

Holly Hills Improvement Association

Minutes: November 26, 2007

80th Anniversary Dinner at the Sisters of St. Joseph Carondelet Motherhouse

Attendance:

Board Members - Dee McAliney, Dan Haag, Paul Sager, Beth Murphy, Anne Borgmeyer, Victoria Chechik, Barb Russell, Stacy Ross, Tara Ohler-Jenney

General Membership - about 100 members in attendance.

Mayor Slay read a Proclamation - Nov 26, 2007 as Holly Hills Improvement Association Day in the City of St. Louis.

Other Tributes by: Aldermen Fred Wessels and Matt Villa, State Rep Tom Villa, State Senator Harry Kennedy, Neighborhood Stabilization Officer Brian Kolde, Southern Commercial Bank Louis Perkins, Charles Bryson Director of Public Safety, and Circuit Attorney Jennifer Joyce.

Jim Ross and Neal Jenney announced the new HHIA website - www.HollyHills.info

A plaque was presented by the HHIA to Tim Bolt for his dedication to gardening in the neighborhood.

Holly Hills neighbor, Stan Kann, provided the entertainment with video clips from his appearances on The Tonight Show with Johnny Carson and Bill Cosby.

Details of the Annual Lighting Contest can be found on the website.

The "price of admission" for the dinner was either a canned good, toy or holiday lights. Canned goods were donated to St. Stephen /St. Trinity/ CCBF Food Pantry. Toys were donated to Marines Toys for Tots, and holiday lights will decorate the Lyle House in Carondelet Park. All are welcome to help decorate on Dec 8.

Poinsettias were awarded as attendance prizes. Gift certificates donated by the aldermen were also awarded.

A wonderful dinner was cooked and served by the Sisters.

The Dinner Meeting adjourned at 9pm.

Respectfully Submitted,
Anne Borgmeyer