

HARRISON WEST NEWS

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Slinger Jones Is Coming to Third Avenue Bridge Park October 19



The Park is getting topsoil for flowerbeds and mounding Saturday, October 19. Bob Mangia (291-3727) needs volunteers to help plant bulbs and plants.

With any luck, and the skill of the Slinger Jones driver, we won't need to wheelbarrow the topsoil.

Jones Topsoil is donating 15 cubic yards of their enhanced SoilPLUS, so we'll be getting the equivalent of a truckload of potting soil.

Plan for the Holiday Potluck and Holiday Lights Contest in December



Let's Get This Party Started!

Mark your calendars for October 20, 5th and Neil, about 9 am for the 2nd annual Harrison West Columbus Marathon Party. Come for breakfast and stay for lunch catered by Panera and the Harrison West Society. Last year more than 50 Harrison Westers came by to eat, talk, and cheer on the runners.

This year we need to get many more people out. Due to increasing popularity of the neighborhood parties, the Columbus Marathon has initiated a Neighborhood Party Contest for the 2002 Columbus Marathon. One of the judging criteria is the size of the party, so put in an appearance on October 20.

If you want to help plan the party, call Mary Funk at 291-9545. If you have a good idea for a theme, let's hear it. The best theme is worth points.



Last year's Marathon Party was a wonderful event full of food, fun, and cheering for the runners. Join your neighbors this year between 9 and 1, Sunday October 20, corner Neil and Fifth.

Next Meeting: Wednesday, October 16

- Marathon Party
- Garage Sale Report
- Humco Update
- Campus Partners
- Art Park Topsoil
- Traffic Task Force Update

At the October 16 meeting of the Harrison West Society, we'll discuss the news from Campus Partners and Humco, plan the Marathon Party and topsoil delivery to the Art Park, and speed through the Agenda. The meetings are friendly and fast. See you there.

NEXT MEETING

The Harrison West Society will meet
Wednesday,
October 16
at 7:30 PM
First Brethren Church
Third and Oregon

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- Yard Sale Report
- Minutes
- Hunan Lion
- Traffic Report

HARRISON WEST SOCIETY MINUTES September 18, 2002

Submitted by Veda Gilp, Secretary

The meeting was called to order at 7:30 PM with a quorum of voting members present; President Dave Butler presiding.

Routine Business

Tom Maxwell motioned to approve the minutes of the last meeting; passed.

Treasurer's Report Treasurer Tom Maxwell reported a balance of approximately \$3,000.

Planning and Development:

The next P&D meeting will be October 1 at Cafe Corner.

Old Business and Committee Reports:

Yard Sale Committee Chair Mandy Butler reported that 27 households have signed up for the September 21 Yard Sale.

Traffic Committee Dave Butler reported the meeting with the City was cancelled, but that part of the truck routing was approved and ready to go.

Web Site Committee Chair Chris Palmer reported that the site is up and progressing.

Crime Officer Steve Smith reported six car break-ins and 12 other crimes during August.

Newsletter Report Editor Veda Gilp reported that permission to use a Felix de la Concha picture in our materials would cost \$100. Craig Copeland motioned to allocate the money; passed.

Cafe Corner Zoning Variance Pete Andronis reported. Matt Tange-man made a motion to approve the P&D Committee's recommendation to approve the variances requested; passed.

Marathon Race Party Stephanie Celebreeze motioned to allocate up to \$100 for the Harrison West Marathon Race Party; passed.

AC Humco Dave Butler reported that Humco's realtor has announced a buyer is finalizing sale terms.

Side by Side Plaque Mandy Butler reported that she is in the process of getting estimates for the plaque.

New Business & Announcements:

HWS Meeting Date The next meeting will be Wednesday, October 16.

Holiday Potluck Mandy Butler and Stephanie Celebreezi agreed to cochair the 2002 Harrison West Holiday Potluck. They will be looking for a neighborhood facility large enough for the party.

Holiday Lights Veda Gilp will chair the annual Holiday Lights Contest.

Announcements Suzanne Gallagher thanked the neighborhood for its support of Nascent Gallery and reminded everyone that the gallery is becoming Studio 16. It will be holding art classes.

Pastor Richard Morris announced the church bake sale will be held during the Harrison West Yard Sale, and that Bible Study and Weight Management classes are beginning at the church.

Craig Copeland reminded everyone of the Battelle Bulb Planting and weeding along the bike path for October 5.

Mary Funk motioned to adjourn at 8:50; passed.

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Joe Spinelli and Bill Ward dumped their Manhattan Bagel franchise and are calling their new operation Spinelli's Deli. They're still baking bagels and making sandwiches at the same spot, in the Thurber Center on Neil Avenue in Victorian Village.

