

Newsletter of the Virginia-Highland Civic Association

JUNE 1979

## GENERAL MEETING

The general meeting of the VirginiaHighland Civic Association will be held on Tuesday, June 26th, at 8 PM at the Highland Branch Library.

Our main topic will be "Residential Landscaping: An Introduction." Richard Anderson, a landscape architect who lives in our neighborhood, will cover sources of information available to the general public for home use. He will also cover the role landscape architects can play in designing your plot of greenery and what you can do on your own.

Downey Young, a landscape contractor with "Sell and Young, Landscape Contractors," will speak on how to care for, prune, etc. existing plantings, which are prevalent in older neighborhoods.

Following the two talks outlined above, there will be a question and answer period for you to participate in.
P.O. Box 8401, Station F / Atlanta, Georgia 30306

Lastly, we will have reports by various committee chairmen and announcements.

Hope to see you then!
--Gail Novak

## STEERING COMMITTEE REPORT

The following topics were discussed at the May meeting of the Steering Committee of the Virginia-Highland Civic Association:
--Support has been given for a grant application to the Bureau of Cultural Affairs to the Theatrical Outfit. They wish to teach drama in local schools during the '79-' 80 school year.
--Chris Bagby is resigning as chairman of the Commercial Revitalization Committee. Nominations are being taken for a new chairman.
--The In-Town Festival will be held June 29 - July 1. Volunteers are still needed for the serving and purchasing committees.
--Karen McCall

## SWEET AUBURN FESTIVAL

If you are interested in downtown revitalization, its implications residentially, commercially or culturally, or perhaps just in good music and new ideas, the Sweet Auburn Festival is an opportunity to explore this area of Atlanta currently undergoing economic revitalization, amidst a cultural exchange of performing arts and exhibitions drawn from throughout the city. On Saturday, the Auburn Area Walking Tour will take you down streets, through buildings and businesses, where the beginnings of black prosperity were

## EMERGENCY CARE FOR YOUNG CHILDREN

The Childbirth Education Association of Atlanta is sponsoring a four hour course on "Emergency Care of Young Children." It will be held on two upcoming dates: Saturday, July 21, 9 AM - 1 PM (Highland Library) and Sunday, July 22, 1 PM 5 PM (Druid Hills Presbyterian Church). Topics in the course range from insect bites to poisoning and choking. Included is a practice session on cardiopulmonary resuscitation. For information on fees and registration, call the CEA of fice at 873-2449.
--Sue McConnell
planned and begun. Visit historically renowned churches--Ebenezer, Wheat Street, Big Bethel and First Congregational--and enjoy an afternoon of jazz at the once famous Royal Peacock Lounge. All in all, a wonderful opportunity to tap into the oral history of Auburn's past, and to meet the individuals who led the area to the place of prominence it holds in the history of black growth and propserity in Atlanta.

A schedule of the week's events can be found throughout the businesses in your local neighborhood.
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# In-Town Celebration 

## COME MEET YOUR NEIGHBORS!

At the I-485 Parkland, Virginia Avenue

# - <br> PICNIC: 12-6 P.M. <br> PARADE: 1:30 P.M. <br>  

Bulwarks II Sculpture Dedication 1:00 p.m. at Lanier Blvd. \& Virginia Ave.

CITTIZNS OF VIRGINIA-HIGHLAND AND ATLANTA Hear the call of your community beckoning you for merriment.

The following will take place -
Old-fashioned Bar-B-Que, Hot Dogs, Homemade Cake Sale Ms. Tastefully Tacky and Most Original Herbie Contests Herbie Curbie Races, Sack Races, Egg \& Spoon Races

Canine Caravan and Exciting Games
Music, Bands, Live Entertainment Celebrities, Fire Trucks, Politicians, Police Cars Special Children's Events, Clowns and Balloons

## The hour is at hand. Let everyone attend.

Fellow citizens, prove yourselves worthy of enjoyment!
SUNDAY, JULY 1, 1979

# Ms.TASTEFULLY TACKY PAGEANT 

Thursday, June 28<br>Atkin's Park Delicatessen<br>794 N. Highland Avenue

7-7:30 PM: Cocktail Half-Hour 7:30-9 PM: Supper
Tickets are $\$ 4.00$ per person and include all you can eat and all the beer and/or wine you can drink. There are a limited number of tickets available.

9 PM: Pageant
EMCEE: Peter Hand
JUDGES: Lee Radonis
Byron Reed
Vance Stillinger
FINALISTS: Susan Daniels Karen Cox Andrea Evans Suzanne Hugueley Maureen Mayer Gail Novak Susan Walker

OTHER NOMINEES WERE:
Cathy Feibus
Janet Goodwin
Sara Goodwin
Mozelle Grunch
Gail Hayes
Diane Hess
Shirley Hollberg
Carolyn Becknell Mann
Karen McCall
Sue McConnell
Stephanie Pettis
Pat Scott
Nancy Sibley
Lynn Meyers Sour
Elaine Stillinger
Minerva Zulkoskie

The reigning Ms. Tastefully Tacky, Ann Boutwell, will crown her successor at the conclusion of the festivities.

