



The Witherbee Buzz

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Newsletter

Summer 2014

The Witherbee Neighborhood Association includes the area bounded by 33rd to 56th and Randolph to "O" Streets

Annual Ice Cream Social and Woods Pool Party is Set for Sunday, August 3rd at 6 p.m.



For the eighth year in a row the Witherbee Neighborhood Association is offering a FREE swim party at Woods Park Pool along with FREE ice cream in front of the Woods Park Tennis Center. Last summer Witherbee neighbors and their guests enjoyed this event located at 33rd and J street. This year's event is scheduled for August 3rd beginning at 6:00 p.m.

Summer is here, please come and enjoy a refreshing dip in the pool and a couple scoops of ice cream while enjoying the company of your neighbors. Once again ice cream will be served from the shady spot just outside the Tennis Center doors. The Tennis Center will graciously be providing tables, garbage cans and will have their water fountains on. Music will also fill the air as you enjoy your ice cream to the sound of Tony Church who will play his Classical 12-string guitar. Tony is a regular of the Crescent Moon Coffee Acoustic Music Series at Crescent Moon Coffee in Lincoln's Haymarket.

Super Saver is generously donating all the ice cream we can eat along with condiments, dishes and bottled

water. Walgreens will be on hand with chalk, games for the kids, giveaways and additional bottled water for the event!

The pool will be open from 6:00 p.m.-7:30 p.m. and is reserved just for our party. Bring your family and friends to have a swim and a dish of ice cream, served from 6:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m.



Woods Park Pool is huge so there is plenty of room for all your guests. The pool "spray ground" will also be running and is a great place for toddlers to splash or children of all ages to go through on their way to or from the pool or ice cream.

Adults and children alike are encouraged to take a few swings on the tennis courts. Woods Tennis Center pros will be on hand to feed balls and offer their expert advice. Racquets and balls will be provided.

Don't miss this annual event which includes a fire

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Stuhr Park Renovations to Be Discussed at August Meeting

The time has come to begin dreaming, planning and scheming the future of Stuhr Park. The Lincoln Parks & Recreation Department's 10 year facilities plan includes playground equipment replacement in the Park. Sometime in the next decade the existing playground will be removed and replaced with.... what?

We have the chance to speak up, speak out and take a role in shaping it. Swings have been requested which are very expensive. How about a meandering stream or a pond instead of a concrete lined ditch? Parks & Recreation has been severely cash-strapped for years. It is highly likely that unless we step up with a plan and vision for the park, we will get just the bare bones limited package the city can afford. Neighbors coming together to develop a vision and do fundraising resulted in the improvements you have enjoyed for several years now at Witherbee Park. Join us August 7th at Tabitha's LifeQuest Center at 48th and J Street to review, plan, dream.



About Your Witherbee Neighborhood Association

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33rd to 56th & 'O' to Randolph

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7:00 p.m. first Thursday of each
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President's Message

Ah, it's mid-summer. This includes heat, humidity, mosquitoes, barbecues, Shakespeare in the park, runs and biking on the trails, day lilies, and dandelions. A favorite summer Witherbee activity is our Annual Ice Cream social and Swim Party at Woods Park. Please join us for our annual celebration of neighborhood living in midtown Lincoln. See details in this newsletter.

We have several new initiatives in the planning stages including a Welcome Wagon team to greet new residents as they move into the neighborhood, renovations to Stuhr Park, and more. Please join us at any of our monthly meetings to learn more and join in our efforts to make and keep Witherbee a great neighborhood.

Special thanks go out to Bryan Hurst and Dan Wesolowski for coordinating our Annual Neighborhood Cleanup in May, and all who have helped and supported our activities this year.



Rick Bagby

Witherbee Connect, a Simple Update

By Kathy Stastny

Witherbee Connect has been really quiet for a while. That must mean all is well in our neighborhood. We do want you to know all questions and concerns are welcome.

I have been thinking about summer and what it is all about. With people outside it is a good time to meet or reconnect with our neighbors. One opportunity is when you are walking. We can feel more connected with a wave to the neighbor sitting on their front porch. Or if they are digging weeds stop for a quick visit. Making your neighbor your friend can take just a few minutes and a warm smile. One never knows when you may need a cup of sugar or a tool.

Our neighbors had a potluck several times. It was a lot of fun and the kids loved it. I guess we need to do it again. The key is to make it simple, just a flyer to invite everyone, a few yards of green grass, some tables and chairs. I had not thought of it before but if you have people that play instruments bring them along. Even a silly skit would be fun. I am not good at entertaining but every neighborhood has some talented people.

