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Harrison West Architectural Review Commission Forming Guidelines

At the last HWS meeting, we discussed the pros and cons of forming a Harrison West architectural review commission.

The consensus was that a commission should focus on "big picture" issues of scale and size of house versus nit-picking residents on items such as paint color. Recognizing that Harrison West is not Victorian Village or German Village, no one seemed interested in having a commission that placed every little detail of a home improvement project under a microscope.

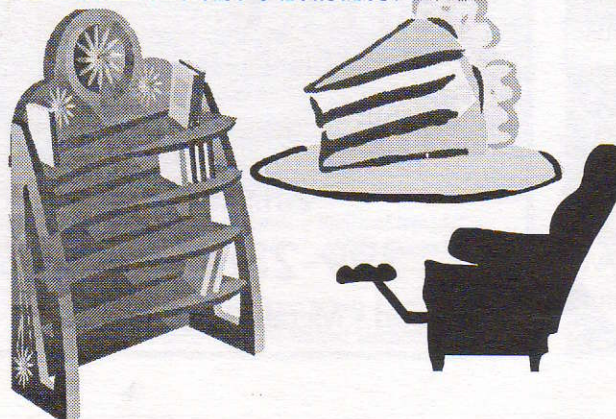
A subcommittee was also formed, chaired by Holly Stein, to prepare draft guidelines incorporating these ideas. This subcommittee will then report to the Planning and Development Committee in the months to come. This effort is still in the initial planning stages, so anyone with ideas or comments for the guideline subcommittee should contact Holly Stein at 294-3054.

Annual Harrison West Neighborhood Yard Sale Set For September 21

This year's yard sale is already looking to be a success, with nearly 20 homes signed up for the event. It's not too late to participate — if you would like to be a part of the sale on Saturday, September 21, and be included on the map, please call Mandy Butler at 421-7157 to sign up and for more details. There is a \$10 fee per household to cover expenses. We'll be advertising in The Columbus Dispatch, so neighbors don't need to worry about doing their own advertising. Signs will also be posted at key points in the neighborhood. Your own signs are welcome as well....please remember to take them down after the sale. Begin your sale whenever you like — some shoppers begin arriving as early as 7:30 a.m. Homes outside the official boundaries of Harrison West are also welcome to participate.

New to the Yard Sale is this year's Bake Sale to be located at 1137 Pennsylvania Avenue, with proceeds going to the Harrison West Society. If you love to bake, why not contribute your delicious creations to the Bake Sale? Call Barbara at 291-5960 for more information. Visiting the Bake Sale is a great opportunity to see some of your neighbors and fulfill your sugar intake for the day.

Help spread the word about the Yard Sale and Bake Sale to friends, family and coworkers outside of the neighborhood, and help your neighbors turn their clutter into someone else's treasures!



Next Meeting: Wednesday, September 18

**Zoning Variance
HW Web Site
River Cleanup**

At the September 18 meeting of the Harrison West Society, we'll discuss the zoning variance request from Cafe Corner, talk about the HWS web site, finish planning the Yard Sale, and plan for the October 5 river cleanup and bulb planting with Battelle. The meetings are friendly, fast, and a rewarding way to spend a Wednesday evening. See you there.

NEXT MEETING

The Harrison West Society will meet
Wednesday,

September 18
at 7:30 PM

First Brethren Church
Third and Oregon

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HARRISON WEST SOCIETY MINUTES

August 21, 2002

HWS Meeting Changed to
Wednesday, September 18

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

Bob Mangia motioned to approve the minutes of the last meeting; passed.

Treasurer's Report Treasurer Tom Maxwell reported a balance of \$3,412.

The City of Columbus presented a Neighborhood Pride follow up report.

Manhattan Bagels asked for backing for upgrades to Thurber Village Center.

Planning and Development:

Harrison West Commission Dave Butler reported that the P&D Committee recommended forming a committee to further research Commission status and to assemble Commission guidelines. Holly Stein agreed to chair the Committee. Matt Tangeman motioned that the committee create a rough draft of the guidelines and a proposal to present to the October P&D meeting; passed.

