

January 1957

The regular meeting of the GDCA executive board was held on January 10, 1957 at Mr. Burke's . Messrs. Kendrick, Sullivan, Smart, Burke and Mrs. Burke and Mrs. Owen present.

The minutes of the November meeting were read and approved.

The committee on street signs reported the the City of Falls Church had removed the sign at E. Cameron Rd. and Lee Hgwy. Major Hayes will be asked to contact the city authorities to see if we can get it back. Mr. Grossman will give Mr. Smart an estimate of the cost of bringing our signs up to date.

The membership committee will order 500 membership cards for the drive to begin in February.

Announcement was made of the Seventh Annual Award Dinner.

Mr. Smart moved the Association buy the tickets for Mr. and Mrs. Burke. (\$7.00) It was ~~moved~~ seconded and carried.

A general discussion of the park situation was brought up. It was decided that the board feels there is enough interest without making a poll.

Our next general meeting will be held at the Fire House with Chief Burgess as our speaker.

Margaret Owen.

January 57

The general meeting of the BPCA was held on Jan. 24 th at the Jefferson Vol. Fire Dept.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Mr Schnibly reported \$90.10 in the treasury with 14.64 outstanding bills on hand. Expenditures were itemized including 42⁰⁵ spent for park improvements. The report was approved.

It was recommended that free publicity be given our meetings by the radio stations & papers.

There unanimous approval was given the "plan" ^{regarding the park} as prepared by Mr. Murphy. He will be in charge of distribution, etc. There was discussion of the park and the latest developments in it. The comm. will try to have free dirt ~~put~~ put in.

Chief Burgess gave us a very interesting talk on his Dept & showed us around the equipment. He reports that our fire hydrants have been fixed.

The meeting adjourned.

M. Owen

February 1957

The February meeting the Executive Committee of the GDCA was held on Feb. 14 the the Owens with Messrs. Burke, Sanders, Schnebly, Mrs. Crouch, Mr. and Mrs. Owen present.

The treasurer reported \$68.34 on hand.

As IR, Mr. Schnebly said that Mr. Lawrence, our present scout master, is resigning as of March 1, and the troop comm. will welcome suggestions regarding a new scout master and a new meeting place which they will need next September.

Mrs. Meserow has a Brownie troop flag belonging to the area and would like to find a troop which needs it.

Mr. Burke read a letter from Mr. Byrd regarding a county-wide recreation program and it was voted unanimously that Mr. Murphy be appointed our representative.

Mr. Sullivan is planning a "Past Presidents" meeting for Feb. 28.

The meeting was adjourned and refreshments served.

Margaret Owen

Minutes of the Greenway Downs Citizens Association
General Meeting, of Feb. 27, 1957

The meeting was held at the F. C. High School with Mr. Burke presiding.

Mr. Burke presented a gavel to Mr. Frederick as a token from the Association to last year's president.

The program was turned over to Mr. Sullivan who introduced the following past presidents:

Mr. Pischke

Mr. Smart

Mr. Younger

Mr. Frederick

Each of the past presidents gave us a few words on what the presidency has meant to him.

Mr. Smart moved the general meeting accept the membership fee of 3⁰⁰ with Sun Echo and 1⁵⁰ without it. Motion seconded & carried.

The need for a Scout master was discussed. The situation in the backyards of the homes on the East side of Balling Road due to the recent laying of new sewer lines was brought up. Refreshments were served & met. Adjourned.
J. J. Owen

March 1957

The regular meeting the Exective Committee of the GDCA was held at the Frederick's home with Messrs. Burke, Kendrick, Schnebly, Mrs. Crouch, Mrs. Owen and Mr. and Mrs. Frederick present.

The minutes of the February meeting were read and approved.

The treasurer reported a balance of \$45.11 on hand after payment of \$14.00 for membership cards.

The Brownie flag will be held by Mrs. Meserow until a new troop is organized.

There was nothing to report on the membership drive.

Mr. Frederich gave an interesting report on the Federation meeting.

Mr. Turner Hudgins will be our guest speaker at the next meeting.

The meeting was adjourned and delightful refreshments served by the hostess.

Margaret Owen

minutes of the Executive Board
General meeting of March 28, 1957

Mr Burke presided at the meeting
which was held in the Home-Ex. Room
of the F.C. N. School.

The Ruddle, Henry Sharp & Frankie
Carnel, representing suppliers, Ruddle &
Carnel opened the meeting with a flag
ceremony and appropriate remarks
and what recording means to each of
them:

Mr. James Hudgins, and representatives
to the School Board, gave us an excellent
talk on the School's answered many questions
for us.
Representations were heard.
M. Brown

minutes of the Greenway Downs Citizens Association
General Meeting April 25, 1957

Mr. Sullivan, vice president, presided over the meeting which was held at the P. C. High School.

A general business meeting was held as our speaker, Mr. Freehill, had been requested to come in May to assure better attendance.

Mr. Smart reported that the street signs will be repaired & installed so that we can turn them over to the County for maintenance.

