



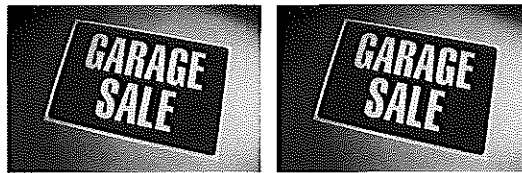
If you have stories or news of interest you would like to share in the newsletter, please e-mail necer@bellsouth.net or call Denise at 298-1880

The Whitland Area Neighborhood Assoc. Steering Committee meets the second Thursday of each month throughout the year at a different home. If you'd like to attend, contact any member of the steering committee for the location and time of meetings. Visitors welcome!

SEPT 8th

Neighborhood Clean Up Day CLEAN OUT YOUR CLOSETS!

The Whitland Area Neighborhood Association will host a collection of neighborhood yard sales on Saturday, September 8, from 8 A.M. to 4 P.M. If you would like to conduct a yard sale that day, please register your sale with Revell Lester: rl Lester@healthcarerealty.com



"I CAN'T BELIEVE THIS DIDN'T SELL!"

For household items that don't sell, we will have a World Relief donation truck stationed in the neighborhood to receive your donations.

"HMM. . . WORLD RELIEF DOESN'T WANT IT EITHER."

If you've got junk that nobody in their right mind would want, this is going to be your lucky day. We will have two dumpsters located in the neighborhood... at your disposal. (Both will be located on Whitland Avenue).

"THAT WAS HARD WORK. I'D LIKE TO UNWIND WITH GOOD PEOPLE."

No problem. Join us for the post-sale party. Eat junk food (bring something, please) and talk trash with neighbors on Leonard Avenue at 5:30 pm.

**SEE PAGE 3 FOR MORE
IMPORTANT INFORMATION!!!**

After the Hard Day's Work - - Talk trash and eat junk food COOKOUT AND POT LUCK – Saturday, September 8

Join friends and neighbors for the Clean-Up Day post-sale party. Whether you have had a sale or not, eat junk food and talk trash with neighbors, young and old, on the front lawns around 222 Leonard Avenue at 5:30 pm on September 8.

THE CHEF: Team Smoke will be manning the grill. Burgers, hot dogs and beverages will be provided. Please bring a covered dish to share – the junkier the better.

THE GAMES: Competitions for all ages and abilities in balloon stompng, orange rolling, spoon racing and grapefruit passing. Used prizes from various yard sales.

The Whitland website is www.whitland.org

Go there to **join** the Whitland Listserv !!! That way you'll get notices and news in between newsletters.

ReLeaf Historic Whitland

One of the most treasured features of our neighborhood is the mature tree canopy. This year, the Whitland Area Neighborhood Association is offering our members an opportunity to enhance the streetscape through the first (hopefully annual) ReLeaf Historic Whitland program.

If you've been thinking about planting a tree in your front yard, this is the time to do it. The program works like this:

1. Order a tree from the program list (to be published in the next newsletter). WANA will split the delivered cost of the tree with you. Trees will be offered on a first-come first-served basis while supplies last and must meet NES guidelines with regard to planting.
2. One of our knowledgeable volunteers will help you select a location in your yard for the tree. Program trees must be planted within 15 feet of the curb.
3. Trees will be planted by volunteers on Re-Leafing Day, **November 17**.

Please join the fun by volunteering to help plant trees, as we ReLeaf Historic Whitland.

FUN FAMILY STUFF COMING UP!!! - - SAVE THE DATES

August 7th TUES. - - The Whitland Area Neighborhood Association will participate in the city-wide **NIGHT OUT AGAINST CRIME**. Come meet & mingle with your neighbors from 6:30 to 8:00 p.m. August 7th. We'll have some light refreshments. This informal gathering will take place in the block of Whitland Avenue between Leonard & Carden Avenues.

August 11th SAT. - - **MOVIES IN THE DARK!!** Make sure you watch for the Listserv Message & posted signs in the neighborhood for details closer to the date! A movie for the little kids will be shown at 7, followed by a movie for bigger kids/adults at 8:30. Come on down to the end of Carden to the grassy area and enjoy the show!

This is a great way to meet others and enjoy a good family oriented movie with friends and family in the beautiful, mosquito-free outdoor setting!



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AT YOUR DISPOSAL

All neighbors are invited to make use of the two dumpsters and World Relief donation truck that will be brought in for the day on September 8.

DUMPSTERS will be located on Whitland Avenue all day.

