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## Jones Memorial Church

September 23, 1984 was designated a "DAY OF CELEBRATION" for Jones Memorial United Methodist Church to honor present and past members and pastors, who had been a part of the church's heritage. For 75 years, Jones Memorial has been an influence in the Highland Park Community and still is even though its membership is spread far and wide. Its powerful spirit of love and service in the name of Jesus Christ has been immeasurable. Its spire has been a beacon to those traveling the Watterson Expressway.

A fellowship hour began at 5:00 P.M. with hostesses dressed in costumes reminiscent of the period of the founding.

Refreshments were served, friendships renewed, picture displays of the church's heritage viewed. Mrs. Susan Price, granddaughter of the church's historian, served as photographer.

On display also was a unique quilt stitched by some ladies of the church with names of those whose roots still remain with Jones Memorial. Mrs. Louise Bishop served as chairman of the committee and funds raised from this endeavor were used in the renovation of the church kitchen.

At 6:30 P.M., the church's bell was rung signaling to the community that something special was happening and to those in attendance that it was time to gather in the sanctuary for an hour of worship.

The Jones Memorial Choir provided music. Mrs. Zora McElwain, church historian, presented a summary of the history of Jones Memorial. The District Superintendent of the North District of the Louisville Conference of UMC, Howard H. Willen, shared in the service. The principal speaker with the Bishop of the UMC for the state of Kentucky, Paul A. Duffey.

1984 is also the Bi-Centennial Year of the United Methodist Church and members of Jones Memorial have enjoyed hearing short stories weekly about the efforts of many Methodists who have contributed to 200 years of Methodism.

Sunday, September 23, 1984, was an opportunity to experience the hospitality of Jones Memorial United Methodist Church as well as to strengthen individual commitment to the family of God and the influence of the church in the community and in the world.



# Council News

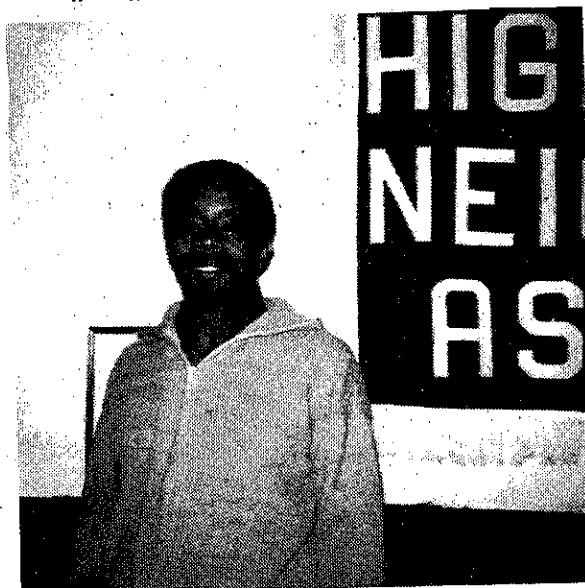
The Highland Park Neighborhood Association announces the election of two new Council Representatives. They are George Winston and James Russell. Both reside in the south end of Highland Park. These two men are eager to assist in the positive direction toward a good future for Highland Park.

George Winston has already proven himself to be an asset by stepping forward as a speaker in favor of retaining residential zoning during the recent zoning battle before the Louisville and Jefferson County Planning and Zoning Commission.

James Russell is retired and recently became a volunteer driver delivering hot lunches to shut-ins for the Meals-on-Wheels program.

In addition, George Winston and James Russell have both expressed their desire to be a part of activities working in the neighborhood and want to do all they can for their fellow Highland Park residents.

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George Winston III

The Council of the Highland Park Neighborhood Assn. meets at least once a month on the first Thursday. At these meetings, issues and problems facing Highland Park are discussed and actions are voted on. Members of the neighborhood association are encouraged to contact a Council representative to discuss problems or raise suggestions relating to the neighborhood. Your elected Council rep can then speak on your behalf.