Our neighborhood has many families that have lived here for generations. I love hearing about what it was like many years ago. There is lots of history in these older neighbors. When I first moved into my house there was a lady next door that had lived in her house for many years. I loved talking to her. I still remember some of the things she told me, and treasure the memory.

A neighborhood watch is another way to connect. Having awareness and several pairs of eyes can keep a neighborhood safer. Just a thought.

Well I am rambling so will tie this up as I think you get the idea on simple ways to Connect. Enjoy your summer and friends/neighbors. Who knows, maybe they had a very successful crop of tomatoes they will share.



Kathy Stastny
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WNA Welcome Wagon Initiative to Be Topic of September Meeting

Come to the Witherbee Neighborhood Association meeting Thursday, September 4th at 7 p.m., at Tabitha's LifeQuest Center at 48th and J Street where WNA will discuss the Welcome Wagon program.

Why should the WNA welcome folks moving into our neighborhood:

- To give them a sense of community right from the start and introduce them to the Witherbee Neighborhood Association.
- New home owners have chosen to call Witherbee home.
- New home owners are a continually renewing group (approx. 75 people or families per year) that WNA looks to continually reach out to. During the past 12 months there were between five and ten new home owners each month.
- We want to pass onto them the tradition we have of being a great neighborhood to live in.

Ideas to be discussed at the meeting:

- Invite the new home owners from the past 12 months to an open house/meet and greet/reception at Tabitha.
- Offer them membership for \$5 for the first year. (It could be a gift and an opportunity for them to invest/engage in WNA)
- Looking forward – establish a gift pack program to possibly include gifts from WNA businesses, including a traditional fresh loaf of bread or a dozen cookies. The welcome wagon packs would be delivered by Board members to new homeowners within 60 days of their home purchase. If a business feels it couldn't provide 75 gifts/year, we could make packs using fewer gifts from each business, but work with more businesses. Also, WNA could budget some funds to help provide the welcome wagon packs.
- WNA could put a T-shirt, brochure and/or newsletter and refrigerator magnet in each pack.

If you think this is a great idea please come to the September meeting to learn, listen, offer thoughts or share your gift of hospitality by getting a little more involved

or even by committing your talents and treasures to the program.

This idea came about by former WNA board member and President Mike Fitzgerald who has generously offered to share his thoughts and lead a discussion to bring the idea to fruition at the September 4th meeting. Please join us!

Stuhr Park Potluck Schedule for 2014

Sunday, Aug. 10th, 6 p.m.

Sunday, Sept. 7th, 6 p.m.

Sunday, Sept. 28th, 6 p.m.

1. Come and join your neighbors in the park.
 2. Plan to share the meal about 6 p.m.
 3. Bring your own table service.
 4. Bring a dish to share, (preferably with food in it).
 5. Ice tea and lemonade drinks will be provided.
 6. Your guests are welcome.
 7. Rain Date - Next Potluck
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Neighborhood Clean Up Day Was Another Success

The WNA spring clean up was a HUGE success with an over flow of volunteers helping countless neighbors dispose of unwanted items properly and safely. To aide and appreciate volunteers with their job local businesses chipped in: Breada donated five trays of food; Hy-Vee provided donuts, coffee and orange juice; and Bread and Cup sent over a delicious tray of breakfast rolls for them.

Those volunteers included FM Lawn Care whose trailers were used for an on site office and neighborhood refuse collection. Outstanding neighbors Dan and Cheryl Wesolowski also provided the use of a pickup to pull the trailer, and also generously donated bottled water.

Niederhaus provided three large rolloffs for general rubbish and scrap metal collection. Two rolloffs were filled with about 3,000 lbs. of unwanted metal and 5.23 tons of rubbish, a record 83 tires from large tractor to riding mower size were collected! A Big Thank you goes to Firestone at 300 N 66th St. for generously accepting the tires at no charge to WNA! Peter from Ecostores was on site with a big trailer. He helped sort out and collect reusable furniture, building materials and appliances. Volunteers Kathy Stastny and Larry Frisch enjoyed their time sorting through boxes of toys, Larry was tickled to find a Power Ranger plush doll along with an exercise bike hoping to be adopted and avoid the scrap heap....and this was a success!

Along with the clean up, the Witherbee Neighborhood Association added two new members which is always a bonus to any clean up day!

