



The Forester



Issue No. 9

Forest Park Civic Association

OCTOBER 2008

2008-2009 FPCA Membership Drive

Our thanks to the following 121 Forest Park households who paid their Civic Association dues between June 6 and August 10, 2008 for the 2008-2009 FPCA membership year (beginning July 1 and ending June 30, 2009). 7 additional households paid their FPCA dues but requested that their names not be published. Households for whom dues are received on or after August 11 will be listed in upcoming issues of the newsletter.

The membership drive continues through the early autumn. Please join your neighbors and help support your Civic Association and our community! We can do so much more if everyone pitches in. Please return your Household Data Sheet and \$20 annual dues today.

Agnew, Earline
 Audrey, Patti
 Austin, Anthony & Tracey
 Bowman-Austin
 Benbow, G S
 Billiar, Henry & Peggy
 Block, Ann
 Bower, Paul & Jean
 Brandenburg, Dave
 Bray, Fletcher & Lucile
 Brosovich, Jeffrey & Hsiao Leo-Brosovich
 Brown, Ed
 Buyer, Freda
 Canty, Brenda
 Carter, Tamiko
 Case, Colleen
 Catey, David & Sharon
 Chambers, Robert & Sarah
 Cherryholmes, Earl & Cathy
 Collier, Herb & Libby
 Couzins, James & Joanne
 Cox, Jim
 Crawford, Rodger & Barbara
 Curry, Ron & Pam
 Daniels, Warren & Barbara
 Christensen
 Dennison, Jeanne
 Derksen, Craig & Tonia
 DeVore, Viola

Diaz Magana, Johnny & Lidia
 Del Carmen Guevara
 Dini, Roger & Arlene
 Dunn, Jim & Jennifer
 Eddy, Terry & Beth
 Elke, F R

Hachtel, Dale & Joanne
 Hadley, Bryant & Jeanie
 Hallman, Jim & Ellie
 Hansen, Celia
 Hanson, Stephen & Susan
 Hart, Max & Jo Ann

Mack, Ernie & Deloris
 Makuley, Heather
 Market, Rita
 Marshall, Jim
 McCann, Dennis & Teresa
 McClary, Kirk & Janelle

Saify, Ghodrat
 Scall, Anthony & Maria
 Schneider, Aaron & Libby
 Schneider, Dave & Jeannie
 Sessor, Bill & Willi Pace
 Shriver, Jack & Betty
 Shuey, Chuck & Christine
 Smith, Brian & Vella Garrett-Smith
 Smith, Dick & Jean
 Spencer, Karen
 Stamps, Robert & Martha
 Starrett, Patricia
 Sunderman, Bob
 Taschner, Fred & Gail
 Thomas, Donell & Judy
 Turner, Gail
 Valentine, Joe & Judi
 Veppert, Ralph & T J
 Vukovich, Dragan & Nancy
 Ward, Paul & Nancy
 Watson, Ashley & Linda
 Webb, Larry & Nancy
 Weber, Paul
 Weiler, Edward & Joy
 West, Ginger
 Wilcox/Easterday Family
 Williams, Gary & Pam Fay-Williams
 Wood Family

Thank You

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 Fiorini, Daniel
 Folmar, Kermetta
 Foster, Clarence & Joanne
 Fritz, Jacqueline
 Gaertner, Brent & Johnna
 Galbraith, Charles & Shirley
 Gergye, John
 Gilbert, Ken & Cate
 Golden, Claire
 Gonya, Ronald & Ginny
 Green, George & Rosa Maria
 Moreno
 Griffith, Richard & Betty
 Griffin, Nathan & Linda
 Grimes, Scott & Tanya
 Grooms, Mattie

