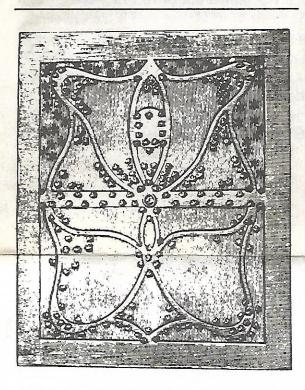
# LOGAN PARK

**NEIGHBORHOOD** 

ASSOCIATION



Enhance and Preserve Our Community

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Win \$25.00! See details inside!

### **WINTER 1993**

#### LOGAN PARK NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION **MISSION STATEMENT**

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

#### WHAT IS LPNA?

For all our neighbors and new residents, LPNA stands for Logan Park Neighborhood Association. You are a member if you live in, or have a business within the boundaries of Central Avenue Northeast to Washington Street Northeast, and Broadway Northeast to 19th Avenue Northeast. LPNA is you and your neighbors banding together to create an atmosphere where we can discuss problems and projects that pertain to us. LPNA addresses such livability problems as noisy neighbors, unkempt property, youth problems, theft and property damage, as well as fighting the enormous amount of pollutants in the Northeast area.

We are striving to revitalize our neighborhood with cleanups, Cops-on-Bikes and tree planting and we are working towards a higher owner occupancy of our many duplexes. We are also cooperating with other neighborhoods on establishing a grocery store on 18th and Central and improving 13th Avenue as a gateway to the river. LPNA meets monthly with elections for the Board of Directors held in April. Fresh ideas and new members are always welcome. Because we are growing, we need short-term and longterm help on various committees, from doing typing and handing out fliers, to working a fundraiser event, to presenting an appeal to the City Council. We need you. We need your voice to make this neighborhood vital. Together, we can do it.



Logan Park staff work to get the skating rink ready.

#### MEETING ANNOUNCEMENT

Logan Park Neighborhood Association (LPNA) meets monthly on the third Wednesday at 7:00 pm in the Logan Park Community Center, located at 13th Avenue and Monroe Street Northeast. Our next meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, January 20 at 7:00 pm. "I'll punch them!" "I'll sue them!" Better come to our meeting and find out how you can resolve the problems through the Minneapolis Mediation Program.

#### LIGHTS OF LOGAN

Grab that last bargain on Christmas lights and decorations and start planning now for next's year's Holiday season of light. LPNA will be sponsoring an outdoor decorating contest for houses in our neighborhood. If you want to be involved with the planning, call us at 781-0700. The following is an honor role of houses that shared the holiday spirit with elaborate outdoor decorations (sorry if we missed anyone).

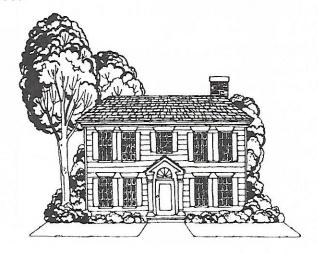
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1519 Jefferson	
1522 Jefferson	1843 Quincy
1523 Jefferson	
1526 Jefferson	1813 Jackson
1534 Jefferson	
1611 Jefferson	651 13th Ave
1615 Jefferson	
1623 Jefferson	835 18th Ave

#### **NEW GROCERY STORE**

Cub has pulled out of the 18th and Central location in favor of what they feel is a more central market location at Apache Plaza. Since so much of the development groundwork has already been done, MCDA is working on bringing in another discount supermarket corporation. Rainbow is back in the game, as is Super One. The city was led on by Super Valu/Cub, but is committed to a grocery store on that site.

#### MINNEAPOLIS HOME TOUR

The popular Minneapolis/St. Paul Annual Home Tour takes place on Saturday and Sunday, May 1 & 2. Logan Park will likely have two or three houses on the list this year. We have many beautiful old homes with turn-of-the-century craftsmanship and architectural details not evident from the street. Extra volunteers to help host these houses are needed. Please call LPNA at 781-0700 or the Home Tour information number at 673-2491 to participate as volunteer staff, or to arrange to show your own house.



#### MEMBER COMMENTS

Here are some comments by some Board members on their involvement:

Christine Burtness: I went to my first LPNA meeting out of concern for a particular topic, and stayed involved out of a sense of community responsibility. But it has also brought me and my family solid friendships we wouldn't have made otherwise.

