

Tiffany Park Neighborhood Association TPNA Promoting Neighborhood Pride NEWSLETTER JUNE 2008

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# Tiffany Park Pathway Clean up May 3rd



## 'BEFORE'

Members of the Tiffany Park Neighborhood spent a busy day in May cleaning up a pathway that was overgrown and "a little scary." The pathway cuts through from Index Ave to Lake Youngs Way, leading to Tiffany Park Elementary School. The pathway had been untended for about 15 years and sorely needed attention. With the permission of the adjoining property owners (who helped in the effort), a volunteer crew of about two dozen volunteers (age 8 years old to 75!) pulled weeds, cut back hedges, removed ivy and picked up garbage. An arborist was hired to cut back eight evergreen trees that were overhanging the path.



'AFTER' Thank you to everyone who helped! Great Job!

**GARAGE SALE** - The Tiffany Park Neighborhood Garage Sale will be Friday thru Sunday, Aug. 1<sup>st</sup>-3<sup>rd</sup>. See the enclosed flyer for details. **SAVE THE DATE—PICNIC TIME**—The Tiffany Park *Neighborhood* Assn and the Tiffany Park *Homeowner's* Assn. will have their combined picnics at Tiffany Park on Thursday, September 4<sup>th</sup>. Look for signs and flyers the first week of school.



You are invited to join the Tiffany Park egroup. It is a great way to stay in touch—lost dogs, suspicious activity reports, anything 'neighborly'--Members may post or read messages to stay in touch. Name, address, and phone number are required to join. To subscribe, please contact Laura Silbernagel at 425 271-0167, or send an email to: tiffany-park-subscribe@yahoogroups.com

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**About the Newsletter** – Newsletters are delivered to approx. 500 households in the Tiffany Park neighborhood and 250 apartments. If you would like to help with **delivering** newsletters, contact Laura Silbernagel at 206-227-3230.



**TPNA Boundaries** - Cedar River Natural Zone to the North and East, 116th Ave SE and Royal Hill Drive SE to the West, Renton city limits to the South and East. The area also includes Tiffany Park Homeowner's Assn, Ponderosa Estates, Royal Hills Apartments and everything in between. **TPNA Membership** - Any person residing or owning property within the neighborhood boundaries is a *member*. A *supporting member* is a dues-paying member 18 years and older. Only supporting members may vote or hold office.

Your TPNA supporting membership gives you a discount at McLendon Hardware and Seattle Lumber. Most purchases have a 10% discount. A 5% discount is offered on lumber and building materials. Because membership fees are so low, your money will be returned with only a few purchases at McLendon's, while at the same time helping to cover a portion of expenses for the Tiffany Park neighborhood.

PLAN AHEAD----First day of School for Renton: Sept. 2<sup>nd</sup>.

#### TPNA goals include:

- \* Community improvement projects to improve neighborhood
- \* Improve safety (graffiti cleanup, sidewalks, crossings, speeding)
- \* Promote neighborhood social activities
- \* Protect the residential character and property values of the neighborhood
- \* Discuss neighborhood issues in more organized and effective ways
- \* Offer assistance to neighbors needing a response from the City
- \* Larger voice and influence with the City and other groups
- \* Community spirit and neighborhood pride
- \* Rundown property concerns addressed
- \* Involve neighborhood youth in community projects

#### TPNA Steering Committee (all phone numbers 425, unless noted):

PRESIDENT: Jody Collins 226-4355, VICE President: Marina Higgins 228-7550, TREASURER: Richard Thorkildson 226-5954, SECRETARY: Carol Knutson 228-9406, Steering Committee Members: Doug Ferneau-390-1310 Donna Thorkildson-226-5954; Laura Silbernagel-271-0167; Pam Carino- 228-4634; Bill Roenicke-271-7785

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