# KWNA NEWS

Building community with our neighbors.

### Food Trucks visit KW

#### El Mero Taco

Fan Favorite El Mero is back!
Thursday, November 18, from
4-7. They will be at 2256
Heatherwood Cv. Thank you to
the Amagliani Family for
hosting. Their menu can be
found at: http://
www.elmerotaco.com/menu

#### December Food Truck

December's food truck will be Say Cheese. Say Cheese will be set up from 4-7 and will coincide with December 20th's Santa and the Candy Cane Lane. Read on for more information.

### **January Food Truck**

Cousins Maine Lobster Food Truck will be returning January 9. Location TBA.

## **KWNA Fall Fest**

KWNA took advantage of a beautiful day on October 17 to come out and celebrate fall! Thank you to the neighbors of Kirby Woods Cove for hosting! There were free MEMpops for all in attendance. A costume contest was held with two divisions: 5 & under and 6 plus. Upton won the 5 & under category dressed as Pennywise from It. Kirby won the big kids division dressed as Jerry Senderson from the YouTube group, Dude Perfect. Unfortunately, Aloha Memphis did not show up as our food truck for the event, but KWNA was able to quickly pivot and provide Little Caesar's pizza for all in attendance. Lots of fun was had playing yard games, basketball, and visiting with neighbors. A special thanks to Anne & David Willson, Anna Ellis, and Mandy Rude for helping to ensure the event ran smoothly. Thank you to our costume contest judges: Isabella Ellis, Ryan Kelly, and Emily Heim. We hope to see you for next year's event. Be sure to keep reading to see more photos from the event.





#### **KWNA** Executive Board

President: Michael Uiberall

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Membership Committee Chairman:

Genie Gray

Security Committee Chairman: Marc Kelly

## It's Beginning to Look a Lot Like Christmas

Thanks to neighbors on Wood Bridge Cove, Christmas is going to be a fun time in Kirby Woods this year. Santa will once again cruise the neighborhood waving to all the good girls and boys. He will begin his journey at 3:30 pm on Monday, December 20. A map of his route will be sent out closer to time, but he will end his journey on Wood Bridge Cove at the Candy Cane Lane! Here Santa will be available for pictures as well as to hear those last minute wishes! Neighbors and friends will be invited to park and walk the cove to see all of the Christmas decorations. Say Cheese food truck will be selling dinner from 4-7. Santa and Say Cheese will be located at 2385 Wood Bridge Cove. Thank you to Emily & Scott Crawford for hosting.



# **Kirby Woods Christmas Decoration Contest**

This year, KWNA will hold a Christmas Decoration Contest! If you are interested in submitting your home for judging, please email <a href="mailto:kwna38119@gmail.com">kwna38119@gmail.com</a> by Wednesday, December 15. Awards will be handed out at the Candy Cane Lane event! More info to come in the December newsletter!

### **KWGC-Yard of the Month**

The Kirby Woods Garden Club Yard of the Month for November is 2388 Wood Bridge Cove, home of Chris and Veronica Kelly. The Kellys are active in maintaining their large lot. Chris is often seen with a wheelbarrow or other garden implements tending grassy areas front and side, as well as the shade garden, and Veronica changes the colorful porch decor season to season. Over the back fence a basketball goal and playhouse are visible. All in all, verdant, colorful, and homey.





#### **KWNA** Annual Meeting

The KWNA Annual Meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, March 1, 7 pm at Emmanuel Methodist Church. Current members are able to vote on the new slate of officers. To be a current member, your 2022 membership dues must be paid by the start of the meeting. **Membership dues run January 1** to January 1, not one year from the date you paid the previous year's dues. Emails will begin to go out soon for dues renewal. You may pay your renewal fee at the

Christmas event. We will have a Venmo option at Candy Cane Lane! If you are interested in serving on the board next year, please reach out to Cynthia Graham at <a href="mailto:grahammemphis@att.net">grahammemphis@att.net</a>

# **Neighbor Spotlight-The Williams Family**

This month's spotlight is on the Forrest, Kayla, and Upton Williams. Upton recently won 1st place in the 5 and under category of our Fall Fest Costume Contest! Congratulations, Upton!

