

August 2026 FPNA Committee Reports

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Beautification

Co-Chairs: Chris Switzer & Beth Hoffman

- Sarah Mae Downie Park/Butterfly Garden – Beth Hoffman and Chris Switzer
 - The Wise, Wonderful Wednesday Weed Whackers continue with bi-monthly maintenance in the park.
- Exits and Entrances - Lina Lopez
 - Sprinklers were repaired on Santa Clara and Broadway
- Tree Committee – Debbie Wolfenbarger and Joe Rodriguez
 - This committee is now a committee of 5 people.
- Yard with Most Curb Appeal – David Buster
 - July homes selected this month by Rich Silva and Maria Roca were: 2103 North Ross & 2323 Bonnie Brae
- FP One-Hundred Year-old Homes- Chris Rosas
 - New social media Pages on Instagram & Facebook
 - First event will be August 29 – starting at SMD at 11:00 for the walking tour of 100+ year homes on North Park, Benton and Bonnie Brae
 - Flyers requesting neighbors to host snack stations along the route were distributed
 - Signs for the homes are being distributed
- Utility Box Wraps – Chris Switzer
 - This committee met on August 5 and selected a wrap for the box on the southwest corner of Santa Clara/Broadway.
 - It was recommended that the box on Santa Clara across from Benton be painted the same color as the wall behind it so it will not be so visible.
 - Beth Hoffman is contacting the city with a request to cover all the utility boxes on Santa Clara.
- Lamp Post Painting – Rich Silva
 - Several people signed up for this committee with the goal to paint lamp posts not only on the Home Tour Route, but posts in need too. Painting to be throughout the year, weather permitting, not just days before home tour.

Communications

Chair: Mason Nakamura

Website (FloralPark.com)

- Posted July meeting agenda and Board Reports to website.
- Posted June and July Board meeting minutes to website.
- Posted August meeting agenda and Board Reports (TBD) to website.
- Updated events calendar for Jazz at the George.
- Updated prior newsletters.
- Still pending are Event Calendar bug fixes, SmugMug gallery updates, recent events page, and repository solution (Google Workspace).

Social Media (Facebook, Instagram, YouTube)

- Launched the 100 Year Old Home Project on Monday, June 29th. Posts are made daily Monday-Saturday covering approximately 6 homes/week. As of August 8th, a total of 33 posts have been made. There are a total of about 140 homes that are 100 years old in 2026
- Started posting the “I’ve Got Curb Appeal” monthly winners to the Facebook and Instagram pages. First post was on Sunday, July 12th. August winners will be posted Sunday, August 9th

eBlasts (Constant Contact)

- 9 eBlasts sent since May Board Meeting (4 100 Year Old Home Project, 3 Neighborhood Mixer, 1 100 Year Old Home Walk, 1 Jazz at the George)
- Updating Floral Park eBlast list.

Newsletter

- Next Neighborhood Newsletter planned for mid-September.

Neighborhood Signs

- Two of the neighborhood signs were missing after the Scholarship/Charity Awards Ceremony. Anyone know where the missing signs are?
- Will order overlays for September General Membership Meeting on 9/10.

Membership

Co-Chairs: Kevin Shuler and Chris Rosas

Donations:

- July Membership Donations = \$1410
- YTD 2026 Total Donations = \$14,960
- 86 Donors to date, of which 84 were recurring donors (98%)

New Neighbors:

- 2510 North Park – Beau Stapley
- 433 W. Santa Clara – Greg & Pamina Barkow

Events & Mixers Updates

- Summer Mixer was a success! Better promotion next time but well received. Morning Mixer, family friendly, dog friendly and something for everyone. We will do this every August mixer as summer afternoon as just too hot.

Donation Initiatives:

- Curb Address Promotion: To be discussed at the meeting
- August: Personalized letters to past donors who did not donate in 24/25 to encourage donation.
- New neighbor baskets: All new neighbors have been welcomed.
- Membership table at every mixer.

Block Captain Updates:

- Current Vacancies: None.
- Block captains to assist with Membership Flyers and Letters

Social Committee

Co-Chairs: Rochelle Landry and Brian Stoddart

Upcoming Events

Fall Concert 2026 Saturday, October 3

- Las Vegas theme
- Finalizing band setlist
- Quotes received for gaming tables (no actual gambling)
- Showgirl quotes are high – considering other options
- Working on budget

Halloween Spooktacular October 24 – Organized by Families of Floral Park Subcommittee

Tree Lighting Ceremony Sunday, November 29

- Planning underway
- Will have toy drive here rather than at Holiday Event

Holiday Event 2026 Saturday, December 12

- Trish Castillo chair, with support from others
- Subcommittee meeting held 8/4
- Eliminating snow due to budget limitations; working on alternatives
- Working on raffle baskets to help offset costs

Home and Garden Tour

Chair: Wendy Currlin

The Floral Park Home & Garden Tour Committee is currently on its annual summer break, with its first meeting of the new season scheduled for August 18, 2026.

During the summer break, committee members have remained active, focusing on identifying and recruiting homeowners interested in showcasing their homes and gardens in the 2027 Floral Park Home & Garden Tour. The committee has also been working with our new Wine & Garden Co-Leads, Brian Byrd and Diana Christoffersen, to develop and implement activities for the Wine and Garden.

Sponsorship

Co-Chairs: Denise Byrd and Huey Yann Ooi

Sponsorship Committee held a meeting on August 6, 2026 with six members in attendance. The committee discussed the following:

- * Proposed changes to the Teacher Project Grant
- * Improvements to the 2027 sponsorship application process
- * Ideas for the next award ceremony
- * Follow-up with our 2026 award recipients.

The meeting was also an opportunity to introduce Huey Yann Ooi as our new Co-Chair of the Sponsorship Committee.

