



GRACELAND WEST NEWS

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GWCA Calendar

**GWCA Garden Walk
Planning Meeting**
Thurs., June 1st, 7PM
Warner Park and Gardens.



**GWCA General
Membership Meeting**
Tues., June 6th, 7PM
Warner Park and Gardens
Rain site: Ranalli's



**GWCA Neighborhood
Garage Sale**
Sat., June 10th
9AM to 3PM



GWCA Book Club
Thurs., June 15th, 7PM
Ann Bines' house,
Book: *Mary Called Magdalene*
by Margaret George



CAPS Beat 1922
June 7th, 7PM
August 2nd, 7pm
4701 N. Ashland
1st Wed. of even months



CAPS Beat 1923
July 11, 7PM
4100 N. Greenview
2nd Tues. of odd months



GWCA Garden Walk
Sunday, July 9th, 1-5PM



GWCA Book Club
Thurs., July 20th, 7PM
Deirdre Jameson's house,
Book: *Snow* by Orhan Pamuk



GWCA Board Meeting
Tues., August 22nd, 7PM



**GWCA Fest Family Party
& Auction**
Sat., Sept 9th - afternoon



GWCA Adults Only Party
Sat., Sept 9th - evening

GWCA General Membership Meeting

Tuesday June 6th, 7 PM

Warner Park & Gardens

If it is raining, Ranalli's, 1522 W. Montrose

Spring is here, and it's time to get active!
GWCA Fest planning is underway!
Volunteers, please sign up at the meeting!

Upcoming Events - Garage Sale, Garden Walk
GWCA Dinner Get-Together

Agenda - June GWCA Board Election, Neighborhood
Security, Neighborhood Beautification, LVHS, GWCA
directory

Come to the meeting, we should talk!

Get ready for nice weather and fun activities in the neighborhood!

Elections!!! New GWCA Board Members Wanted!!!

The opportunity to get involved and make a difference in your neighborhood awaits you. The GWCA community will hold elections for three new members to the board at the June General Membership Meeting. Will you be a new member? GWCA needs neighbors who not only enjoy participating in GWCA events but also contribute by coordinating and planning the events. It is a great way to meet neighbors, voice your concerns, and knit together a stronger community!

Here are the FAQs:

How is the GWCA board structured?

The board has 9 equal members, no president or executive. It meets before each GWCA general membership meeting to set the agenda, plan events and identify issues facing the community.

What are the qualifications for GWCA board member?

You must be a member of the Graceland West Community Association. A willingness to contribute time (that precious commodity) to GWCA to facilitate its events is helpful, too!

How long is my commitment?

Each term is 18 months long. Elections are held every 6 months when 3 board members' terms expire. That way there are always 6 returning board members who can help you master the routine.

Who do I contact to express my interest?

You can attend the meeting on June 6th and nominate yourself! You can also contact any current board member (their phone numbers and emails are listed in the newsletter) or email them through the GWCA website at www.gracelandwest.org.

Comings and Goings

GWCA welcomes new members:

Deborah & Garry Eades of Cullom
Michael Papish & Diane Lewis of Greenview
Dennis Frank & Dana Kupper & Gracie of Warner

Welcome to new residents of Graceland West

Timothy Daniel, a teacher at Peterson Elementary and **Leslie Metcalf**, a special needs teacher in Arlington Heights now live on the 4300 block of Greenview. **Patrick and Anna Loney** are new neighbors in the 4000 block of Greenview. **Patrick** is the Director of Older Adult Mental Health Services (age 65 plus) at Weiss Hospital and Anna is a doctoral candidate in Psychology. **David and Sulika Mahoney** are new neighbors in the 1400 block of Belle Plaine. They are in real estate sales and development. **Diane Fischer** resides on Hutchinson as well as **Tom Juffernbruch & Brock**. **Susie Cusack** lives on Cuyler. **Bill & Michelle Powers** and son **Matthew** (a 3rd grader at Sacred Heart) live on Warner. **Leslie Olson** and her daughter **Sydney** (Also sacred heart) moved to the 4300 block of Greenview.

New Babies

Jaymin Alexander Feldman entered the world on May 3, 2006. He weighed 7 pounds, 8 ounces and was 20 inches long. His proud parents are **Minerva and Jacob Felman** of Ashland Avenue.

Achievements-Graduations

Congratulations to **Kelcey Bines**, who is graduating this May from Regis University in Denver with a BA in English. She will be staying in Denver, pursuing her dreams!