1. How long have you lived in Kirby Woods?

The Williams have lived in Kirby Woods for 4 years and are on Holly Grove.

2. What is your favorite thing about Kirby Woods?

It's reminds me of a neighborhood you see in a movie and wish you lived in. The look of the neighborhood and the sense of community give KW a timelessness that is hard to find.

3. Are you involved in any types or organizations, clubs, activities, etc? Where can people find you in your spare time?

I'm (Kayla) in the Eliora circle at germantown methodist and Forrest plays soccer in the Greater Memphis Soccer Association.

4. Share any fun facts — if you work somewhere, have kids involved in any sports/etc.

Our family is really into horror movies and metal music. The two kinda go hand in hand and inspire nearly everything we do. Forrest and I even met at a metal show. I guess we're like an undercover Addams family and celebrate the macabre year round!

5. What was the inspiration behind Upton's costume for this year's KW Fall Fest costume contest?

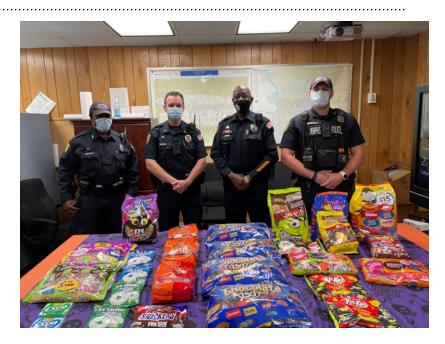
The movie *It*. On Halloween, Upton will reprise her role as Pennywise, I will be the spider version of Pennywise and Forrest will be Georgie in a yellow raincoat and a red balloon! Stop by during trick or treat to see us!



# KWNA Supports MPD's Mt. Moriah Precinct

Everyone was so generous with their giving. Genie Gray was able to take LOTS of candy for the Trunk or Treat hosted by the MPD at the Mt. Moriah precintc. KWNA neighbors donated over 2980 pieces and 5 lbs.

The total given to the station was 24,206 pieces plus 37 lbs. The amounts were figured by the number of pieces on each bag or weighing each bag that has no number of pieces on the bag. Below are officers with the candy donated by KWNA and other neighborhoods as well as a photo of the bags that children will receive. This event is held to serve the community and help children to see Police Officers in a positive light.









# **Kirby Woods Garden Club Halloween Decoration Winners**

Elliott & Stephanie Dent 6456 South Oak Shadows Circle

Paul & Jennifer Michalski 2300 Kirby Rd. Andrew & Beth Russell 1997 Old Oak Dr.

Louis E. Malvezzi 2287 Massey Rd. Col. Elmer Follis 6415 Old Orchard Cove











# Membership Directory & Street Captain Updates from Will Gotten

6510 Robbins Ridge: Steven M Acree purchased from Patricia (Patty) J. Thomas 6446 N. Oak Shadows Circle: Christie E. Johnson purchased from Curt Davis

Catherine Keller (moved from 6400 Candlewood Cove to 6598 Oak Estates Lane) is the new Street Captain for Oak Estates Lane.

Nancy Miller's (Street Captain for Quail Creek Cove) telephone number has changed to 901-848-5764

As mentioned in the October Newsletter, we still need Street Captains for:

Heather Drive, East of Massey Ridgeway Road, North of Harwick Drive Ridgeway Road, South of Harwick Drive Shadowood Lane

If you are interested in being a street captain, please contact Will Gotten at <a href="wmgotten@bellsouth.net">wmgotten@bellsouth.net</a>. If you have have any updates to the membership directory or need a membership directory, please contact Will at the email above.

### KWNA on the Go!

In the Apple App Store or the Google Play Store, you can download the Wild Apricot Member app. Wild Apricot hosts our website and paid members can access the directory of members and event information through the app! Consider it the "mobile version" of our website. There is a link to the app on the homepage of the KWNA website: <a href="kwna.org">kwna.org</a>. The login information for the app and website are the same. If you are receiving this newsletter via email, the first email address listed in the "To:" category, is your primary email and the one that should be used to login.



