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Autumn ARTS Festival



October 12, Sunday, 10am - 5pm
Location: Sunset Park, Central Avenue and
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THEME: EMERGING ARTISTS AND CREATORS
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“Presence + Perception = Prevention”
(See article on page 7)



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JCTA Awards

Council of Neighborhood Associations 2014
Newsletter of the Year Award 2004
City Beautification Award 2010
Mayor’s Neighborhood Award 2012
ENTWINED Sculpture 2013
Pinellas TRAIL “Enhancement Award” 2014



Our Next JTCA Meeting is
Monday, October 20

Social 6:45 p.m. — Meeting 7:00 p.m.

NOTE: Location Change

AZALEA MIDDLE SCHOOL

7855 22nd Ave North

Principal Tour, “HALL of HONORS” Awards

Strengthen Your Neighborhood

Travis Jarmin, CONA Newsletter

ADVOCATE for a HEALTHY Neighborhood – RESULTS-Based HOW TO Guide is Dr. Ed Carlson’s recently published book rich with ideas and inspiration to strengthen our neighborhoods. Seven contributors include three Mayors, City Director of Neighborhoods, CONA President and more!

With a background of 42 years of neighborhood advocacy, Dr. Carlson has been a leader and activist in Jungle Terrace Civic Association. He has tackled significant neighborhood issues like taking on a major developer, the city of St. Pete and the St. Pete Diocese to successfully stop unwanted development, as well as converting an abandoned airport into Walter Fuller Park – a crown jewel in our city’s park system.

In 1985 he worked to create an Arbor Day celebration in his neighborhood that included three tents, and even recruited his own children to do face painting. This celebration has grown to be the Green Thumb Festival, drawing over 40,000 attendees and giving the gift of a wonderful plant and gardening festival to the citizens of St. Petersburg. To anyone who has enjoyed The Green Thumb Festival, the thanks for this event goes to the Jungle Terrace Civic Association.



Dr. Ed Carlson

Admitting that volunteer neighborhood associations are unique, he states, “Rarely do neighborhood associations have lots and lots of members, lots and lots of volunteers, and lots and lots of money. The Hearty Few get the jobs done.” He coined the phrase, “Volunteer Time is Precious” and stresses the importance of recognizing significant contributions by neighbors and officials.

Dr. Ed believes in the strength of an association’s board to make critical decisions for a neighborhood. He also espouses the benefit of leadership continuity in a neighborhood association in effectively working with the City’s leadership and staff, stating: “You are recognizable to the powers that be... when requesting action. They get to know you and your reputation precedes you.” Importantly he never presents an issue without simultaneously presenting several options for resolution.

Of great value to CONA’s member organizations are his recap of grant applications, both successful and not, and discussion of what works and doesn’t in the grant process. Rarely can we find such relevant information on funding sources available to all of us. He gives credit to the DIY approach, pointing out lengthy efforts with the City/County that took weeks or months - when tackling it as a neighborhood would have taken mere hours. He is a living example of a true “neighborhood person.”

Dr. Ed will speak at the November 19th CONA meeting and JTCA has generously agreed to gift each participating CONA member neighborhood a copy of his book. This book is a must-read guide to being an effective neighborhood and neighborhood association, a critical element, as we all know, of a healthy city. If you’re not yet a CONA member, join now!

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Dr. LINN SENNOTT, GORILLA Life Member, Volunteer Extraordinaire, Years of Dedication in WF Park, Pinellas Trail and Planting. **Dr. Sennott** is a “re-fired” mathematics professor coming to St. Petersburg in 2003. She enjoys teaching yoga at the Y and with her private students. Linn works with Dr. Ed as a Core Health and Heart Forgiveness Facilitator, assisting others to reclaim their Joy. She is the creator of the series “Core Creativity” evoking our inborn state of natural creativity, and “Heart Energy Yoga!,” returning yoga to its spiritual roots. Linn loves our wonderful city and enjoys working outside as a volunteer for Jungle Terrace Civic Association, beautifying the neighborhood, parks, and Pinellas Trail.



JOHNNY JOHNSON, Lead Walter Fuller Park Staff Person. Constantly Enhances Our Enjoyment of Walter Fuller Park and Jungle Terrace Neighborhood. Johnny is Rattlers Youth Football League 17 years Volunteer and 5 years Coach. JTCA sponsors Johnny’s team each year for two years. Johnny is married with 4 children and 6 grandchildren. He is the Chef of “Cater to Your Needs” catering service for 15 years. Johnny is a member of New Hope Baptist Church, likes to play Dominoes, and is in a pool league.



CEDRIK JAMERSON, WFP Staff: Each Day Enhancing Our Enjoyment of Walter Fuller Park and Jungle Terrace Neighborhood. Cedrick played running back on the highly acclaimed North Marion High School football team in Ocala. His primary focus now is enjoying his 2 year old son and working-out in order keep up with him!