Congratulations to **Audrey Huzenis**, who graduated from the Ross School of Business at the University of Michigan with Honors. She was inducted into Phi Beta Kappa. She will move to New York City in July to start her job with Credit Suisse Bank in the real estate division. **Erin McGonegle** will be graduating from Cornell in May and has accepted a position with Teach for America in one of New York's boroughs. She will receive a B.S. in Natural Resources and Education, graduating magna cum laude. **Laura Sheridan** just graduated from the University of Wisconsin at Madison with a degree in Human Development and Families. She will depart for Boston this summer to take part in a fellowship program

where she will be trained to teach low-income children. **Jake Huzenis** will graduate from the Latin School. He plans to attend Pitzer College in Claremont, California. He hopes to play baseball there. **Ariella Miller** will be graduating from the IB Program at Lincoln Park High School in June. She plans to attend Marlboro College, a small liberal arts college in Vermont, in the fall. Congratulations Ariella! **Hannah Kirby** will be graduating this year from Northside Catholic Academy and will be attending St. Scholastica for high school. **Alex McDonald** graduated 8th grade from Hawthorne School and will be attending St. Ignatius in the fall. Congratulations to you all and good luck in your future endeavors!

Other Achievements

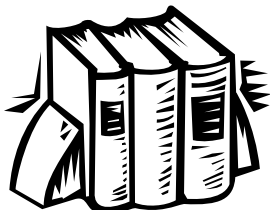
Reilly Shields finished 3rd in the overall standings for 8 and under boys at the Midwest Regional Swim Meet hosted at the University of Minneapolis on March 24th. There were 81 teams from seven states participating in the event. Better yet, Reilly's team the Chicago Wolfpack Aquatic Club (CWAC) won the meet!

Losses

Board Member extraordinaire, **Jane Huber**, a long time renter in Graceland West succumbed to the lure of low interest rates and the dream of home ownership. Unfortunately, the realization of that dream occurred in the suburbs, not here in Graceland West. The neighborhood thanks you for your time and effort here, canvassing your block for opinions on landmarking, arranging the garage sale, coordinating meetings, summarizing meeting minutes, and gathering info and writing regularly for the newsletter. Enjoy your new home and we'll see you at book club.

Neighbor **Tony Mays**, a Vietnam vet, died of a major cerebral hemorrhage early March 22. Tony and his partner, **Diane Dombeck** have lived at 4000 block of N. Greenview for over 10 years. He was only 57 and was well known by many people in our neighborhood as he was often out working in the front garden of the beautiful Queen Anne building. He would be tending to his roses, watering the lawn in that dreadful draught of last summer and always saying hello to everyone who walked by. Tony was a wonderful, warm fellow who will be greatly missed.

Announcements for Comings and Goings may be sent to djameson@jameson.com



GWCA Book Club

The GWCA Book Club continues to meet once a month. The meetings include insight, enjoyment, imagination, and of course some indulgences! Neighbors are

invited to attend. Please call the hostess ahead of time to RSVP.

7PM Thursday June 15th
Ann Bines' house, 4217 Greenview
525-3249 annbines@yahoo.com
Book: *Mary Called Magdalene* by Margaret George

7PM Thursday July 20th
Deirdre Jameson's house, 4122 Berteau
348-4198 djameson@jameson.com
Book: *Snow* by Orhan Pamuk

“Graceless Tales”

“Should your loud, drunken neighbor or his loud barking dog spend a night in jail? We can’t make that happen but do you know the jail used to be much closer?”

When Lake View as an independent municipality, the JAIL /Town Hall was located on the southwestern corner of the intersection of Byron and Clark Streets, just one block south of our fine neighborhood. A bronze plaque on the apartment building that now sits on that spot tells the story. I wonder... How was a “get outta jail free” card obtained in those days?

While no flag or image seal has been found for the City or Township of Lake View, the search continues. Do YOU have any leads?

This installment of “Graceless Tales” was contributed by Tom Ramsey, a resident of Cullom Ave.

Neighborhood Tutoring Available

Leslie Metcalf is a special needs teacher. Timothy Daniel is getting a masters degree in reading education. They are both available to tutor this summer and can be reached at 847-208-3428.

Neighbor Donna Forsberg would be interested in tutoring as well. She can be reached at donnforsberg@sbcglobal.net.



99% Recycling Guaranteed!