A huge thanks goes to Clean Up organizers Bryan Hurst and Dan Weselowski who helped make the whole event a success. A Special thanks goes Cheryl Hejl and Mike Kreikemeier for walking the neighborhood and picking up litter during the event. Thanks to Rick Bagby, Mike Fitzgerald, for their wisdom and expertise. Thank you to volunteers Tony Marquez, Christine Nesmith, Jim Ihrle and all the other volunteers that helped make this event a success.

We collected 983 lbs of items for the Goodwill Neighborhood Challenge at the Clean Up. We collected 2,616 lbs from the Neighborhood garage sales. Amanda Herndon at Goodwill said we came in 3rd place in the Neighborhood Challenge. Way to go WNA neighbors and Volunteers.



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Tabitha Welcomes Community, Connects Elders with Summer Concert Series

Tabitha, your answer for Elder Care, is bringing music to Tabitha Elders and the community with its summer outdoor concert series, Toe Tappin' Tuesdays. For the second consecutive year, concerts will be held once per month on Tuesday evenings in July, Aug. and Sept. on Tabitha's main campus in the heart of Witherbee Neighborhood.

Community members are welcome to join Tabitha's Lincoln campus Elder residents for this free, family-friendly event. Kicking off the series is Paul Ramp on July 15, playing Dixieland jazz classics. The series continues with the Sarabande Jazz Band with Tim Javorsky, bringing soulful tunes to the stage on Aug. 12, and concludes on Sept. 9 with Remember When with Old Friends, a night of 40s hits and show tunes.

"We look forward to welcoming our neighbors to our campus, as community is a guiding principle for our residents throughout our continuum of Elder Care services," said Christie Hinrichs, Tabitha president and CEO. "We are excited for the opportunity to enrich our Elders' lives with music and help to keep them connected in the community we share."

Music begins at 7 p.m. on Tabitha's east lawn near the corner of 48th and Randolph Streets. Free popcorn and lemonade will be available during the concert. Guests are encouraged to bring lawn chairs and blankets.

As a nonprofit organization serving 28 Nebraska counties, Tabitha's love embraces a society where everyone is valued and empowered to live life to the fullest, with compassionate at-home support, innovative living communities, exceptional rehabilitation, health care and hospice services. For answers to all your aging questions, tune in to Tabitha's Answers on Aging, airing each Saturday morning, 9:30 a.m. on KFOR 1240 AM, or subscribe to Tabitha's quarterly magazine, The Answer, at www.Tabitha.org.



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Find Out How to Be Healthier and Smarter at October 2nd WNA Meeting

National Sleep Technologist Appreciation Week is October 6-12. Rick Bagby, Registered Polysomnographic Technologist at Bryan Medical Center, will celebrate early by presenting the latest evidence showing the ways sleep promotes health and wellness at the Oct. 2nd WNA meeting at 7 p.m., at Tabitha's LifeQuest Center at 48th & J St.

What if there was a single thing you could do every day to help yourself and your family be: healthier, smarter, more productive, quicker, friendlier, better looking, more creative, more energetic, and thinner? What if that thing was as simple as ... sleep. Sleep is as essential as diet and exercise, only easier.

By extending sleep time the athletes of Stanford University improved free throw and three pointer shooting percentages by 9%. Swimmers reduced turn times by 0.5 second, and sprinters shaved 4% off a 282 ft. sprint. Did you know growth hormone is released in deep sleep and almost no other time of the day? That alcohol is not a good night-cap? That studying awhile then getting a good night's sleep results in better test scores than extended study time? A good night's sleep reduces the sensation of pain? Did you know that fatigue multiplies the mental and physical impairments of drinking alcohol?

Many factors affect sleep time and sleep quality. What should you be looking for to know if you could be helped through better sleep? Join us to find out.

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Hamilton House Has New Owner

By Mike Fitzgerald

The historic Hamilton house at 3530 J Street has a new owner. Tim Foster is a Witherbee native and resident who purchased the property in February and has begun the multi-faceted task of restoring the house and property.

Foster studied at Nebraska Wesleyan University and works as a mechanical engineer and project manager. His job involves travel, but the fact that he lives next door to the property means that he can work on it evenings and weekends and does not have to waste time traveling to and from the property. Interestingly, when Arthur and Effie Edgren were building the home in 1922, they lived in the adjacent home at 3540 J Street.

“I wanted to purchase the property because I didn’t want to see the house demolished, the building materials sold and the lot divided up for duplexes,” Foster said.