For your convenience and assistance, a list of Council representatives follows:

**Northern section:**

Carol Kendall, 460 Wawa Ave.  
Bobby Faust, 465 E. Adair

**Central section:**

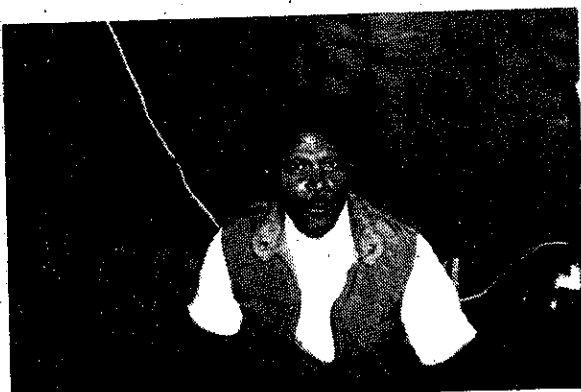
Jean Dennison, 445 Ottawa Ave.  
Bill Gatton, 330 Southern Hts.  
Cynthia Hasch, 325 Ottawa Ave.  
Jim Price, 331 Hiawatha Ave.  
Juanita Smith, 315 Ottawa Ave.  
Carl Williams, 453 Mohawk Ave.

**Southern section:**

James Russell, 335 Nevada Ave.  
George Winston, 335 Woodlawn

**To reach an officer of the Assn:**

Cynthia Hasch - President  
366-7701  
Bobby Faust - Vice President  
367-9920  
Jean Dennison - Secretary  
361-5118  
Carl Williams - Treasurer  
361-8595



James Russell

## Convenient Food Mart T-Shirts

This month's story concerns one of the more popular spots of Highland Park, namely, Convenient Food Mart, located on the corner of Mohawk Avenue and Park Boulevard.

Even though Convenient has been located here for more than a decade, it has had only two owners. Currently, it is owned by a brother and sister team, Pat and Kathleen Tivian.

Since they have owned the store, many changes have come about in the store. A bright interior and exterior is now seen. Aside from the physical changes, the new owners boast of a friendly and cheerful crew of workers. They are Linda, Kevin, Ed, Janey and Aileen.

It has been a relatively smooth transition from old owner to new owners with the exception of two instances; the untimely robbery in late October, 1983 and more recently an instance involving failed brakes of a car trying to create a new "drive-through" window.

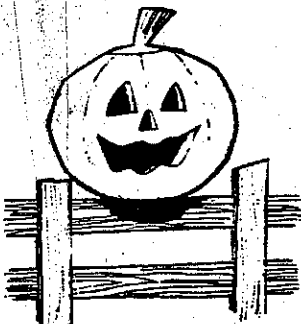
Otherwise, they are very happy to be here and enjoy the residents of Highland Park. They also hope to be a continuing part of the community as it evolves and grows.

## T-Shirts

We now have a new assortment of Highland Park T-Shirts. They are back in red, blue and beige.

They are available in adult sizes S - XL and Children's sizes S - L. The price is \$4.95 for Adults and \$4.25 for Children.

The Shirts are available at the Information Center at 4447 Park Boulevard or contact one of the Council members.



## BE A HOSTESS!!

Be a Hostess for the House of Lloyd, Inc. which sells toys and gifts at home parties and receive the following benefits:

- \* You receive \$40 in Free Merchandise of your choice, just for having a party. No other requirements, \$40 in Free Merchandise guaranteed.
- \* If 3 guests book and hold parties of \$150 each within three weeks, you receive the 3-Party Booking Gift or \$60 in Free Merchandise.
- \* There are also incentives for the amount of merchandise sold and the number of guests attending.

For more information call:  
Linda Goldsmith at 361-4056.

## Help Needed

As in the past, the Highland Park Neighborhood Assn. will be taking donations for food baskets for the needy to be distributed at Thanksgiving and Christmas.

The Council reps will be collecting canned goods, breads, desserts, etc. throughout their blocks. The holiday turkeys are purchased out of the treasury of the Neighborhood Association. This year, the treasury is very low on funds and is in need of cash donations from anyone and everyone.

The names of the needy are requested from the South Louisville Community Ministries. Their social workers check out the requests to be certain that people aren't asking for donations from more than one source.

Shopping, packaging and delivery duties are taken care of by volunteers from the Association members and Council reps.