The membership drive is going along well with new memberships turned in tonight.

Mr. Schnebly, treas. reported \$185.81 in the bank. He requested that a Budget & Finance Comm. be formed to organize the books, etc. Mr. William Fisher was appointed to the committee.

Mr. Ake reported that the County has promised to relieve the drainage and flood situation on Balling Rd. in a few days.

Mr. Buck told of the unsanitary

conditions behind the stores on Lee Highway
between Winchester Way & Westmoreland Rd,
the problem being mostly rats, attracted
by open garbage & trash containers.
Mr Smart moved that Mr Buck draft
a letter ~~at~~ at his earliest convenience
to be signed by Mr Burke, as president of
the Association, and the chairman of the
Committee, with copies to go to all
merchants in the shopping center, Fairfax
County Health Dept, Sun-Echo, Chamber of
Commerce & Jeff. Val. Fire Dept. Motion
was seconded & carried. Mr. Buck and
Mr. Blain were appointed to the committee.

The need for a school committee
was brought up, with the first project
to be sidewalks to the new school.

Meeting was adjourned & refreshments
were served.

May 1957

The May meeting of the Executive Board was held on May 9, 1957 a week early, because the last Thursday of the month will be a holiday. Present were: Mr. Burke, Sullivan, Frederick, Kendrick, Schnebley, Fisher, MR. and Mrs. Smart, Mrs. Crouch and Mrs. Owen. The meeting was held at the Smart's home.

Mr. Frederick reported on the Federation meeting and urged more of us to attend them since they are very interesting.

Mr. Sullivan told us the Mr. Freehill will speak at the next general meeting.

Mr. Schnebley resigned as IR and Treasurer since he is moving from the Greenway Downs area. It was moved and seconded that Mr. William Fisher replace Mr. Schnebley as treasurer. There was some discussion about suggestions for a new IR.

The Budget and Finance Committee will formulate a budget and present them to the Executive Committee.

There was some discussion about flyers vs. a telephone committee and it was decided to continue the flyers.

The final item of business was the picnic and it was decided to hold it at the park at the end of Monroe Street on June 13, with June 15 as a rain date. Mrs. Crouch is in charge and will organize a committee.

The meeting was adjourned.

P.S. The treasurers report showed a balance on hand of \$379.31 in the bank.

Margaret Owen

Minutes of the Greenway Downs Citizens Association
General Meeting of May 29, 1957

Mr. Burke presided over the meeting which was held in the Home Ec Rooms of the Falls Church High School.

Mr. Truitt was our guest speaker. He spoke on the drainage problem on Upper Run & urged all of us to attend the Board of Supervisors meeting at 3³⁰ p.m. on May 29th at the Courthouse. He also stated that he was in a position to obtain dirt for our park.

The treasurer reports \$308.00 in the bank. Our membership is 264 families.

Appreciation was expressed for the fine work John Schnebley has done for the Association.

Mr. William Fisher has been appointed Treasurer to fill out Mr. Schnebley's term.

The June meeting will be the picnic and volunteers were requested.

Mr. Owen

July 1957

The Regular meeting of the Executive Board was held on July 12, 1957 at the home of Mr. Burke with Messrs. Burke, Youngs, Fisher, Frederick, Sanders, Mrs. Ruddle and Mrs. Owen.

Mr. Fisher reported \$274.91 in the General Fund and \$93.50 in the Park Fund. He will contact Mr. Freehill about the free dirt for the park.

It was decided that Mr. Burke will write a letter to the City of Falls Church stating that our Association is in favor of a light at Washington and Marshall Streets.

Mr. Burke will check with State Highway Commission about signs "Slow - Children Paying. This will be given a writeup in the column.

The following dates were set up for the 1957-58 meetings. The fourth Thursdays in Sept., Oct., the Thursday following Thanksgiving for the Nov. Dec. meeting, the fourth Thursdays for Jan., Feb., March, April and May. Mrs. Lucas will reserve the Home Ec. Room of the High School.

Major Hayes and Mr. James Beall are to be ~~off~~ unofficially dropped from the Executive Board until such time as they become interested.

The Executive decided, after some discussion to take no stand on the School Petition which is being circulated in the area.

Mr. Frederick reported that Federation dues which are now \$10.00 will increase to \$15.00. There are more copies of the directory available.

It was moved and seconded that a petty ~~cash~~ cash fund of \$25.00 be established for the Treasurer. Motion carried.

There was some ~~general~~ general discussinn about the fact that the Association checks can be signed by the treasurer only, and that Mr. Fisher is out of town frequently. It was moved and secnded that Mr. Frederick be refunded \$1.75 for attending a semi-annual dinner of the Presidents of Associations with Mr. Freehill, our supervisor.

