



# Tilles Park Neighborhood Association's Tilles Park News

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## What's on the Agenda??

### ...TPNA Board Elections, Hearty Healthy & More

Join us at the TPNA General Membership Meeting on Tuesday, January 30 at 7p.m. at the SLPOA Hall, 3710 Hampton to learn about the current happenings in the neighborhood.

Items on the agenda include: 2007 Membership Drive, TPNA Committee Reports, updates from the Neighborhood Stabilization Officer, the Second District Police Report, words from our Aldermen and TPNA Board of Directors Elections. We will have a special guest speaker from Optima Heartcare, Inc. (read more below) and a special drawing for member attendance.

The doors will open at 6:45 to allow time to pay your 2007 membership dues.

### ... Get a Healthy Start in the New Year

For most of us, our New Year's resolutions usually include a renewed determination to follow a healthier lifestyle. At our General Meeting on January 30<sup>th</sup>, we will learn from our guest speaker – John R. Raabe, M.D., F.A.C.C. who will speak on HEART, HEALTHY WAYS.

Dr. Raabe is a Board certified cardiologist specializing in nuclear cardiology, echocardiography, vascular ultrasound and cardiac catheterization. His office is in St. Louis at Optima Heartcare, Inc., where their mission is to "provide comprehensive adult and preventive cardiology services in a relaxed atmosphere with care and compassion."

With Dr. Raabe's experience and the information he will share with us, we can all benefit by making 2007 a happier, healthier year.

### ...Board of Directors Election

Elections will be held for five board members at the General Meeting on January 30. Current board members whose terms are expiring are: Tina Kelly, Don Simakoff, Chris Otto, John Koberg and Charlie Schwartz. Note: the list of names printed in the November newsletter was incorrect. It is not too late for you to get involved in the association. Nominations will again be taken prior to the elections.

### ...Here's to Our Health

With the year 2007 now upon us, so are the New Years Resolutions we have made. A popular New Years Resolution is to create a healthier lifestyle for oneself. While thinking about ways to improve your own health, please think about the various ways you can support TPNA in maintaining a healthy neighborhood.

Whether you choose to become a member, renew a membership, volunteer at the park, or support events such as the upcoming Taste of Tilles, you are providing strength and vitality to the neighborhood association.

As you resolve to maintain your health in the New Year by walking with your children to the park playground, going for a jog with your dog, or strolling along our tree-lined streets, please think about your contributions to keeping Tilles Park a safe and healthy neighborhood for you and your family.

TPNA membership dues: \$12 for residents and \$6 for seniors, are currently being accepted for 2007. Join us at our general meeting or mail in your payment along with the membership application found on the back of this newsletter.

We hope 2007 brings health and happiness to all of our TPNA families and friends.

## Taste of Tilles 2007 Planning Underway

The 2007 Taste of Tilles, scheduled for June 2, is fast approaching. If you are new to the neighborhood or unfamiliar with the Taste of Tilles, you will find it's a little different than some of the other "tastes" in the area. To begin with, the Taste of Tilles is actually a restaurant tour, where individuals are transported by free shuttle to participating restaurants in the Tilles Park neighborhood. Those that don't wish to take a shuttle may design their own walking or driving tour.

"Tastes" are obtained by purchasing a ticket book for a reasonable fee. Each book contains five tickets entitling the holder to a taste at up to five different locations. Looking for something sweet? Not to worry. Each ticket book also allows for an enjoyable dessert served at the park while local groups provide various forms of entertainment.

A new committee has been formed and is looking for volunteers to assist with event planning and organization, as well as workers to help out on the day of the event. We have many new ideas and lots to do, so if you are interested in helping out or have any questions, please contact the Taste of Tilles Chairpersons, Jessica or Josh Talboo by e-mail or telephone.

Email: [tasteoftilles@gmail.com](mailto:tasteoftilles@gmail.com) Phone: 314-667-5538

## And the Winners are...

TPNA is pleased to announce the winners of our 2006 Holiday Decorating Contest:

- 1<sup>st</sup> Place – Joseph Mueller & Brent McDowell  
6000 block of Arthur Ave.
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Place – Patrick & Sherry Lundergan  
3800 block of Tamm Ave.
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Place – Francis & Thelma Ratfield  
6000 block of Arthur Ave.

Congratulations to our winners and to all who participated in the contest.

On any drive through our neighborhood, you could view many homes beautifully decorated for the holiday season; and we thank everyone for taking the time to put up their displays and contributing to the sense of pride we all share in being residents of the Tilles Park neighborhood.

## Upcoming Events

You do not want to miss out on any of our upcoming events. We have a lot of activities already in the works for 2007.

Jan 30	7PM	TPNA General Meeting
Mar 17		Newsletter Pickup
Mar 27	7PM	TPNA General Meeting
April 7		TPNA Easter Egg Hunt
June 2		Taste of Tilles

If you would like to help plan any of our upcoming activities or have ideas for other events, please let us know.

## TPNA Classifieds

### Wanted: Park Committee Chair

TPNA is seeking an organized, community minded individual with a green thumb and the ability to delegate park projects to head our Park Committee. The Park has received numerous awards in the past few years and we need someone to help keep it looking good.