Times are hard for many families. Please, lend your support - bring your donation to the Information office at 4447 Park Blvd. or deliver to any of the Council members listed elsewhere in this paper.



## Volunteer

There are four homes in Highland Park receiving Meals-On-wheels. We have a retired person delivering 5 days a week. It would be best if we had enough people volunteering so that each delivered only one day a week.

These meals are very important to those people receiving them. There are 65 people being served daily and 70 more on the waiting list.

Please help!! The route takes less than 45 minutes to pick up hot food and drop the meals off.

Call 366-6316 to volunteer.

## Welcome

The new minister of the Highland Park Christian Church is Brother Terry Whisman.

The Whisman's moved to Louisville from Cincinnati, Ohio. Brother Terry previously ministered with the Liberty Chapel Church of Christ in Russellville, Ohio.

He graduated in May, 1984 from the Cincinnati Bible Seminary in Cincinnati.

Brother Terry, his wife, Linda and the boys are anxious to meet and get to know each of you.



Pictured with Brother Terry is his family (left to right) Naudie Brents (Linda's mother); John, 7; Linda; Brian, 12; and Brother Terry.

## Sympathy

The Highland Park Neighborhood Association wishes to express its deepest sympathy to the families and friends of the residents of Highland Park who have recently died:

Eddie Lee Bishop, 81, died September 16.

He was a native of Green County, a retired employee of International Harvester Co., and a member of Jones Memorial United Methodist Church.

Survivors include his wife, the former Myrtle I. Stith; and two sisters, Mrs. Elma Klinglesmith and Mrs. Ora Jagers.

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Mary Susan Bagby Gilpin, 88, of 420 Tallulah Avenue died October 10.

She was a native of Green County and a member of Foster Avenue Baptist Church.

Survivors include 3 daughters, Mrs. Norma Porter, Mrs. Lois Johnson and Mrs. Della Porter; a son, William G. Gilpin; 5 sisters, Mrs. Hattie Bishop, Mrs. Pearl Blakeman, Mrs. Virgie Coffey, Mrs. Bessie McKinney and Mrs. Anna Carter; 13 grandchildren; and 15 great-grandchildren.

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William Ernest Johnson, 79, of 442 Seneca Avenue died October 13.

He was a native of Taylor County and a retired employee of Brown-Forman Distillery Corp.

Survivors include his wife, the former Letha Atherton; 3 sons, William H., Louis T., and James E. Johnson; and three grandchildren.

## Meeting

The regular monthly meeting of the Highland Park Neighborhood Association Council will be held at 7:00 P.M., Thursday, November 8, 1984. The meeting will be at the Information Center at 4447 Park Boulevard.

If you have anything to discuss call Dorothy at 366-6316 prior to the meeting to have it placed on the Agenda.

All are welcome to attend.

# New Members

The months of September and October have seen an increase in the number of supporters of Highland Park. The households and businesses that have become members of the Highland Park Neighborhood Association are:

Arthur & Cynthia Adcock  
 Michael & Margaret Beckner  
 Art Bryant  
 Clara Hilbert  
 Carol Kendall  
 Lowell & Marcella McCune  
 Margaret Newman  
 Ronnie Waters  
 Butch & Dana Bailey  
 Paul Brown  
 Hilton Carr  
 Paul & June Clark  
 Carl Doerr  
 Freeman & Nancy Coats  
 Dan & Lucy Goins  
 Louis & Ruby Goins  
 Marc & Becky Herbener  
 James B. Hicks, Jr.  
 Brian DeSt. Croix  
 Lowell Elementary School  
 Noble & Pattie Malone  
 S & K Complete Auto Care  
 Margaret White  
 George Winston III

Have you shown your support of Highland Park yet? The \$5 per year membership fee is a small price to pay to keep your neighborhood viable. It also keeps "The Reporter" coming to your door.

Stop by the Highland Park Information Center at 4447 Park Boulevard and sign up today

INFORMATION OFFICE:  
 4447 Park Boulevard  
 Louisville, KY 40209

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# Do Unto Others...

