# The Messenger

September 2008

News for Candler Park

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#### **Meetings and Events**

CPNO general meeting September 15<sup>th</sup> 7:00 pm (social period @ 6:30 pm)

CPNO general meetings are held every 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday at First Existentialist Cong., 470 Candler Park Drive; committee meetings are held at Epworth United Methodist Ch., 1561 McLendon Avenue

All are welcome - only registered members are eligible to vote at monthly meetings. Membership applications must be received by first of month of meeting.

#### **September General Meeting Agenda:**

- Welcoming remarks, approval of agenda and August minutes
- Officer and Committee Reports
- Land Use Matters
  - □ Variance for 321 Ferguson
- Vote on \$6000 grant for 2008 FallFest
- Vote on \$2000 grant for 2008 FallBall
- Vote on \$9000 pool lawsuit settlement
- Discussion of Pool Plaza
- Home Safety Presentation
- New Business
- Announcements and Open Forum

Submit October agenda items to any CPNO officer by September 26<sup>th</sup>, 2008

Events Calendar (open to all)
Saturday September 6<sup>th</sup> @ 8:30 am
Friends of Candler Park – park cleanup
(meet at CP parking lot entrance)

Monday, September 8<sup>th</sup> @ 7pm
CPNO Board of Directors - Epworth
United Methodist Church, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor

Thursday, September 11<sup>th</sup> @ 7pm Friends of Candler Park – TBD (contact JoJo Ross, 404.547.8542)

Monday, September 15<sup>th</sup> @ 7pm CPNO Regular Meeting - First Existentialist Congregation

Tuesday, September 16<sup>th</sup> @ 7pm
Fall Fest Committee - Epworth United
Methodist Church, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor

Thursday September 18<sup>th</sup> @ 7pm CPNO Budget Committee - Epworth United Methodist Church, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor

Wednesday, September 24<sup>th</sup> @ 7pm CPNO Historic District Committee -Epworth United Methodist, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor

Thursday, September 25<sup>th</sup> @ 7pm NPU-N - L5P Community Center

Wednesday, October 1<sup>st</sup> @ 7pm CPNO Zoning Committee - Epworth United Methodist Church, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor

#### **Fall Fest**

By Mark Clement

Summer may be fading, but the skies are still sunny enough for short sleeves. The air is crisp, fresh, and tinged with the scent of cool nights and the leaves are just beginning to turn. The Candler Park Fall Festival with the various artists and businesses lining the park drive, the sound of music from our amphitheatre, the laughter of children from the Publix children's area, and the wonderful smell of food from the food court is the perfect way to ease the spirit into the delights of the new season. It truly feels like the locals come out to say good-bye to summer. The only thing we need to make this a reality is you!



The annual Candler Park Fall Festival, presented by the Candler Park Neighborhood Organization, will take place Saturday and Sunday, October 11 and 12, and promises a fabulous array of music, art, food, and fun.

**5K Road Race** - The Candler Park Fall Fest 5K marks the official opening of the festival. We have worked hard to scout out the most scenic and picturesque route in our historic and hilly neighborhood. Signing up is easy! You can use the race application on page 3, or go to our site <a href="https://www.candlerparkfallfest.org">www.candlerparkfallfest.org</a>, and from there you can download an application, or sign up on line on Active.com. Or you can take your chances and register at 8:00 on race day in front of Epworth Methodist Church, on the corner of McLendon and Mell Avenues. Race day registration is not advisable, however, as we'll be limited to "only" 10,000 runners this year !!!

All participating runners will be awarded a high-quality, autumn-colored event t-shirt - with our cleverly-designed logo on it, it's guaranteed to make you the envy of the neighborhood. We will have awards for all ages, and even a jogging stroller category. For more information go to <a href="https://www.candlerparkfallfest.org">www.candlerparkfallfest.org</a>.

**More than 85 artists!** This year's Artist Market will feature jewelry, ceramics, photography and fine art and more. If you love to browse for art, Fall Fest will have something in every price range. Curt Flaherty has once again put his considerable architectural skills to work in finding ways to accommodate even more artist booths in the park. This task has been made incredibly difficult due to the restrictions placed on use due to the drought policies. For more information on our incredible variety of vendors, see our website at <a href="https://www.candlerparkfallfest.org">www.candlerparkfallfest.org</a>.

Volunteers get a free pizza and beer party on October 3<sup>rd</sup> at the Existentialist Congregation. The fun starts at 7. Sign up for a volunteer shift via the website...www.candlerparkfallfest.org.

#### The Messenger

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#### Be a Dear and Volunteer

By Donna Palmer

In a few short weeks, thousands and thousands of tourists are going to flock to our fair neighborhood to enjoy what many experts say is the best little festival in Atlanta. Uh huh, the annual **Candler Park Fall Fest** is just around the corner and your smiling face and happy arse are needed to help make sure things run smoothly. There are a host of events and activities for which you can volunteer. There's Band Set-up, Equipment Set-up, General Set-up and of course, Festival Set-up. Or, you could volunteer to sell beer, t-shirts or tickets for the **Tour of Homes**. Got kids? Volunteer for the **Kid's Activity** area. You *know* you and your young 'uns are going to be there anyway!

Please go to <a href="www.candlerparkfallfest.org">www.candlerparkfallfest.org</a> and click on the Volunteers link in the upper right corner. You can see what jobs need filling and can choose when and where to work.

Your efforts will be rewarded in many, many ways. Not only do you get to enjoy the comfort of racking up some good Karma, you get a beer and pizza party (7 PM October 3<sup>rd</sup> at the Existentialist Congregation), plus a free t-shirt, 2 tickets for the beverage of your choice, *and* a discount for the much anticipated **Candler Park Fall Ball**.

Speaking of the Fall Ball...Congratulations to Margaret Thompson—winner of the "Name That Party Contest". As the one and only entry in the contest, Margaret automatically wins 2 free tickets to this year's dinner and dance. If you'd like to attend, please fill out the **Fall Ball Ticket Request Form** on page 8 of this issue of The Messenger. Tickets are \$15 a person, but those who volunteer only have to fork out 10 bucks!



Laughter in the Park



legitimate purposes.

