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Scenes from last year's National Nigh Out:



National Night Out

I Scream, you scream, we all scream for ICE CREAM! Our ice cream social for National Night Out is coming up on August 7th. This event is celebrated all throughout the country on the first Tuesday in August every year to bring neighborhoods together for safety awareness- a strong neighborhood has less crime because people watch out for their neighbors. We'll have fire trucks and police cars making appearances, games for the kids, and lots of cold, yummy ice cream and toppings. Come by anytime between 6pm-8pm in the park at the intersection of Springwood and S. Lindell. See you there!



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Be a Responsible Dog Owner

It is against Guilford County ordinance to allow your dog to run free, even in city parks (Bark Park is an exception.) You can be fined for having an unleashed dog, \$25-\$500 depending on the offense. So please keep your dog leashed whenever you're out exercising. Even if your pet is obedient and mild mannered, you never know when the presence of another dog or small child could set off your dog and lead to possible injury. And don't forget to pick up behind your dog! The Park is well stocked with "doggie doo" bags. Use them (or carry your own) and dispose of them properly. Be considerate of your neighbors. No one wants to find a mess in their front yard or, even worse, on the bottom of their feet or shoes. Yuck!

Lindley Pool

The Lindley Park pool is open for business and the water feels great! Admission is only \$1 for those 12 and under, \$2 for 13 and up.

Lindley Pool

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Facility Schedule: Mid-June through Late August:

Swimming Team Practices: Mondays-Saturdays 7:30-9 am, Mondays-Fridays, 5:30-8 pm
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From the Chair

by Lauren Smith

Are you ready for Summer? Have you stocked up on the sunscreen, bug spray, and charcoal? Finalized your summer reading list? Is the vegetable garden tilled, planted, fertilized, and watered? Enrolled the kids in camp and made vacation reservations? How about those long delayed home improvement projects? Summer's just barely started, are you tired yet? It takes a lot of time and effort to find rest and relaxation. So here's my recipe for a fun, easy, Lindley Park Summer Day: Wake up early, have a cup of coffee, and put on your walking shoes. Then head out the door for a stroll around the neighborhood or through the Arboretum. Leave your ear buds at home so you can hear the chirping birds and buzzing insects. See how many varieties of flowers you can identify. Deliver your neighbor's newspaper to their doorstep. Once back home, pick up a book and knock out a couple chapters. Later on, get lunch "to go" from one of our local restaurants and have a picnic in the park with the kids. Don't forget the soccer ball! After everyone's run around for a while, cool off and get refreshed at Lindley Pool. With all that exercise, a brief snooze is in order, preferably on your deck or patio accompanied by an ice cold beverage. Then finally, invite a couple neighbors over for a "thrill on the grill", entrée and drinks from the Bestway, of course. And there's your Summer day, feel free to adjust the ingredients more or less depending on your personal preference. Have a great Summer!

FYI

"FRIEND"
LINDLEY PARK
If you're a Facebook fan, join the 1,048 others who have "friended" the neighborhood through the page, "Lindley Park—Greensboro, NC." It's a quick and easy way to post a note, ask a question, share photos, and stay up-to-date.

LP ITEMS FOR SALE

- Lindley Park T-Shirts (\$15)
- History of LP books (\$12)
- Bumper Stickers (\$3)

All items are sold at Bestway, with the t shirt proudly displayed at the front of the store!

Thanks to Our Supporters

Listed on page 12 of the Columns are members of the LPNA that made a financial contribution to our Association. With that support we were able to sponsor the Easter Egg Hunt, Spring Fling, Fall Fest and Luminaries as well as support our web site. Thank you! Also, thanks to the advertisers in the Columns we were able to continue publishing.

The Columns cost around \$585.00 per issue to print 1250 copies.

We need to support those that advertise. A huge thank you goes to the unheralded folks that deliver the newsletter to every door. It is the neighborly involvement that makes Lindley Park so great.

Need an extra copy?

Lindley Park Columns is available at a number of local businesses. Stop by one of these shops and grab a copy.

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Music in the Park in Lindley Park

As part of the MUSEP Series (Music Sunday Evening in the Park) sponsored by The Music Center, City Arts of Greensboro, Lindley Park will again be the site of two concerts. The concerts are:

August 26 - A double-feature; "Doby" (Funk, Soul) at 6 p.m. to be followed by "Groovin' Band (Beach Music).

The location within the park is Starmount Drive at West Market Street and Wendover Avenue. Just follow the crowd! You don't have to bring a thing to enjoy these concerts but most will pack blankets or lawn chairs and a picnic supper. Admission is free. Come and be part of the fun!

The full schedule of concerts can be found at <http://musep.info>.