GWCA member Ellyn Bank coordinates the recycling effort

in the Graceland West Neighborhood. For a small monthly fee, the Resource Center comes and picks up your recyclables (newspaper, mixed paper, bottles and cans). For more information you can call the resource center directly 773 821-1351 or contact Ellyn at earthmomma2@comcast.net

GWCA Dinner at Anna Maria Pasteria

The turnout for dinner at Anna Maria Pasteria was terrific. The board had not anticipated that almost 40 people would attend. That back room got a little crowded! A few people may have gotten to know each other better than anticipated.

The board is planning another dinner at a different neighborhood restaurant in July. Check the website or watch your GWCA email invitation. See you there!

Crime committed? Call 9-1-1, 3-1-1 and More!

Are you witness to more crime in your area of late? Don't sit back and let it happen! As a community, we need to make sure criminals don't get comfortable in our neighborhood. Crime has a negative effect on our quality of life, our property values, our social lives, our personal security. As individuals, there are several things we can do to stop crime from happening with regularity.

Several people have come forward to report various crimes and disturbances over the past several months, including: gang graffiti on garages, walls and our Warner Park gazebo; stolen property (even a run on several front doorknobs!); speeding through alleys and down streets; excessive noise and traffic impedance from (mostly) students on the street before/during/after school; drug-dealing and consumption; littering and loitering in the street; and other, more sinister crimes and evidence thereof such as threatening action, a bullet casing found in one lawn and a long knife found embedded in another lawn.

Please, when you see a crime committed or even an unlawful disturbance, call the appropriate number: 9-1-1 is for crimes in progress and other emergencies, 3-1-1 is for non-emergency situations. Police cars are regularly in the area; we should receive a quick response. When you call 9-1-1, insist on a written report and ask for a copy.

In addition, the following people from the police and the alderman's office have expressed interest in learning of our neighborhood's crime. Once you report a crime, please send an e-mail on to both Faye Patterson of the Chicago Police Department and Dan Luna of the alderman's office. Contact Faye.Patterson@chicagopolice.org, 312-742-0967 or dluna@cityofchicago.org, 773-348-8400

Officer Frank Dietz is the on-site police officer at Lake View High School. Call 9-1-1 if you see something in progress outside the school. However, if you want to discuss the activity, call Frank at 773-534-5444. You may also e-mail Steven Bines at steven_d_bines@rush.edu with your concerns of Lake View High School student “activity”. Steve is our neighborhood liaison to the school and he is quick to point out that LVHS is a wonderful asset, an opportunity for 1400 kids to get a decent education. Perhaps only a small few of these are troubled. Let's not let the actions of a few troubled souls color our vision of the others. We can best help out by reporting unlawful or dangerous activity.

And yet another thing...We live near Wrigley Field. It brings the fans. Sometimes the fans don't pay attention to the quietude and cleanliness we desire. The Chicago Cubs fund a command center and hotline operated by the Chicago Police Department to receive calls from neighborhood residents on days before, during and after home games. That number 1-866-4-CPD-TOW. For community concerns at other times, 773-404-4175.

If we report crime, the police will notice our needs, and more patrol cars will flow through the neighborhood. That can only have a positive effect on our overall well-being. Squeaky wheel, eh?

If you're curious how our neighborhood compares, a good website for reviewing crime statistics is <http://www.chicagocrime.org>.

Beagle needs a home

FREE to a loving home. Pac is a 6 yr old beagle, some of you may know him. He is loving, with beautiful eyes, great with kids and with other dogs. He would be a loving asset to your home. He loves attention when you want to give it to him, but he also occupies himself when you are busy. He was my son's dog and when my son moved he didn't take the dog and I have medical reasons why I cannot keep him. Please call 773 653-5233.

GWCA has a website!

Visit www.gracelandwest.org. Dates for upcoming events are available. Didn't get your newsletter? You can download the latest newsletter from the website. Have a neighborhood issue but don't know who to contact?

Hit the "contact us" button and email your question to the GWCA board. The appropriate board member will be contacted and respond to your inquiry.

The web master, Jim Friestad of Greenview, also sends out the CAPS reports by group email. If you'd like to receive these reports, contact GWCA through the website and asked to be added to the GWCA email list.

Experienced sitter/nanny - grandmother - former clown at Children's Memorial

several current neighborhood references. I love looking after children and have some days (4 hours segments) available - just enough time for you to go to the doctor or have a manicure and lunch with a friend. I am also available some evenings and some weekends. If you need someone to look after your child/children on an occasional basis, I could be the one! Linda Heidt - 773-505-0320.

Graceland West Board Member List

A council of 9 people govern Graceland West Community Association. If you have questions, suggestions or want to participate, contact a council member. Next Board elections in June.

