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1997 Memorial Day Parade is Coming Up

The annual Memorial Day Parade, sponsored by the City of Park Hills and the Park Hills Civic Association, is coming up. One of the community's most well-attended events, the annual Memorial Day Parade will start at 11:30 a.m. at the Northern Kentucky University Law School Campus off Dixie Highway. Those with neighborhood floats and all others involved in the parade need to assemble there at 10:30 a.m.

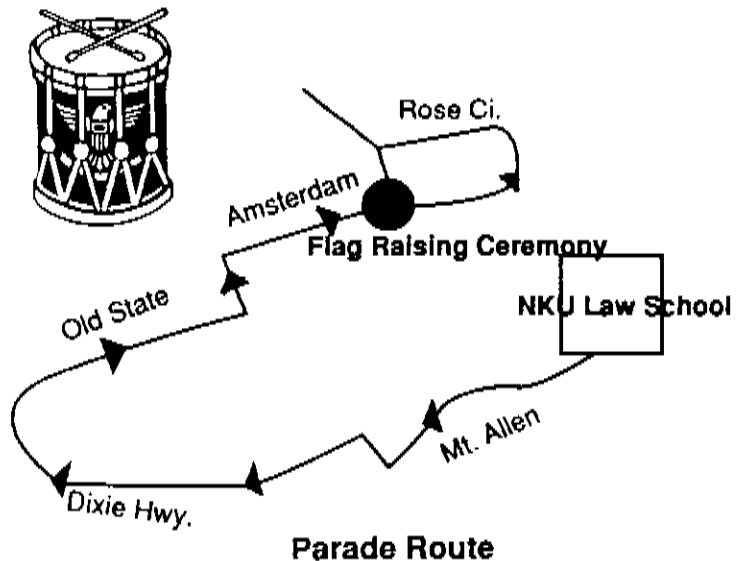
annual parade in the past This is one event you won't want to miss! Be there!!

If you would like to join in the parade activities, please call David Schlothauer, parade chairman, at 491-6051 to register prior to the parade. If you decide to to join us the day of the parade, please enter the parade starting area off Dixie Highway by 10:30 a.m.

After the parade, the Memorial Flag Raising Ceremony will be conducted at the Memorial Plaza at the corner of Park and Amsterdam. During the ceremony a commemorative wreath will be placed on the markers of the six Park Hills residents who gave their lives in war. They include Eugene Finke, Edward Dickhaus, Jr., Fred Kleumper, Allan Clare, Paul Bertke and John Wiechman.

Funds for the parade are being provided by local businesses, the City of Park Hills and the Park Hills Civic Association.

Refreshments, floats, fire trucks, bands, candy and antique cars have all been part of this



Memorial Day Essay Contest

The Civic Association invites all students of the Ft. Wright School and St. Agnes School to participate in the 1997 Memorial Day Essay Contest. First Prize is a check for \$25. A Runner-up Prize of \$10 will also be presented.

The theme of this year's contest is "Memorial Day 1997." Essays must be an original composition of 200 words or less and include a title page with the author's name, school and home telephone number.

All essays must be completed and turned into your teacher by Wednesday, May 21st. Winners will be notified by Friday, May 23rd. For more information, contact your teacher or Dave Schlothauer, 491-6051.

Parade Marshall, Evelyn Fogarty

Evelyn Fogarty will lead the parade as the Grand Marshall for 1997. Evelyn is a Park Hills resident, and has served the residents for over 27 years. In 1969 she started her career assisting the City as a part time clerk. Since that beginning, she was appointed Assistant City Clerk, to Russ Clark, and later was appointed as City Clerk. During this illustrious career, Evelyn was always prepared for Council meetings, and took all facets of her job very seriously. When asked the most memorable experience of her tenure with the



City, she replied, "I clearly remember all of the nice residents, City workers, Council members, and City Officials that I worked with through the years. It was a wonderful opportunity..."

1997 Parade to Feature the Dixie Heights High School Marching Band

The 1997 Memorial Day Parade will feature the Marching Colonels from Dixie Heights High School. The band features students from all high school levels, and includes a seasonal drum corps and brass section.

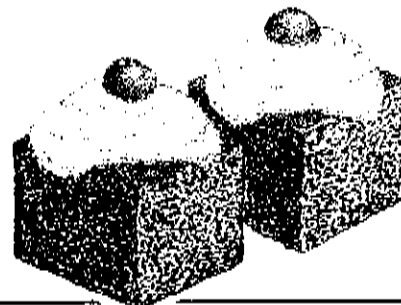
Under the direction of John Talbot, the band will march in the parade and participate in the flag raising ceremony following the parade. The flag raising activities are conducted at the corner of Amsterdam Road and Park Drive. Don't miss this opportunity to see this award winning band.