Azalea Middle School Advisory Committee



JOHN SWEENY ~ School Advisory Council for Azalea Middle School

JTCA Vice President John Sweeny, at the behest of Principal Dr. Connie Kolosey, has joined the School Advisory Council for Azalea Middle School to assist steering them in a healthy way and direction. John enjoyed his orientation by Dr. Kolosey, and is ready to GO!

JCTA NEEDS

Newsletter Editor

Collect photos and stories and send to Mike to format the Newsletter.
Call Dr. Ed 744-9433

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Dr. Ed Carlson, NSSP + Jungle Terrace Civic Association

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ACTION: A. Please make this Police policy.

B. ASK neighborhoods WHERE they see benefit of “Prevention by Visible Parking.”



Police Chief Tony Holloway meets Dr. Ed



Invisible Police Parking

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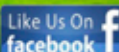


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As Mayor, Commissioner and Planning Board of South Pasadena, active in nonprofit agencies, I know the essentials of healthy communities. In Tallahassee I learned very quickly that you must stand strong for the people who sent you there because no one else will. My first term results:

- Secured funding to create the very first center of excellence Orthotics and Prosthetics program in the country at St. Pete College.
- Statewide, eliminated excessive burdensome taxes to condo owners on their dock fees.
- Brought beach re-nourishment funding to Pinellas to make certain our beaches continue to be cared for and ensure tourism remains a vibrant driver for our local economy.
- Partnered with Art Institute to create “Who Knew” statewide campaign on homelessness.
- Authored Veteran Tuition Waiver bill to grant our service members in state tuition rates.
- Voted to cut taxes by \$500 million (the largest tax cut in Florida’s history).
- Successfully funded Gulfport/Pasadena culvert and Gulfport 49th street storm water retrofit projects.

I love life here and I hope you will allow me to continue working to keep Tallahassee focused on limiting government spending, providing access to quality education, and protecting our beaches. I know the issues vital to our community and I will always continue vigorously championing all those living here.

For questions or further information about me or my positions on the issues, please feel free to call or e-mail me, I welcome the opportunity to speak with you directly. Let me continue working hard for you in Tallahassee!

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A Walk in the Park Eases Brain Fatigue

BY GRETCHEN REYNOLDS, NY Times, Abstract

Scientists know that the human brain's ability to stay calm and focused can be overwhelmed by constant noise and hectic, jangling demands of city living, resulting in a condition known as brain fatigue. With brain fatigue, you are easily distracted, forgetful and mentally flighty.

An innovative new study from Scotland suggests that you can ease brain fatigue simply by strolling through a leafy park. That visiting green spaces like parks or tree-filled plazas eases stress + improves concentration is not new. Researchers long theorized that green spaces are calming, requiring less of our directed mental attention than busy, urban streets do. Natural settings invoke "soft fascination," a beguiling term for quiet contemplation, during which directed attention is barely called upon and our brain can reset those overstretched resources and reduce mental fatigue.

Theory, while agreeable, has been difficult to put to the test. Previous studies found that people who live near trees and parks have lower levels of cortisol, a stress hormone, than those who live primarily amid concrete, and that children with attention deficits tend to concentrate and perform better on cognitive tests after walking through parks.

Now, scientists have brought volunteers into a lab, attached electrodes to their heads and shown them photographs of natural or urban scenes, and found that the brain wave readouts show volunteers are more calm and meditative when they view the natural scenes.

Until recently, it had not been possible to study the brains of people while they were actually outside, moving through the city and the parks ...until the development of a lightweight, portable electro-encephalogram that studies brain wave patterns.

For the new study, researchers at Univ. of Edinburgh attached portable EEGs to the scalps of 12 healthy young adults. Electrodes, hidden unobtrusively beneath an ordinary looking fabric cap, sent brain wave readings wirelessly to a laptop carried in a backpack by each one.

Researchers sent each volunteer on a walk of a mile and half that wound through three different sections of Edinburgh.

The first half mile took walkers through an older, historic shopping district, with fine, old buildings and plenty of pedestrians on sidewalks, but only light vehicle traffic. Then walkers moved onto a path that led through park settings for another half mile.

Finally, they strolled through a busy, commercial area, heavy automobile traffic and concrete buildings.

Walkers were told to move at their own speed, not to rush or dawdle. Walks took around 25 minutes. During that time, portable EEGs on their heads continued to feed brain wave patterns to the laptops they carried.

Afterward, the researchers compared the read-outs, looking for wave patterns that they felt were related to measures of frustration, directed attention (which they called "engagement") mental arousal and meditateness or calm.

Their findings confirmed that green spaces lessen brain fatigue.