It was agreed that there would be no P&D meeting in August.

Old Business and Committee Reports:

Yard Sale Committee Chair Mandy Butler reported that 10 households have signed up for the September 21 Yard Sale.

Web Site Committee Chair Chris Palmer reported that the site is up and progressing. Mary Funk motioned to reimburse the costs of web site set up, including domain name and hosting; passed.

Crime Officer Steve Smith reported three car break-ins on Michigan and Pennsylvania.

Newsletter Report Editor Veda Gilp reported a new full page ad contract from Ohio Health @ \$300 a month, plus two other new advertisers. Deadline still is third Friday.

Cafe Corner Zoning Variance Postponed to September meeting.

New Business & Announcements:

Marathon Race Party Tom Maxwell motioned to have a Harrison West Marathon Race Party this year at 5th and Neil; passed.

HWS Meeting Date The next meeting will be Wednesday, September 18. It was agreed that until further notice, meetings will continue to be the 3rd Wednesday of the month.

Announcements Pastor Richard Morris invited the membership to a September 11 service. Barbara Williams reported on the upcoming September 13 Fitness Fair.

Mary Funk motioned to adjourn at 9:15; passed.

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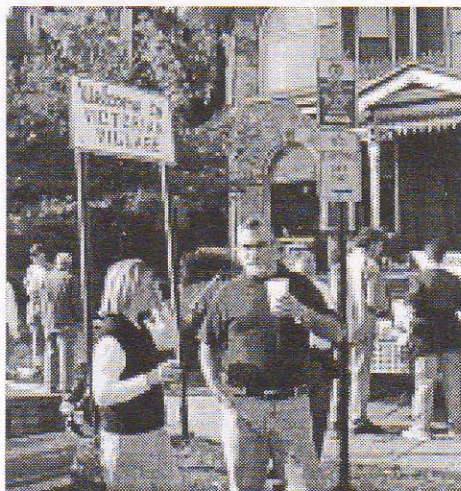
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Marathon Party Coming Up Oct. 20

Mark your calendars for October 20, 5th and Neil, about 10 am for the 2nd annual Harrison West Columbus Marathon Party. Come for breakfast and stay for lunch catered by Panera and Schmidt's. Last year more than 50 Harrison Westers came by to eat, talk, and cheer on the runners.



Last year's Marathon Party was great fun, with plenty of talking and eating and drinking. Some people even watched the race and cheered on the runners!

Nascent Gallery Closes; Studio 16 Opens

After eight years in Harrison West, Suzanne Gallagher is handing over her Nascent Gallery at 431 W. Third to Douglas Fordyce and David Jones. They are changing the gallery name to Studio 16.

Suzanne will be represented by Studio 16 and will do shows there.

Suzanne's final Collector's Night will be September 22 at 5 pm. Tickets are \$15/single and \$25/couple. Art Collectors will feast on tray-passed hors d'oeuvres and sample wines of trendy vintage. Call 421-7505 for tickets.

Wanted: Web Site Contributors

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

More Great Street Party Food

This easy dish from Barbara Williams disappeared fast at the Harrison West Street Party. She says it's her "very favorite recipe that I bring to everything." Those of us who snagged a taste at the party understand that.

Chiles Rellenos Casserole

3 4-oz. cans whole green chiles (I use 4 cans if they're chopped)
¾ # grated jack cheese
¾ # grated cheddar cheese
3 eggs (or equivalent egg sub)
3 tsp unbleached flour
6 oz can evaporated milk
6-8 oz. med. or hot salsa

In a 9x13 casserole dish, split and lay flat all of the chiles. Cover with all of the cheeses.

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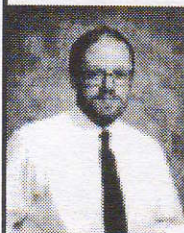
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River Cleanup & Bulb Planting October 5

Battelle and Harrison West are planning a cleanup/bulb-planting event along the Olentangy River bike path between King and Third on Saturday, October 5, from 9 am to noon, with a small volunteer thank-you cookout at noon.