Memorial Day Bake Sale

Please bring bakery goodies; e.g., cookies, cakes, cupcakes, brownies, and breads to Trolley Park for our annual Garden Club Bake Sale. We will have baked goods for sale before and after but not during the Memorial Day ceremonies.

Tables will be set up that morning, so bring your "sweets" to Trolley Park around 9:30 a.m.

This bake sale is the first and oldest fundraiser of the Park Hills Garden Club. Please join us at this traditional "Rites of Spring" bake sale.



Reasons you Should Support the Park Hills Civic Association

In this day and age, time is a precious commodity. Family and work obligations limit the amount of free time available to all of us. It seems as if we constantly have to juggle schedules to try and get through each and every day! Often it seems like there isn't even time to simply relax and play with your kids. Fortunately, the Park Hills Civic Association makes this easier for you to do!

With your financial support, the Civic Association provides many opportunities for you to relax and play with your family. Have you taken your kids to Trolley Park to play recently? If you have, you are enjoying one of the many benefits of living in Park Hills. All you had to do was to round up the kids and head to the park! You aren't required to spend time cleaning or maintaining the park—it is simply there for your enjoyment.

There was quite a turnout for this year's Easter Egg Hunt. This yearly Civic Association event was a great opportunity for all parents to take their kids to the park for a morning of fun. Civic Association volunteers did all of the work, and you got to enjoy the day with your kids!

Are you planning on attending the Memorial Day Parade this year—relaxing with your family as you watch the parade? It's a day of fun that the kids love. All you have to do is pick a good spot to watch! Civic Association volunteers will do all of the work.

Keep your schedule open for the city picnic later this summer, as well as the Halloween and Christmas parties at year end. The HUB newsletter, which you are reading (and put out by the Civic Association) will keep you posted on the dates of these upcoming activities. By

the way, the fun isn't just for the kids. The dinner dance held in February at the Devou Park Memorial Building was another great success, and a great time for all in attendance. (A square dance is in the planning stage for next year!) The holiday decorations around town and the summer plantings you're enjoying now are also Garden Club and Civic Association sponsored activities.

These are just some of the activities and events sponsored, organized or put on by volunteers working with the Civic Association. As you can see, there are many ways you enjoy and benefit from activities sponsored by the Park Hills Civic Association! WE NEED YOUR FINANCIAL SUPPORT in order to continue with these activities. If the events and activities mentioned above are things you enjoy and wish to see continued, it is vital that you join the Civic Association. membership dues continue to be just \$10 per family, 5\$ for a single. If you can contribute some free time to help with some of these activities, great! we need your help. However, if you are unable to contribute your time, please support the Civic Association by becoming a member. Any and all financial contributions are welcome and appreciated. Remember, all money taken in by the Civic Association is spent on activities you enjoy with your family.

Thank you for your continued support.

Giles Strategier, Civic Association president;
Eric Soderlund, vice president; Julie Rowekamp, secretary; Carol Chace, treasurer; board members: Bob Amott, Bill Meier, Greg DiMuzio, Neil Frankl, Jack Wells, Dave Radle, Lee Oliver, Poppy Evans, Millie Fangman

The Park Hills Home and Garden Tour Celebrates "Everything Old is New Again"

Mark your calendars now for the much awaited Park Hills Home and Garden Tour on Sunday, June 8th, from 12:00 noon to 5:00 p.m. Always a treat in the past, this year's tour proves to be bigger and better than ever.

The following homes, which have undergone major expansions and/or renovations, have been selected for your viewing pleasure:

Tom and Kim Banta, 1154 Morgan Court
Joe and Sue Isler, 1156 Morgan Court
Greg and Leslie Johnson, 1090 Lawton Road
Dan and Connie McCluskie (English Tea), 1102 Park Drive
Len and Julie Rowekamp, 1166 Breckenridge
Mike and Jeanne Schroer, 1086 Emerson
Dr. Sigmund Sugermam (Home and Table Settings), 1035 Emerson

The cost for the basic tour (homes/gardens and table settings) is \$10.00 per person. Tour tickets plus the English Tea are \$12.50 per person. Due to pre-planning and space considerations, tickets to the Tea are limited, so order early.