Their new eatery features overstuffed sandwiches and big pots of soup. They're hanging onto the bagels, though, the genuine boiled, then baked kind. Bill will be mixing up his special cream cheese flavors, too. And they'll continue their thriving catering business. Neighbors will recognize the Vic Village Turkey, the Goodale Park BBQ, and the Harrison West Ham specialty sandwiches. Joe and Bill are devoting one whole wall to neighborhood artists now, too. Hours are M-F 6-4; S-S 7-4.

Yard Sale Was a Success

Chair Mandy Butler reports that this year's yard sale was a success with nearly 30 homes signed up for the event and hundreds of browsers and buyers.

The Bake Sale at 1137 Pennsylvania Avenue raised \$60 for the Harrison West Society. Sweet thanks to everyone who brought goodies to sell.



The August Crime Report for Harrison West... Pennsylvania Ave. Hit Hard

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Tuesday	6:00 PM Bible Study
Wednesday	6:30 PM Boys Brigade
	(1st, 2nd, th, 5th Wednesdays)
	6:30 PM Gym (3rd Wednesday)
	7:30 PM Harrison West Meeting (3rd)
Thursday	6:30 PM Prayer Group (1st)
	7:30 PM Women's Weight Management Support Group (2nd& 4th)
Friday	6 PM Little Women

Traffic Calming On the Horizon for Harrison West

Be on the lookout for traffic calming coming to Harrison West. At the Traffic Task Force meeting on October 2, 2002, the City presented a traffic mitigation plan that includes 31 traffic calming features (raised intersections, cushions, median/bump-out, and/or raised pedestrian crossings) on side-streets and eight gateway entry features throughout Harrison West, Victorian Village and Italian Village. The total cost of the traffic mitigation plan over the course of a few years was stated to be in the \$3-5 million range.

Although it would have been preferable for the City to consult the neighborhoods and to use our input in formulating the plan, it nevertheless appears to be a positive and encouraging step in the traffic mitigation process that had seemed to be hopelessly stalled.

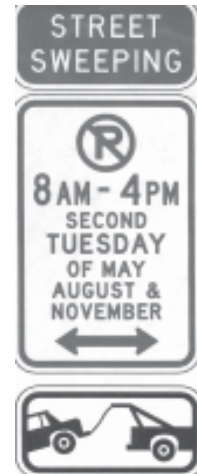
These traffic mitigation measures are designed to help reduce the traffic impact that the reformulated freeway system has placed upon the neighborhood. The City also stated that the gateway feature on the south end of Michigan Ave. (which is to include an island and a roadway shift to slow traffic)

would be bid into a current construction package for the work on I-670.

At the Traffic Task Force meeting, neighborhood representatives expressed concerns that the plan did not include any traffic mitigation features on the "framework" streets of Neil, Third or Fifth Avenues. Also, a concern was raised about the types of materials that would be used to make the features.

For more information on this plan and to provide your input, come to the next Harrison West meeting.

Street Sweeping November 12 and 13



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Market Blooms Donates Bulbs

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Please Join us in Remembering Nava Jo Couch

by Maddy Weisz

Harrison West recently lost a valued member of our community: Nava Jo Couch. In Nava's honor, there will be a memorial gathering at Maddy Weisz's home at 1219 Harrison on Sunday, Oct. 27 from 3:00 to 6:00. Music will be provided by Joel Knepp and Lynda McInahan. Please join us in remembering Nava. Bring a story or words about Nava. We will also have a potluck supper to conclude. RSVP to Maddy at 291-2285.

Nava was brought up on Harrison Avenue and lived in the neighborhood most of her life. She attended Michigan Avenue Elementary School, Everett Jr. High, and Central High School.

Her mother, Mildred Todd, has lived on Harrison Avenue for 46 years. Nava's children, Tai and Zach, have worked at both the Short Stop Teen Center and Thompson Recreation Center.

Nava was an active member of the Harrison West Society's Public Art Committee. She also sat on the board of The BrickStreet Arts Association, the nonprofit public arts organization that supports the Side-by Side sculpture.

Nava came to the first Harrison West Holiday Potluck and regaled us with wonderful stories about the neighborhood in years past.

Nava was a spunky, straight-talking woman who was willing to share her opinions yet was kind to everyone she met. Creativity was also something she valued.

Nava loved the arts and music. She was an Elder at the Fourth Ave. Christian Church where she got great pleasure from making holiday events

lively, colorful, and unique. Nava was, with her children, involved in the work of making art and performances happen at the Short Stop Teen Center.

