watch in mind. The more you know about your surroundings, the better you can know when something is not right. There's also a Germantown organization formed to help a neighborhood in crisis;

in the event of a major catastrophe, those trained in the CERT program, can better help. Those of you trained in the CERT program, let yourselves known. There's ongoing training being offered all the time; watch your local water bill for details. There's also the situation of a Board aging beyond belief. Did you know that some of us have been doing what we do for at least 10 years? New blood is certainly needed to maintain the standard of a Great Neighborhood. If you feel the call, attend a Board Meeting and get in on the discussion. There will a brief meeting after the Ice Cream Social so speak up and see how you can help.

How about those interested in having a FALL Garage sale? Now is your time to speak up! Please contact Jack Ridner @754-1436. If enough express interest, Jack can put it together. Let him know though, for if not enough people show any interest, it's too costly for just a few. Just check out the local paper's classified ads.



CRIME TIP FOR JULY:

A neighborhood walker recently was observed being helped up where he had fallen. That's the spirit. Not crime related but neighborhood related. Way to go, neighbors. The more we know of our fellow residents, the more everyone can be looked out after. Being observant is a sure way to prevent unwanted things happening.

July 2010

WELCOME:

Daniel & Rachel Faller of 7189 Drayton Cove. Daniel grew up in G-Town; graduated from GHS. It's always good to welcome back.

CONDOLENENCES:

To the family of **John Russell** of 7351 Eastern. John was a Master Gardner and his yard, especially his back is testimony to his skill. Betty says that his memory goes on with each visit anyone makes to that yard.

To the family of **Marlene Kraker.** Marlene resided at 2300 Riverdale.

To the family of **William (Buddy) Starr** of 7187 Poplar Pike.

THANKS:

A SPECIAL THANKS goes to the Rottgerings of Stanford. Richard & Phyllis are masters at raising roses...as a drive down their street will testify. They have been providing the beautiful rose bouquets provided by the Welcoming Committee (Lutie Darnell) in her visits to the new people. What a ray of sunshine to our new people!



Thanks Richard & Phyllis!

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

Your dues are still needed! It's never too late! So, if you haven't sent yours in, just write that check, stick it in an envelope and mail to Edna (use handy coupon below). Save EMNA some money by not having to mail out. Percentage-wise, we are still behind. Do your part!

The neighborhood coffees are still going. Yes, even going by a different name, **Coffee Klatches.** Ladies Klatch is August 4th at Pat Rush, 2190 Riverdale Rd. (755-0374). Mens Klatch is August 11th, again at the Darnells; 7270 Stamford (754-2989). Time for both events is still 10: to 12:00. Thanks to everyone participating in these events; it's helping! Plan on joining; give the hostess a call for next month.

There's been quite a list of widows and widowers in our neighborhood lately. Some are having a really hard time of it! It has been suggested that that group have a **"together" time.** Lutie Darnell has said that she will coordinate that until it gets going. If you are interest in some "Home Alone"association, give Lutie a call (754-2989).

A Community Garage Sale. Our own Cumberland Presbyterian Church (corner of Riverdale and McVay) will be having a garage sale on Saturday, **August 14th** from 8:00 to 12:00. The purpose is for continued improvements to the nursery. Your donations are welcome also; they can be left with the church anytime before August 8th. Call, 755-3884 for more information.

Lots to do in August. Mark those calendars:

- 3rd Ice Cream Social
- 4th Ladies Coffee
- 5th Election Day
- 11th Mens Coffee
- 14th Church Garage Sale



A great example of turning "older landscaping" into a modern look. Congratulations!



Early Voting has already begun. For a hassle free voting experience, try one of the early voting polling places. If not, don't forget, August 5th.

~ENGLISH MEADOWS NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION~

Membership for 2010

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____ E-Mail _____

Would you be willing to serve on a committee? Yes ___ No ___ Maybe? ___

2010 Annual dues of \$15 (enclosed). Renewal ___ New ___

Crime Watch Committee _____

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