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# NEWSLETTER

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## September Association Meeting

Come join us on September 29th at 7pm for our next Association Meeting! This will be our last meeting held outside for the year on the 'Bolakowski Greens' at 2442 Hoagland Avenue. Your neighborhood officers will have updates for you on the INN Grants, the PAPA survey, and this year's Holiday Home Tour. Our special guest speakers for this month will be WWPN's very own Bernie and Paula Kaufman! They will tell us more about their local nonprofit organization, Out of a Jam and the awesome online auction/fundraiser they are holding at the beginning of October. All are welcome to join us for this meeting. We would love to meet some new faces in the neighborhood. Hope to see you there!

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## ■ Holiday Home Tour Sponsorships

This year's Holiday Home Tour WILL be held! It will be modified to accommodate for COVID-19 concerns. Instead of inviting 1,000 guests to walk through our beautifully restored historic homes, we will be filming and photographing the interior of the homes. We will then invite people to walk the neighborhood, enjoying the videos and pictures from the sidewalk. Because of this change in format, we will not be charging for tickets. This makes sponsorships that much more critical. The goal is to raise **\$5,000** in total sponsorships. As I write this, we are at **\$2,112.50** in committed sponsorships. That leaves us less than halfway to our goal with only a few weeks left to our end date to line up potential sponsors (**October 31st**). Please help spread the word to your employer, family, or friends who may have interest in stepping into a sponsorship. The sponsorship levels can be found here: <http://www.williamswoodlandpark.com/home-tour-sponsorship-2020>. If you have questions about sponsorships, please contact Charlie Fritz at [cjfritz01@yahoo.com](mailto:cjfritz01@yahoo.com), on Facebook, or his home (2512 S Harrison St)

## ■ Honey Plant

*by Judy Summers (proud owner of a new small schefflera)*

If you haven't discovered this shop yet, you need to go! It is located at **1436 N. Wells St.** just 2 doors north of Hyde Brothers Bookstore. It is owned and operated by Cassandra Braman and her husband. As the name implies, it is a store just full of beautiful plants. There are big ones, small ones and tiny ones... all looking very healthy. Cassandra knows her plants and how to care for them. In fact, she gives you a sheet telling you what you need to know when you make a purchase. If you love plants, this store is for you. Try it even if only to look at the beauty.

**Hours are:** Monday–Saturday 10–6  
Sunday 12–4

## ■ Congrats & Condolences

Congrats to Lyndsay & Raul on their beautiful wedding!

Our condolences to Victoria Wyss Britten & Jake Britten on the passing of Victoria's mother, Dawn Wyss

Our condolences to, friend of WWPNA, Don Orban, for the passing of his mother, Dorthy J Orban (100 years old)

## ■ In Remembrance of Patricia Knaebe

Bill Hadlock will host a cookout on October 10 in remembrance of his wife, Patricia Knaebe who passed on October 12, 2019. Bill plans to have the backyard and downstairs open for friends and neighbors to stop by their home at 2412 Webster St and celebrate Pat's life. We also will close down the 2400 block of Webster St to provide for plenty of room for people to spread out. The celebration will be catered and starts at 3pm and in true Patricia style goes until the party runs out! Please join us to remember this long time neighbor. No gifts please.

## ■ Fairfield Association Pumpkin Sale & Contest

Fairfield Association is holding a Pumpkin Sale & Fundraiser **Sunday, Oct 4th from 9am–4pm at Packard Park**. This is their big fundraiser of the year, consider purchasing your pumpkins from them! WWPNA has also decided to purchase one of the prizes (Skyzone passes!) for a pumpkin carving competition being put together by Fairfield Association!



# Tox Away Days

The Allen County Solid Waste District allows residents to turn in toxic chemicals for proper disposal for a small fee. For more information about the fee and what items can be disposed of, see [acwastewatcher.org](http://acwastewatcher.org). Here are the remaining dates for when you may turn in items (**all dates Tuesday, 9am-2pm**):

**October 10th**

**November 14th**

Location: **2260 Carroll Rd 46818**

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## Time to pay your annual dues!

Anyone who has not yet paid their dues for this year can deliver or mail them to our Vice President, Amy McComas, at 343 W. Suttentfield St. Or better yet, come to our next Association meeting to drop them off in person.

As a reminder, your 2019 dues are for the year 2019—January through December 2019—so the sooner you pay them, the more value you'll get out of them. There

are many benefits to being a member: it's your link to city government, a great way to get to know your neighbors, and it gives you an official vote on important matters that can affect the neighborhood.

**Dues are \$25 per household** (a pretty good deal for all we have to offer!).

**Now available to pay dues online:**

[williamswoodlandpark.com/resources](http://williamswoodlandpark.com/resources)