Hartzell, Dan & Lora
 Higginbotham, Joe & Sherrie
 Honeycutt, Don & Janet
 Hooper, Deacon & Michelle
 Hoppe, Forrest & Shari
 Horton, Mike & Constance
 Houser, Tim
 Hysell, Edward & Nanci
 Jander, Ramon
 Jones, Rollin & Grace
 Jordan, Candy
 Kienzel, Dave & Becky
 Killilea, K A
 King, Mark & Nancy
 Knowlton Family
 Kokenge, Dan & Ruth
 Kwai, Chun Li & Hing Lee

McHenry, Carolyn
 McNabb, Ron & Sybil
 Miller, Ken & Peggy
 Miller, Ned & Donna
 Nachtrab, Kay
 Neff, Merle & Dorothy
 Nesser, Harvey & Helaine
 Nowell, Janet
 Panganamala, Rao & Mala
 Parker, Judy
 Pletz Family
 Priestas, Andrew & Lucille
 Quattrone, Joseph & Jan
 Raschke, V S
 Rawlings, Judy
 Rice, Kerry & Sharen
 Rucker, Julia Annette-Bates

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4. Terry Ferguson _____ 436-0221
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7. Vacant
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11. Judy Bryant _____ 890-4885
12. Vacant
13. Mark Bell _____ 818-9065
14. Vacant

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FORESTER DEADLINE

FORESTER deadline for the NOVEMBER 2008 issue is Saturday, October 4, 2008. Delivery will be made on Wednesday, OCTOBER 29, 2008 by Northland News.

For any other information please call Arline Ries at 885-2883. Advertisements can be mailed or dropped off at 5700 Sandalwood Blvd., Columbus, OH 43229.

Foresters are available at the Karl Road Library, Donatos Pizza and Dairy Queen in Forest Park East and Sequoia Pro Bowl in Forest Park West. There is no February Forester.

REPORTERS THIS MONTH ARE:

Carol Overfield, Secretary
Kirstin Howard, Treasurer
Fred Hufford, Block Watch
Dave Paul
Arline Ries
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F.P.C.A. SECRETARY'S MINUTES ~ By Carol Overfield

The meeting was called to order by President Dick Buttermore at 7:15 p.m. at Epworth Methodist Church. Board members present were: Dick Buttermore, David Paul, Carol Overfield, Kirsten Howard, Jeff Murray, Dave Kienzel, Arline Ries, Lyn Denney, Bob Hinebaugh, Terry Ferguson, Patrick Alkire, Kit Race, Mary Squerra, Carol Pence, Bea White, Judy Bryant and George Schmidt.

George Schmidt made a motion to accept the minutes from our last meeting. It was seconded by Lyn Denney and approved.

The Treasurer's report was given by Kirsten Howard. We have accrued \$1,600.00 this year for the next directory. We are at 76% of our goal for membership. We will have Arline make a list of the accounts receivable for the Forester. George Schmidt made a motion to accept the treasurer's report. It was seconded by Mary Squerra and approved.

Representative Kevin Boyce will attend our next meeting.

There was a long discussion whether to

respond to the letter of the editor that was in last week's Dispatch from a lady saying she lived in Forest Park, but in fact she didn't. George Schmidt made a motion that we should not write a letter in response to her letter. It passed with a vote of 7 to 3 with 5 absentions. There was a motion made to write a letter to the editor without a response to her letter. It passed with a vote of 13 to 1 with absentions. George Schmidt, Mike Stone, and Jean Bower will get together to write the letter. Dave Kienzel gave a report on supplemental security. We could have more police patrolling the area if more residents would join the association.

Dave Paul gave the report on membership. We have received dues from 27% of the residents which is down about 5% from this time last year.

Candidates night will be Monday, October 6.

Mike Stone gave a report on the NCC development committee. A gymnasium was approved for a school at 1944 Morse Road.

Jeff Murray gave a report on Northland Village. Vaud Villities is moving into the old Penney's store. The Humane Society will move into the Vaud Villities space. Menard's will not be building until some time next year. Tamarack Boulevard has now been extended through Northland Village.

The Block Watch meeting will be held on Thursday the 18th of September.


There will be a cleanup on Route 161 and Cleveland Avenue on Saturday.

