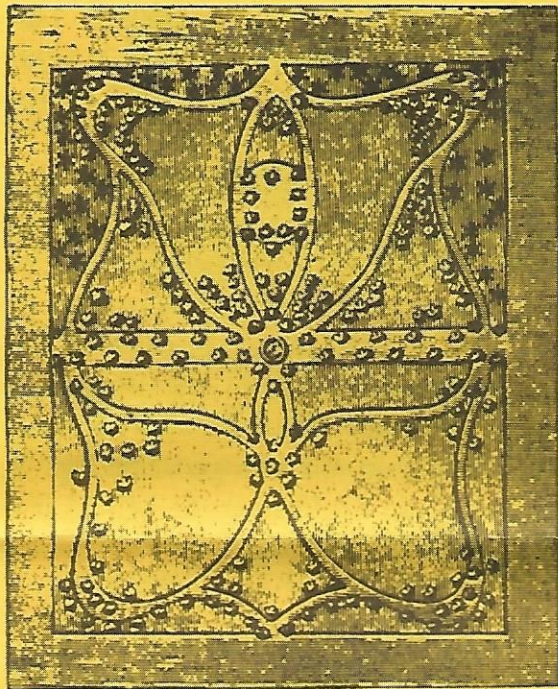


# LOGAN PARK NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION



## To Enhance and Preserve Our Community

*To empower the residents to preserve, protect and improve the quality of life, while building a strong sense of community within our neighborhood.*

1330 Van Buren Street Northeast  
781-0700

### LPNA BOARD MEMBERS

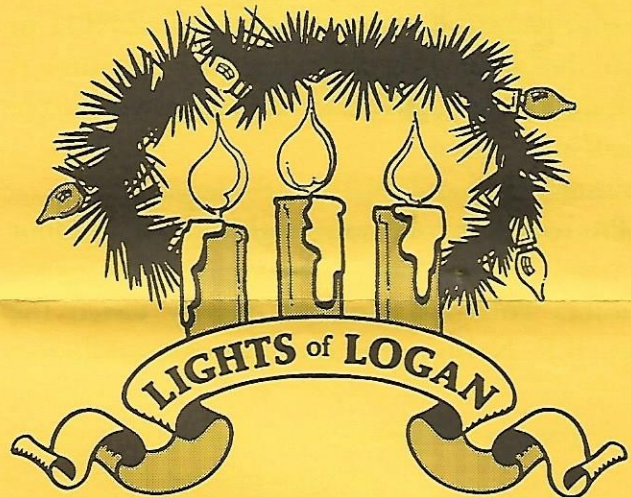
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FALL 2001

The November Logan Park Neighborhood Association General Meeting will be held on November 21, 2001 at 7:05 pm at the Community Center. On the agenda: an update on the October 19th homicide near the 1400 block of Madison Street. CCP-SAFE and MPD Homicide Unit representatives will be there to answer questions.

Also, update on the newly-formed Community Development Group in Northeast, NRP updates, park updates, and discussion of neighborhood issues.



The annual Lights of Logan family festival will be Wednesday, December 19th, with food, photos with Santa, and games starting at 5:00 pm. The amazing antics of *Mad Science* will start at 6:00. Raffle and prize winners will be announced at 7:00. Please bring a non-perishable item for the Northeast Foodshelf.

Holiday Lighting Contest  
Displays must have lights on  
Sunday, December 16th, 6:00 pm  
*Cash Awards*



# Asbestos Update

The EPA residential clean-up in Northeast Minneapolis is suspended due to unfavorable weather conditions. At this time, EPA has completed clean-up and restoration of 78 residential properties and will return in the spring to remediate an additional 46 residential properties. EPA has inspected almost 750 properties in the Metro area. Due to leaf cover and damp conditions, 63 properties will remain on the list to be inspected in the spring. The EPA local number, (612) 706-0615 will record inspection requests only during the winter months.

Residents who have confirmed asbestos contamination or who suspect contamination and are awaiting inspection are strongly advised NOT to disturb the affected areas. Potential exposure is expected to be minimal due to increased soil moisture and leaf/snow cover.

EPA tested the Edison High School outdoor track and found no asbestos contamination. Minnesota Pollution Control Agency tested the former B.F. Nelson site and found no asbestos

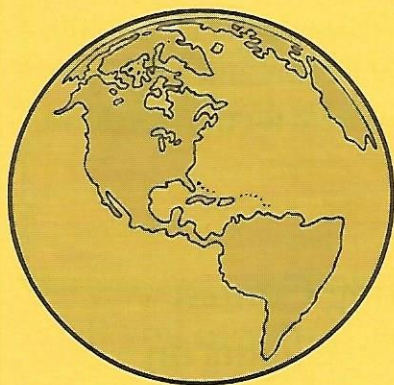
contamination at the surface.

The Minnesota Department of Health's Northeast Minneapolis Community Vermiculite Investigation will continue during the winter months. Field analysts will be conducting telephone interviews of former residents, interviewing high-rise and apartment residents and finishing partially completed interviews. Field interviews will resume in April of 2002. Tannie Eshenaur is available by phone at (651) 215-0916, or for community meetings throughout the winter.

