



# Patterson Park

July 2014

## A Word from the President

*This summer has been an exceptionally busy one in our neighborhood, and at Jane Newcom Park. The upcoming PICNIC on Saturday, August 9 is a great time to enjoy food, cornhole, and kids' activities, and to see the progress on our Jane Newcom Park shelter!*



*The shelter is being transformed into a giant piece of art, through the joint talents of artists from Spire Arts/Montgomery County Board of Developmental Disability Services and some of our very own Patterson Park neighbors! The finished mural will be sprayed with an anti-graffiti coating, paid for by the Keep Montgomery County Beautiful grant awarded to us. Many of our dedicated volunteers will be at the picnic- please take a moment to thank them!*

*Several more projects to improve Patterson Park are on the horizon. We need YOU, our neighbors, to play a role. Volunteer as little as an hour, or as much as you want, for one or more of our activities. You'll be helping us to continue improving our community, meet some neighbors, and have some fun!*

*Put August 9 at noon on your calendar now, and join us at Jane Newcom Park for our best picnic ever!*

*~Evelyn*

## Officers

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## Do You Love Music, or Have a Musical Talent??

Plans are underway for a monthly "open mic" night beginning this fall!

Anyone wishing to participate is welcome, and all neighbors are invited to attend and enjoy! If you have a musical talent and are interested in being involved, contact Jim Cook, 251-4490,

[jamesvincentcook@yahoo.com](mailto:jamesvincentcook@yahoo.com).

## Coming Soon:

- Saturday Aug 9- Annual Picnic
- September 16- Garden Club Meeting and Plant Exchange

## Jane Newcom Park Shelter Mural Project

The on-going mural project is a great reflection of all the hard work our Patterson Park residents put into keeping our neighborhood beautiful! The final stage of this project offers the chance for our neighbors to commemorate their households commitment to this cause.



For \$20 your family can help fund this ongoing beautification project. With this donation sponsors names will be added to the handmade plaque to be hung on the shelter. Please help support our efforts in keeping Patterson Park the best place to live in Dayton, Ohio.

Call Lauren Stukenborg at (937) 657-0138 or email at [stukie77@gmail.com](mailto:stukie77@gmail.com) for more information

**Join the Patterson Park Civic Association today— Just one dollar per month! Only \$12 per year!  
Dues can be paid at the Neighborhood Picnic.**

## Safety

At the Patterson Park Picnic on August 9th, the police will have several officers present to mingle with the residents and answer questions. They will also address the Operation Identification Program which is a burglary prevention program for use in the home or business. By marking your valuables with an ultraviolet pen or by entering your information in a central database, law enforcement can better detect, identify and return stolen or lost property to its rightful owner. They will have ultraviolet pens available for residents to take home and mark their valuables. Also note that the Patterson Park Neighborhood Watch Program is an excellent venue for keeping apprised of crime in the neighborhood and how to help prevent it. Anyone wanting to join the Neighborhood Watch email list should send a request to [BillKinzig@gmail.com](mailto:BillKinzig@gmail.com).

## Annual Neighborhood Picnic

Saturday, August 9, 2014 beginning at  
12:00 noon.  
Jane Newcom Park

**FREE for all Patterson Park Residents!**  
FREE food and games at our annual picnic.  
Always a hit!



The fun will include:

- Burgers, hot dogs, fried chicken, and plenty of sides!
- Fun games for kids and adults
- Neighborhood safety information from the Dayton Police Dept.
- Cornhole tournament for adults and teens
- Great prizes!

Visit with neighbors, enjoy lunch, join in the fun and games, and meet new people in the community! Rain or shine! See you at the park at noon. If you would like to help organize kids activities, please contact Kami: 937-716-3333.



**BUY 2 GAMES AND GET 2 FREE!!**

\*NOT VALID WITH ANY OTHER COUPONS OR OFFERS

\*GOOD ONLY AT THE WILMINGTON AVE LOCATION

## From the Garden Club

The Patterson Park Garden Club announced officers for 2014-15 at its July 15th meeting: Linda Fischbach, President, Kathy Zaidain, V.P., Debra Morgan, Secretary. There are 15 current club members. Over 50 participants toured the 21 gardens featured in the 2014 Garden Tour.

A plant exchange will be part of the September 16th meeting held at 6:30 p.m. at the PP Chinese Christian Church. Please join us!



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