



40th & A Neighborhood Association

Newsletter

March 2001

Historic Neighborhood-wide Meeting— Two Workshops to Choose From!

Purpose Statement of the 40th & A Neighborhood Association

The purpose of the 40th & A Neighborhood Association is to provide a means whereby citizens living in the neighborhood can plan and work together for a better community. The organization offers the opportunity for residents to: Meet and get acquainted with one another; Become more informed and express views about the issues impacting our neighborhood community; Cooperate with other citizen groups and neighborhood associations to make Lincoln a better community.

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Which workshop will you choose? Are you interested in basic landscaping around your home? Would you like to learn more about the history and future of our neighborhood?

On Tuesday, April 24, at 7 pm, in the Steven Carveth Center of the Lincoln Medical Education Foundation, 4600 Valley Road, you are invited to join your neighbors. Come to meet each other, learn about caring for our yards, hear about our neighborhood's history and learn some ways to preserve what we have.

Two workshops will be offered at the same time. People running for the May school board, city council, and airport authority boards will be invited to attend, to learn more about our area. Refreshments will be served by your neighborhood board.

Don Janssen, Horticulture Educator with the Lancaster County Extension Office will be offering some basic ideas about landscaping your home. If you have just bought a home, have had to make major changes around your home (lose some trees in the October snowstorm?), or just would like to change your "curb appeal," this is the workshop for you. Don is a very entertaining speaker and has lots of ideas for both the novice and experienced gardener. His focus this evening will be "the basics."

The second workshop will join the themes of past & future. Ed Zimmer, the Historic Preservation Planner for the Lincoln Planning Department, *continued on page 2*

Annual Spring Clean-Up

Saturday, May 5th, from 8:00 am to noon, the 40th & A Neighborhood Association will be holding its Annual Spring Clean-up. Eight Dumpsters will be located in the rear parking lot of Bryan Community School, 1801 South 40th Street. This yearly clean-up is funded by a grant from Keep Lincoln and Lancaster County Beautiful. All residents of the neighborhood are welcome to use this opportunity to clean up their own yards.

Neighborhood residents may bring general trash, tree trimmings and brush, but not yard waste (grass or leaves) or hazardous waste. Tires, batteries, appliances, paint, motor oil cannot be accepted. This is a self-directed clean-up, with each resident responsible for taking their own refuse to the Dumpster site.

The first Household Hazardous Waste Collection date for 2001 in Lincoln is Saturday April 21st at the Lincoln/Lancaster County Health Department, 3140 'N Street, south parking lot, from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm. Watch the Neighborhood Extra for more details.

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will present "History In & Around 40th & A," with slides. Ed is a Nebraska native and has been with the Planning Department for 16 years. He is a witty speaker and is armed with lots of history. The second speaker in this workshop is Terry Uland, who works for Neighborhoods, Inc. Neighborhoods, Inc. helps all neighborhoods with preservation, identification, and renewal. There are two target areas in our neighborhood that Terry's department is working with now. Terry will also include some planning & zoning information.

Your board hopes you will be able to take part in this fun and interesting evening.

Special Activities you might be interested in—

- Saturday, April 14, 11 am, Heritage Presbyterian Church, **Easter Egg Hunt** for Children (6th Grade and under).
- Sunday, April 29, 4:30-7 pm, Heritage Presbyterian Church, **Spaghetti Dinner** Fund-raiser put on by Choir.
- June 11-15, 9 am-noon, Christ United Methodist Church, **Vacation Bible School** for ages 3 to post 6th grade.
- June 25-29, 9-11:30 am (with "B-4 School care from 7-9 am), Christ Lutheran Church, **Preschool Summer Session**
- July 9-13, 9-11:45 am, Christ Lutheran Church, **Vacation Bible School** for ages 3 to 5th grade.
- July 23-27, 9-11:45 am, Christ Lutheran Church, **Vacation Bible School** for ages 3 to 5th grade.
- August 5-9, 6:30 pm, Heritage Presbyterian Church, **Vacation Bible School** for ages 3 through 6th grade.
- August 6-10, 6-8:30 pm, Christ United Methodist Church, "A VeggieTown Values on the Job" **Bible School**.
- August 13-17, 9-11:30 am (with "B-4 School" care from 7-9 am), Christ Lutheran Church, **Preschool Summer Session**.

Neighborhood Arts & Activities Program for Youth (NAPY), inexpensive classes & activities for youth, call Christ United Methodist Church for brochure.

Worship for the Learning Challenged, Christ Lutheran Church, 2nd Sunday of each month, 6 pm, followed by fellowship & refreshments.

The Bridge, Christ Lutheran Church, 1st Sunday of the month, Christian music in a casual & relaxed atmosphere.

Please call the church offering the activity for more information.



You

Are Invited

To Join

You

**40th & A
Neighborhood
Association**

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Annual Dues / January—December 2001**

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ District #: _____

D-1: A to Randolph, 33rd to 40th

D-2: A to Randolph 40th to 48th

D-3: A to South, Normal to 40th

D-4: A to South, 40th to 48th

Membership Categories:

Student Member	\$ 1.00
Single Member	\$ 3.00
Family	\$ 5.00
Business/Contributing	\$10.00
Contribution	\$ _____

Mail to:

Melodie Johnson
4140 F Street
Lincoln NE 68510

What would you like to do to help the neighborhood?

