

THE CANDLER PARK MESSENGER

MONTHLY REPORT OF THE CANDLER PARK NEIGHBORHOOD ORGANIZATION

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From The President...

Since the June *Messenger* probably won't make it to your doorstep before June 8th, let me take this early opportunity to remind you of the upcoming Candler Park/Lake Claire Music and Arts Festival. Between the music, artists booths, edible art contest, golf tournament and 5K Run/walk there is something for everyone (see related articles). Hope to see you there!

In other news, I would like to take this opportunity to thank Officer Bud Watson of the Atlanta Police Department for his swift recovery of Candler Park residents Steve and Michele Zimba's Jeep. It was stolen off Brooks Ave on April 16th. Not only did Officer Watson recover the vehicle within 24 hours, his sharp police work led to FIVE arrests in connection with this crime. Thanks Officer Watson!

- Connie Weimar

Volunteers Needed for 5K and Golf

Last year's 5K was a huge success and much of that can be attributed to all the volunteers who helped man the course, run the registration table, man the water tables, run the finish line, etc. We need volunteers again this year! About 40 volunteers are needed for the 5K and about 10 for the Golf Tournament. If you are interested in helping out, please call Eric & Karin Dusenbury (522-7130).

- Eric Dusenbury

Messenger Delivers Needed

Delivers are needed for several routes. This is a job that takes so little (only about 10-15 minutes a month) yet gives so much (fulfillment of knowing you're helping to keep your neighbors up to date on community happenings, good exercise, a chance to walk your dog...) If you are interested, please call Mark Carson (524-0634). Routes available:

- Candler Park Dr, McLendon - North
- Apartments on Benning

Calendar

MON., 5/13 - 7:30 CPNO Monthly Mtg.
Tues., 5/21 - 7:30 CPNO Exec. Com. Mtg.
Tues., 5/21 *Messenger* Deadline
Thurs., 5/23 - 7:30 NPU-N Monthly Mtg.

CPNO Mtg. May 13th

The Candler Park Neighborhood Org. Meets on the second MONDAY of the month at Epworth United Methodist Church, 1561 McLendon Ave.

This month's agenda:

7:00- 7:30 - Refreshments
7:30 - Officer Report
- Candler Park Pool Association Update
- Official Vote on Percentage of Race and Golf Tournament \$\$ to Mary*

*Percentage was approved at last meeting but was not on agenda. Since all expenditures of more than \$100 must be on agenda, it will be officially approved this month.

CPNO Officers

President:	Connie Weimar
1st Vice President:	Clifton Mack
VP Finances:	Jack Hammond
VP Special Events:	Dempsey Herlihy
VP Communications:	Mark Carson
VP Zoning:	Jennifer Potter
VP Environment:	Jeff Gains
VP Safety:	Debra Snell

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Let The Games Begin!

The Candler Park Neighborhood Organization is sponsoring a 5K Run/Walk and an 18 hole Golf Tournament in conjunction with the Candler Park/Lake Claire Music and Arts Festival. Proceeds from these events will go towards the Mary Lin Trust, Park Pride, and the Candler Park Neighborhood Organization.

The race will begin at 8:00 am on Saturday June 8th at the corner of Page and McLendon Avenue. Walkers will leave after the runners have cleared the starting line. Registration for the Race/Walk is \$12 in advance and \$15 the day of the race. Entry forms can be picked up at Donna Van Gogh's in the Clifton McLendon business district.

The golf tournament will be held at 9:00 on the same morning at the Candler Park Golf Course. Registration for the golf tournament is \$30 and includes a continental breakfast and lunch. Entry forms can be picked up at the club house on Candler Park Drive. Participants for both events will receive commemorative T-shirts.

Please call Eric Dusenbury at 522-7130 if you have questions about the events or if you would like to volunteer for either affair.

-Eric Dusenbury

And The Festival As Well!

The second annual Candler Park/Lake Claire Art and Music Festival will be June 8th in the Clifton/McLendon Business District. The Artist Market will open at 10:00AM and music will begin at 12:00 noon. Both the art and music will feature local talents. There will also be an edible art contest - always fun to enter and/or watch.

Several streets will be blocked for the festival:

- Page at McLendon
- Brooks at Dekalb (residents allowed)
- Brooks at McLendon
- McLendon at Clifton
- McLendon at Glendale

The proceeds from the festival will go towards neighborhood project and neighborhood schools. Last year's festival was a big success and this years stands to be even bigger. Plan to be there with a blanket, sunblock, ready to enjoy the day!

Last word...The festival needs volunteers and sponsors. If you are interested, please call Beth at Donna Van Gogh (370-1003)

- Beth Martin

ENTRY FORM

Make checks payable to:
The Candler Park
Neighborhood Association

Mail Check and Entry to:

Candler Park Neighborhood
Association.
Run, C/O Karin Dusenbury
1414 McLendon Ave
Atlanta, Georgia 30307

Runner's Packets will be
mailed to those whose paid
registrations are received before May
15th. All others must pick up packet
on day of race.

Name: _____ Age: _____ Sex: _____

Address: _____ Phone: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

T-Shirt: Check One: S ___ M ___ L ___ XL ___

(T-shirts will be given out on a first come first serve basis therefore sizes are not guaranteed)

In consideration and acceptance of this entry to the Candler Park Run, I waive any and all claims for myself and my heirs and assigns against the sponsors and officials of the above mentioned race (to include The Candler Park Neighborhood Association) for any injury or illness that may result from my participation.