Our Liaison Officer Dick Graham talked about the bond package.

We adjourned at 9:05 p.m.

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DESCRIPTION	Current Month				Year-To-Date				Budget	
	REVENUE	Budget%	EXPENSE	Budget%	REVENUE	Budget%	EXPENSE	Budget%	REVENUE	EXPENSE
MEMBERSHIP & OTHER:										
Membership & Equipment	240.00	3.0%	0.00		6,054.00	75.7%	2,256.96	86.8%	8,000	2,600
Supplemental Security Split	360.00	3.0%	624.00	5.2%	9,081.00	75.7%	6,321.00	52.7%	12,000	12,000
GENERAL:										
Directory	0.00		1,600.00	100.0%	1,290.00		1,974.33	123.4%	0	1,600
Island & Sign Maintenance	0.00		60.00	8.6%	0.00		736.67	105.2%	0	700
Island Flowers voted on at 07/08/08 mtg.	0.00		0.00		0.00		174.76	87.4%	0	200
Interest Income	0.87	0.6%	0.00		6.99	4.7%	0.00		150	0
Liability Insurance/Bond	0.00		0.00		0.00		0.00		0	550
Miscellaneous	0.00		0.00		0.00		67.29	16.8%	0	400
Northland Community Council	0.00		0.00		0.00		430.00	143.3%	0	300
Technology	0.00		0.00		0.00		0.00		0	200
Treasurer Expenses	0.00		0.00		0.00		92.39	92.4%	0	100
FORESTER:										
Advertising	1,274.75	7.1%	0.00		8,967.00	49.8%	0.00		18,000	0
Postage & Delivery	0.00		0.00		0.00		1,405.27	56.2%	0	2,500
Printing & Supplies	0.00		1,406.30	9.1%	0.00		10,016.18	64.6%	0	15,500
COMMUNITY EVENTS:										
Beautification Awards	0.00		0.00		0.00		100.00	83.3%	0	120
Easter Egg Hunt	0.00		0.00		0.00		368.75	105.4%	0	350
Garage Sales (2)	0.00		0.00		245.00	61.3%	215.87	54.0%	400	400
Halloween Party	0.00		0.00		0.00		0.00		0	400
July 4th Parade: Bikes & Trykes	0.00		0.00		0.00		90.00	50.0%	0	180
Welcoming Committee	0.00		0.00		0.00		0.00		0	150
YMCA Family Day	0.00		0.00		0.00		0.00		0	500
TOTAL RECEIPTS & DISBURSEMENTS:	1,875.62		3,690.30		25,643.99		24,249.47		38,550	38,750
			Net Income \$ (1,814.68)				\$ 1,394.52			
			Bank Balance at end of month \$ 13,316.28							
			Directory Reserve Fund as of 08/31/08 (1,600.00)							
			Technology Reserve Fund as of 08/31/08 (150.00)							
			General Fund Balance at end of month \$ 11,566.28							



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AREA NEWS By Arline Ries

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AREA #5
Christian R. &
Theresa D. Baccus
5360 Redwood Road

AREA #9
Adrienne Y. Hood
1985 Cedar Willow Drive

AREA #10
Suleman R. Abdalla
And Maryam M. Obo
5135 Northcliff Loop Drive

Area #11
David A. Cappel
5261 Avalon Avenue

FOR-MEL WOMAN'S CLUB

By Barbara Brooks

For-Mel Woman's Club will meet Monday, October 6 at 7:30 p.m. at the home of member Joanne Jeck on Loganwood Road. Joyce Spurgeon will show members flower arrangements, titled "You can arrange flowers too". If you have any questions, please call 885-0373.

VIEW FROM AREA #2
By Bob Hinebaugh
Area #2 Representative.

First of all I want to thank everyone who paid their membership dues for 2008-2009, and the following listed report of those residents going door to door in Area 2 who did not mail their membership in earlier this summer.

The following residents in Area #2 helped with the membership

drive: Gene Greene, Patricia Long, Wayne and Laura Long, Steve Pearson, Mary Tolbart and John Reichenbach.