ACCEPTED WASTE for dumpsters

- Residential trash
- Scrap metal
- Small furniture/appliances
- Mattress/box spring (limit 2)
- Tires (limit 2)

WASTE NOT ACCEPTED in dumpsters

- Commercial waste of any kind
- Waste in any commercial/work vehicle
- Gas tanks
- Unpainted/untreated wood
- Leaves/brush
- Asbestos (shingle, flooring, etc.)
- Roofing shingles
- Rock/brick/dirt
- Medical waste
- Radioactive material
- Smoke detectors
- Ammunition/flares/fireworks
- Household hazardous waste
- Cleaners/solvents
- Paints/paint thinners
- Used oil/antifreeze
- Batteries
- Gas cylinders
- Air conditioners

Making Donations
WORLD RELIEF DONATION TRUCK – September 8

WORLD RELIEF will have its truck positioned on Whitland Avenue from 3 pm to 5 pm to receive your donations. World relief sets up temporary and emergency housing for refugees and people in need.

They need furniture, linens, cookware, knickknacks and the like to fully furnish the apartment homes for people who have nothing but what fit into a suitcase. They will not accept clothes, tools, yard stuff, waterbeds or king beds. World Relief will provide receipts for your tax-deductible donations.

For items TOO LARGE to transport to the dumpster, please call Metro Public Works for curbside bulk item pick up at 862-8750.

Please take HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE to Metro’s East Recycling & Convenience Center (862-8631) located at 941 Dr. Richard G. Adams Drive 941 Doctor Richard G. Adams Drive Mon-Sat, 7:30 am to 5 pm Sunday, noon to 4 pm

HOME TOUR ADS: The advertising committee is winding down solicitation for ads that will appear in the 2007 HOME TOUR BOOKLET. Contact Joyce McDaniel at jmcdaniel@ferrellmcdaniel.com if you or someone you know are interested in placing an ad. Ad space is reasonably priced and the cost is tax deductible.



**"WE'RE JUST A COUPLE MONTHS AWAY"
2007 HOME TOUR UPDATE**

In **8 short weeks** our neighbors below will open their beautiful homes for the **2007 Whitland Home Tour**:

- The Home of Brooks & Bert Mathews, 3806 Whitland Avenue
- The Home of Anne & Bedell James 3822 Whitland Avenue
- The Home of Fran and Cyril Stewart, 3813 Whitland Avenue
- The Home of Joseph & LeAnn Kelly, 205 Bowling Avenue
- The Home of Elizabeth & Michael Spurgeon, 205 Craighead Avenue
- The Home of Kristen & Thomas Forrest, 227 Leonard Avenue
- Firehall No. 17

We are still in search of 3 more homes to add to this year's tour which is set for September 29th and 30th. The committee is hoping for additional houses that represent our diverse neighborhood and an owner's personality and interests. The homes do not need to be "finished" or "perfect", nor does an entire house need to be open to the public. And, joining the tour is a great way to get involved in the neighborhood, meet new people, and helps support our efforts to raise funds for neighborhood projects such as the Kingfisher Branch Creek Revitalization, ReLeaf Whitland, Doggy Dispensers, neighborhood markers and bench project, neighborhood directory and listserv. It also benefits the annual neighborhood activities, including Summer Movie Nights, Creek Clean Up and Annual Picnic, and Dumpster Day and Garage Sale. Please contact Sarah Alldredge sarahall@bellsouth.net or Kennon Dennis kkdennis@comcast.net if you are interested in adding your home.

This year's Patron's Party is scheduled for Friday, September 28th at the home of Juli and Ralph Mosley at their Whitland Avenue home. Invitations to the party will be mailed to every neighbor in early September. Everyone is welcomed and encouraged to attend! The \$50 per person ticket price gives Patrons admittance to the tour as well as the party - the perfect way to kick off Home Tour weekend.

Home Tour chairs for 2007 are Kindy Hensler and Doug Lesky. Home tour admission is \$15 per person or two for \$25; ***tickets may be purchased in advance for \$12 each*** at American Artisan, 4321 Harding Pike in Nashville and Davis Kidd Booksellers, 2121 Greenhill Village Drive at the Green Hills Mall, through Oct. 6. And, 10% of the proceeds from this year's Home Tour will again benefit Nashville Area Habitat for Humanity. ***PLEASE SEE PAGE THREE OF THIS NEWSLETTER ABOUT ADVERTISING IN THE HOME TOUR BOOKLET***

And, we will need all kinds of great volunteers again this year and there's plenty to do! **The form to the right makes it easy to sign up as one of the *MANY* docents** needed to greet guests and share interesting facts about the home. No experience needed - - just friendly men & women! Just pick a shift and join in the excitement and fun of the 2007 HOME TOUR!

Won't be Long

Now!

School will be back in session. Slow down and be watchful of our children's safety!



Creek Area Safety

A good neighbor on Rolland Road recently reminded us of using extra caution at the creek particularly with regard to snakes. There have been some rather large snakes seen and we want to make sure the kids enjoy the creek but are not left to play unsupervised.

VOLUNTEER DOCENT FORM

NAME: _____

TEL. NO.: _____

E-MAIL: _____

SAT SEPT 29 ___ 3-5 PM
 ___ 5-7 PM

SUN SEPT 30 ___ 1-3 PM
 ___ 3-5 PM

PLEASE RETURN FORM TO JESSICA DEERKOSKI 209 CANTRELL AVE.
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