M. O'Brien

GREENWAY DOWNS CITIZENS ASSOCIATION
FINANCIAL STATEMENT

30 September 1956 to 25 September 1957

Balance General Fund	\$ 214.21
Balance Park Fund	<u>105.65</u>
Total cash in bank	\$ 319.86

Petty Cash	25.00
Undeposited receipts	<u>10.00</u>
Total funds available	\$ 354.86

RECEIPTS

Membership	\$ 662.00	
Park Survey	145.50 *	
Miscellaneous	<u>14.50</u>	
Total Receipts		\$ 822.00
Balance 30 Sept 1956		<u>264.30</u>
Total		\$1086.30

DISBURSEMENTS

Sun Echo Subscriptions	\$ 266.00	
Printing services	96.11	
Federation expenses	17.00	
Park improvements	159.40	
Scout activities	65.00	
Christmas party	78.38	
Annual Picnic	17.00	
Miscellaneous expenses	<u>57.55</u>	
Total disbursements		<u>756.44</u>
Balance 25 Sept 1957		\$ 329.86 <u>1/</u>

1/Cash in bank plus undeposited receipts.

* Includes undeposited receipts.

ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES

25 September 1957 to 31 December 1957

Balance General Fund	\$ 214.21
Printing expenses	\$15.00
Christmas party	80.00
Refreshments (meetings)	15.00
Federation expenses (Dinner)	<u>10.00</u> 15.00
Miscellaneous	<u>10.00</u>
Total estimated expenditures	<u>130.00</u>
Carry over to 1958	\$ 84.21
	79.21

Respectfully submitted,
Bill Fisher

Received from Mr. [Name] \$100.00
- account on my account

62.50
7.15
105.65

Plaid -
Dirt - 50 loads
House load (Ryo)

12.00

Order shown for [unclear]

24.00

Order shown for [unclear] (2)

Minutes of the Executive Board of the Greenway
Dance Citizens Association

The September meeting was held on
Sept 15 at Mrs. Owens with Mrs. Lucas,
Messrs. Burke, Sanders, Smart, Fredrick and
Kendrick present.

Mrs. Vanison, our registrar, will be
at our Sept. meeting. Mr. Burke read
Mr. Manshew's reply to the letter re seats
in the shopping center.

It was agreed that an article re our
park be written by the committee, approved
by Mr. Burke, for the N. Va. Sun.

The idea of a Christmas Halloween Street
Dance was discussed and Mr. Smart, Sullivan,
Owen & Mrs. Lucas will look into this.

The remaining comm. will be elected
at the Sept. meeting.

The meeting adjourned and refreshments
were served.

There was no meeting in October.

Minutes of the Greenway Downs Citizens Association
General Mtg. of Sept. 29, 1957

The meeting was called to order by Mr. Burke in room #10. of the S.C. High School. Mr. Burke introduced Mrs. John Vinson, registrar for Greenway Precinct, and announced the deadline for registering.

The Treasurers report shows a balance of \$354.86. Motion made & carried that money collected for the Park is hereby appropriated for park improvements in such a manner as meets approval of majority of park committee. Motion carried.

A letter from Jeff. Cal. Fire Dept. was read, outlining their expenses & requesting donations from every family in the area. 150 books for the Stella to be given away Nov. 22 were left with Mr. Murphy.

Mr. Frederick reported on the Federation meeting of Sept. 22 concerning water referendum.

Park Committee reported that a fireplace has been built, a trash receptacle is in place & wood is on hand for tables. Plans are for sowing grass by spring & perhaps continuing the Park from Greenway west or perhaps working on the picnic grounds.

The next terminating Committee reports that letters were sent to all merchants in the Shopping Center,

with response only from Mr. Minshew, the barber.
Mr. Burk reports a definite improvement

It was moved, seconded & approved that a letter be sent to merchants expressing gratitude for cooperation.

Mr. Burke presented a request for the Association to sponsor Girl Scout troop #67. It was approved. Mrs. John Sullivan is the Institutional representative.

The nominating committee was selected as follows

Mr. Marcey, chairman

Mr. Adalphi

Mr. Sullivan

Mrs. Murphy

Mrs. Crauch

The meeting adjourned with refreshments served by Mrs. Graham & Mrs. Slaughter of Balling Road.

Minutes of the Greenway Davis Citizens Association
General Mtg. of December 5, 1957

The meeting was called to order by Mr. Burke
in the Home Ec Room of the Falls Church High School.
The nominating Committee presented the
following slate:

President - Mr. John Sullivan

V. Pres. - Mr. Maestri

Sec. - Mr. Murphy

C. Sec. - Mrs. Owen

Treasurer - Mr. Bill Fisher

Et. Board - Mr. Adalphi

Mr. Marcey

Del. Mr. Burke.

The nominations were closed and the
above elected.

The chair was turned over to Mr. Sullivan.
Mr. Lawrence presented a report from
the new School sidewalk committee. It was
moved, seconded & passed that the Committee
be instructed to go ahead with the next
steps.

The speaker, Mr. Hodgins, of the School
Board, was introduced & he spoke on
the general Fairfax County School program.

It was moved, seconded & carried
that the Christmas Party Committee
be given \$80.00 for the party.

Meeting adjourned and refreshments
served by Mrs. Murphy and Mrs. Owen.