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Flag Etiquette

We've just had Flag Day, and the Fourth of July is right around the corner. Here's a reminder of proper flag etiquette:

The Flag Code, which formalizes and unifies the traditional ways in which we give respect to the flag, also contains specific instructions on how the flag is not to be used. They are:

The flag should never be dipped to any person or thing. It is flown upside down only as a distress signal.

The flag should not be used as a drapery, or for covering a speakers desk, draping a platform, or for any decoration in general. Bunting of blue, white and red stripes is available for these purposes. The blue stripe of the bunting should be on the top.

The flag should never be used for any advertising purpose. It should not be embroidered, printed or otherwise impressed on such articles as cushions, handkerchiefs, napkins, boxes, or anything intended to be discarded after temporary use. Advertising signs should not be attached to the staff or halyard

The flag should not be used as part of a costume or athletic uniform, except that a flag patch may be used on the uniform of military personnel, fireman, policeman and members of patriotic organizations.

The flag should never have placed on it, or attached to it, any mark, insignia, letter, word, number, figure, or drawing of any kind.

The flag should never be used as a receptacle for receiving, holding, carrying, or delivering anything.



COOL, COOL WATER? Summer's just begun, and there's a lot of good swimming weather ahead, so one day of grass cutting at Lindley Park when it means a free pass to the pool is nothing—but hard work to Dan Bullen, left, of 2620 Springwood Drive and Tommy Martin of 4325 Cornell Avenue. That liquid refreshment may be Lindley Pool water. (Record photo.)

Lindley Park, back in the day. (circa early 1950s)

Photo provided by Martha and Ken Lund, 611 S Lindell Rd.

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Memorial Day Extravaganza

Memorial Day 2012 was a day of service, music and fun thanks to Lindley Park neighbors Pete and Anne Schroth and their sons Angus and Otto. Over one hundred guests of all ages gathered in the Schroth's yard to share a potluck meal complete with brats and veggie burgers, a keg of Buckshot generously provided by Sticks and Stones and Fishbones proprietor Neil Rietzel, and listen to not one but two live bands, Elliot Brood from Canada and Al Scorch from Chicago. Pete and Anne, longtime supporters of independent bands saw the occasion not only as a way to introduce their friends to some great new music, but as an opportunity to help those less fortunate in our community. Guests were asked to bring canned goods to help stock the shelves at Urban Ministries, and by the time the music stopped, four hundred and sixteen pounds of food had been collected and a good time was had by all.



Lindley Loop 5k

by Michael Van Patter

Hope Chapel, a neighborhood church, is conducting a fundraising race on July 14th. All proceeds from the race will go toward purchasing e-reading devices (Kindles) for Lindley, Jones, and Foust Elementary schools. Please consider participating and inviting your friends. Or, if you are just interested in donating money for Kindles and not participate in the race, that's fine too!

For more information, online registration, and online donations, please visit <http://www.lindleyloop.com>.

And if you need more incentive to join the fun, read this message from Lindley's principle:

"...We are advertising this event and are very appreciative of the run. I have laid down a challenge to the principals of the other two schools... sooooo ... even if you are not planning to run, come out and cheer your principal and Lindley teachers on!"

Aaron Woody, Ed.D.
Principal
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Use Large Numbers

Every single family house should use numbers that are at least three inches high. The numbers should face the correct street.

Color

The color of your address numbers must contrast with the background.

Placement

Address numbers must be placed within three feet of the front entrance to the house or in a location that can be seen from the street in both directions.

Locate Near the Road

If your house is not visible from the street, post numbers so they are clearly visible from the road.

Maintenance

Several times per year, trim the bushes, vines, flowers, and weeds so that all numbers are visible.

For any questions, contact the City of Greensboro Planning and Community Development Department at (336)-373-2144.

Ideas for the Newsletter

We would love to have you participate in the Columns by submitting articles you feel would be interesting or beneficial to the neighborhood. We would love to have submissions from your kids also (artwork, writing, photos, etc.). Do you have a neighbor with an interesting story to tell? Do you have neighbors that are new to the area? Write us about it. We are always interested in any history of the neighborhood that you may know about or have a connection to.

What makes this neighborhood great is the strong sense of community and the diversity of our residents. The Columns serves as glue to connect us to one another. It is one of the reasons we are the envy of other in-town neighborhoods!

Please send all submissions to roobait@msn.com. Keep in mind that the newsletter is published about every other month with deadlines on (or about) the 1st of Feb., April, June, Aug., Oct. and Dec.

Thanks for making LP great!

Please Support LPNA!