#### Candler Park Fall Fest 5K Sat, Oct 11, 2008 9am Candler Park, Atlanta

Proceeds to benefit Candler Park Neighborhood Organization (CPNO)

RACE DETAILS: Please join us for our annual Candler Park Fall Fest 5K on Oct 11<sup>th</sup> at 9am in beautiful Candler Park neighborhood. Jogging stroller? If you can handle it, no problem! In fact, award given to first stroller runner to finish! Well-behaved dogs on leashes permitted. Special warm-up before the race provided courtesy of Operation Boot Camp. All finishers will be awarded a premium quality, kaki colored T-shirts with our cleverly designed logo on it and all runners automatically entered into raffle for gift certificates to local restaurants and merchants. Enjoy fruit and bagels after the race. Race route – <a href="https://www.candlerparkfallfest.org">www.candlerparkfallfest.org</a>

START: 1 block from Epworth UMC, at corner of Page Ave & McLendon (next to Fellini's)

END: Candler Park Drive next to kick ball field before McLendon

**AGE GROUPS/AWARDS:** Awards to Overall M & F, Masters M & F, and 1<sup>st</sup> place in age groups: 10 & Under, 11-14, 15-19, 20-29, 30-39, 40-49, 50-59, 60 & over. Award to 1<sup>st</sup> place stroller finisher.

REGISTRATION: \$19 if register before Oct 7th; \$24 thereafter and on Race Day

Online – <u>www.active.com</u> (search Candler Park Fall Fest 5K)

Signature of participant /Parent or guardian's signature if under 18 years of age

- Download form from <u>www.running4fitness.com</u> & mail entry. Check payable to CP Running Club; mail to Ed Williams, Race Director, 978 Scott Circle, Decatur, GA 30033
- Race Day registration and Packet Pick-Up from 8 8:45am at Epworth UMC, 1561 McLendon Ave, Atl, 30307

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#### 2008 Candler Park Tour of Homes – Sunday, October 12th

By Mary Alice Bray

The Candler Park Tour of Homes will take place on Sunday, October 12, 2008 from noon to 6 pm. This year's 9-stop tour includes homes ranging from classic Craftsman bungalows to modern lofts. The construction dates span 106 years. Several renovations have used the latest "green" construction techniques including solar panels, sourcing construction material locally, recycling all waste material and using energy efficient cellulose insulation. The tour booklet also includes the popular article, "How to Research the History of Your Home" by Robert Craig, Professor, College of Architecture, Georgia Tech.

Ticket prices are \$12 in advance or \$15 during the festival. Advanced tickets go on sale the last week of September and may be purchased online via paypal or at the following real world locations:

The Mercantile 1660 Dekalb Avenue Candler Park Market 1642 McLendon
Donna Van Gogh's 1651 McLendon L5P Pharmacy 484 Moreland Ave
Ace Hardware 1404 Scott Blvd. Inman Park Pet Works 914A Austin Ave

During the festival, drop by the Gilded Angel located at 1404 McLendon Avenue in the heart of Candler Park for tickets, or you can visit the Fall Fest booth in the park or even at the individual houses on the tour. For more information, call 404-522-5455 or visit www.candlerparkfallfest.org.

#### Let There Be Music

By Donna Palmer

And there will be... This year's musical line up for the annual Candler Park Fall Fest is a virtual who's who in the Atlanta music scene. Here's the list of bands for this year's festival:

#### Saturday, October 11th

12:00 Jennie Johnson Band

1:00 Con Us

2:00 Spies of Life

3:00 Kevin Lewis

4:00 To Be Announced

5:00 Seed and Feed

5:30 The League Of Decency

#### Sunday, October 12th

1:00 Webster

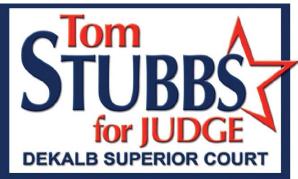
2:00 Rocking Pontoons

3:00 Bonaventure Trio

4:00 Delta Moon

5:00 Baton Bob

6:00 Kingsized



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#### Meet the Stubbs family

Tom Stubbs has deep roots in DeKalb. He grew up here and is a product of DeKalb County Schools. Tom and his wife Memmi have been married for 27 years. They live in Decatur and have three children -- Justin, 19; Connor, 15; and Sarah, 12. Tom's father, Wytch Stubbs, MD, was a family physician in Tucker who co-founded the Scottdale clinic, and later served as Medical Director at DeKalb Medical Center. Memmi's father is long-time Decatur attorney, Dan McConaughey, author of the widely used family law treatise, Georgia Divorce, Alimony and Child Custody.

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#### **Swim Suit Settlement Proposed**

By Walt Weimer

The civil suit filed against CPNO and Candler Park Pool Association by American Pools earlier this year has reached a potential compromise, based on discussions between CPNO's attorney Steve Gibbs, and the plaintiffs, who settled with CPPA previously for ~ \$2500. Following case evaluation involving the parties, their counsel and a court-appointed outside consultant, held as part of pretrial procedures imposed by Dekalb County State Court during the summer, CPNO received an offer from the plaintiff to settle all outstanding claims for \$9000, about one-third of the amount originally sought. CPNO's earlier motion for summary judgment, dismissing all claims and seeking attorney's fees, was unsuccessful, while subsequent settlement offers by the respective parties at lower or higher amounts failed to result in any prospective agreement.

Although well-prepared to vigorously defend its case at trial, CPNO's board has considered advice of its outside counsel, and conditionally agreed to approve a proposed settlement, subject to a vote of the organization's general members in September. Such action would resolve the case without admission of liability by CPNO, while avoiding the uncertainty and expense of further litigation. Current pool operations by the City of Atlanta, which resumed during the 2007 season, are not affected by the litigation or proposed settlement. CPNO's own regularly-scheduled meetings and all 2008 organizational and committee activities, despite the contingent financial liability associated with the case, should continue regardless of its outcome, with no long-term impacts to insurability, corporation status or other material aspects of operations.

CPNO's board, together with our outside counsel (if available, and subject to confidentiality requirements), will attend September's general meeting to review the anticipated costs and benefits of settlement, hear concerns and gather input from members regarding disposition of the case. If approved as recommended by the board, and duly executed by plaintiff, settlement funds would be paid out of CPNO's treasury, which the board has confirmed will remain sufficiently and readily available, as early as September. If not approved, or further conditioned (pending acceptance by plaintiff), the case would likely proceed to a jury trial tentatively scheduled for January or later, and expected to last two or three days, followed by a judgment and award, if applicable. Please join your neighbors at our next CPNO general meeting to help positively determine the most appropriate course for CPNO in response to this settlement offer, and to better understand all aspects of the possible outcomes to the case.