- Serve on the Board for my District
- Help with the Newsletter (3 times a year)
- Sell Advertising to Neighborhood Businesses
- Help with the Annual Cleanup in April/May
- Other _____

Churches in the 40th & "A" Neighborhood*

These neighborhood churches welcome friends & neighbors to their services. Please call the church for times of services & education hours.

Antelope Park Church of the Brethren
3645 Sumner Street (06)
488-2793

Christ Lutheran Church
4325 Sumner Street (06)
483-7774

Christ United Methodist Church
4530 A Street (10)
489-9618

Heritage Presbyterian Church
880 So. 35th Street (10)
477-3401

Latvian Lutheran Church
3300 C Street (10)
475-1828

Our Savior's Lutheran Church
40th & C Streets (10)
483-4126

Piedmont Park
Seventh Day Adventist Church
4801 A Street (06)
489-1344

St. Teresa's Catholic Church
735 So. 36th Street (10)
477-3979

*If we have missed any church, please forgive us, and notify us so that your church can be on the list the next time it is published.

"If you would like to live in a community in which you may have pride, then dedicate yourself in a spirit of humility to your responsibilities in that community."

—Herbert Victor Prochnow



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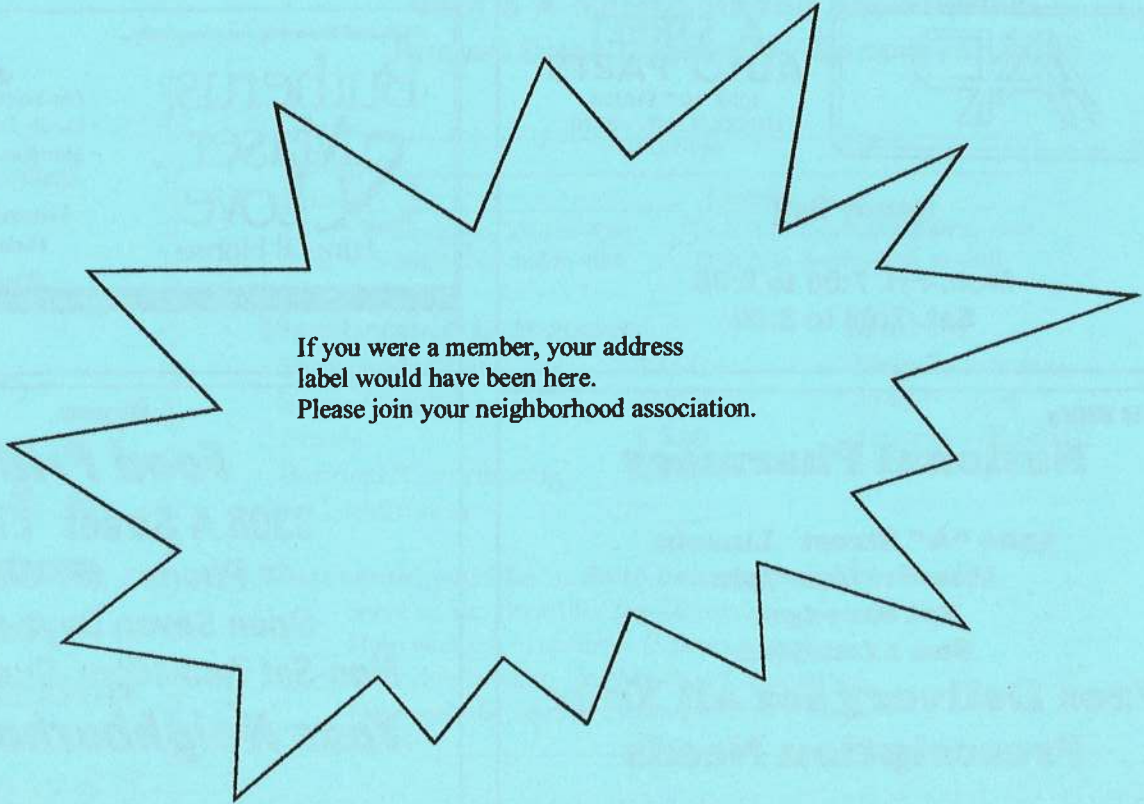
Are you Interested in Having a Block Party? Here's How...

Is it summer yet? One of the best ways to get to know your neighbors is to plan a neighborhood block party. It's easy, and it's fun. The first step is to contact the City Clerk's office to get a permit. The current fee for the permit is \$28.00. One way to get the money for the permit is to ask each family invited to donate a certain dollar amount. Once the permit papers are filled out and the fee paid, plan on the city dropping off barricades the day before or the day of your party. Block off your street and bring out the grills, have a pot luck or cater in. Plan activities and games for the kids. Don't forget to get your adults involved. Do a candy toss, shoe kick or pictionary by drawing on the street. Invite your local police division to stop by. Maybe McGruff the crime dog will join your party. Most of all get to know your neighbors. Watch out for each other and keep your neighborhood safe.

—Vicki Fasnacht

The 40th & A Neighborhood Association Board meets at 7 pm the 4th Tuesday of every month except June, July & December, at the Steven Carveth Center on the Lincoln Medical Education Foundation campus, 4600 Valley Road.

From the 40th & A Neighborhood Association
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Lincoln NE 68510



If you were a member, your address
label would have been here.
Please join your neighborhood association.