

HISTORY CD-ROM

A disappointing response to our request for information on your houses. Just 4 replies from 1200 newsletter. To make this CD-ROM a good read, and to be informative, we do need much more information. So even if you only know part of the house's history, write it down and post it to us, or e-mail to the usual address below.

This project is about the area, for the area, by the people of the area, so we urge you to respond positively and send the information to us as soon as possible.

OPEN GARDENS

The Avenues Open Gardens raised a total of **£2350** for local charities.

Thanks to all who took part, and to Rose and Bob Sandham.

SPEAK OUT!

If you want to contribute to this newsletter, we would love to hear from you. There are many ways to express your views:

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or 48 Marlborough Avenue, Hull
Phone: 01482 445272
e-mail: avenues@greengates.karoo.co.uk
Website: <http://www.greengates.karoo.net/avenues>



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AVENUES

AND PEARSON PARK
RESIDENTS' ASSOCIATION

Newsletter

From the Chairman....

There is money available locally for security issues, which we would like to see spent on tenfoots. Inspired by the examples of tenfoots as grassy, flowering lanes, could we all transform our own into play areas and walkways, instead of the almost "no-go" areas they are becoming? Would you support—and help to organise—gates or retractable bollards to inhibit through traffic? Please let us know.

An occasion to "launch" the Children's Tree in Park Avenue and the Cat Tree in Richmond Street is planned for the afternoon of Saturday 30th September (3.30-4.30). Do come along.

Stephanie Wilson



Hull Truck Theatre Company

One of Hull's Gems!

Ring the Box Office for full details
01482 323638

The Association exists to help retain the unique character of the Avenues and Pearson Park Conservation area and to support the strong community spirit which exists in the district.

Newsletter



TREE CARVINGS

You may have noticed that two more stumps are in the process of changing into works of art. Jacky Ward-Lomax of Owl Tree fame is now carving a stump in Richmond Street with cats peeking out at you!

Dawn Summer and Larry Knee are involved with the Park Avenue Millennium Tree which shows images drawn by the children of Park Avenue.

Pictures of both trees are available on our website:

<http://www.greengates.karoo.net/avenues> and also on the Hull's Angel

website: <http://fly.to/hullangel>

A further two are in preparation and hope to be started soon. Postcards of the new additions will be on sale, hopefully before Christmas.

We would like to thank *All Occasions* for the kind loan of a generator and *Gwennap Insurance* of Gillingham for providing insurance for the works.

Jacky Ward Lomax, 92, Victoria Ave.,

Hypnotherapist, CMH, C Hyp.

also

Freelance artist and art workshop leader.

Available for commissions, mixed media, murals, wood-carving.

monthly painting and drawing workshops in own studio.

contact Jacky on 01482 341631

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

14th September 7.30pm - Ward Forum meeting at Princes Avenue Methodist Church Hall

27th September 7.30pm - Community Initiative Budget ideas meeting at St Cuthbert's Church

30th September 3.30pm - Launch Party for the Park Avenue tree carving at the stump (141 Park Avenue)

109 PARK AVENUE

The rebuilding of this property in the style of Gilbert Scott is now reaching a climax. Some poetic license has been used in the extension and link blocks to facilitate a commercial need, but have been built "in the same style." We are sure that everyone will agree the new property is looking smart. So a "Well Done" is due to the developers.

ORGANIST

This newsletter is community based and St Vincent's Church has been part of the community for every 50 years. After sterling service, the organist at the 9.00am Sunday service has retired. Can you play or know someone who can play the organ, who would like to help on Sundays for 45 minutes? Please contact Fr Michael White at 2 Victoria Avenue. Tel: 343017

FOUNTAIN

Hull City Council have not yet placed the order for the repair of the Park Avenue fountain. Although the insurance company paid a substantial amount it was not enough for the repair. The extra money is being sought. Some rumours abound about a "dumbing down" of the design. It is

up to you to ensure that the repair is as near to the original as possible, by contacting the Council with your views. If you don't, they will decide on alternative designs, or include less detail.

REFUSE COLLECTION

If you spot rubbish on private land, for example gardens or tenfoots, ring the Rapid Response Team on 331942. Alternatively, if the waste is on public land such as footpaths call 612710.



THURSDAY NIGHT LIVE

At the Central Library

**Thursday 14th September -
HESSLE ROAD REVISITED**

Hull's famous road comes under the microscope tonight, as Eric Wedge of the Hessle Road Society takes us on an illustrated journey into bygone days.

**Arts & Humanities Library, Central
Library, Albion Street, Hull.
7.30pm - 9.30pm.**

Tickets: £2 (includes glass of wine or soft drink) from City Information, Tel.223344.

It is advisable to book in advance as places are limited.

**More details are available by
contacting the library.**