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## Get Involved! Greenspaces In and Around Candler Park Need Your Help!

By Tom Painter

When you stop to think of it, there are several areas of our neighborhood that provide some great opportunities for residents of Candler Park and nearby neighborhoods to enjoy greenspaces, undertake recreational activities, and otherwise enhance life outside the front doors of their homes. And in several instances, there are small groups of neighbors and occasionally other folks who endeavor to maintain and improve these areas.

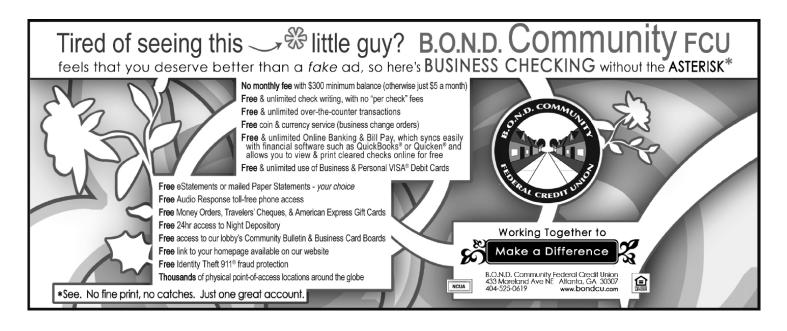
I encourage all Candler Park residents to learn more about these greenspaces in our neighborhood, the efforts of those persons who wish to maintain and improve these areas, and support and join their efforts. There are plenty of opportunities to get involved!

Here is a brief listing of greenspaces in our neighborhood and contact information for persons who are trying to make them better. Find out how you help!

- Candler Park (the park) Do you want to help improve Candler Park? Need some good exercise? Want to play in the dirt, remove invasive plant species, pick up litter or do any number of things that can make the park a more attractive, healthier place for Candler Park neighbors? The Friends of Candler Park have lots of good ideas for improving the park, and organizes work days, starting at 8:30 a.m., the first Saturday of each month. Contact JoJo Ross at 404-547-8542 for more information.
- <u>Iverson Park</u> The Friends of Iverson Park is a new group that aims to maintain and improve this little gem of a park on Iverson Street. They also have lots of good ideas about how to improve the park and plan to obtain support from CPNO and Park Pride once they agree on needed improvements and develop a work plan. For more information, contact Eric Dusenbury at 404-522-7130 or dusenbury@bellsouth.net.

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#### **GreenSpace**

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- The McLendon bulbouts and curbside plantings - Ahh, our beloved bulbouts! Last fall, the CPNO initiated an incentive program to encourage Candler Park residents who live near bulbouts to adopt, maintain, and beautify them. CPNO offers up to \$50 per bulbout or curbside planting, based on a plan and receipts, to help defray the costs of soil amendments and plants. Alas, the outside watering ban went into effect about the same time. But the offer still stands, the watering restrictions have eased some, gray water works just fine, and the fall and early winter months are the best time to plant perennials so they can get established before spring. But these plants need improved soil and some care to survive. So adopt a bulbout! For more information, contact me at 404-524-88433 or 404-639-6113 tcp2@cdc.gov or and tompainter2007@vahoo.com.
- Granmaw Gordon's greenspace at the corner of Gordon and DeKalb Avenue, Lake Claire - A group of neighbors on Gordon Avenue aim to transform a vacant lot into a community greenspace along busy DeKalb avenue, prevent the destruction of Granmaw Gordon, a uniquely valuable and very old pecan tree, and many other trees on the lot, and stop a planned development of condos. The Gordon Avenue neighborhood needs help with legal fees, among other things. Support the Granmaw Gordon greenspace and help these fine neighbors protect and develop a greenspace for the community. To find out how you can help, call Teri Stewart at Donna Van Gogh's Artist Market: 404-370-1003.
- Freedom Park If you have biked, walked, iogged, skated, been dragged by your dog(s). or crawled along the path through Freedom Park, you could not help but notice that there are numerous and large eroded areas throughout much of the park. And they are getting larger! These areas date from the mid-1990s and need serious attention. Please encourage the City of Atlanta and the Freedom Park Conservancy to stop erosion and replant eroded areas in Freedom Park! Encourage them to partner with CPNO and other local groups to fix this mess! Here are some good folks to contact: Ken Gillett, Director of Parks, phone 404-817-6744, e-mail: KGillett@AtlantaGa.Gov; Cathi Barlow, Chair, Freedom Park Conservancy (cathibarlow08@comcast.net); Carol Gregory, Chair, Freedom Park Conservancy's Park Improvement Committee (CGregory@habitat.org)



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#### Get Out Yo High Top Sneakers and Put Yo Red Dress On!

By Donna Palmer

The first annual Candler Park Fall Ball will be held on Friday, October 10<sup>th</sup> at 7PM at the First Existentialist Congregation located at 470 Candler Park Drive. Tickets are on sale now (\$10 for Fall Fest volunteers, \$15 for everyone else), but you'd better hurry, the dance floor is limited.

Be sure to bring your own adult beverages. We'll serve you a tasty BBQ dinner and you'll be dancing the night away to the finger poppin' sounds of the fabulous ExPand Band, featuring Bill Fleming.

Attendees are encouraged to dress either way...fancy or schmancy. However, the theme for this year's dance is *The Wild West...You Cain't Keep a Good Hoe Down.* So, wear your boots if you want to, but no spurs please. Also: no children, pets or farm animals. And, we encourage you to walk to the party...especially if you plan to enjoy adult beverages.

Please fill out the handy dandy Candler Park Fall Ball Ticket Request Form, place it in an envelop along with your check or money order and run it over to the Boardman/Edison house at 353 Elmira Place **before October 7th**. Please make the check out to the Candler Park Neighborhood Organization and write "Fall Ball" in the space provided. If you have questions, send me an email <u>palmerx2@speakeasy.net</u>. Be sure to type Fall Ball Question in the email <u>subject line</u>.