Contact Dave Butler for more info 421-7157.

We'll be picking up litter and weeding the 5th Avenue Bridge bike path islands. Depending on the number of volunteers, we'll be planting about 2,000 daffodils. The flowers will be a pleasant surprise for the bike path users next Spring.

Volunteers should bring gloves and shovels. We will have extra gloves and planting tools for those volunteers that cannot bring their own gloves and tools.

Adults must assume full responsibility for any children that they bring.

Cafe Corner Variance Requests

Pete Andronis, the owner of the Cafe Corner Coffee shop on 3rd has asked the Harrison West Society for support for variance requests for:

1. Outdoor seating
2. Indoor Seating
3. Parking Variance (he's inked an agreement with Zeno's to allow Cafe Corner patrons to park in the Zeno's lot.

Upgrades to Thurber Village Center

The Harrison West Society has agreed to support Manhattan Bagel in its efforts to persuade Nationwide development to upgrade the grounds of the Thurber Village Center.

The upgrades include replacing grass with brick, adding benches and tables; installing planter and tree boxes to the sidewalk in front of retail stores, and adding speed bumps to slow traffic in the parking lot.



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Pride Week Wrap-up

In case you were wondering what Neighborhood Pride accomplished, read on.

The city demolished the abandoned house at 1239 Harrison; installed new "No Parking" signs in the alley between Michigan and Oregon, contributed 14 trees for the Tree planting effort; brought 108 properties into code compliance; cut high grass and weeds at 3 addresses, removed trash from 3 addresses; collected 19.5 tons of trash and 6.9 tons of bulk trash; removed graffiti from 44 sites, including retaining walls and trash containers; hung new swings in the park; scheduled the Harrison West Park sign to be repainted; and replaced 14 300-gallon trash containers.

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Eadie Gourmet Eats Out at LuLu's

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LuLu's wins my vote for crabcakes, Maryland style. More lump crabmeat than stuffing, they were thick and savory, panfried to crispness on the outside. Ask for the creole mustard sauce on the side, so you can taste the crab. Crab is such a delicate flavor, it's easily overpowered by strong sauces such as LuLu's creole mustard.

I really wanted to try the cast iron skillet chicken southern fried in a what else? -- cast iron skillet -- but left that for later. Some November evening when I need comfort food I'll indulge in their chicken pot pie or Lu

Lu's favorite meatloaf or the pork tenderloin. They all looked and sounded delicious.

I'll also try their Poodle chicken (LuLu is a poodle, you know), which is boneless, skinless chicken breast stuffed with boursin cheese, wrapped in pastry, served with shallot cream sauce.

This Saturday night, I wanted meat! Red meat! Rare! That would be LuLu's tenderloin medallions of filet mignon, seared, and served with Maytag bleu cheese mushrooms over buttermilk mashed potatoes.

Here's where presentation damaged the food. The blue cheese mushrooms added a lovely zing to the perfectly cooked tenderloin. The buttermilk mashed potatoes were great!

Slightly lumpy, with the tang of buttermilk. BUT, they poured the thin mushroom sauce over my mashed potatoes and made them RUNNY! When I got my plate, everything was sitting there in a puddle of mashed potato/mushroom soup.

I'm returning to LuLu's to eat my way through the dessert menu: coconut cream puffs, chocolate peanut butter fudge cake, pound cake bread pudding and chocolate mousse. This latter should be "Billion dollar chocolate mousse" because that's how rich it was. Thick, dense, heavy, rich, chocolate and more chocolate and excellent, wonderful chocolate on that. Oh my, it was good.


So, go to LuLu's at 1788 W. Fifth Avenue, just west of the Red Door. Tell them to leave the sauces on the side. Ruin your sensible diet. And don't look at the carpet.

