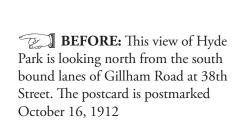
further north along Gilham Road from 36th street. The Reid mansion is on the

BEFORE: This postcard looks

AFTER: The Reid mansion, now Cornerstones of Care, is still visible. Other homes and trees have been replaced by a parking garage and high-rise building, which housed IBM in the 1960s. The high-rise was renovated and reopened in 2017 with 56 luxury apartments, MAC Properties' Kansas City office and several other tenants.



AFTER: The present-day scene is much the same. One of the biggest changes is the addition of new playground equipment. HPNA and KC Parks partnered with KaBoom to bring the new playground to the park in 2016. Over 200 community volunteers came together to build the playground designed especially for children ages 2–5.



All in person meetings have been cancelled, sign up for HPNA emails for updated meeting info: https://hydeparkkc.org/ subscribe/

Monthly Meetings –

of each meeting.

HPNA Board: Second Mondays, 6:30 p.m.

Neighborhood Meetings: Third Tuesdays, 7:00 p.m.

Crime and Safety: Officers meet with neighbors monthly at 7pm on the last Thursday of the month from Jan-Oct. Currently meetings are being conducted virtually, visit https://www.facebook.com/ hydeparkke for log in information on the day

The HP Playgroup: Playgroup has been suspended due to COVID-19. Contact Megan Sawyer for updates megan.m.sawyer@gmail.com.

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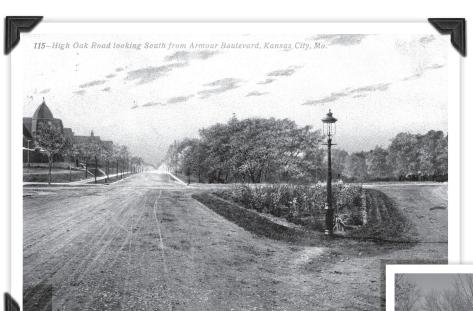


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Hyde Park Before and After

(Pat Alley, Hyde Park Historian) The Hyde Park Neighborhood Association is lucky enough to own a collection of early postcards of the area. Most of the postcards were gifts from Mr. Justin and Ms. Erica Grindley in 2011. Recently on a sunny day I took a few of the postcards around the neighborhood and took pictures of the same locations to show how things have changed over the years. Most of the postcards are from the first decade of the 20th century.



BEFORE: This postcard is postmarked February 17, 1910. It looks south from 36th Street, the cross street in the foreground. North and south lanes of Gillham Road split to go around Hyde Park and the tennis courts. The house of the left was built in 1890 and the streets are not hard paved, but instead are macadam. Two other things of note are the wonderful gas lighting and the landscaping in the triangle.

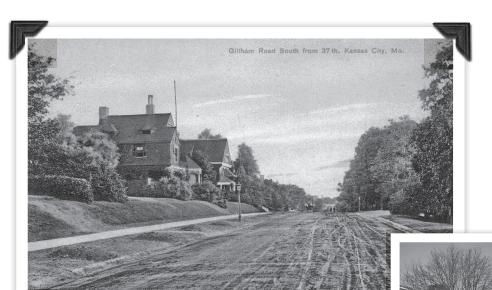
AFTER: The current view (moved south about 30 feet due to construction on 36th Street) shows some changes. The house in the postcard is still there although the roof of the tower is now smaller and less dynamic. This home was rehabbed in the 1990s with funds raised from the Janssen Place Historic Homes Tour for the Historic Kansas City Foundation. (continued on page 2)

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HPNA 2021 Survey

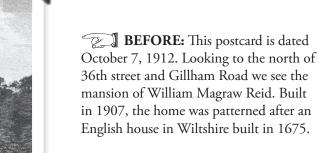
Please take a moment to fill out this survey to help the Hyde Park Neighborhood Association and Board in prioritizing goals and areas for impact this year: http://tinyurl.com/HPNA2021Survey



BEFORE: This postcard is dated September 6, 1919. The view is about a block further south on Gillham Road from the postcard on page one and shows a row of period homes.

AFTER: In today's picture the older homes are replaced by modern apartment buildings built in the 1960s. One of the interesting things between the two postcards is that the older image referred to the street as High Oak Road and this newer card uses the modern name Gillham Road.

Gilliam Road at 35th Street, Kansas City, Mo.



AFTER: The Reid mansion became the chancery of the Kansas City-St. Joseph Catholic Diocese in the early 1950s and is currently the offices of Cornerstones of Care. The present view looks much the same except for the landscaping and air conditioning units in the front of the building. The three-story addition and parking lot in back of the building are not visible from this picture.

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Ways to join and pay dues:

- Online. Visit https://hydeparkkc.org/join-the-hpna
- By mail to HPNA, P.O. 32551, Kansas City, Missouri 64171.



Board Selects Audit Committee.

The Audit Committee will audit the 2020 HPNA financials and report to the Board at the March Board meeting and to the general membership at the March general meeting.

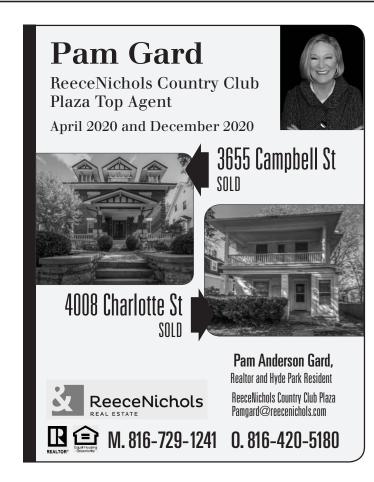
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School Board Election -April 6, 2021

Hyde Park neighborhoods are represented by school board sub-districts 2 and 4, which are not up for re-election this year. Sub-district 2 includes North and Central Hyde Park and is represented by Nate Hogan. Subdistrict 4 includes South Hyde Park and is represented by Dr. Marvia Jones. The following are candidates for the April 6 election.

Sub-District 1: Rita Marie Cortes

Sub-District 3: Manny R. Abarca IV

Sub-District 5: Kandace Buckner Bruce Beatty

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School Enrollment for 2021–2021

Families can apply to many charter schools through SchoolAppKC at https://schoolappkc.org. Applications for non-participating charter schools should be submitted according to the directions on each school's

- Submit applications by February 22, 2021
- Receive offers from schools on March 1, 2021
- Select a school by March 8, 2021. Families may choose to remain on waiting lists.
- Applications submitted after the deadline and lotteries will be processed on the first-come first-served basis.

Families can enroll in Kansas City Public Schools neighborhood and signature school programs t hrough EnrollKC at http://enrollkc.org.

- Submit enrollment applications by February 15, 2021
- There are no lotteries or waiting lists for neighborhood schools.
- Initial seats for signature programs will be offered - week of March 1, 2021
- Deadline to accept signature seats and complete registration – March 26, 2021
- Signature program applications received after the deadline will be processed on a first come, first-served basis. A second round of seats will be offered starting April 9.

HPNA Volunteer Opportunities

One of the best ways to make a difference in your community is by working together with your neighbors.

Traffic and Parking Committee now forming!

A new committee will be formed this year to focus on traffic and parking issues in Hyde Park. Interested in joining? Please contact Steve Mitchell: stephen. mitchell@lathropgpm.com or 816-550-2687.

Historic Homes Tour 2021 is planned October 2, 2021

Terri Hiebert and Derek Moore will be the co-chairs of this year's tour. Interested in volunteering or having your house on the tour? Contact Derek at derek. matthew.moore@gmail.com.