Handy Dandy Candler Park Fall Ball Ticket Request Form			
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Total \$ amount enclosed			

#### **Don't Let Your Guard Down**

By Amy Bailey

I have lived on Euclid Ave. for over a year with no issues. However, last week, while walking the three blocks between my current residence and the residence I will move into in another month (also on Euclid Ave), I was mugged in broad daylight at approximately noon. A young African-American male (18-20 years), approximately 5'9 or 5'10" 170-180 pounds with unique medium length hair (thick corn-rows which had been undone), was standing at the corner of Mansfield and Euclid on the left side of the road. I passed him, acknowledged his presence, he acknowledged mine with a "hello" and I kept walking on the same side of the road. He proceeded to walk behind me, though at a normal distance, many feet back- nothing that felt threatening. He had nothing in his hands.

Many people were out running, walking their dogs, etc. We must have passed at least 4 or 5 people. Right before my home, I took a left to walk up the hill and get a better look at my parking space. He proceeded to follow me up the hill, increasing his gate and then I knew that I was in trouble but there was nobody around. The mugging took place essentially right outside my kitchen window behind the building. He then showed me tucked in the waistband of his shorts what could have been (though who knows what it was really) the handle of a revolver and said over and over "Don't do anything stupid" and "Give me your bag."

I had my car keys in my hand, a notebook, my phone in my back pocket and luckily just my camera bag- no purse. I was too shaken up to follow him and called 911 immediately, even as he was walking (not running) away. He walked back down the hill the same way he came up, which is somewhat surprising since so many people were on the main road. My gut impression is that he was a potentially reluctant participant in an initiation- that he had somehow been forced to do the dirty work, as he did not have a threatening way about him and spoke quietly and timidly. I almost asked if he was really serious because it just didn't seem possible in the middle of the afternoon with so many people close by, but I didn't want to risk it.

The responding police officer said this was highly unusual in the middle of the day with so many people in close proximity. I also learned from other members of Candler Parkside Condos that a violent attack occurred within the last month at the condos just to the left of Candler Parkside at 11 pm in the parking lot. The police suspect that it was an (unsuccessful) attempt at bringing the victim to an ATM machine, though two people were assaulted in the process.

My goal in writing this is simply to remind everyone to listen to your instincts and pay attention if something just doesn't seem right. Random crime is apparently a part of our community unfortunately. I know that I will be more vigilant. Because I acknowledged his presence, and he mine, I let my guard down. I didn't think about the fact that he was not walking anywhere (just loitering) when I passed him and that once I passed, he was then on the move. That should have been enough for me to stay on the main road or at least move toward any people I noticed walking or mowing their yards but I didn't. I know better next time.





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#### **Budget Committee Wants To Hear From You**

By Walt Weimer

The latest meeting of the CPNO budget committee was held on Thursday August 21st at Epworth, chaired by CPNO treasurer Alonzo Church and attended by seven of the 9 members, including Mike Brandt, Mark Clement, Jason Key, Greg Luetscher, Silvia Medrano, Destiny Ronay and Walt Weimar. The committee worked to better define its process for assessing funding priorities for 2009, and considered a number of specific ideas including retaining a website administrator; funding a program for sidewalk improvements; supporting a proposed Candler Park pavilion; a trails system within Candler Park; installing bi-racial historic markers in Candler Park; and development of a communal oven facility to hold neighborhood cooking events. A survey to solicit additional feedback from a broad spectrum of community residents and property owners, developed by committee member JoJo Ross, was reviewed and will be circulated to CPNO meeting attendants in September for more ideas and comments on issues of highest priority.

Some discussion by Greg Luetscher, Mike Brandt and other members focused on ways in which CPNO bylaws could be adapted to allow for annual budget committee formation and procedures, including whether the CPNO treasurer would automatically chair the committee. A process and schedule by which proposed spending would be established each December, and recommended for board and general membership approval each January, was proposed to improve efficiency and consistency in routine spending (e.g., meeting space rental, annual liability insurance, NPU dues and newsletter printing costs), while conserving discretionary funds unless approved for specific projects or purposes. The amount of funds to reserve against contingencies such as litigation or long-term objectives was also discussed, as well as means by which unanticipated ad hoc funding requests might be submitted and reviewed prior to any approval by general CPNO members.

Anticipated agenda items for the budget committee's next meeting, proposed for Thursday September 18th, include review of CPNO's comprehensive full-year cash flow and operations; a draft form and process for committee review and action on non-recurring funding requests; proposed bylaw revisions to implement committee formation and powers; and clarification of relationships between CPNO and other organizations which serve or support Candler Park's community's infrastructure, environment or culture, including Friends of Candler Park, Freedom Park Conservancy, PATH Foundation, Freedom Park Conservancy, Park Pride, Trees Atlanta, Peavine Watershed Alliance, "sister" neighborhoods (Inman Park, L5P, Lake Claire), governmental agencies, and others. Please contact Alonzo Church or any committee member to provide your input, or to learn more about their efforts to define best practices by which CPNO can manage and protect its growing resources, while at the same time identifying and applying available funds most effectively, to improve or promote the issues of broadest community concern or opportunity.

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#### **Lock the House**

By Regina Brandt

Be sure to attend the up coming Candler Park Neighborhood Organization meeting on September 15<sup>th</sup>. I have invited Calvin Pinson from Down's Safe and Lock Company to make a short presentation about door and window locks and ways we can make our homes more burglar proof.

#### Calling All Mary Lin Alumni

By Boyd Baker

On Saturday, September 27, 2008, Mary Lin Elementary is hosting an Alumni/Grandparent Open House from 9am to 12 noon. This is a wonderful opportunity for alumni to re-visit their early days of glory, share memories, and update the school on what you're up to. The latest Thin Client technology installation will show how the classrooms have changed.

Grandparents are also invited to come see where their precious little angels spend their workweeks. Light refreshments will be served. Mary Lin is located at 586 Candler Park Drive and the event is hosted by the newlyformed Mary Lin Education Foundation. Questions? Contact foundation@marylinelementary.com.

#### Freedom Park Work Day

By Carol Gregory

If you jog, walk, or bike the PATH that traverses Freedom Park, you know what a wonderful asset the park is to our neighborhoods. You may have also noticed that the light fixtures in the park are deteriorating and rust is eroding the poles at the base. The Freedom Park Improvement Committee (PIC), working under the Freedom Park Conservancy, has helped the city maintain the park over the years by removing unsightly graffiti and kudzu. On Oct. 4, the PIC is partnering with Hands on Atlanta and Park Pride to somewhat rejuvenate the light poles. With a cadre of volunteers we plan to wire brush the rust, paint the base area with Rustoleum and paint the poles to a 5-foot level.