If you are interested in volunteering or learning more about the position contact us via e-mail at: [nhampton@stlouis.missouri.org](mailto:nhampton@stlouis.missouri.org) or see a board member at the January meeting.

### THANK YOU THANK YOU

Thanks go out to the newest members of the TPNA Newsletter Delivery Team. You know who you are.

### Newsletter Volunteers Needed for the Following Areas:

- \* Hampton Gardens Apartments
- \* Lindenwood Court Apartments
- \* Lindenwood Hampton to Sulphur
- \* Macklind: Hancock to Chippewa (west side)
- \* Hancock: Hampton to Watson
- \* Watson: Chippewa to Pernod (east side)
- \* Mardel: Watson to Tamm
- \* Chippewa: Sulphur to Macklind (north side)

If you would like to help deliver please indicate on your membership form and return it as soon as possible. If you live in one of these areas and do not receive future newsletters, we did not find a volunteer to deliver to your street. Maybe you and a neighbor could share the route.

**Tilles Park Neighborhood Association**  
**Boundaries: Scanlan/Connecticut, Sublette/Macklind, Chippewa, Watson**  
**PO Box 39478, St. Louis MO 63139 314-832-3495**  
<http://stlouis.missouri.org/northhampton/tpna/index.htm>

**Officers:** President Dan Hagerty, Vice-President Janet Eichhorn, Secretary Ann Dill, Treasurer Liz Sztukowski  
**Board Members:** Janet Dring, Tina Kelly, Don Simakoff, Marianne Stanek, John Koberg, Suzanne Hirth, Andrea Schwartz, Chris Otto, Charlie Schwartz.

**2007 TPNA CORPORATE SPONSORS DIRECTORY**

**Grand Oak Sponsor - \$300**

Bayer's Garden Shop, Inc.	3401 Hampton	781-2314
Bellacino's Pizza & Grinders	Hampton Village	832-9700
Firestone	6211 Chippewa	352-1000

**Majestic Maple Sponsors - \$200**

Remax Associates Plus – Chris Papanickolas	6412 Fyler	283-5775
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**Knotty Pine Sponsors - \$100**

Donut Drive In	6525 Chippewa	645-7714
Fyler Auto Repair	6501 Fyler	644-5995
Hampton Open MRI	3301 Hampton	645-0001
Johnson's Auto Service	5401 Chippewa	351-2116
Timothy McCann, M.D.	3338 Watson	647-0554
Rick Meoli Studio	5550 Fyler	752-5550
Ravetta Photography, Inc.	3131 Hampton	781-4758
Southwest Bank	3280 Hampton	832-3900
Judy McNamara – State Farm Insurance	3304 Watson	781-2290

**2007 Taste of Tilles Sponsors**

Want to become a 2007 Taste of Tilles Sponsor? Contact our chairpersons, Jessica or Josh, or look for our sponsor packet to arrive in your mail. More information on the 2007 Taste of Tilles can be found on the front page.

**Corporate Sponsors & Business Members...  
 ...Improve the Health of Our Neighborhood Association**

December kicked off our Corporate Sponsor & Business Member drive. We want to express our appreciation to the sponsors and businesses who have responded to our appeal. TPNA could not operate on member dues alone. The support of our local businesses allows us to publish our Newsletter, hold free events in the Park, e.g. the annual Easter Egg Hunt and A Night with the Stars in Tilles Park, as well as maintain and improve our park/neighborhood.

The next time you visit one of our Corporate Sponsors, be certain to thank them for their support. See the 2007 TPNA Corporate Sponsor Directory for a list of our current sponsors.

It's not too late. If you are interested in being a corporate sponsor, mail your payment to TPNA, PO Box 39478, St. Louis, MO 63139 in time for our March newsletter.

In addition to the Corporate Sponsors, we have many new Business Members we would like to recognize:

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| Dr. Fred Bauschard – Dermatology Consultants PC | Edward Jones – Anna Eder |
| Biggies Restaurant & Bar                        | Lindell Bank             |
| Colonial Mortuary                               | Watson Auto Repair, Inc. |

**A Note of Thanks....**

The staff and clients of the Hi-Pointe Center wish to enthusiastically thank the Tilles Park Neighborhood Association for our commitment to serving the community with our generous donations – especially in light of recent disastrous weather conditions that would keep the less dedicated individuals huddled in their blankets. Thanks to your generosity at our November meeting we were able to deliver over 150 canned goods, dry goods and health and beauty items to the Hi-Pointe Center.

**Tilles Park Neighborhood Association - 2007 Membership Application**

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Zip:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Dues Category- Please Check One**

- \$6.00 Senior Residential (65 years and over)
- \$12.00 Residential (Tilles Park Resident)
- \$12.00 Associate Residential
- \$25.00 Business, Professional, Organization

**I am interested in volunteering for the following Committees:**

- Newsletter Delivery Team
- Taste of Tilles

**I am interested in receiving more information on the following:**

- Tilles Park Adopt a Flower Bed
- Park Chairperson

**Bring to next meeting or mail with check to: TPNA, PO Box 39478, St. Louis MO 63139**