Tickets can be purchased in advance at the following locations: Park Hills City Building,



1106 Amsterdam Road; Loschivo's Fruit and Vegetable Market, 1518 Dixie Highway; and Grandpa's Gourmet Ice Cream and Coffee House, 1858 Ashwood Circle. Phone reservations can be made by contacting Patty Brungs at 431-3192.

Tickets will also be available the day of the event at trolley Park. Pre-purchased tickets will be eligible for a number of delightful door prizes.

As in the past, shuttle service will be provided, compliments of the Drawbridge Estate and McCluskey Chevrolet. Parking will be available at Faith Christian Center at 1101 Amsterdam after 1:00 p.m. and at Old Park Hills School at 1030 Old State Road.

Proceeds for the event will go towards enhancing the entrances to Park Hills along the Dixie Highway and to assist future neighborhood garden projects throughout the City.

For general information, please contact co-chairpersons for this event: Millie Fangman at 581-0022 or Nancy Daly at 491-1055.

News from the Park Hills Police Department

We receive many complaints concerning people walking their dogs and permitting them to defecate in other property owners' yards. This is a violation of a city ordinance, but besides this, it is also inconsiderate. If you don't want your dog going in your own yard, I'm sure you can understand that other people don't want it in their yards either. Please be more considerate of your neighbors.

With warm weather coming, children will be out playing this summer. Since most of our streets are narrow and very few have sidewalks, it will be necessary for us to be even more alert while driving. Please observe traffic laws and watch your speed! We can't be on all streets at all times, so we ask the cooperation of all our residents.

We would like to start a program for our elderly residents who live alone here in Park Hills. If there would be an emergency situation involving you and you would like our office to notify someone, such as a family member or a friend, please call our office and we will keep their name and phone number on file. In case of an emergency, we could notify them for you. We will share this information with our Fire Department and Life Squad personnel. You can call our office at 431-6172 and give us the information. Our office hours are 9:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.



We want to acquaint our citizens with an ordinance which may affect you. City building codes require a permit to be issued if you intend to "erect, move, add to, or structurally alter" your property. We

also require any company or private contractor to obtain an occupational license if they do work in Park Hills. If you intend to do any remodeling or make any additions to your property, contact the City Clerk BEFORE you start your project to see if a permit is required. Also, please remind the people doing your work that they will need an occupational license.

News from the Sunshine Committee

Congratulations were sent to the following residents:

Gregg & Stephanie Feltner - boy
Mike & Patty Hellmann - boy
William & Mary Roth - boy
Mitchell & Elizabeth Robinson - girl
Mrs. & Mrs. Thomas Hoffman - boy
John & Lisa Maddox - boy
Howard & Diane Nemeroff - girl

Sympathy cards have been sent to the following residents:

Marcella Warther - sister
Patricia Pope - father and sister
Pam Schworer - sister
Don Blank - brother
Polly Meyer - father
Richard Wolking - mother
Helen Mussman - sister
Kathy Graven - mother
Laverne Corbin - husband
Joyce Willmes - husband
Carolyn O'Connell - mother
Family of Wanda Dietz
James Gilbert - mother
Janice Hall - mother

A get-well card was sent to Jane Knochelman.

If you know of anyone we missed, please contact Millie Fangman at 581-0022.

Hospitality Committee News

The following new residents were welcomed to Park Hills:

Fred & Susan Brunner - Park Drive
 Dan & Denice Bosch - Audubon Road
 Bill & Elizabeth Muske - Rose Circle
 Travis & Dawn Collins - Old State Road
 Scott Young & Polly Meyer - Arlington Road
 Herronn & LuAnn Trenton - Exter Drive
 Chris & Kellee Fink - South Arlington Road
 Mike & Paige Gramaglia - Audubon Road
 Vinc Lambert & Diane Burd - Audubon Road
 Michelle Vossmeier - Amsterdam Road

Many thanks to the Easter Egg Hunt committee!!

Approximately 100 children participated in this early morning event. Those who found a special prize of a silver egg were:

Ages 7 to 10 - Rob Brungs
 Ages 4 to 6 - Suzie Cardosi
 Ages 1 to 3 - Tyler Demmien

The Easter Bunny was there and gave every child a bag of candy for their Easter basket.

The Ft. Wright Elementary PTA will be sponsoring The Ft. Wright Fun Fest on Saturday, May 17 fro 3:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. There will be games, food and activities for all ages. Please join us for a fun-filled day.

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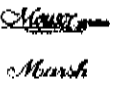

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