## Come in costume!



# Dedication Ceremony For Bulwarks II 

## Sunday, July 1

Virginia Avenue and Lanier Blvd. 1 PM

WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS: Gail Novak, Chairman, VirginiaHighland Civic Association

DEDICATION: Mary Davis, Atlanta City Council Member, District 6

Shirley Franklin, Director, Bureau of Cultural Affairs, City of Atlanta

THE WORK: "Bulwarks II"-- an environmental earthwork installation. Winner of 1977 Sculpture Design Competition.

THE ARTIST: George Beasley. Atlanta artist, born 1943. Member of the faculty of Georgia State University.

THE SPONSORS:, City of Atlanta, Bureau of Cultural Affairs, Maynard Jackson, Mayor.

Georgia Council for the Arts and Humanities with support from the National Endowment for the Arts.

THE CONTRIBUTORS: Higgins Foundry, Inc., Steve Cormier, Georgia State University, the folks of Virginia-Highland.

## Meet Your Neighbor Parade

Sunday, July 1
Virginia Avenue at Lanier Blvd., Virginia Avenue to I 485 park land on Virginia between Barnett and DeLeon

GRAND MARSHAL: Thom Thompson as Uncle Sam

Surprise! Surprise!

## Meet Your Neighbor Picnic

Sunday, July 1
Virginia Avenue between Barnett and DeLeon

12-6 PM: Old Fashioned VirginiaHighland Barbecue featuring "Smitty's Secret Recipe"

2 PM: Judging and Awards

JUDGES: State Senator Todd Evans State Representative Sidney Marcus City Council Member, District

6, Mary Davis
"Most Original Herbie the Curbie"
"Ms. Tastefully Tacky Award"
"Canine Caravan Award"
"Best Neighborhood Association Float"
And . . . Surprise! Surprise!
2:45 PM: Herbie the Curbie Relay Race down Virginia Avenue

3:00-6:00 PM: Live Entertainment
Blessed Relief
Northside Shepherd's Center Wash Board Band
Callanwolde Band
3:30-5:00 PM: Children's Corner
Clay Modeling, Hoola Hoops, Face Painting, Magicians, Jugglers Theatrical Outfit, Performing Arena: "Circus"

## 3:30-6:00 PM: Contests

Sack Race, Egg and Spoon, and Others (Events will be announced from the Showmobile Unit)

5:30-6:00 PM: Let's Keep It Clean!
Community Effort to Pick Up Litter


THANK YOU TO . . .

The Virginia-Highland Civic Association would like to thank the following organizations for their support of the In-Town Festival:

Academy Theatre
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Devine Design
Dog Gallery
Eats and Sweets
Film Forum
Fire Station \#19
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Helen Swint, 876-0659
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Dedication:
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## COMMUNITY BULLETIN BOARD

THE MULTI-PURPOSE SENIOR CENTER is sponsoring free programs for senior citizens in drama, sewing, chorus and Spanish. Call Amy Green at 892-3002 for more information.

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## NON-COMMERCLAL PERSONALS

 accepted free from Virginia-Highland residents. Send your item, with name and phone number, to Virginia-Highland VOICE, P.O. Box 8401, Station F, Atlanta 30306.

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## COMMUNITY SCHOOL NEWS

Many changes are underway at Inman school to get ready for its re-opening as a middle school this fall. Classroom space is being renovated to provide a woodshop, art room, home economics and science labs, and a typing room. Also, a covered concrete pad will be constructed on the playground for physical education activities.

Elton Powers, who will be the principal at Inman, is looking forward to the move. He is very hopeful that the Virginia-Highland community will be actively involved in the school. He especially needs people who are interested in helping with art, drama, or tutoring in reading or math.

The Virginia-Highland Civic Association's Education Committee is working with the Theatrical Outfit to implement an in-school drama program for Grady, Inman and their feeder elementary schools. The committee plans to coordinate
a volunteer program at Inman next year. They will sponsor tutor training classes in reading and math, and they are investigating how to help with the art program.

If you would like to work with kids in any of these ways, or if you have any good ideas of your own that you would like to see in action at Inman, call one of the Education Committee members. You don't have to be a parent or a teacher to be interested in your neighborhood school. There's room and need for everyone!

Virginia-Highland Education Committee

Jenny Chambers, Co-chairman, 872-6531
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Father Roy Pettway, Rector

