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There is still time to buy and sell tickets for the Kaufmann's Spring Fling at Tuttle Crossing. Now is the time to request your tickets from Veda Gilp.

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Side-By-Side Art Park construction update

The two Side by Side sculptures have been waiting for their lights and landscaping for six years, but the wait is over. The Side by Side Park at the Third Avenue Bridge will finally get built beginning this Spring.

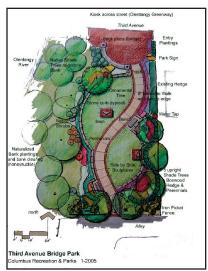
Bidding is finished, and the contract has been awarded.

The Side by Side Park was funded by Urban Infrastructure Recovery Funds, which have just now been appropriated. The park design was begun by the Harrison West Society, tweaked by Schmidt Land Design (now POD), and finalized by Molly McDonnall of the City. The Harrison West Society approved the final design at a meeting several months ago. Bob Mangia, who has been volunteering as caretaker of the park for years, has been the liaison between the Society and the City.

That means a lot to those of us who

have weeded, worked, and partied there.

Side
by Side is
the result
of efforts
by former
Harrison West
President
Maddy Weisz
and member
Mandy Butler
to bring public



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March 16

The Harrison West Society will meet at 7:30PM at the First Brethern Church, Third & Oregon

Meeting agenda

The Harrison West Society meets every third Wednesday each month at the Brethern Church on the corner of Third and Oregon.

This month the Society will discuss issues such as: an update on the formation of a neighborhood commissions, the Side-By-Side Park, and pending developments in the neighborhood.

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The meeting was called to order at 7:40 PM with a quorum of voting members present (24); President Dave Butler presiding.

Routine Business

Minutes

Rick Kobee motioned to approve the minutes of the last meeting; Passed.

Treasurer's Report

Treasurer Tom Maxwell reported a balance of \$4,770, with current bills paid.

Old Business and Committee Reports

Membership Drive
Treasurer Tom Maxwell reported
that the \$15 for two members
which was instituted this year
seems to be working, as the
membership drive already is ahead
of last year at this time.

Commission Discussion

Dave Butler led the discussion of the pros and cons of instituting an Architectural Review Commission. Pastor Morris motioned to proceed with the establishment of an Architectural Review, and after consideration of all options, to move forward with an Architectural Review Commission; Passed with two nay votes. Chris Ruder motioned that the President appoint a committee to pursue Architectural Review Commission status; Passed.

Kaufmann's Spring Fling Fund Raiser

Veda Gilp reported that sales of the tickets are proceeding, and reminded everyone present that this could be a money maker for the Society.

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Crime Report

Crime Officer Steve Smith reported that while December was quiet, January crime was up.

Planning and Development

Dave Butler reported that the revisions of the Riverfront Vision Plan for the Harrison West Reach are in the final stages. The next meeting will be March 7, at 6 PM at the First Brethren Church.

New Business & Announcements *Guest*

Nathan Durst from Woodland Park Neighborhood Association was present to seek support of his Association in a matter of zoning and development.

Motion to support the Association without commenting on the merits of the application; Passed.

Development Issues

Dave Butler reported that a developer wants to remodel five units on Perry; Rob Harris reported on this proposal. Mary Funk motioned that the Society approve the proposal if the developer: turned the first unit into a two bedroom and added a front door on the street, make sure the structure is safe with the added story, turn two units on each lot into one unit with two bedrooms, and agreed not to pursue additional parking for the 10 new spaces needed; Passed.

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Pastor Richard Morris motioned to adjourn; Passed. Adjourned at 9:30

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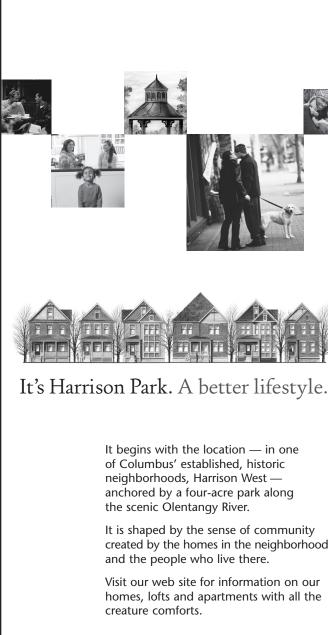
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* If we left anyone out, we'll be sure to include you name in the next issue!

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art to Harrison West.

The group became the non-profit BrickStreet Arts Association. BrickStreet Arts now is the leading facilitator of public art in Columbus. Its finished projects include Side by Side, the Couch in the Greenwood pocket park and the Bellows mural on High in the Short North.

BrickStreet also is facilitating the new fountain for the Goodale Park Lake.

Holy Week at First Brethern Church

First Brethern Church is offering a week of special services and programming from March 20 to March 27. Here is a schedule of the week's events:

Sunday, March 20

Sunday Evening Music Communion with Pastor Richard Morris -- starts at 6:00pm.

Tuesday, March 22

The Passion of the Christ -- starts at 7:00pm.

Wednesday, March 23

Tim and Libby Thomas in Concert -- starts at 7:00pm

Sunday, March 27

Breakfast-- 9:00am Worship Service -- 10:40am Bible Study -- 6:00pm

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It is essential for the Columbus Police to have as much information at their disposal as possible. Whether it is an incident involving graffiti or a vehicle break-in, a single report will help the police understand the needs or dangers of the neighborhood.

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POLICE BLOTTER

February 4

A Thurber Drive resident was reportedly blocked in by an unknown suspect while parking. The victim was then attacked and robbed. The victim tried to stop the suspect while he fled the scene, but was unsuccessful.