Please consider joining us on Oct. 4 for the project. The day starts at 9 AM and ends at 1 PM with a Hands On picnic at Centennial Park for all volunteers. Parking will be on the south side of the Carter Center and work will begin between Highland and the ice canopy along the PATH. All materials and water will be provided. Volunteers can sign up on the Hands on Atlanta website or walk up on Oct. 4 ready to work.

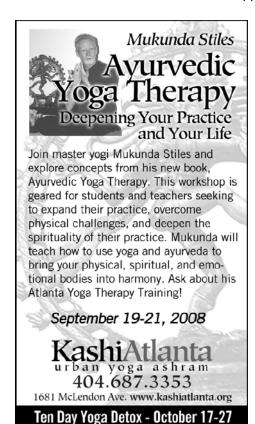
Join the fun! Help keep Freedom Park attractive. For more information contact Carol Gregory, 404-523-9067.

#### **Gas Pipeline Replacement Program**

From a Press Release

The Atlanta Gas Light (AGL) Pipeline Replacement Program is a 15-year project to replace more than 2,600 miles of bare steel and cast iron natural gas pipeline in Georgia. The program is now in its 8th year. To insure the safety and reliability of Atlanta Gas Light's natural gas pipeline system, older pipes are being replaced with state-of-the-art plastic and steel pipes. The program will be complete in 2013.

If your neighborhood is affected by the Pipeline Replacement Program, you will receive a letter with the names and telephone numbers of the contractors doing the work in your neighborhood as well as the AGL representative responsible for the project. If you have not received this information, please call (404) 584-3039 or E-mail us at pipelinereplacements@aglresources.com.





#### The Freedom Park Bird and Butterfly Garden continues to go Native

By Carol Vanderschaaf

The Atlanta Audubon and the DeKalb Master Gardeners now has about 35 native plants in the garden located at the corner of North Ave. and Candler Park Drive. Several are in bloom now including Wild Senna, Joe Pye Weed, Cardinal Flower and Black-eyed Susan. Others have finished blooming: St John's Wort, Gayfeather, Celandine Poppy, Rosemary, Milkweed and Crossvine.

We planted a butterfly area at one end of the garden in May, with species that could provide nectar for butterflies as well as food for caterpillars. Species include Butterfly Weed (not Butterfly Bush which is not a native), Bee Balm, Fennel and Parsley. We've had several butterflies visit the garden, including Silver Spotted Skipper (see photo on page 13), Gulf Fritillary and Cabbage White, as well as Tiger and Black Swallowtails. Many of the latter's caterpillars have feasted on the Fennel and Parsley.

The bluebird box was active again this year (see photo on page 13). The nesting pair has since left the Garden box and moved across the street to neighbor Jim Satcher's bluebird house-we're hoping that next year there'll be two families of bluebirds in the area! Also seen in the Garden: a Chipping Sparrow, American Robin, House Finch, Northern Cardinal, those ole European Starlings, Northern Mockingbird, Red-headed Woodpecker and, overhead, two Red-tailed Hawks.

If you've thought about going native yourself, fall is a great time to start a native plant garden. This gives the plants enough time to set in their roots before winter arrives. If you're looking for native plants (which can be hard to find) check out the Georgia Perimeter College Native Plant Botanical Gardens website for their fall sales or try the Georgia Native Plant Society web page for a list of nurseries who've contributed native plants to the GNPS plant sale. Also come by and look at the Freedom Park Garden to get some ideas. We're in the process of labeling everything with planting requirements as well as with information about wildlife benefits. Keep in mind that the Garden is an evolutionary process. It will be several years before it fully matures.

We hope to fill in the Garden with more plants this fall-hopefully with the help of Mary Lin students. If you're interested in helping us with this planting and would like to sign up for an occasional workday or help us put together a Power Point presentation, please contact me at 404 373 0295 or cvanderschaaf@bellsouth.net.



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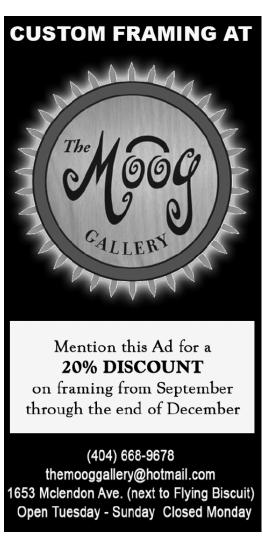


Silver Spotted Skipper



I'm a Blue Bird, I'm a Blue Bird, yeah, yeah, yeah





#### Skillet Lickin' Good

The Food Freak

A few years ago, the folks in Kennesaw made national headlines by passing a law that required all residents to own a gun. The idea was to put criminals on notice that the citizens of the town were armed and willing to defend their abodes with deadly force. I have a better idea. Why not make cast iron skillets mandatory for all households? Not only do they make the best fried chicken, they also make a formidable weapon. For instance, suppose you hear an assailant breaking into your space. If you own a well seasoned cast iron skillet, all you need to do is grab it and whack 'em up side the head. There's even evidence that cooking in an iron skillet increases the iron in your diet. Now how many items do you have around your house that can meet so many of your personal needs? You *could* use a brick to subdue your perpetrator, but you can't cook with one. Or can you...?

Here's a favorite recipe for a home style chicken dish featuring a cast iron skillet and a couple of bricks. Be sure to give yourself time to brine the bird.

4 large chicken breasts with skin and bones ½ cup kosher salt 2 cloves garlic 1 teaspoon sea salt

1 or 2 sprigs of fresh rosemary 3 tablespoons butter, softened

1 teaspoon freshly ground black pepper 2 tablespoons olive oil

Pour 8 cups of water into a large bowl. Add kosher salt and stir to dissolve. Add chicken to brine, making sure each piece is completely submerged. If it won't fit, you'll have to move things around from time-to-time. Cover the bowl, and then place it in the fridge for at least 8 hours, but no more than 12.

Remove chicken from brine and pat dry.

Wrap the bricks in several layers of foil. (Of course, you'll need new bricks. Used bricks are just not sanitary.)

Peel garlic, then mash with sea salt to make a paste. Stir in chopped rosemary leaves, butter and black pepper.

Divide the herb butter into 4 pieces. Gently run your finger between the chicken skin and the meat and then slide in a piece of herb butter.

Heat olive oil in a large cast iron skillet over moderately high heat. Place chicken in hot oil - skin side down - and cover with sturdy plate. Now place the bricks on top of the plate. Once you get things balanced, leave it alone for about 10 to 15 minutes. This makes a yummy crust.