If residents would just mail there dues in it would save a lot of valuable time for all of us.

With the city preparing cuts in police protection due to budget cuts, it is even more important to pay your \$20.00 membership fee which equates to .40cents per week dues since 60% or (\$12.00) goes to support our Supplemental Security. The more we receive ... the more hours we can have our off-duty policemen patrol our streets.

There will be a block watch meeting at the American Legion Post #82 on Yellowwood on October 18 at 7:00 p.m.

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FOREST PARK BLOCK WATCH

By Fred Hufford

As you may have seen on TV or heard on the radio according to The Columbus Police Department there has been a sudden spike in thefts from vehicles. Fortunately for us, the majority are in either German Village and Sawmill Road north of I 270 districts. Just in case the miscreants can read and decide it would be a grand idea to target our area I thought I should pass this along to you. CPD suggests the following tips to help avoid being a victim:

1. Get into the habit of securing your valuables while away from your vehicle.
2. When possible, take your valuables with you.
3. If you must have valuables in your car, secure them out of sight in a locked compartment or in the trunk.
4. Always roll up your windows and lock your vehicle.
5. Report suspicious activity to the police immediately.

To amplify, this means to remove or hide anything you don't want to lose, especially GPS units, laptops, etc., night and day. About 2 years ago on New Year's day, a guy decided to try a scam in my neighborhood that I had read about as being tried before in another city. He systematically broke into cars in driveways and looked particularly for garage door openers and anything else in general. His idea was to come back later, use the opener to gain entry to the house and burglarize them. He hit about a dozen cars before he came upon a lady on the next street over who was getting ready to deliver newspapers. After slugging her, he stole her car but the police had already been notified. He was caught a few blocks away and at last check was in jail. His plan worked as well for him as it did for the other city's bad guy (maybe a little better) who got shot in the process of burglarizing an occupied residence. "The good guys win again."

ANNUAL BAZAAR

Trinity United Church of Christ, 1180 Shanley Drive needs crafters for its annual bazaar from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. November 15. The cost is \$20.00 for a six foot long table.

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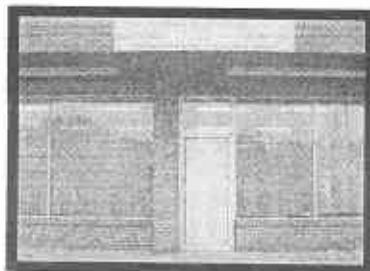
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ALEX HOLLEY	888-1885	17	XX						EAST
SHARESE GARDNER	785-9969	13			XX		XX		EAST
BRIANA COLLINS	312-2020	13						XX	WEST
JORDAN COLLINS	530-5882	14	XX			XX		XX	WEST
JASMINE AYRES	325-3134	17	XX	XX	XX	XX	XX	XX	WEST
JASMIN BROOKS	888-9936	14			XX				EAST
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CECILIA EDOJA	885-7999	16		XX	XX				EAST
JAZMAN BEEDLES	794-0178	15	XX	XX	XX				EAST
MORRIS MARAH	596-6880	15	XX	XX	XX			XX	EAST
GABRIELLE SUARE	657-3843	16	XX	XX	XX				
BROOKE ENTINGH	985-3396	12		XX	XX		XX	XX	
CARL BOWMAN	854-0442	17	XX			XX		XX	EAST
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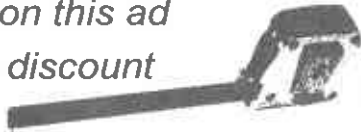
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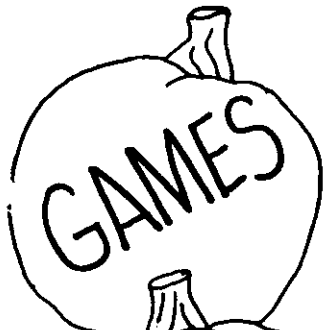
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"Meet the Candidates" Forum