Winter is fast approaching. That always means that there are people who go into their homes, close doors and windows to the world, and suffer alone.

In our hurry to get into our warm homes to avoid the cold, we don't take the time to check on neighbors. This is a plea to keep those neighbors in mind and make plans to check on them regularly.

Does your shut-in neighbor have adequate heating?

Does your neighbor need a ride to the grocery, bank, drug store, etc.?

Does your neighbor need a friendly face or a home-cooked meal served in a pleasant atmosphere?

Keep others in mind as you go about your winter chores. Lend a hand whenever you can. If the situation appears to need more help than you alone can give, call for help or information at the Highland Park Information Office. The staff can give directions on where to call for help on a variety of needs.

There are always people who abuse the system and ask for more than their fair share. There are also people who are too proud to ask for help at all - those are the ones we should be especially careful to look out for and give assistance to.

Be the kind of neighbor you would want others to be to you. Treat others as you want to be treated.

# Thank You

At the Annual Highland Park Festival held in August the Food Booth was very successful due to all of the merchants who were very generous in donating items.

The Highland Park Neighborhood Association wishes to thank all of these merchants:

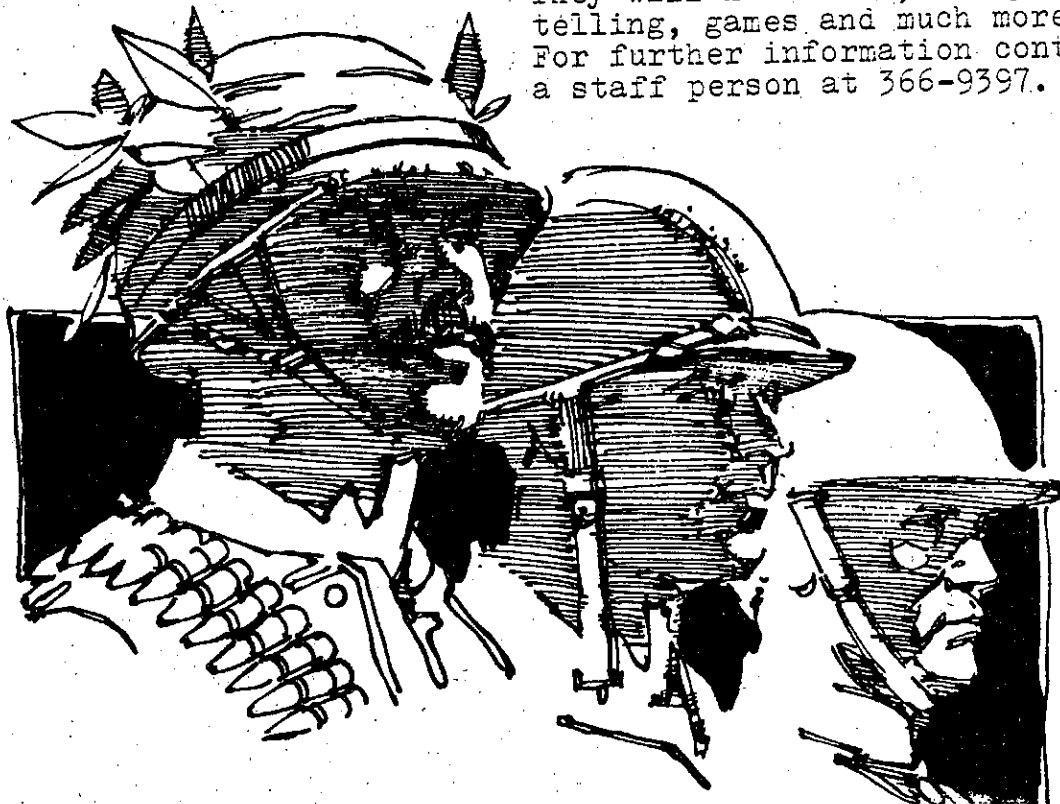
Druthers, Taylor Blvd.  
 Burger King, Crittenden Dr  
 Mr. Gatti's, 3rd St.  
 Winn-Dixie  
 Kroger Company  
 Tom & Bill's Market  
 Brown's Market  
 Jim's Mini Market  
 Convenient Food Market  
 Boulevard Market  
 Beverly Gillespie

A very heart-felt Thank You to all these generous merchants.