She also was an herbalist who made wreaths, potpourris, and teas and was at one time President of the Meigs County Herbalist association.

Nava worked in the Mental Health field her entire life. She was a supervisor for North Central Mental Health before she became ill.

Nava loved to get projects going and see them grow and expand, and we as a community benefited greatly from her energy. She will be missed.

Crepes are Good at Corner Cafe

If you have ordered only the coffee at Cafe Corner, stop by for the crepes soon. Even Eadie Gourmet would like them. They're for breakfast, lunch, and dessert, so you can't go wrong. At the Planning and Development meeting last week, fruit crepes with whipped cream were the "order" of the day, and they were outstanding.

Web Site Wants You

Anyone interested in contributing to the Harrison Web Site should contact Chris Palmer at CPalmer@nsb-us.com.

Art Gallery at Spinelli's Deli

Now that Joe Spinelli and Bill Ward are running a Spinelli's Deli rather than a Manhattan Bagel, they're devoting one whole wall to local artwork. For the last month, they've showcased some fine black and white photography, but the display changes frequently, so you never know what you'll see. The curator who chooses and hangs the artwork is Chris Beaty at 323-8359.

Eadie Gourmet Eats Out at Hunan Lion

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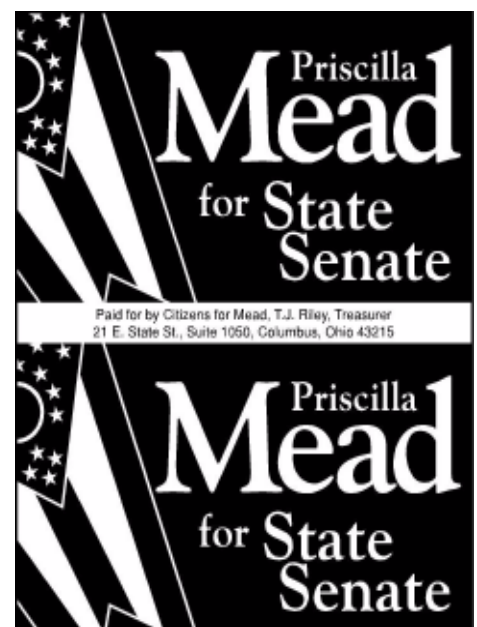
In recent years they've added Thai to the menu. This definitely is Good Eats! Tom Yum Shrimp Soup is a wonderful explosion of tastes -- all of them good -- all at once spicy, sour, hot, crunchy, and smooth.

The Thai Red Curry Shrimp is spicy hot and complex, but then, red curry is like that.

My favorite Thai entre is Nam Sod, cold minced pork mixed with chili, green onion, fresh ginger, peanut, lime juice, served with cabbage and cucumber. Sublime.

Spice always can be adapted to your preference, so don't be afraid to ask for extra hot or extra mild.

Forego the desserts -- they're just afterthoughts anyway. Graeters, after all, is just west on Bethel a few blocks, and right now Graeters is offering its Pumpkin Pie ice cream. If they would only put chocolate chunks in it!



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Eadie Gourmet Eats Out at Hunan Lion

by Veda Gilp

Often we're so busy trying to sample all the new restaurants we forget about old favorites. Such was the case with Hunan Lion on Bethel Road. I had always liked the restaurant, to which the huge tropical fish tank and mirrored walls add a certain elegance, but until an impromptu visit recently, I had forgotten how good the food is.

Not only do they offer call ahead carry out, but their Bethel Road location is close enough to Harrison West that your food still is hot when you get it home.

I love the Szechuan dumplings and the chicken and shrimp dumplings, all of which are made on the premises.

The appetizer Fried Minced Chicken is hot and spicy and served in a lettuce leaf. Messy, but tasty.

I think their hot and sour soup is the best in town, hot with spice and thick with chicken, bean curd, bamboo shoots and wood ear mushrooms.

The Hunan shrimp still is a favorite -- big shrimp marinated and sauteed with fresh broccoli in a hot chili sauce. Looks as good as it tastes.

Vegetarians with asbestos taste buds can delight in the Lion's Mala string beans. It's not that the beans are necessarily any spicier than anywhere else in town -- it's that they use slivered jalapena chilies, and you NEVER can sort them all out.

Hunan Lion offers the usual sweet and sour chicken, pork, and shrimp; fried rice; bean curd; and Lo Mein. It's all better than ordinary, though.

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Yard Sale Update
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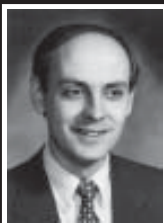
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