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| Carol Blalock (1/05-6/06) | 281-1648 | carolcmcb918@msn.com | CAPS Coordinator |
| Jim Friestad (1/05-6/06) | 975-6218 | jfriestad@yahoo.com | GWCA Website |
| Jane Huber (7/04-6/06) | 296-4200 | jhuber@stl-inc.com | Newsletter Support |
| Steven Bines (7/05-12/06) | 525-3249 | steven_d_bines@rush.edu | LakeView H.S. Liaison |
| Debbie Frisch (1/05-12/06) | 281-1478 | derbyfrisch@aol.com | CAPS Coordinator |
| Barb Sullivan (7/05-12/06) | 327-2940 | bjsulli@us.ibm.com | GWCA Fest |
| Chris Chesne (1/06-6/07) | 807-8570 | chris@jdcrealty.com | Newsletter Assistant |
| Christi Lowell (1/06-6/07) | 525-2426 | christilowell@aol.com | Garage Sale |
| Tom Ramsey (1/06-6/07) | 281-5695 | tramseyLSE@aol.com | Community Support |

Tutoring Report from Lakeview High School

Thanks to neighbors John Schumacher and Megan Sliwa who volunteered this year for the tutor program at Lake View High School. They focused on providing math tutoring as that is the major need at Lakeview. They helped with other subjects as needed. Tutoring is on Saturday mornings.

Lakeview Local School Council Election Report

Steve Bines was reelected to the Lakeview High School Parent council. He extends his thanks to all the neighbors who made the effort to participate in the local school council elections.

Congratulations Steve!

One of Graceland West's Best Kept Secrets...Joy's Joy, A Victorian Bed and Breakfast

Do you have friends or relatives who want to visit this summer? Do you need extra room? Did you know we have a Bed and Breakfast right here in the Neighborhood? Yes, Joy's Joy, A Victorian Bed and Breakfast has been welcoming guests at 1448 W. Pensacola for several years. Nestled discreetly in with the other gorgeous homes of Graceland West, this fully renovated, circa 1900 Queen Anne has ample creature comforts, original oak woodwork, European antiques, fireplaces, and a delightful sunroom that looks out into a beautiful landscaped garden.

You can find Joy's information at www.chicago-bed-breakfast.com and www.joysbnb.com or call her at **773-528-3443**. She offers two attractive guest rooms with a shared bath in a smoke free environment and has two sweet, little, well behaved dogs, Bailey and Bijou. The current rates are \$115/single and \$125/double per night, plus tax, with a 2-night minimum and include generous continental breakfast.

Lakeview High School, Student Management and Report

Submitted by Steve Bines, GWCA Board Member and Local School Council Representative

I have talked to Scott Feaman, the principal at LVHS. He is eager to work with the neighborhood. **Here are some facts:**

- 1) The campus is closed for freshmen and sophomores. This means they cannot leave school during the day.
- 2) Juniors and seniors in good standing (good attendance, no discipline issues, good grades) are awarded a "Gold Card" that allows them to leave campus for lunch. 400 hundred students have earned the privilege of a gold card. They eat at Popeye's, Subway and the food joints on Irving Park. There are very few problems reported from these lunch-time excursions.
- 3) There are two Chicago policemen assigned to the school from 9:30 am to 2:30 pm. They work closely with the Principal.
- 4) There are 4 security guards assigned to the school. Their job is school safety and security. Mr. Feaman also has 3-4 school assistants he uses for

security when the need arises.

- 5) Faculty is assigned to walk the perimeter of the school.
- 6) Occasional checks of Warner Park are being considered.
- 7) Directing the police officers to alleys near the school is a possibility, as well.
- 8) The school welcomes dialogue with the neighbors.

The principal suggests bringing concerns to the LSC via the monthly public LSC meeting (the second Wednesday of the month, 5:30 pm in the social room). He also would gladly arrange a special meeting with concerned neighborhood residents and the police officers and security people assigned to the high school.

Mr Feaman is rightfully proud of the progress LVHS has made. The faculty, students and parents I have met are good people. The actions of a few "knuckle heads" don't represent the true spirit of our neighborhood high school.

He also asks that e-mails expressing concerns or documenting problems possibly related to LVHS students be sent to Mr Howard Binder:

hbinder@cps.k12.il.us

What's a "BLOCK CAPTAIN", and how big is their ship?