# Community Center

The Highland Park Community Center is sponsoring a Haunted House Trip to Beechmond Community Center on October 31. There will be a cost of 25¢ per person. The leaving time will be at 4:30 P.M. from the Community Center.

Also the Center will be taking children on October 31 to Creason Park for a Halloween Party from 7:00 - 10:00 P.M. They will have food, story telling, games and much more if. For further information contact a staff person at 366-9397.



# Members Needed

The "Reporter" staff apologizes for the necessity to combine issues of the paper. However, there is a considerable expense involved in putting out a paper to every house in Highland Park. The editor, reporters, typists, sorters and distributors all work as unpaid volunteers. The only cost involved is in printing.

The cost of printing should be offset by membership dues and advertising. However, this isn't being accomplished. For instance in the 1983-83 fiscal year, the "Reporter" had \$81 in ads. Neighborhood Development funds provide \$50 per month toward the cost. Thus, for the year, the combined income to put out the "Reporter" totalled \$681. The printing bill came to \$1,407.

Thus, the Neighborhood Assn. had to raise the balance of \$726. Membership dues should have provided the balance. However, for the entire year (1983-84), memberships for both residents and businesses only came to \$405. Needless to say, the cost simply wasn't covered as it should have been.

How was the balance paid? Your Council reps had to work at fund raising events such as the annual festival to make up the difference.

Obviously, the Neighborhood Association cannot continue to operate at a loss year after year. Funds from the City of Louisville have been cut by 25% this year and we expect the same cut for next year. To keep the paper being printed, more people need to become members, more businesses need to take out ads to support the paper.

One of the alternatives being discussed to cut the loss is to print only enough papers for those who are members of the association, those who show their support by paying dues and joining in the activities and efforts.

The "Reporter" staff and Council reps feel that those who aren't members of the Highland Park Neighborhood Assn. would join if they realized how important their active support is. Therefore, this article is meant to be an appeal for members and ads.

Please, keep the "Reporter" coming - membership dues are only \$5.00 per household per year (\$25.00 per business). The membership is good for 12 months and does much more than just print the "Reporter." Funds raised by the H.P.N.A. also go to: deliver Thanksgiving and Christmas food baskets, pay for utilities to keep the Information Office open, maintain the tool library, plus much more. JOIN - become actively involved in the future of Highland Park - after all, IT'S YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD!

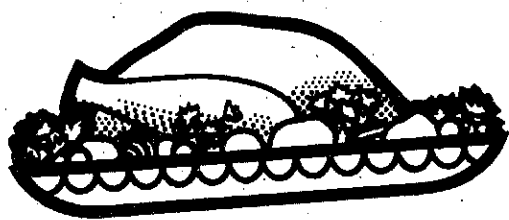


## Good-Bye

Highland Park has recently lost a very valuable member of the Council and the Neighborhood Association. Marie Cwiak, who has lived in Highland Park most of her life, has moved away.

Marie distinguished herself in her neighborhood work recently during the annual festival last August. Marie thought up the idea to have a contest for the children in Highland Park. She organized the contest, gathered donations of prizes for the contestants, appointed judges, and acted as emcee for the event. Her energy and efforts were a source of inspiration to all of the volunteers during the festival.

Needless to say, Marie's family, friends and neighbors will miss Marie. Indeed, the entire neighborhood will be missing this feisty, hard working woman.



## Good Neighbors

Good neighbors are worth their weight in gold. Marie Cwiak, a former Council representative, asked the Council to assist with a problem her neighbor was having. It seems the neighbor provides care during the day for her grandson who is confined to a wheelchair. The child and chair weighed in excess of 300 lbs. Needless to say, the grandmother was unable to lift the chair up her front steps and had to call for assistance daily.

When Marie asked for help, one of the Council members, Carl Williams, who is a contractor by trade, volunteered to provide the labor at no cost. The Council voted to use Neighborhood Association funds for the materials. Thus, a ramp was built to assist where the need was great.