Remove bricks and plate, and then carefully turn chicken taking care not to rip off the yummy crust. Cover the chicken with the plate again, and then add the bricks. Allow it to cook for another 10 or 15 minutes. If the pieces are fairly thick, give the sides a few minutes in the oil to add color and crust. Remove chicken from skillet. Cover with foil and allow it to rest for about 10 minutes. Enjoy!





## Creating a Pool House Plaza for Candler Park

By George Dusenbury

Many Candler Park residents have had the opportunity to enjoy Fall Fest band performances and movies in the park in front of the Candler Park Pool House. To help support these activities, provide a comfortable gathering spot, and support other creative programs in the park, the Friends of Candler Park want to build a plaza in front of the pool house.

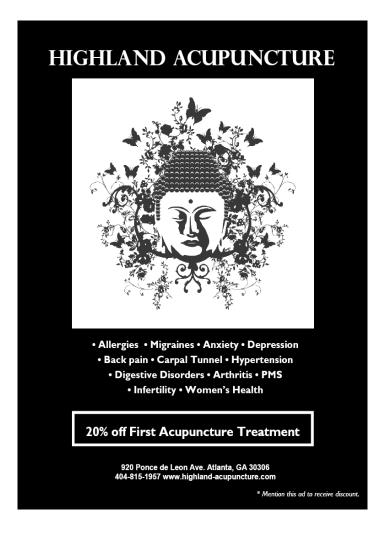
One immediate benefit of the plaza is that it will allow the Fall Fest to continue to have its stage in front of the pool house. The drought has forced the Atlanta Parks Department to prohibit the placement of any temporary structures (like a stage) on grass. The plaza is designed to accommodate a stage big enough for Fall Fest. It also ensures that movie nights can continue (while the August showing of "Goonies" was rained out, we hope to have more movie nights in the not-too-distant future).

The plaza would be about 35' wide and 12' deep and would be located in front of the entrance to the pool house. An 18" high seating wall would enclose the plaza on three sides, helping to define the space and provide a place for folks to interact while enjoying the park. Already, volunteers from The Home Depot have install pavers as a first step toward constructing the plaza.

The Friends of Candler Park is seeking the endorsement of the Candler Park Neighborhood Organization for the plaza and particularly the sitting wall. We will make a presentation at the September CPNO meeting and ask for a vote supporting the plans. We are in the process of raising funds to build the sitting wall, having raised more than \$2,000 to date. We hope to raise the remaining funds through grants and a wine tasting dinner and fundraiser at the Flying Biscuit (more to come on that!).

If you cannot attend the September CPNO meeting but have questions about the plaza, please contact George Dusenbury at <a href="mailto:dc dusenbury@yahoo.com">dc dusenbury@yahoo.com</a> or 404-373-0428.





#### **Old House Fair Coming to Decatur in October**

By Regina Brewer

The City of Decatur, DeKalb History Center, and Decatur Preservation Alliance announce their first annual Old House Fair on Saturday, October 25, 2008 from 10 a.m. – 5 p.m. at the Holiday Inn Decatur Conference Plaza, 130 Clairemont Avenue. The Old House Fair features exhibitors and speakers who will offer practical advice, materials, and services for the old house owner.

This day-long celebration includes a large exhibition space with vendors in the home improvement, historic preservation, renovation, interior furnishings, and construction business. There will be a variety of seminars including hands-on demonstrations on restoring historic windows, improving an old house's energy efficiency, developing a maintenance plan for your old house, researching old houses, and tax incentives for certified rehabilitation.

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Cash or check only for tickets. For more information, visit <a href="www.decaturoldhousefair.com">www.decaturoldhousefair.com</a> or email <a href="mailto:regina.brewer@decaturga.com">regina.brewer@decaturga.com</a>.



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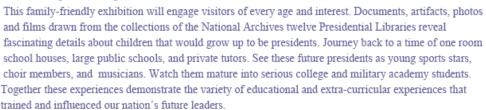
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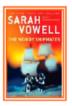
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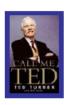
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#### **CPNO Meeting Minutes 08.18.08**

Compiled by Maureen Wilce

The regular monthly meeting of the Candler Park Neighborhood Organization, Inc. was held on Monday, August 18, 2008 at the First Existentialist Church, 470 Candler Park Church, with president Amy Stout in the chair. The meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm. Approximately thirty people attended the meeting.

Representatives from the Atlanta Police Department, Sgt. Joe and Officer Davis, attended the meeting. They reported two pedestrian robberies (one with a water gun). Car break-ins remain a major concern and Officer Joe recommended car owners not leave change, GPS suction cups or power cords visible. She also noted that Officer Q.Tucker is our regular officer for the neighborhood. Safety around the Edgewood/Candler Park Marta station was noted as a community concern.

Amy Stout reported she attended the NPU meeting. Water conservation was discussed and she shared materials.

The proposed agenda was approved, and corrections to last month's minutes were made prior to approval.

The budget committee will meet the 21<sup>st</sup> 7:00 at Epworth Church.

James Johnson reported that no new land use items were reviewed. 1240 Euclid Avenue went to the City Zoning Review Board, and all appropriate conditions were accepted. Only one objection was presented by a non-resident. Since no new items have been put forward for review, the Committee meeting will be canceled.

A New Zoning Committee Chair is being sought.

Mark Clement reported that Fall Fest planning is going well. The festival will be held October 11 & 12<sup>th</sup>. Financially, festival is sound and growing in sponsorships. Reusable plastic cups will be used this year. The children's area will be moved from last year, and no inflatables can be delivered to the site. The Committee will meet on the 26<sup>th</sup>. The volunteer website is up for sign in. Mary Alice Bray reported 8 houses and 1 loft and 1 yard will be on the tour of homes.

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#### **CPNO Meeting Minutes**

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Donna Palmer reported on the inaugural Fall Ball October 10th which will be held in the church. It will have a Western theme. She asked CPNO to consider advancing the planning group \$2,000 for up-front expenses. A vote will be held in September to authorize the expense. A motion was made and vote of support for the concept was approved with no opposition.