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- Home repair and maintenance assistance
- In-home care services and adult day care programs
- Medicare, Medicaid and Medigap insurance programs
- Prescription drug programs
- "Meals on Wheels"
- Voter registration and information
- Franklin County Homestead Exemption
- DTV 2009 digital converter coupon program
- Home Energy Assistance Program (HEAP)
- Legal aid services
- Tax counseling and preparation
- Ohio's *Golden Buckeye* program
- COTA transit services and *Project Mainstream*
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“Meet the Candidates” Forum Events

at the Haimerl Center of Ascension Lutheran Church
1421 Morse Road (near Karl Road)

Monday, October 6, 2008

MORNING SESSION

Reception/Refreshments **9:30 AM**

Program begins **9:45 AM**

Including races for: US Congress 15th District, Ohio House 20th and 21st Districts

*Franklin County Commissioner, Prosecuting Attorney and Probate Court Judge and the
City of Columbus Capital Bond Issue.*

EVENING SESSION

Reception/Refreshments **6:30 PM**

Program begins **7:00 PM**

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WHEN: TUESDAY, JULY 8TH AND CONTINUING EVERY TUESDAY THROUGH OCTOER 28.

WHERE: COLUMBUS SQUARE SHOPPING CENTER, CLEVELAND AVENUE @ STATE ROUTE 161.

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1. Get into the habit of securing your valuables while away from your vehicle.
2. When possible, take your valuables with you.
3. If you must leave valuables in your car, secure them out of sight in a locked compartment or in the trunk.
4. Always roll up your windows and lock your vehicle.
5. Report suspicious activity to the police immediately.

To amplify, this means remove or hide anything you don't want to lose, especially GPS units, laptops, c.d.s, etc., night and day. About 12 years ago on New Year's day, a guy decided to try to scam in my neighborhood that I had read about as being tried before in another city. He systematically broke into cars in driveways and looked particularly for garage door openers and anything else in general. His idea was to come back later, use the opener to gain entry to the houses and burglarize them. He hit about a dozen cars before he came upon a lady on the next street over who was getting ready to deliver newspapers. After slugging her, he stole her car but the police had already been notified. He was caught a few blocks away and at last check was in jail. His plan worked as well for him as it did for the other city's bad guys (maybe a little better) who got shot in the process of burglarizing an occupied residence. "The good guys win again."

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Forest Park Elementary School News

By Fran Compton

The principal, teaching staff and students of Forest Park Elementary School are dedicated to meeting or exceeding a goal of at least 75% of the proficiency standards of the Ohio Achievement Test this academic year. "We fell a little short last year but we continue to make gains and are working hard to achieve this goal." Says Mrs. Rhonna McKibbin, principal. Subject areas tested include third grade, reading and math; fourth grade, adds writing and fifth grade adds social studies and science.

Teachers are utilizing the technology of palm pilots in recording the data of reading assessments which streamlines the process of making analysis and creation of reports more efficient. Reading tests are done each quarter for comprehension and fluency, with kindergartners measured for letter recognition. The first third grade Reading Achievement Test will be on Monday, Oct. 6.

There are some new teaching staff and grade level changes this year: Kindergarten Instructional Assistant, Miss Lesley Thomas; First Grade, John Kountz and Mrs. Mitzy Ellis; second grade, Mrs. Lori Reeves; second and third grade split, Miss Kinette Edwards; Fourth, Mrs. Robin Booth-Winslow and Miss Amy Lee sharing part time. Mrs. Deb Britton has returned as the reading tutor for K-3.

There will be no classes for students on Friday, Oct. 17, Capital Day, but the teaching staff will have a staff development day.