He added, “Like a lot of people, I was attracted to the appeal it had in the neighborhood. For many years, that’s where you went to get your pictures taken. For most people - they got their formal pictures taken either at Hamilton’s or at Butler’s. I wanted to do the project - this house.”

Modifications made to the house over the years weren’t structural, which will make renovation easier,” Foster said. “When all the work is done it’ll be nice.” He added, it is apparent that the first floor was designed for entertaining, the second floor for living and the third floor could have been used as a dance hall.

“There is a lot of work to do inside and out, but I am encouraged by the fact that all of windows open correctly. The house is fairly true, square and strong.”

During March and April Foster worked on cleaning it out. Cleaning out the basement revealed an interesting item. Rooms were constructed in the basement in 1964 and within the framing of one of the walls, the builder had placed a glass bottle with a note inside. The little time capsule was placed there in December 1964, so Foster intends to open the bottle on the 50th anniversary of when it was closed.

More recently, Foster has done some work on cleaning up the yard and begun trimming some of the trees. For example, he has trimmed trees with branches that were overhanging the house because those branches were not good for the house. The property has several very old and tall Scots Pine Trees that have become victim to the Pine Wilt disease and will have to be taken down. The Scots Pine trees are native to Scotland and Sweden and may provide a connection to the original owners who were also from Sweden. “Hopefully by taking some down we can try to save the others”, Foster said. Soon he hopes to be erecting some scaffolding and platforms for making roof repairs. “I know that with a clay tile roof, you don’t take it all off like you would an asphalt shingle roof. You make repairs one area at a time.”

Foster explained that houses of this age and size have some green elements. “It doesn’t have air conditioning,



Beautiful windows grace Hamilton House

but it is not too hot inside because the thick stone walls and the tile roof keep it cool. Also, the air space under each row of tiles channels warmth from summer sun up and out the peaks. Recently, for instance, when the weather was warm and humid, this house was cool - cooler than the home I live in.”

In addition to working on the house and property, Foster is working to learn more about the ancestors of the Edgrens to see if they might have photos of the home which would help in making historically accurate repairs.

Edgren was born in Sweden in 1884. Living in Lincoln he and his family promoted skiing and were active in the Lincoln Garden Club. Longtime neighbor Hazel Anderson had a pair of skis from that era and she gave them to Foster. “One idea I have is to mount the skis above the fire place in the living room.”



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Liam Kreikemeier checks out the books in Witherbee neighborhood's newest Little Free Library.

Witherbee Little Free Library Opened

Another Little Free Library is open! Witherbee neighborhood's newest library was installed in Russell & Sherri Miller's side yard at 52nd and Lennox Street. As reported in the Winter 2014 edition of the Witherbee Buzz, Mark Holt, a neighborhood resident, built and donated a Little Free Library to WNA. Russell and Sherri offered a space for the library and volunteered to be the library stewards. The Library was installed in June and is already brimming with books.

The Little Free Library is based on the simple concept of sharing a good book. You can visit the library and pick out a book to read. There is no check out procedure, you just take the book and read it. When you are finished reading the book you can return it to the library or share it with a friend. You can also donate a book you own by putting the book in the library.

The library holds several dozen books. On a recent visit there were novels by contemporary authors like Sue Grafton and Dan Brown, there was a Shakespeare play, a few history books on World War II, several children's books and many others. It only took me a minute to select a book by Andrei Codrescu, an author I heard about on NPR's "All Things Considered". I also donated two books. It was quick and fun. I can't wait to start reading my book.

The Little Free Library will soon be registered at the www.littlefreelibrary.org website. It is great to have another Little Free Library in the neighborhood. Thank you Mark Holt and Russell and Sherri Miller.

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GracePointe Assisted Living & Memory Care Suites resident, Jim, shows off his fast pitch while Board of Directors member, Sandy Latshaw cheers him on.



A carnival guest takes a shot at a carnival game run by Darcie Brink, Tabitha VP of finance.

Tabitha Residents Celebrate Summer at Annual Carnival

Tabitha's Lincoln campus residents joined together last week for an evening of street games, picnic food and entertainment for the third annual Green House® Carnival held June 19. The event welcomed over 700 family members, employees, neighbors and Tabitha Elders from the living communities of GracePointe Assisted Living & Memory Care Suites, Journey House SNF for Hospice Care, Tabitha Nursing and Rehabilitation Center, Tabitha Village Independent Living Apartments and the hosts, residents from all four Tabitha Green House homes.