Are you interested in neighborhood happenings? Concerned about crime and property values?... get involved! Become a BLOCK CAPTAIN! The Graceland West Board wants to have a team structure in place throughout our neighborhood in case neighborhood activation for an issue becomes necessary. Also, there may be instances when the Board wants to get a sense of community opinion at a street-specific level on a particular issue. The objective of this program is to have a liaison in place from the GWCA Board to all of the residents of a particular street. Two BLOCK CAPTAIN volunteers per block would assist in doing these things.

While the role and responsibilities of the block captains will evolve, at this time, it is envisioned that they will assist with...news dissemination, locating volunteers for GWCA activities, spreading information about local crimes, acting as a liaison to the GWCA Board, helping GWCA Board assess issues block-by-block, etc.

Are you interested in helping your block? The more Block Captains, the better! Please contact us www.gracelandwest.org "contact us" or 773-281-5695 to inquire or volunteer if you are interested.

Many Thanks to retiring Board Members

Big thanks go to the following retiring board members: **Carol Blalock** attended almost every CAPS meeting during her 18 month term. She wrote complete reports of the crimes in our area after each meeting which many of you have received through the GWCA emails. She often wrote the general membership meeting minutes as well. Recently she coordinated the GWCA get-together at Anna Maria Pasteria. Thanks again, Carol.

Jim Friestad mans the GWCA website. He maintains the content, sends the GWCA email alerts and forwards email questions to the appropriate board member. He posts the newsletters online so you can read it even if your volunteer delivery person missed your house! He brought the GWCA communication system into the 21st century! Thanks again Jim.

Jane Huber provided consistent support as the

newsletter assistant. She wrote meeting announcements, meeting minutes and made sure the board got the meetings planned. She also became the "get it done" person. Jane coordinated the neighborhood garage sale in spite of having to be down in New Orleans after Katrina! She also assisted Carol with the Anna Maria Pasteria dinner. Thanks so much Jane.

Debbie Frisch agreed to come back on the board to complete the term of Dimitri Christopolous. She continues her role as the CAPS reporter for Beat 1923 and also writes reports that are sent out through the GWCA email alerts.

Their terms end June 30, 2006. For the past 18 months or more, each has contributed time, effort, and their own individual perspective to continually improve the neighborhood, and create new, fresh ideas for the future.

Meeting Minutes for the GWCA General Membership Meeting held on 3/7/2006 at Lake View High School

Jane Huber chaired the meeting. It was called to order at 7:15 PM. Steve Bines moved that the minutes for the December GWCA general membership meeting that were published in the newsletter, be approved. Debbie Frisch seconded the motion and the minutes were approved.

New business topics included:

GWCA will arrange a Spring dinner at Anna Maria Pasteria, 3/26. Anyone interested in attending, should contact Carol Blalock or Jane Huber to reserve a spot. Discussion about the possibility of doing a similar dinner at Ranalli's later in the year, as well as organizing a wine tasting in the area ensued.

Christy Lowell provided an overview of the GWCA Neighborhood Garage Sale which will be held Sat. June 10th. Cost for members is \$5, non-members \$10. If you are interested but don't have a suitable location, you can share space with a neighbor. Please register with Christi.

GWCA Board elections will be held at the June General Membership meeting. GWCA members will need to elect 4 new board members. Debbie, Carol, Jim and Jane will be leaving the Board. All those attending were asked to consider running and urge someone on their block to run as well.

The next Board meeting will be held at Debbie Frisch' house on Tues. April 4th. We reviewed the current Board member assignments (see board member listing on page____) and encouraged people to contact these people for information on or suggestions for GWCA.

Community Support - Tom Ramsey discussed lightpole banners for the GWCA neighborhood and potential side-street zoning setbacks. The board would like to establish some means of defining and identifying the GWCA neighborhood, either throughout or at the very least on the periphery. Options include banners, signs, flowerplanters, etc. Cost could be deferred by residents and businesses sponsoring individual banners or selling additional banners as a fundraiser. Lincoln Square, Upton and North Center have successful programs. Cost of banners is \$60-100 each.

Re: sidestreet zoning: Some of the sidestreets may want to petition for zoning setbacks for their individual block. Tom will follow up and outline the process for doing so. This would only take place if the majority of residents on the block are in favor. All agreed that we should identify block captains to survey the various sidestreet blocks to determine whether they may want to proceed. If a particular block is interested, Tom will help to facilitate the process. Tom asked that we continue to discuss the possibility at future meetings, Debbie Frisch seconded, all were in favor.