Tom Harris: My wife and I are third generation Northeasterners, but it's here in Logan Park where we feel a good sense of neighborhood.

Paula Allen: Logan Park feels similar to the small town I grew up in; we can be part of the city even see downtown, but it's more personable.

#### SAFETY WORKSHOPS

Community Crime Prevention/SAFE are sponsoring two safety and security workshops in January.

Auto Theft Prevention, on Thursday, January 21, from 7:00 - 8:00 pm, at the Northeast Library (2200 Central Avenue Northeast).

Home Security, on Tuesday, January 26, at 7:00 pm, at Sheridan School (1201 University Avenue Northeast). Register to win: High security strike plates for your doors; light timers. Free window pins for everyone. Call 673-3015 for more information.

#### **SUMMER YOUTH PROGRAM**

LPNA is working on sponsoring a "Kids at Work" program this summer, giving neighborhood kids too young for a regular job a chance to earn some money and neighborhood pride. The kids will work a couple of hours a week at clean-up and maintenance tasks. This has been a successful project in other parts of the city. We are seeking financial backing from grants, businesses and donations, and will be asking for adult supervisors to give 3 to 30 hours over the summer. There will be more details later in the spring.

## \$ \$25.00 \$ \$ WIN \$ \$ 25.00 \$

The Logan Park Neighborhood Association would like to hear from YOU. We are holding a drawing to give away \$25.00 cash. (Limit one entry per person) To be eligible to win, you must:

- Live or work in the Logan Park Neighborhood
- Be 18 years old or older
- Answer all 3 questions on this entry form.
- Mail the entry form to the Logan Park office or drop it off at the Logan Park Community Center (1330 Van Buren Street Northeast, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55413) no later than February 2, 1993.

Name	Phone
Address	
Do you own or rent?	Would you like to volunteer to work on a neighborhood project?
What is your number one cor	ncern regarding our neighborhood?
Winner will be notified by LPNA a	nd name will be announced in our next flyer.

#### NOTES OF INTEREST

There will always be a desire for bikes. Here is the opportunity to fulfill that wish. The Phantom Bike Shop at 1510 East Franklin Avenue (hours: 3:00 - 6:00, Monday through Friday) has complete reconditioned bikes for sale. Average prices are around \$30.00 to \$40.00. It is a program coordinated by Seward Redesign to teach kids the advantages of self-esteem, supporting each other, discipline and business "smarts". It would pay to support them. Call 872-8176.

Our newly planted trees are facing a cold first winter. Please help them through it by reporting bent trees, broken major limbs - or if a tree is buried in too high of a snowbank to the LPNA office at 781-0700. Give the location of the tree by street and nearest house number.

To report unsafe sidewalks, call 673-2441.

Thank you to Eagles Aerie No. 1247 FOE for their generosity in putting together Holiday Food Baskets for Logan Park residents in need.

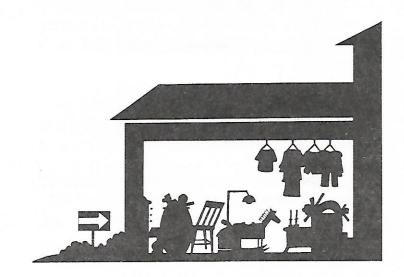
If you are into Native American Crafts, go to Northern Wind at 1033 East Franklin Avenue (hours: 10:00 - 6:00, Monday through Saturday). It is a unique shop featuring authentic Sioux and Ojibwe articles. It would be a fun and interesting experience just to visit.

Did you know that each recycled aluminum can saves the equivalent of about half that can of gasoline?

We cannot become what we need to be by remaining what we are.

#### **SPRING CLEANING**

Save good used household items (no clothing, please) for LPNA's garage sale and white elephant auction, to be held in late spring. We will try to arrange pick-up service closer to the date set in our next newsletter.



#### DEBT FREE IN '93

Northeast State Bank will sponsor a free consumer credit counseling workshop on Tuesday, February 9, from 7:00 - 8:00 pm at Eastside Neighborhood Service (1929 2nd Street Northeast). Bob Wucher's seminar will assist people in solving their debt problems. Refreshments and child care will be provided. Call Gayle Reid at 379-8811.