"I am extremely proud of our Tabitha team members who have created this unique and unforgettable carnival experience for our residents, now in its third year," said Tabitha President and CEO, Christie Hinrichs. "The Tabitha Green House carnival brings joy and excitement to Elders' lives and gives our Lincoln campus the opportunity to interact with the community we serve. We are thrilled to create an environment where our entire Tabitha family of Elders, their loved ones, our team members and the neighborhood can come together to celebrate life and the beginning of summer."

Harry, a Tabitha resident, declared the carnival to be, "good for 90-year-olds and 2-year-olds."

The carnival came to life based on the vision of Green House home residents, the determination and hard work from Tabitha staff members, and the partnership from community sponsors such as Hyland Dairy, Temple Baptist Church and VVS Canteen. Community volunteers from Ameritas, Cornhusker Bank, Kidwell, Pinnacle Bank and Target also came to lend a hand.

Tabitha's four Green House homes, located just north of the organization's main campus in the heart of Lincoln,

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are a departure from traditional long-term care and exist to provide a de-institutionalized option that accommodates the unique lifestyle preferences of every resident. Each house is home to 9-12 Elders who enjoy life on their own terms while receiving compassionate skilled nursing care. Green House homes are a unique and innovative living community environment that support Tabitha's mission by promoting the individuality and dignity of Elders no longer able to stay in their own homes.

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truck, police car, music and more. You will have the rare opportunity to visit in person with Captain Martin Ferringier of the Lincoln Police Department who serves our area of town. Captain Ferringier has shown his commitment to providing timely response to neighbor's concerns with his recent opening of a Twitter account which provides yet another avenue of communicating with LPD.



Tony Church will play 12-string guitar this year.

Lincoln Fire and Rescue will have Truck 7 on display in the parking lot. If you make an emergency medical call, it is likely that the Truck 7 crew will be the first ones at your door. Come and meet them, and ask plenty of questions.

So come one, come all, and enjoy a wonderful night of activities! Plan to join us and make this year's event the biggest and best ever. It's a great way to meet new neighbors or get to know old ones better, and the price can't be beat for a fun family evening. All neighbors and their guests are welcome regardless of whether they are members of WNA.

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How to Pull Off Mix and Match

By Sharon Cochrane

Okay, so supposedly summer is really here and we are all settled into our summer retreats – lakes, mountains, backyard pools. Well, most of us, anyway....

NOT. Well, I have suffered the four letter word syndrome --- MOVE!!! After meeting a super guy last year, deciding to give up my cute little Spanish Colonial Revival Bungalow (look it up on Google), listing both our houses, we bought a gorgeous move-in ready townhouse, he moved in first, my house sold after 3 days (you go WNA!!!), and then I had to tackle the chore of mixing the two styles of “US” while I moved in.

As they say online, OMG!! My style is very mixed up, kinda like me. Lots of stuff with many patterns, and old and contemporary things and artwork that smacks of many different styles and personal canvasses painted after days sequestered in my basement with my neighbor who graduated BFA from Wesleyan.

My guy’s style however, is dictated by his adventures traveling all over the world. You name it..Peru, Ecuador, India, China, Brazil, Iran....you get the message. Well, he brought stuff back from all those places: textiles, artwork, statuary, and more. As I said before, Eeek!!! What the heck am I supposed to do with all this stuff?

If you have ever been faced with this kind of dilemma – combining things of many styles, the first thing to do is to sort everything into colors? To sort everything into textures? To go running into the street? I preferred the latter. But after a valium, I considered the sorting method to be the best way to go. I prefer to start with quality, get the best for your dollar, so to speak. So I culled both our batches for quality.



June Yard of the Month

By Jeff and Dawn Worrall

A drive along “L” street will take you to the June Yard of the Month, with not one address but two! 3710 and 3712 L Street.

Linda Ayres and Ann McNamara have lived in the side by side duplex for 15 years plus as neighbors and friends.

Together they have created their own little oasis. Each year they purchase annuals to go along with the many perennials in the yard. Its a little different each year, but always turns out wonderful!



Sharon Cochrane

Almost neck-and-neck with quality, of course, came the big one: sentiment. My guy – let’s give him a name – Paul, had this big honking trunk that stood in the middle of his living room serving as a coffee table. It was considerably taller (24”) than your conventional coffee table (16”). And being dark brown, you could hardly hide it anywhere.