Chris Chesne noted that there has been an increase in the amount of graffiti in the GWCA neighborhood recently including the gazebo at Warner Park. The Board will discuss this in more detail at their next meeting. Chris will draft a letter to the school board and will provide a list of areas where graffiti has been seen in the neighborhood. The GWCA CAPS reps, Debbie and Carol, will bring it up at their next CAPS meetings with specific details, we may also bring it to the attention of the LVHS Board and cc: the Alderman re: this issue. CAPS 1923 meeting is 3/14 at 7PM, next LVHS meeting is 3/15 at 5:30 PM. We will email information to the GWCA distribution list re: how to call 311 and report graffiti, trash, vagrants, etc. Also, for cleanup, call graffiti busters. General experience has been that they promptly respond and thoroughly clean up the area.

LVHS - Per Steve Bines, the Lake View Council will have elections again in April. Steve will be running for office again and encourages all to vote and get involved in our neighborhood school.

Old business included:

Annual audit needs to be completed. Barb Sullivan and Kathy Scardina have reviewed the hardcopy directory for GWCA vs. the database. Barb will discuss the possibility of a GWCA directory at the June meeting along with the status for the GWCA member discount cards.

The Chicago Park District speaker was unable to attend however we will distribute information on Spring and Summer programs via the GWCA website distribution. Additional information will be made available at the neighborhood kiosks.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:45 PM.

Graceland West Community Association Income & Expense Statement -- January 1-April 30, 2006

| Income | | Expense | |
|-----------------------------|----------|------------------------|-----------|
| Interest Income | 12.15 | Administrative Expense | 84.18 |
| Membership Dues | 322.00 | Newsletter | 951.43 |
| Other - Garage Sale | 5.00 | Total Expense | \$956.43 |
| Total Income | \$339.15 | Net Income | -\$617.28 |
| Cash Balance 4/30/06 | | \$9428.63 | |

Annual Graceland West Garage Sale Saturday, June 10th 9 am to 3 pm

GWCA provides advertising, pulls permits and supplies balloons, signs and maps. GWCA members pay \$5. Non-members can participate for \$15. Hey! Wait! That's the same cost as a membership. Join today. The membership form is on the last page of the newsletter. Questions? Call Barb Sullivan 327-2940 or Ann Bines 525-3249.

Application to participate in GWCA Neighborhood Garage Sale

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____ PHONE _____

Where will you hold your sale? (Circle all that apply)

- Front yard
- Back Yard
- Garage in alley
- Other (explain) _____

Are you a current GWCA Member? Yes? Pay \$5. No? Pay \$15.

Make the checks payable to GWCA. Fill out the application form.
Drop form and payment to Ann Bines, 4217 North Greenview .

Applications will be accepted until Saturday, June 3rd

JOIN TODAY! Graceland West Community Association Membership Form

Date: _____

I am interested in volunteering for GWCA in:

Type of Membership: \$15.00 Family
(circle one) \$10.00 Individual
\$2.00 Senior Citizen

- helping plan and organize events/parties
- helping build the GWCA website
- helping write the newsletter
- being a block representative
- helping set up or breakdown events/parties
- helping deliver the newsletter
- being on call to lend a hand
- other _____

Name _____

Address _____

Phone (H) _____

(W) _____

(C) _____

E-mail address _____

Make checks payable to: GWCA
Send or drop off CHECK & COMPLETED FORM to:
Kathy Scardina, 4325 N. Greenview, 60613

Chicago police tell us that the best way to protect against criminal activity is to know and care about your neighbors. To that end GWCA plans to publish the names and phones of the members and mail it to members in February each year.



You have my permission to publish my information in the **GWCA Membership Directory**.
I have circled the information above that I do not want published.

Sign here: _____

Garden Walk Planning Meeting Thursday, June 1st at 7pm at Warner Park.

The planning meeting for the 24th Annual Garden Walk is scheduled for Thursday, June 1st at 7:00 pm in Warner Park. Volunteers are needed to identify gardens, distribute invitations to gardeners and help plan the Garden Walk Supper. If you can not attend the meeting, but would like to help create this fun event, call Susan Hart at 773-549-6429.



*You are cordially invited to attend the
24th Annual Graceland West Community Association*

Garden Walk Sunday, July 9th, 2006 1 - 5 p.m.

Gardens on exhibit will display a marker



Brochures containing maps and addresses of exhibitors
may be obtained at each marked garden



Friends and family welcome

*“If we persist, I do not doubt that by
age 96 or so we will all
have gardens we are pleased with, more or less.”*

Henry Mitchell
The Essential Earth Men