Thanks Marie for bringing the need to the Council's attention.

Thanks, Carl, for taking time from your daily activities to provide the workmanship.

Thanks, members of the Highland Park Neighborhood Association, for paying dues in order for funds to be available to meet this need.

Working together, meeting the needs for both now and the future -- that is what being a neighborhood is all about.



The much needed ramp.

# What Do We Do?

The Highland Park Neighborhood Association would like for Highland Park residents to know more about our functions for the neighborhood.

The H.P.N.A. is in its seventh year of serving the community. We are a non-profit organization and operate on federal and local grants. Plus we benefit from contributions and donations from residents and local businesses.

The H.P.N.A. is proud of Highland Park and are involved in preserving it.

Some of the accomplishments include, but are not limited to:

#### JAMES RUSSELL LOWELL SCHOOL

Highland Park is the only neighborhood that has been able to maintain their school after a proposed closing.

#### LOUISVILLE FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY

The H.P.N.A. has fought the closing of the Highland Park Branch. We are still looking for a building for the relocation and merger of the Highland Park and Fincastle Branches.

#### ZONING

The H.P.N.A. has been active in the recent re-zoning of Highland Park. We believe that we will win the battle over too much commercial and industrial zoning.

#### WATERSON EXPRESSWAY

The H.P.N.A. joined in having a full interchange at Southern Parkway and I-264. Traffic is hectic enough without Highland Park being a relief valve for Southern Parkway and Third Street traffic.

#### FOOD BASKETS

With the help of local merchants, the H.P.N.A. has been able to distribute food baskets to the poor and needy who otherwise may not be able to enjoy the holidays fully.

#### TOOL LIBRARY

A Tool Library has been set up for use by the members of the Neighborhood Association.

#### SOCIAL EVENTS

We are honored to represent the neighborhood in different events held by the city. Such as the "Festival of Neighborhoods" in September downtown.

The annual Highland Park Festival which is held the first Saturday in August.

#### MEETINGS

Representatives of the Association attend regular meetings of the Air Board, Highway Department and Fair Board. This way we can stay on top of changes and/or proposals that might have an impact on the local community. Representatives also attend regular meetings in other neighborhood organizations such as LINC and the South Louisville Neighborhood Association.

All these things and others are performed by volunteers from the neighborhood as we have a high regard for Highland Park.

The Highland Park Neighborhood Association is here to aid and assist the residents and businesses with any problem in any way possible. We would like to keep Highland Park alive and make it a neighborhood we can all be proud to live in.

We would like to urge you to join the Highland Park Neighborhood Association. Stop in at the Information Center at 4447 Park Boulevard and let us show you how the Association can serve you.



## CHILD BODY SAFETY TIPS

### Teach your child:

- his or her full name, address and phone number
- how to make a long distance phone call
- never to get into a car or go anywhere without your permission
- never to tell anyone over the phone that he or she is alone
- never to answer the door at home when alone
- that no one has the right to touch him or her in any way that makes child feel uncomfortable
- that he or she must tell you if anyone offers child gifts or money, or asks to take child's picture
- that he or she must tell you if anyone asks child to keep a secret
- what he or she should do if child becomes separated from you in a public place
- that not all adults are good people, even someone child knows may try to hurt them
- that you will always believe him or her about being molested and will protect child from further harm

### TIPS FOR PARENTS

#### As a parent:

- review tips listed under "Child Body Safety" with children
- question any money or gifts your child brings home
- never leave your child alone in a car, store, or other public place
- have your child fingerprinted and keep set in a safe place along with a current photograph and dental records
- instruct your child's school or day care center not to let your child leave with anyone you have not designated
- be sure that your child's school or day care center will call you if he or she is not in attendance
- do not allow your child to wear clothing printed with his or her name on it, or to write name on outside of his or her school books or other possessions
- be alert to any changes in behavior such as nightmares or bedwetting and question child
- ask child about any close relationships he or she forms with adults

## CLASSIFIED

### HELP WANTED

Administrative Assistant - Part-time position to answer telephone, filing, typing and general office duties. Retired person welcome. Must fill immediately. Apply Highland Park Information Center, 4447 Park Boulevard or call 366-6316. An equal opportunity employer.