It turned out to be one of his faves and HAD to be included in the décor of our place. It now proudly serves as the home of our new 42” TV in our great room that has a 15’ ceiling. Ah, the blessings of proportions.

Next I considered color and texture. Paul’s travels put him in countries that traditionally produced bright colors and in the case of the Asian countries some very luxe textures. I believe in my last article I mentioned that playing a rich texture off of a “poor” texture is a very good way to gain attention in a room, so here I had much to work with.

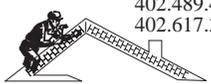
After putting things together, calling the Salvation Army and Catholic Social Services for some left-overs, Craig’s list for other items, and filling a corner of the basement, we took a few minutes off to have some fun.... We went out and bought a few things to help tie our stuff together!!! Yippee...shopping!!!!

We “moved” the location of an otherwise tiny dining room to a larger solarium-type room and bought a 60” round dining table for it. Two existing arm chairs and two slipper chairs of different patterns and a totally different patterned rug, my china cabinet and a mirror to die for that we stole for only \$75 on sale complete the place.

So, you see, it can be done. We are having a party this Saturday night (another eek) and if it all goes well, I will be here again next issue with a few more tips on enjoying your hearth and home. With best wishes for a safe and happy summer,

Sharon

Editors Note: Sharon has become a regular contributor to the Witherbee Buzz for her expertise in Design. Sharon would welcome questions you may have about your design challenges. She can be reached at 402-328-0318.



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WNA Calendar

Membership not required for any meeting or event.

Sunday, Aug. 3rd — 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., Ice Cream Social and Swim Party at Woods Park and Tennis Center (see page 1).

Thursday, Aug. 7th — 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. WNA monthly meeting, featuring Stuhr Park Renovation Ideas. (see page 1). Tabitha LifeQuest Center conference room, 48th and J.

Sunday, Aug. 10th — 6 p.m. Stuhr Park Potluck (see page 3)

Tuesday, August 12th— Back to School for LPS

Tuesday, Aug. 12th — 7 p.m. Tabitha Concert Series Sarabande Jazz Band and Tim Javorsky (see page 5)

Monday, Sept. 1st — Happy Labor Day

Thursday, Sept. 4th — 7 p.m. to 9 p.m., WNA Monthly meeting, featuring WNA Welcome Wagon Initiative. Tabitha LifeQuest Center conference room, 48th and J. (see page 3).

Sunday, Sept. 7th — 6 p.m. Stuhr Park Potluck (see page 3)

Tuesday, Sept. 9th — 7 p.m. with Remember When with Old Friends, a night of King 40s hits and show tunes. (see page 5)

Sunday, Sept. 28th, 6 p.m. — Stuhr Park Potluck (see page 3)

Thursday, Oct. 2nd — 7 p.m. to 9 p.m., WNA Monthly meeting, featuring Bryan Health Sleep Technologist Rick Bagby LifeQuest Center conference room, 48th and J. (see page 5).

Monday, Oct. 13th — Happy Columbus Day

Thursday, Nov. 6th — Annual WNA Meeting



May Yard of the Month

By Jeff and Dawn Worrall

With April showers bring May flowers, so the story goes. It was a late start to the blooming season, with all of the spring rains, one home stood out with beautiful blooms all across the yard.

May Yard of the Month goes to Gracie & David Morris who live at 3540 J Street. This was a wonderful surprise for Gracie to come home to, as she happened to be out of town when we stopped by with the sign for the yard.

You will find an assortment of beautiful blooms of every color, shape and size. It has taken many years to create this ever blooming yard. So if you get a chance be sure to drive by, the house is framed by flowers and foliage on all sides. A beautiful sight to see.



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WNA neighbors gathered last year to enjoy the Free Swim and Free Ice Cream Social.

Your Witherbee Neighborhood Association and Super Saver Present

Eighth Annual

Witherbee Pool Party and Ice Cream Social

FREE!

FREE!

Sidewalk chalk-drawing and activities for children provided.

Woods Tennis pros will provide court time, rackets, balls, and tips.

Walgreens giveaways.

Sunday, August 3rd

Pool Time: 6 to 7:30 p.m.

Ice Cream: 6 to 8 p.m.

Woods Pool
and Plaza Area

All Witherbee residents,
surrounding neighbors and
their guests welcome
to this free event.



and



WNA is providing the the free pool time, music, and SuperSaver is providing the free ice cream.

Woods Tennis Center is providing tennis racquets, balls, & tips.

Walgreens is providing chalk and giveaways.