Edith Kelman reported on the BiRacial history project. An exhibit was shown and a walking tour brochure was shared. Two sites are in Candler Park. Her group wants to place historic markers at the sites and possibly a bench. She requested that CPNO support the effort at NPU and the City and to consider financially supporting the effort. On July 24 a formal presentation was made to and supported by Atlanta Parks Commissioner Cohen and her staff. Over the next 2 weeks, presentations will be made to NPU and to the CPNO Budget Committee. A motion was made to support the markers being brought to NPU and the City of Atlanta Parks Department, subject to the neighborhood review of the markers before placement. Over 20 votes supported the motion, 1 opposed.

Lexa King announced on September 11, the Miss Intown Beauty Pageant, a fundraiser the Atlanta Area Tool Bank and East Lake Foundation will occur. Please see <a href="http://intownatlanta.yourkwoffice.com/">http://intownatlanta.yourkwoffice.com/</a> for details

Tom Painter reported that the Infill Development and Historic Preservation Committee will meet on 27<sup>th</sup> Wednesday Epworth Church

Janea Boyles announced the Mercantile specialty grocery is getting ready to open. She accepted email addresses to invite people to a preview prior to opening.

A representative for the Freedom Park Conservancy was solicited -- Richard Ford volunteered for the position.

Donna Palmer announced the Candler Park Pool water ballet company will have a performance at the pool Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> at 7.

She also announced that the deadline for articles for the Messenger is the 26<sup>th</sup>

Ben Spears introduced himself as a new staff person working for Congressman Lewis.

Atlanta Gas Light will not present for CPNO, but may present at the next NPU meeting to explain their line replacement project.

Tom Stubbs, a candidate for superior judge in DeKalb County reminded everyone to vote in November. The deadline for registration is in October.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:20.



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## **Crime Report July 12, 2008 – August 16, 2008**

Complied by Regina Brandt

**300 Block Connecticut Ave**—Larceny from Auto. 7/12. Sun Morn. Someone siphoned gas from the victim's vehicle.

**400 Block Leonardo Ave**—Larceny from Auto. 7/12-7/13. Sat-Sun Someone removed property from the victim's vehicle. Victim stated he may have left the doors unlocked.

**1300 Block McLendon**—Larceny from Auto. 7/13. Sun Morn. Victim saw the suspect leaning in her vehicle after she heard glass break. The suspect left the scene on a bike after the victim let her dog out into the yard. The passenger side window had been smashed. Nothing was taken.

**400 Block Candler Park Dr**—Larceny. 7/13-7/15. Sun-Mon. Victim reported the license plate on the their vehicle was missing.

**1200 Block DeKalb Ave**—Larceny. 7/14. Mon Morn. Fox Brothers Barbecue. Someone broke the padlock on the outside cooler and removed property. The incident was caught by security cameras but the quality of the tape is low. Taken: 3 cases of beer.

**1200 Block Dekalb Ave**—Larceny. 7/14. Mon Morn. Someone stole the victims outside A/C unit.

**1300 Block Benning PI**—Larceny from Auto. 7/15. Tue Morn. Someone damaged the front passenger side window on the victim's vehicle. Nothing had been taken.

**300 Block Candler St**—Larceny from Auto. 7/15. Tue Morn. Someone smashed a window on the victim's vehicle and removed property.

**200 Block Mathews Ave**—Auto heft. 7/16-7/17. Thurs Morn. Someone stole the victim's vehicle after she parked it in front. Victim left a spare key in the glove box.

**1800 Block Indiana Ave**–Auto Theft. 7/17. Thurs Day. Victim stated he was working on a house at the above location when he noticed a black male get into his vehicle and drive away.

**500 Block Page Ave**—Auto Theft. 7/17. Thurs Eve. Victim stated he left his vehicle's keys in the vehicle's cup holder while it was parked on the street. He stated he saw the suspect ride up on a bike and get in the vehicle. The suspect drove away after the victim yelled at him.

Candler Park Dr @ North Ave—Larceny from Auto. 7/17. Thurs Day. Someone damaged the passenger side window on the victim's vehicle and removed property.

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**200 Block Elmira PI**—Larceny from Auto. 7/17-7/22. Five-day time frame. Victim returned home from out of town and discovered the glass on her vehicle had been broken and property removed.

**300 Block Sterling St**—Larceny. 7/18. Fri Eve. Someone cut the deadbolt off of a trailer and stole several expensive pieces of band/music equipment

**1900 Block Dekalb Ave**—Larceny from Auto. 7/19. Sat Eve. Two vehicles involved. Someone broke windows on both vehicles, but only removed property from one.

**1400 Block Fairview Rd**—Residential Burglary. 7/19. Sat Day. Officers responded to an audible alarm. The home owner was on the scene. After further investigation police noticed the rear door had been pried open with some type of tool.

**Candler Park Dr.** @ **Benning Pl**—Larceny from Auto. 7/19. Sat Eve. Someone broke a small rear window of the vehicle and removed property.

**1486 Fairview Rd**—Residential Burglary. 7/19-7/20. Sat-Sun Morn. Victim reported that the door to the rear of his home had been kicked in and several items had been taken.

**500 Block Hardendorf Ave**—Residential Burglary. 7/20-7/27. Seven-Day time frame. Victim stated he returned home to find the rear door to his home broken and several items missing.

**400 Block Callan Cir**—Residential Burglary. 7/21. Mon Day. Victim reported the rear door to her home had been kicked in and that items were taken.

**1600 Block McLendon Ave**—Larceny from Auto. 7/22. Tue Eve. Victim reported someone had broken the passenger side window of his vehicle and taken keys out of the glove compartment.

**200 Block Josephine St**—Larceny from Auto. 7/22-7/23. Wed Morn. Victim stated someone smashed the passenger side window of her vehicle and removed property.

**300 Block Josephine St**—Larceny from Auto. 7/22-7/24. Victim stated her passenger side front window was smashed and property removed.

**300 Block Candler St**—Residential Burglary. 7/23. Wed Eve. Victim reported her rear door had been kicked in but no items damaged or missing.

**1900 Block Dekalb Ave**—Larceny from Auto. 7/23. Wed Eve. Victim stated the driver side window was smashed and property removed.

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**300 Block Josephine St**—Larceny from Auto. 7/23. Tues Day. Victim stated her neighbor notified her that the windows of her truck had been smashed. Upon arrival victim and police noticed the alarm was still active. Two windows were smashed and property removed.

**1500 Block McLendon Ave**—Larceny from Auto. 7/24. Thurs Day. Victim stated that someone smashed a window of her vehicle and removed property.