# Tool List

As has been noted elsewhere in the "Reporter" your \$5.00 per year membership dues entitles you to use of the tools in the Tool Library.

The following is a list of the tools that are available:

Appliance Dolly  
 Drain Cleaner  
 Awls  
 Do it Yourself Book  
 Fix it Yourself Book  
 Push Broom  
 C-Clamps  
 Carpenter Square  
 Caulking Gun  
 Chalk Line Box  
 Channellock Pliers  
 Chisel Set  
 Combination wrench Set  
 Crow Bar  
 Light Duty Dolly  
 3/8" Variable Speed Drill  
 Drill Guide  
 Drill Bit Set  
 Angle Head Drill  
 Extension Cords  
 Extension Light  
 Framing Square  
 Hack Saw  
 Hammer  
 Hand Saw  
 Portable Kerosene Heater  
 Electric Hedge Trimmer  
 Hoe  
 Long Handled Ice Scraper  
 40' Extension Ladder  
 6' Step Ladder  
 Lawn Hose  
 Lawn Mowers  
 Lawn Rake  
 Leaf Rake  
 Lineman Side Cut Pliers  
 Lopping Shears  
 Painting Drop Cloth  
 Paint Pan & Rollers  
 Paint Scraper

Pipe Clamps  
 Pipe Wrenches  
 Hand Plane  
 Assorted Pliers  
 Post Hole Digger  
 Power Bit Set  
 Power Pull  
 Protective Spectacles  
 Punch Set  
 Belt Sander  
 Pad Sander  
 Sawhorse Brackets  
 Saber Saw  
 Adjustable Dail Saw  
 Circular Saw  
 Pruning Saw  
 Screwdriver Set  
 Shop Vacuum & Accessories  
 Long Handled Shovels  
 Socket Set  
 Stapler Kit  
 Tape Ruler, 12'  
 100' Tape  
 Tiller  
 Tinnerns Snip  
 Tube Cutter & Flaring Set  
 Portable Vise  
 10" Visegrips  
 Electric Weedwackers  
 Wire Brush  
 Workbench & Clamp Attachments  
 Wrecking Bar

As you can see, there are a lot of tools for a \$5. membership fee. If you needed to purchase or rent these tools, it could cost double, triple or more. James Price, Librarian, has put these tools together with much thought to what was needed by the residents of Highland Park.

Join the Highland Park Neighborhood Association today and keep these tools used.

## Library News

There are several items of news from the Highland Park Branch of the Louisville Free Public Library.

- \* There were two winners of The Great Bubble Gum Caper. The correct number of pieces of bubble gum was 198. The winners were Michelle Simmons and Dennis Risinger.
- \* From now until October 30, the Halloween Contest is in progress. There will be a winner each day. Come in a correctly answer the quiz and have a chance for a bag of candy.
- \* The library now has a Microfiche Reader. It will be used along with the card catalog. Not only does it list Highland Park's books, but also all the branches' and Main library's books since August, 1984. Come in and use our new "gadget".
- \* There will be a Thanksgiving Contest starting November 13 and ending November 20.
- \* The library system (all branches & Main) will be closed for the following holidays:  
 Nov. 12 - Veterans Day  
 Nov. 22 - Thanksgiving  
 It will be open Election Day, November 6.



## PIZZA PARTY



On Friday night, November 9, you have a chance to get together with your friends and neighbors at a Pizza Party sponsored by the Highland Park Neighborhood Association.

It will be held at the Highland Park Community Center on Crittenden Drive. The time is from 4:00 - 9:00 P.M.

Featured is all-you-can-eat Pizza, salad and drinks. It will be catered by Kalano's Pizza, 6700 Strawberry Lane.

There will also be games and several raffles.

The price for an evening of fun is \$4.00 for adults and \$2.50 for children under 12.

Come to the Community Center and see old friends, eat pizza and have a wonderful time!!!

Tickets can be purchased in advance from any Council member or at the Information Center at 4447 Park Boulevard. They will also be available at the door.



Michelle Simmons and her jar of bubble gum.