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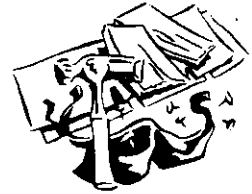
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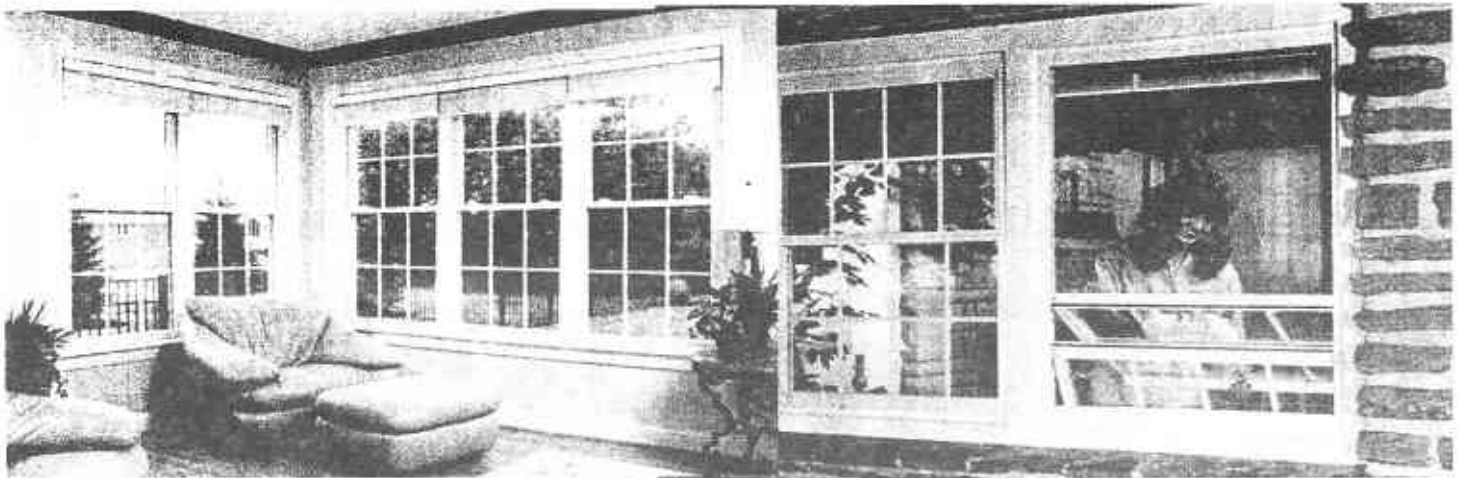
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CURRENT MARKET WATCH

The following homes are For Sale with Real Living HER:

	Asking:		Asking:
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1637 Sandalwood Pl	Split/3BR 122,000	5283 Butternut Ct E	Ranch/3BR 139,900
5756 Satinwood	Ranch/3BR 124,900	5785 Satinwood Dr.	2-Sty/4BR 139,900
2054 Sumac Dr	Ranch/3BR 124,900	1765 Ivyhill Lp N	Ranch/3BR 148,900
5533 Hazelwood Rd	Ranch/3BR 129,500	5482 Sumac Loop E	2-Sty/4BR 149,900
1968 Northcliff Dr E	Ranch/3BR 129,900	5625 Sandalwood Blvd	2-Sty/4BR 165,000
5261 Karl Rd.	Ranch/4BR 129,900	1746 Sugarmaple Dr.	Split/4BR 169,900
1694 PinOak Dr	Ranch/3BR 136,900		

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5763 Sandalwood Blvd	Ranch/3BR	114,900
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5075 Palmwood St.	Split/3BR 79,900	82,500
1380 Ironwood Dr.	Split/3BR 100,000	95,000
5132 Tamarack Blvd	BiVl/3BR 119,900	116,900
1910 Coghill Dr.	BiVl/3BR 117,900	120,500
1755 Ivyhill Loop	Ranch/3BR 129,700	121,632
1455 Hedgewood Pl	Ranch/3BR 127,500	122,000
5425 Maple Canyon	2-Sty/3BR 130,000	128,500
1766 Penworth Dr	Split/3BR 139,900	139,900
5396 Teakwood Ct	2-Sty/4BR 159,900	154,900



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