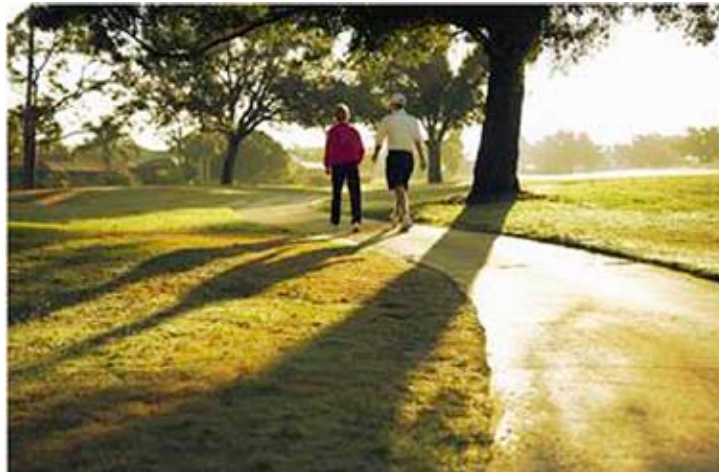
When the volunteers made their way through urban, busy areas, particularly the heavily traffic commercial district at the end of their walk, their brain wave patterns

consistently showed that they were more aroused, attentive and frustrated than when they walked through the parkland, where brain-wave readings became more meditative. Traveling through the park, the walkers were mentally quieter.

Which is not to say that they weren't paying attention, said Jenny Roe, a professor, who oversaw the study.

"Natural environments still engage" the brain, but the attention demanded "is effortless. It's called involuntary attention in psychology. It holds our attention while at the same time allowing scope for reflection," and provides a palliative to the nonstop attention demands of city streets.

The findings were consistent and strong. The study suggests that, right about now, you should consider "taking a break from work and going for a walk in a green space, or even viewing green spaces from your window or in a picture." This is not unproductive lollygagging, Dr. Roe assures us. "It is likely to have a restorative effect and help with attention fatigue and stress recovery."



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We invite you to create articles that will inform our neighbors about items of interest relating to our neighborhood. Some suggested subjects are Pinellas Trail, Tyrone Corridor, Tyrone Square Mall, the Dog Park, Pool and Tennis Courts, Soccer League, Azalea Little League, Walter Fuller Park, the Devil Rays Complex, History of Abacrombie Park, our Linear Park 30th. Ave. N., the two schools in our area, Walter Fuller Center, Mobile home park on 34th. Ave, recipes, etc.

Photos are welcome. We can also take photos for your article. Articles and photos can be in soft-copy (preferred) or hard copy.

Send to Ed Carlson JungleTerrace@gmail.com

Advertising inquires

http://www.jungle-terrace.org/JTCA_Advertising.pdf

Article and Advertising Acceptance Policy
Articles will not be accepted which in any way is considered to be lacking in judicious good taste or moral propriety, or which demeans any particular race, language, religion, or political view. Articles of a political nature will not be accepted. Advertising of a controversial political nature will not be accepted. Advertising found to contravene truth, exaggerate the description of a product or service, or containing fraudulent statements will not be accepted.

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Jungle Terrace Web Site

We have a web site for
Jungle Terrace Civic Association.
www.Jungle-Terrace.org

The web site has important organizational information, a Neighborhood map, Newsletters and much more.

Questions contact Webmaster **Bob Miller**
727-343-4436 BluegrassBob@earthlink.net

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Mark Your Calendar 2014 Meeting Dates

Meeting 7:00 P.M.

January 20th

April 21st

July 21st

October 20th



Jungle Terrace

Internet Discussion Group



JTCA has an Internet Discussion Group for the latest "JT Happenings". To join, go to

http://groups.Yahoo.com/groups/jungle_terrace

or go to the Jungle Terrace web site at

www.jungle-terrace.org

for a link and how to join.

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"I'm not afraid of death; I just don't want to be there when it happens."

– Woody Allen

Important Phone Numbers



Animal Services + Traps (County)	582-2600
Assistance & Resources	211
Emergencies	911
Men/Women/Kids Groups, Rides, Hope Lodges, Resources	1-800-227-2345
City Council Office	893-7117
Codes (get a case number)	893-7373
Congressman David Jolly	1-202-225-5961
Elderly Information	893-7101
Free smoke detector or home inspection	893-7233
Garbage Collection and Rodent Control	893-7334
Graffiti	893-7394
Library – St. Petersburg College	341-7199
Mayor’s Action Center Action@StPete.org	893-7111
Mosquito Control	464-7503
PARC (Pinellas Assoc. for Retarded Children)	345-9111
Pinellas Trail info and issues	582-2100
Pinellas Trails and Bike Lanes GUIDE www.PinellasCounty.org/trailgd	
Police (non-emergency)	893-7780
Community Policing Officer	551-3183
Public Service Rep. (Susan Fuchs)	893-4137
Schools	
Azalea Elementary	893-2187
Azalea Middle	893-2606
74th St. Elementary	892-2120
Senator Bill Nelson – Orlando Office	1-407-872-7161
Senator Marco Rubio	813-977-6450
Sheriff (non-emergency)	582-6200
SPCA	586-3591
Street Lights (Duke Energy)	1-800-228-8485
Tip Line	892-5000
Walter Fuller Center)	893-7443
Walter Fuller Pool	893-7636
Water & Sewer Problems	893-7261

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