# Lowell School News

Many people have commented about the smooth opening of school this fall and we appreciate the fact that so many took notice.

This school year our daily routine includes 553 students, 56 employees, and a much larger number of parents and guardians. I provide these figures to impress upon parents the importance of calling ahead to schedule parent conferences as each of us put in a very full day and the time reserved for conferences is very special and most valuable.

If you schedule or are requested to attend a school conference, please be prompt, but most importantly if you cannot attend, please call and cancel your appointment that we may re-schedule your time for another parent.

We look forward to working with our children, parents and community this year.

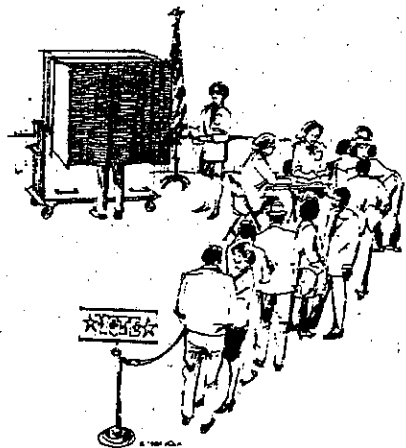
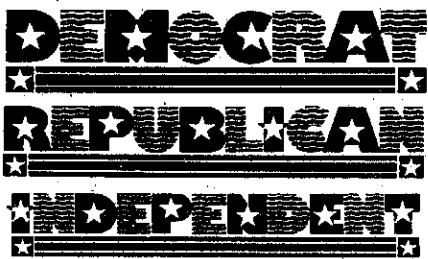
We are in need of volunteers during the week. Call if you can help for several hours during the week.

If you've talked to any of our students lately, you've heard about the variety of special programs, activities and contests taking place at the school.

Special interest school wide has been focused on the following:

## OPEN HOUSE

369 parents and guests representing 67% of our 553 students turned out. Mrs. Hubb's 2nd grade class won our best classroom participation with 32 parent visitors or 110%.



## FIRE PREVENTION MONTH

We have had three special programs sponsored by the Louisville Fire Department and the Kosair Burn Unit. Stop Drop & Roll featured Big Bird and undoubtedly your child mentioned the kindness of the firmen on Crittenden Drive who brought the fire truck to our school.

## LOWELL LUNCHROOM OLYMPICS

Our conduct and manners are greatly improved in the school lunchroom. Twelve classes won specially decorated cookies as their reward for earning two told medals during a four week period.

## SKATING PARTY

We need greater student participation if our P.T.A. is to continue sponsoring these. Mrs. George's grade won the best attendance with 28 students present!!

## P.T.A. MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

To date 195 members - last year at this time, we had 166 members. We are up 29 members this year. If you haven't joined, do so this month and help your child's classroom win the 100% membership contest. The cost is \$1.50 per person.

## OCTOBER IS NATIONAL HEADSTART AWARENESS MONTH

Did you know we have two Headstart classes at Lowell serving 4 year olds?

Dear Parents,

I just wanted to let you know how much the P.T.A. thanks all those who donated things for our yard sale. We really had a lot of items at our sale. We did very well and had a great time.

Again a note of thanks to those who donated. And a special note of thanks to those who came and helped us have such a great day.

I want to let you know the next general P.T.A. meeting will be on November 2, Friday, at 9:30 A.M. - Please plan on being there. We have so much to tell you.

Our candy sale is going to begin on November 1. We will be sending more information on this soon, so plan on being there.

Also remember our picture money is due by October 26.

Our membership drive is still going on, so hurry and make Lowell 100% for our kids this year.

Thanks,  
Lowell P.T.A.  
President

Nancy Bast

# Good Crop

Once again Jack Marcum's garden has done him proud. This year it produced two large pumpkins, one 14 lb. and one 15 lbs. This fantastic garden is in Brooks, Kentucky.

Each year Mr. Marcum produces another surprise for us to see. This year he told his secret. He said he uses sweet milk and manure water.

Mr. Marcum has lived in Highland Park at various times since 1934. He is a member of the Highland Park Christian Church.

We will be looking forward to your surprise next year!!