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Participatory Budgeting Public Control over Public Money

As a guest speaker at the LPNA May General Meeting, Marnie Thompson presented an informational discussion on the Participatory Budget concept that may be up for consideration with the GSO City Council. Basically, Participatory Budgeting (PB) is a democratic process in which community members directly decide on how to spend and manage part of the public budget. Essentially, it gives citizens real decision-making power over real money. There are many working models of PB, but a typical process is as follows:

Neighborhood Assemblies: members identify local needs & priorities and choose budget delegates to represent the neighborhoods

Delegate Meetings: those delegates get assistance from experts to turn ideas into proposals

Voting: the proposals are offered to the community to vote for their choices

Implementation: projects are implemented by staff and monitored by the community

PB has spread over the past 20 years to over 1000 cities internationally. Currently, the GSO PB Project is urging City Council to commit to and launch a PB Task Force/Steering Committee. If successful, the next step would be to appoint and educate said steering committee, who would then be charged with designing an acceptable Participatory process that would suit the city's needs. According to the desired timeframe, ballot construction and voting processes may happen as early as September 2013.

For more information, please visit the organization's website at <http://greensboropb.org/>.

Summer Adventures Program

The 4-H Youth Development with Guilford County Cooperative Extension is pleased to offer their 2012 Summer Adventures Program. Below is a list of the workshops being offered. To receive a Summer Adventures Guide with all the workshop details, contact Pam Marshall at 375-5876 or pamela_marshall@ncsu.edu

2012 4-H Summer Workshops

Summer Gardening Camp - youth will learn gardening skills, cook with fresh produce, create nature arts and crafts

Make Something Happen - ride the city bus, tour downtown Greensboro, celebrate Flay Day in High Point, volunteer at Urban Ministry, and visit a local nursing home

Sew Much Fun - learn the art of quilting as you make your own "mini" quilt

How It Works - experiment as a scientist using the microscope, learn what happens behind the scenes in motorsports, visit Time Warner Cable for an exciting science program

4-H Investigates - become a detective by solving a crime through fingerprint analysis, DNA evidence and much more

Discovering Differences - learn about the Hispanic and African cultures and also gain awareness about disabilities

4-H Camp - residential camp at Millstone 4-H Center in Ellerbe

Discovery Camp - Go fishing, make bubbles, have a tea party, discover bugs and insects and so much more

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The flag should be cleaned and mended when necessary.

When a flag is so worn it is no longer fit to serve as a symbol of our country, it should be destroyed by burning in a dignified manner.

When the flag is displayed from a staff projecting from a window, balcony, or a building, the union should be at the peak of the staff unless the flag is at half staff.

When the flag is displayed over a street, it should be hung vertically, with the union to the north or east. If the flag is suspended over a sidewalk, the flag's union should be farthest from the building.

When flown with flags of states, communities, or societies on separate flag poles which are of the same height and in a straight line, the flag of the United States is always placed in the position of honor - to its own right.

..The other flags may be smaller but none may be larger.

..No other flag ever should be placed above it.

..The flag of the United States is always the first flag raised and the last to be lowered.

When flown with the national banner of other countries, each flag must be displayed from a separate pole of the same height. Each flag should be the same size. They should be raised and lowered simultaneously. The flag of one nation may not be displayed above that of another nation.

The flag should be raised briskly and lowered slowly and ceremoniously. Ordinarily it should be displayed only between sunrise and sunset. It should be illuminated if displayed at night.

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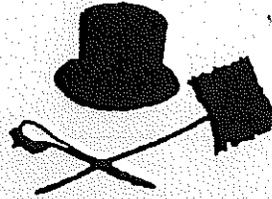
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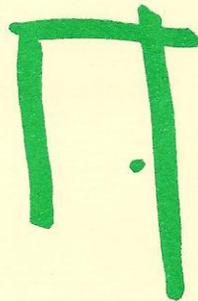


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Symptoms of Tickborne Illness

Many tickborne diseases can have similar signs and symptoms. If you have been bitten by a tick and develop the symptoms below within a few weeks, a health care provider should evaluate the following before deciding on a course of treatment:

- Your symptoms
- The geographic region in which you were bitten
- Diagnostic tests, if indicated by the symptoms and the region where you were bitten

The most common symptoms of tick-related illnesses are:

- Fever/chills: With all tickborne diseases, patients can experience fever at varying degrees and time of onset.
- Aches and pains: Tickborne disease symptoms include headache, fatigue, and muscle aches. With Lyme disease you may also experience joint pain. The severity and time of onset of these symptoms can depend on the disease and the patient's personal tolerance level.
- Rash: Lyme disease, southern tick-associated rash illness (STARI), Rocky Mountain spotted fever (RMSF), ehrlichiosis, and tularemia can result in distinctive rashes:

- o In Lyme disease, the rash may appear within 3-30 days, typically before the onset of fever. The Lyme disease rash is the first sign of infection and is usually a circular rash called erythema migrans or EM. This rash occurs in approximately 70-80% of infected persons and begins at the site of a tick bite. It may be warm, but is not usually painful. Some patients develop additional EM lesions in other areas of the body several days later.
- o The rash of (STARI) is nearly identical to that of Lyme disease, with a red, expanding "bulls eye" lesion that develops around the site of a lone star tick bite. Unlike Lyme disease, STARI has not been linked to any arthritic or neurologic symptoms.
- o The rash seen with Rocky Mountain spotted fever (RMSF) varies greatly from person to person in appearance, location, and time of onset. About 10% of people with RMSF never develop a rash. Most often, the rash begins 2-5 days after the onset of fever as small, flat, pink, non-itchy spots (macules) on the wrists, forearms, and ankles and spreads to the trunk. It sometimes involves the palms and soles. The red to purple, spotted (petechial) rash of RMSF is usually not seen until the sixth day or later after onset of symptoms and occurs in 35-60% of patients with the infection.
- o In the most common form of tularemia, a skin ulcer appears at the site where the organism entered the body. The ulcer is accompanied by swelling of regional lymph glands, usually in the armpit or groin.

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Symptoms of Tickborne Illness,
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o In about 30% of patients (and up to 60% of children), ehrlichiosis can cause a rash. The appearance of the rash ranges from macular to maculopapular to petechial, and may appear after the onset of fever.

Tickborne diseases can result in mild symptoms treatable at home to severe infections requiring hospitalization. Although easily treated with antibiotics, these diseases can be difficult for physicians to diagnose. However, early recognition and treatment of the infection decreases the risk of serious complications. So see your doctor immediately if you have been bitten by a tick and experience any of the symptoms described here.

UPCOMING EVENTS

JULY 4	Music in the Park (White Oak)
JULY 7	WalkerFEST
JULY 14	Lindley Loop 5k
JULY 15	Music in the Park (Barber Park)
JULY 22	Music in the Park (Guilford College)
JULY 29	Music in the Park (Nat. Military Park)
AUGUST 7	National Night Out
AUGUST 26	Music in the Park (Lindley Park)

WalkerFEST

You're invited to the 2nd annual WalkerFEST! It's time to get out in the street and celebrate one of Greensboro's most lively neighborhoods at WalkerFEST. WalkerFEST will be held on Saturday, July 7th, 2012 from 12:30-8pm.

The success of last year's WalkerFEST has helped organizers from Live Original Local build momentum and excitement as they work on the festival this year. With the attendance of last year's festival topping out at over 4,100 people, this year is guaranteed to be a fun gathering of people from the Lindley Park Neighborhood and beyond.

Live Original Local, started by Georgia Frierson and Daniel Yount, organizes events that bring together live music, original art & craft vendors, and local businesses. The group has organized other events in Greensboro, including the Tate Street Festival and showcases at venues in Greensboro and Winston Salem, but none have been as fun or rewarding to work on as WalkerFEST, according to co-organizer Georgia Frierson. "WalkerFEST a great event to work on because of the support we receive from the businesses, musicians, neighborhood, artists, volunteers, and people from all over Greensboro. So many people told me how much they enjoyed last year's festival, so it was easy to get excited about planning it again."

Like last year's festival, WalkerFEST will feature five acts on the main stage and a couple on the corner stage. The line up includes everything from salsa to rock to world music to funk. The performers include: Holy Ghost Tent Revival, Orquesta GarDel, The Brand New Life, Hammer No More The Fingers, No BS Brass Band, Ranford Almond, and more.

While you listen to the eclectic music from the two stages, you can also shop from a variety of art & craft vendors selling their work. The vendors will be selling handmade clothing, handcrafted toys, pottery, soap, jewelry, and more.

And if you get hungry (or thirsty!) while you're at WalkerFEST, stop in to one of the many storefronts on Walker Ave. The businesses on Walker Ave. make the festival possible and all of the business owners are excited to have the opportunity to be involved. Like last year, many of the establishments are planning food and drink specials for the day.

The excitement continues to build as WalkerFEST nears! For more information about the bands, to find out more about becoming a vendor, or to get in touch with the organizers of WalkerFEST, please visit www.liveoriginallocal.com.





Lindley Park Neighborhood Association Supporters, 2012

With neighbor support, the association is able to sponsor the annual Easter Egg Hunt, Spring Fling, Fall Fest, and Holiday Luminaries. Your contributions also helped launch our Lindley Park Web site.

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Name(s): _____ Address: _____

Email: _____ Home Phone: _____

PLEASE CHECK YOUR INTEREST(S):

- Environmental Issues
- FUN-raising
- Park Preservation
- Website
- PublicSafety/Public Words (speeding, burglary, sidewalks, etc)
- Zoning Issues
- Neighborhood Loing-Range Plan
- Social Activities (spring, fall events & Christmas Luminaries)
- Newsletter Volunteer — help distribute in your area

\$\$ household contribution enclosed (\$15 suggested) \$ _____ Date: _____

Please make checks payable to LPNA and mail to: LPNA c/o Shawn McGovern, 2613 Beechwood St., Greensboro, NC 27403