The July Crime Report for Harrison West Read It and Weep

AUTO THEFT	PENNSYLVANIA AV & W 3	230AM-1130AM	SUN-SUN	7/21
AUTO THEFT	963 HARRISON AV	1015PM-530AM	TUE-WED	7/23-24
BURG	1121 PENNSYLVANIA AV	645AM-404PM	MON-MON	7/1
BURG	310 W 5 AV	820AM-715PM	FRI-FRI	7/26
LARCENY	1105 PENNSYLVANIA AV	430PM-	SUN-	7/7
MAL DEST	1200 MICHIGAN AV	200PM-	THU-	7/25
THEFT FR AUTO	1254 MICHIGAN AV	1215PM-1225PM	SUN-	7/14
THEFT FR AUTO	1084 MICHIGAN AV	700AM-830AM	SAT-	7/20
THEFT FR AUTO	1153 PENNSYLVANIA AV	1200AM-	TUE-	7/23
BURG	419 W 3 AV	800AM-530PM	TUE-TUE	7/2
BURG	581 BRADLEY ST	200PM-1130PM	FRI-MON	7/7-8

Rumble in the Alley?

Relax, it's just the City spraying mosquitos. They spray between 4 and 5 AM about twice a month, depending on the number of West-Nile-Virus-carrying mosquitos they find in their traps. Obviously spraying will end soon.



I believe music has the power to change lives.

I believe too much television is bad for our children.

I believe God has a sense of humor.

I believe when a homeless person asks for five dollars, you give them ten.

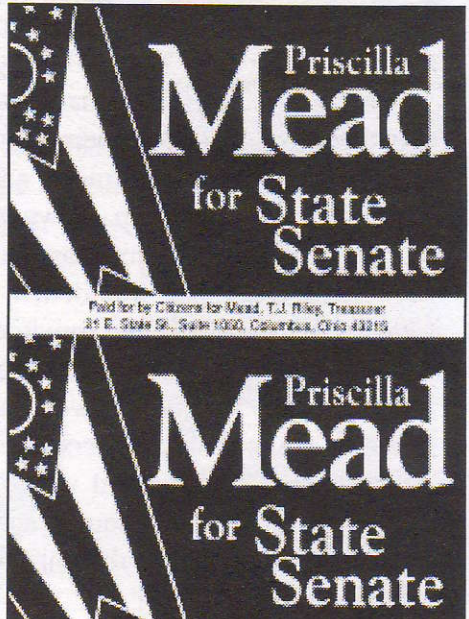
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Eadie Gourmet Eats Out at LuLu's

by Veda Gilp

Last Saturday, Tom Maxwell and I dined at LuLu's on Fifth Avenue, entering with high hopes and empty stomachs. The fare was pretty good, but someone should tell them to clean that leopard carpet. Gross!

On the other hand, the Chocolate Mousse is too, too good to be true. It's a delight to overworked gourmand taste buds. Later for that.

Tom began with the soup of the day -- the andouille corn chowder, which needed much more andouille.

I ordered cream of artichoke soup, which we thought should have been called "chunk" because it had so many artichokes in it. White wine added the tang required to set off the richness of cream and artichokes. It was wonderful.

Bread is one of my passions, and unfortunately, Lu Lu fell far short in that department. The house-made biscuits were ok, but nothing special. The rolls should have been left where they found them, having no flavor and no freshness. Unless they change their bread service, save your appetite for real food.

We had fried green tomatoes as appetizer. Thick-sliced green tomatoes, dusted with cornmeal and panfried, served atop a warm hickory-smoked ripe tomato and onion relish. The relish was delish, a savory balance of roasted tomatoes and onions with fresh herbs. The fried tomatoes were very good, sweet-tart and still firm, with the crisp cornmeal crust. They were drizzled with an overpowering mustard sauce, so if you order these, ask for the mustard on the side.

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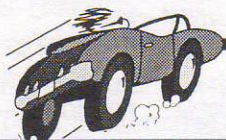
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