February 6

Cash in the amount of \$160 was stolen from a Neil Avenue business' cash drawer.

February 9

A man was observed pushing a shopping cart filled with goods stolen from a Michigan Avenue business' semi-truck. He was arrested on charges of theft from a motor vehicle and receiving stolen property.

February 12

A Thurber Drive resident reported that unknown person(s) punched holes in his tires.

February 15

Police and paramedics were dispatched to Thurber Drive after a resident accidently overdosed on heroine. The paramedics treated the victim with a narcotic antidote.

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The victim was not transported to the hospital and no arrests were made.

The victim was in stable condition when the paramedics left the scene.

February 19

A Pennsylvania Avenue resident reported that two unknown male persons threw a beer bottle through the apartment's window. The suspects then left the scene in silver Chevy Cavalier.

February 26

Victim reported that unknown person(s) broke his car window using an unknown object. The victim suspected that the window was struck with a bullet but did not hear any gunfire. No other evidence supported the assertion.

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On Tuesday, April 5th at 7:30pm, the public is invited to a session called, "Spring Time Lawn Care," hosted by Barbara Bloetscher, Entomology Diagnostician from Ohio State University. She will share information and tips on lawn care including maintenance, culture, disease and insect control. Most of the control methods she will be sharing are cultural and non-chemical in nature. Bring your questions and personal examples for our discussion with Barb.

Please come to the Northwood High Building at 2231 N. High St. 43201.

This will be the first of FLOWs series of Backyard Conservation topics to be covered over the next six months.

Also, on Sunday, April 17th at 2:00pm FLOW will be meeting in the field on the west side of Indianola Ave., north of the intersection with Morse Rd. Here Rick Gardner, Naturalist with Ohio Department of Natural Resources, will lead us on a plant walk in the ravines of Bill Moose Run.

To get there, drive north on Indianola. Turn left at the 2nd driveway on the left after Morse Rd. The field gate will be open so we can park in the field. Look for a posted sign and/or cars in the field.

For more information, call FLOW 267-3386 or FOR 267-6293.

Eadie Gourmet Eats Out at Network Restaurant

By Veda Gilp

The new Network Restaurant at 525 Park Street,, just behind the Greek Cathedral, is awesome! Very retro; I expected to see Fred and Ginger whirling around the floor in a flourish of tuxedo and long skirts. Music is 50s and 60s Dean Martin and Frank Sinatra crooning from large speakers everywhere in the cavernous space which is cleverly divided into rooms by not-quite-ceiling-height walls.

Reservations are good, but not necessary. The beautiful youngsters for whom this place was designed aren't fully in place yet.

The menu reads "wonderful," but the food needs work. Quality is high, but taste is all over the board from bad to great. I loved the place on sight, and I'm telling everyone to go, but if you do, be prepared to send food back. At these prices, you should expect and receive "exceptional" taste. And the Chef won't know the food isn't up to expectations unless it comes back to the kitchen.

There's a raw bar, and several people who indulge in such have reported that it is fine indeed, with very high quality seafood that is very fresh.

Salads, however, are so refined as to have virtually no flavor. Tom Maxwell, who was acting as Mr. Eadie Gourmet, commented that one should bring salad dressing from home! The house salad is a very nice mix of spring greens supposedly tossed with chardonnay-poached pears, Stilton cheese, toasted pistachios and toasted onion vanilla vinaigrette. There was no evidence of pears, poached or otherwise in our salads, and the Stilton cheese probably wasn't. The vinaigrette needed more vinegar and less sweetness. An artichoke and spinach dip was poached in Kirsch and savory herbs, finished with cream and melted Gruyere cheese and served with fried tortillas. My brother's is better, and his never saw Kirsch. It was so bland that we "borrowed" a bottle of hot sauce from the bar and

Finally -- some flavor! It sounds good, but until this chef beats his battle of the blands, forget it. Similarly the lobster bisque was

too bland, too thick, too ho-hum. There were bits of lobster in it, so we knew it was the real thing, but frankly, it tasted as if it came out of a Campbell's can. The menu says it contains burnt brandy, and I think they burnt it too much.

You all know I love calamari, but I won't be recommending Network's calamari "steak" until it gets better. A friend ordered this here, and a piece of nearly raw calamari fell out of his roll of steak. Again, a dish with more ambition than follow through.

Now to the good stuff. You knew I would get there, since I'm telling you to go to Network. The entrees are huge -- make that HUGE! Tom's lasagna was about the size of a brick, covered with Alfredo and house marinara sauces. I had part of it; he ate his fill; and still there was about 10 ounces of it in his go box. And it was delicious! Just the right mix of pasta and meat and sauce. It seems pricey for lasagna at \$17, but since it comes with a house salad you can share (remember to bring salad dressing), and there's enough lasagna for two,

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it works out to be excellent value for a couple.

My crab cakes served with charred vegetables and lemon caper rice, garnished with spicy mayo, tomatillo sauce and shredded fried potatoes were wonderful.

Everything on the plate was perfectly imagined, perfectly assembled, perfectly cooked, and perfectly presented. So much crab in the two big cakes that I'm amazed they stayed in shape. This pretension of "charring" vegetables often results in burnt veggies, but these were wonderfully flavorful and cooked just to tender. Actually the veggies and the rice were so good, I got the leftovers in a go box.

There's also lamb, pork, filet mignon, ribeye, salmon, pasta and gumbo, as well as an assortment of chicken and some duck.

Of course a trendy restaurant has trendy martinis. I was tempted by a dessert martini; they sounded so good! But I was driving, and stuffed, so we passed on dessert of any kind - even chocolate.

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