Signature: _____

Under 18? Add Parent's Signature: _____

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Inside 911

As Public Safety Officer, I attend quarterly meetings of the Citizen's Advisory Committee; a group of intown neighborhood public safety representatives that meets with the Zone 6 Police Department. At the winter meeting, the Committee toured the year old state-of-the-art 911 Communications Center.

Lieutenant Wright, head of the center, stressed that the center's role is to "serve and protect". According to Lt. Wright, 3-4 supervisors work every shift and if citizens experience any problems with service or treatment by the 911 operators they should ask to speak to one of the supervisors or call 817-2382.

The common complaints from citizens calling 911 are that they are put on hold and that the operators ask too many questions. Lt. Wright responded that there are normally 16 operators on each shift, with 4 additional operators during peak hours. These operators answer an average of 1400 calls in an 8 hour period. Consequently, there are times when a caller may be put on hold. Lt Wright mentioned that the abundance of cell phones aids and hinders the system. Citizens with cell phones who observe crimes are able to call in immediately, but these extra calls can clog the system. (note: cell phone users should continue to report crimes!).

Regarding the second complaint, operators must ask where the caller is calling from because often the call is made from an address different than the emergency site. In addition, they try to obtain relevant information to relay to the police officer who is assigned the call. In all cases, the 911 operator should tell the caller how long until an officer will arrive. Calls are assigned under a priority system of 0-5. A situation that requires immediate response is a 2 or 3. A situation considered 'no harm' is a 4 (low priority). A call to report a crime that has occurred in the past will be assigned a priority 5.

At the next Citizen Advisory meeting the Olympic Police Committee will discuss specific safety information relevant to Zone 6 and Candler Park. Stay tuned!

- Debra Snell

Crime Report:

2/25 11:40PM 600 Oakdale
Man shot at as he approached North and Oakdale intersection by occupants of a car he had cutoff minutes before on Moreland

2/28 12:05AM 1480 McLendon
Four people charged with violation of park ordinance

2/28 1:05AM 495 Sterling
Car theft interrupted. Suspect believed to have fled in car with tag #JKG433

2/29 5:50PM 361 Sterling
House burglary, entrance through basement. TV, VCR, Cds and Microwave taken

3/1 1:00PM 577 Oakdale
Doors, paint sprayer, glass windows taken from house under construction.

3/2 10:10PM 401 Moreland
Man arrested for disorderly conduct

3/5 6:45PM 1215 Euclid #1
Front door screen cut and rear door kicked in. VCR taken

3/5 7:05AM 511 Page
1988 Cadillac DeVille stolen

3/12 6:25PM 1360 McLendon
Man arrested for selling door-to-door without permit. He refused to leave if no interest was expressed in his products.

3/13 3:53PM 1338 Hooper
Man arrested for masturbating in vehicle in presence of a young girl

3/14 10:20AM 1335 Euclid
Attempted break-in resulted in damaged lock to maintenance shop

3/16 11:15AM 1291 McLendon
Vandalized car, broken window and stolen phone.

3/19 8:40AM 362 Sterling
Vandalized car, broken window, stolen phone

3/22 10:25AM 1655 McLendon
\$895 in meat products taken from truck. Suspects fled in vehicle with tag #AHM455

3/23 12:21AM 485 Oakdale
Stolen car

3/24 10:50AM 1229 Euclid
Possible skinhead members in possession of military-type assault rifle.

3/25 9:00PM 1599 McLendon
Vandalized truck. Broken vent window, CD radio, Cds, radar detector taken

3/27 3:25PM 258 Josephine
Burglary attempt interrupted

3/28 10:40PM 299 Josephine
Executed search warrant for drugs

- Debra Snell

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Olympic rooms available for your friends coming to town. (No more rental properties accepted, however.)
951 Edgewood Ave. 521-9320.

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Advertising How-To

Classified ads are \$2/line. One line equals 35 characters or spaces per line. The first two or three words will be capitalized and bold faced. Bold or all caps elsewhere in the ad are \$1 each place.

Print or type your ad. Deliver check made out to "Judy Hotchkiss" to 951 Edgewood Ave. Atlanta, GA 30307 no later than the 18th of the month for publication the next edition. Include your name and phone number in case there are any questions.

Classified ads may NOT be phoned in or bought on credit. For multiple months, pay in advance or pay before each deadline.

Display ads (those in boxes or with art) are \$10/one inch in height. Ads should be camera ready (desktop/laser printer is OK). Help with ad preparation is at additional cost. To purchase this type ad, call Judy Hotchkiss at 521-9320 (daytime). The deadline is the 18th of the month for the following month's edition.

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584-8761

Secret Report:

Intelligence reports reveal that the best families in Candler Park have checking and savings accounts at BOND Credit Union.

They confessed it was the low fees and high rates that got them hooked. They begged forgiveness...but said they'd do it again. One is getting a car loan. Another a mortgage. They have BOND ATM cards, too.

They meet during banking hours, Monday-Friday, 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. at 433 Moreland Ave. or use direct deposit. They make appointments at 525-0619.

Conclusion of this investigation: BOND Community Credit Union is an unstoppable force in Candler Park.



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