The Federal Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) clean-up of the Western Minerals industrial site at 1720 Madison Street Northeast has been completed. Most of the contamination has been excavated. The area was then covered with a geomembrane, designed to contain the asbestos, but work with the landscape. Then the area was covered with 18 inches of clean soil with gravel on top. You can check with Katie Koelfgan at the MPCA if you have questions (651) 297-8506.

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## Citizen Input on City Actions

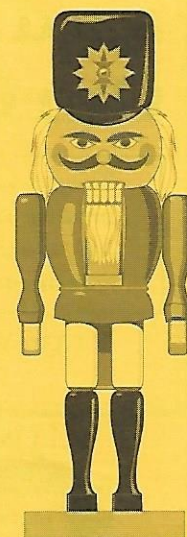


There are vacancies on the Minneapolis Citizen Environmental Advisory Committee (CEAC). This group reviews and advises on the environmental consequences of city policies, programs, and projects.

For more information on CEAC and the application process, call Guy Fischer at (612) 673-5863. The application deadline is Friday, December 14, 2001.

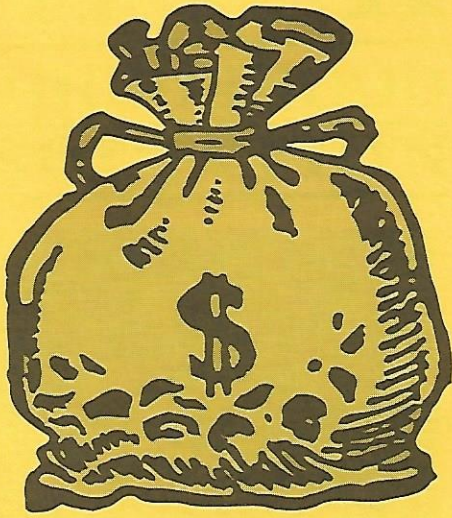
## Cheap Tickets!

You can get to see the Nutcracker performance at the Historic State Theatre on Friday, November 23rd for only \$5.00 per ticket. You need to pre-register at the park, so call the park staff at 370-4927 for more information and to check on group departure time for the 7:30 performance. This holiday favorite showcases young talent from all over the city, and usually offers some fun twists on the classic story.



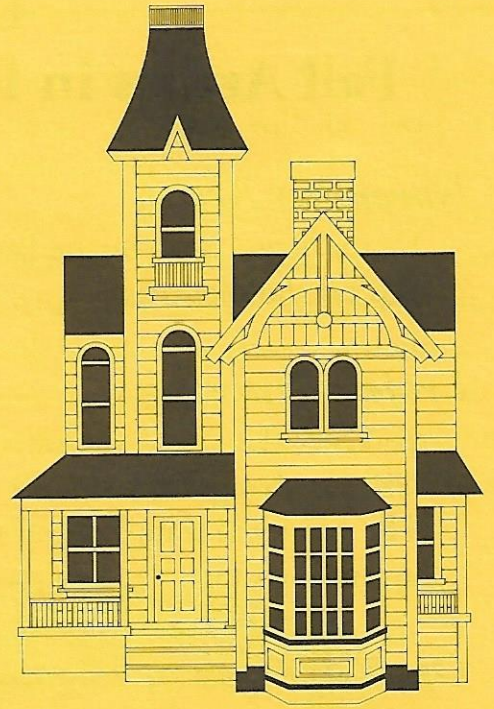


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The 4% revolving loan fund for interior or exterior repairs is fully recharged and ready to be accessed. You can borrow up to \$15,000 through this Logan Park NRP program. Call CEE at (612) 335-5858 to get your loan started.

## NRP Winners



The Logan Park NRP Housing Committee has determined the winners of awards for outstanding work done in our neighborhood.

### The categories are:

- *Best Turn-Around of a Property*
- *Best Restoration*
- *Best Commercial Fix-up*
- *Best Landscaping*

These awards will be presented at the Lights of Logan Festival on December 19th.

## Thank You

A big Thank You goes out to all the great folks at Elim Baptist Church, the Logan Park Community Center, Emmanuel Lutheran Church, and neighborhood volunteers for putting on a wonderful Fall Harvest Party on Halloween night. Kids of all ages had safe fun and plenty of treats and entertainment that night.



**Logan Park announces**  
**Fall Artists in Residence October - December**

***November Artist:***

Victor Yepez, Stop by the Park and check out the Craft room display case for more on this NE Public Artist.

***Project Training***

2nd Monday of the month at 7 pm

Call for changes at 612-242-4490

The artist will train Educators, Park & Rec Staff, and classroom volunteers on the upcoming Open Art Lab projects.

***Open Art Lab at Logan***

Come on the 3rd & 4th Mondays to open Logan Park's Art Drawers

November 19 & 26, December 17, 4:00 - 7:00 pm

Logan Park Arts & Culture and Minneapolis Park & Rec host these Free Public Art Labs ALL AGES. Drop in or call to reserve your space for a creative escape

***Taste of NE Cooking Adventure for All Ages***

10 am Park & Rec Van leaves for market.

This could be one of the many along central, the co-op or the Farmer's Market.

11 am the van returns, and with the help of an experienced cook, students prepare food from around the neighborhood and the world.

12:00 Eat & run!

Next session. December 8

Advanced registration is necessary. Sign up at Logan Park or call 612-242-4490

\$5.00 per person

If you or your place of business want to donate a raffle item for Lights of Logan, please call Krista at (612) 242-4490.  
Thank you.