**200 Block Candler St**—Auto Theft. 7/25-7/26. Sat Morn. Victim stated he parked his father's vehicle in front. When he went out in the morning was gone.

**400 Block Moreland Ave**—Larceny. Brew House Café. 7/26. Sat Eve. Victim stated suspects ran up a \$100 bill for food and drinks. They ran and got on a Marta bus to flee the area without paying.

**200 Block Candler St**—Auto Theft. 7/26. Sat Morn. Victim stated he parked his father's vehicle in front of the home the night before. The next morning it was gone. There were no traces of broken glass or tire marks.

**400Block Candler St**—Aggravated Assault. 7/27. Sun Eve. Victim stated he got into a heated argument with his son. His son cornered him and threatened him with a knife. The suspect fled the scene.

**400 Block Lakeshore Dr**—Larceny from Auto. 7/27. Sun Day. Two vehicles involved. Victims reported vehicles had been broken into through the passenger side windows. Property was removed.

**800 Block Springdale Rd**—Larceny from Auto. 7/27-7/28. Mon Morn. Victim reported that someone broke windows on both his vehicles and removed property

**100 Block** Lullwater PI—Larceny from Auto. 7/28. Mon Day. Victim stated someone entered his car, ransacked the interior and scratched the outer right side of the vehicle.

**200 Block Casson St**—Larceny from Auto. 7/28. Tues Morn. Victim stated someone broke the driver side front window of his car while it was parked.

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1700 Block Indiana Ave—Larceny from Vehicle. 7/28-7/29. Tues Morn. Victim advised that someone broke the passenger front window to her vehicle and removed property.

1700 Block Indiana Ave—Larceny from Auto. 7/28-7/29. Tues Morn. Victim stated the passenger side front window was broken. glove box searched and left opened.

300 Block Mathews Ave—Larceny from Auto. 7/28-7/29. Tues Morn. Victim advised his vehicle had been broken into over night and property taken.

1700 Block New York Ave—Larceny from Auto. Tues Morn. Victim reported that 7/28-7/29. someone broke the driver side window and removed property.

1300 Block McLendon Ave—Larceny from Auto. 7/29. Tues Eve. Victim stated that while in dance class someone broken into her vehicle and removed property.

1700 Block McLendon Ave—Larceny from Auto. 7/31. Thurs Morn. Victim reported someone broke the passenger side window of hos vehicle and removed property.

**600 Moreland Ave**—Larceny from Auto. 7/31-8/1. Fri Morn. Victim reported when he returned to his vehicle the next morning, the drivers window was broken and property had been removed.

400 Block Candler Park Dr—Larceny from Auto. 8/3-8/4 Mon Morn. Victim reported someone smashed the rear passenger side window on his vehicle and removed property.

500 Block Goldsboro Rd—Larceny fro Auto. 8/3-8/4. Mon Day. Victim stated someone entered her unsecured vehicle and damaged the lock to her center console.

500 Block Goldsboro Rd—Larceny from Auto. 8/3-8/4. Mon Morn. Victim stated someone smashed the rear driver side vent window and removed property.

1600 Block McLendon Ave—Auto Theft. 8/6-8/7. Thurs Morn. Victim reported that sometime during the night someone stole his vehicle

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1500 McLendon Ave—Larceny from Auto. 8/7. Thurs Eve. Victim reported someone entered his vehicle and removed property. A witness reported seeing the suspect running from the vehicle.

**300 Block Ferguson St**—Larceny from Auto. 8/9-8/10. Sun Morn. Victim stated someone smashed a driver side window on the vehicle and rummaged through it. Nothing was reported stolen

**1200 Block S Ponce De Leon Ave**Larceny from Auto. 8/10. Sun Day. Someone smashed a passenger side window on the victim's vehicle and removed property.

500 Block Candler Park Dr—Larceny from Auto. 8/10. Sun Day. Witnesses reported seeing the suspect break in to the victim's vehicle and drive away in a blue Jeep Cherokee. The rear passenger side window on the victim's vehicle had been smashed and the center console damaged but no property was taken.

**200 Block Hampton Ter**—Residential Burglary. 8/11. Mon Morn. Officers responded to an alarm call. When they arrived they were met by the victim and found that someone had kicked in the back door. A search of the home was made. The victim reported that nothing had been taken.

**200 Block Oxford PI**—Motorcycle Theft. 8/11-8/12. Fourteen-hour time frame. Victim stated someone stole his motorcycle. The officer located the vehicle on Dekalb Ave, just around the block.

**1700 Block Adolphus St**—Larceny from Auto. 8/13. Wed Morn. The Victim reported someone smashed a driver side window on the vehicle, entered, and removed property

Iverson St/ Ferguson St—Pedestrian Robbery. 8/13. Wed Eve. Victim reported she was walking west on Iverson when the suspect grabbed her knit bag from her waist area and ran east toward the Marta station.

**1700 Indiana Ave**—Larceny from Auto. 8/13-8/14. Wed Morn. Two vehicles involved. Someone smashed a driver side window on both vehicles, entered, and removed property.

2000 Block Howard Cir—Larceny from Auto. 8/14. Thurs Morn. Someone smashed the rear driver side vent window to the victim's vehicle, entered, and removed property.

1600 Block Ponce De Leon Ave— Larceny from Auto. 8/14. Thurs Morn. Two vehicles involved. Victim reported that someone broke the window on one car, but both vehicles had been entered. Nothing was reported missing.

Mell @ McLendon Ave—Pedestrian Robbery. 8/14. Thurs Eve. Victim was walking on the side walk when the suspect pulled up and asked for directions. One of the suspects got out and produced a gun. The victim stated he did not have any money and the suspect got back in the vehicle and fled. Victim stated the gun was a water pistol that had been painted black.

**300 Block Nelms Ave**—Larceny from Auto. 8/16. Sat Morn. Someone smashed the front driver side window on the victim's vehicle, entered, and removed property.

**200 Block Oxford PI**—Larceny from Auto. 8/16. Sat Morn. Someone smashed the front driver side window on the victim's vehicle and removed property

1300 Block Euclid Ave—Pedestrian Robbery. 8/16. Sat Day. The suspect followed the victim and approached her when she walked behind the building. The suspect reached in his waistband and put his hand on what appeared to be a Black Hand gun. He then told the victim not to do anything stupid, and to give him the bag. After the victim complied the suspect calmly walked away.

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