



PARADE

Those who burn with the flame of compassion and goodwill will ultimately illuminate the road to liberation. – Anonymous

My God! How little do my countrymen know what precious blessings they are in possession of, and which no other people on earth enjoy! – Thomas Jefferson

E.K. POWE IS AWARDED A COMPLETE LIBRARY MAKEOVER!

– NINA SPERBER

E.K. Powe students will enjoy a new library next year thanks to Target, The Heart of America Foundation, and grant writing parents, Nancy Kaiser and Guy Potter. Powe is one of only 32 schools nationwide to be awarded a complete library makeover. The makeover will include professional design services that prioritize and make use of eco-friendly green building materials, 2000 new books, computers, artistic painting, new carpeting, and age-appropriate furnishings conducive to curling up with a book. The makeover will also include a wonderful gift to each E.K Powe student of seven books to call their own and to bring home to keep.

THE POWE-GROWN GARDENS, INCLUDING FRESH EDIBLES THAT STUDENTS CAN'T GET ENOUGH OF!

– NINA SPERBER

If you've driven by E.K. Powe recently you have probably noticed its wonderful garden beds. Thanks to dedicated parents Sarah Meyer, Michele Kloda and Jen Minnelli for leading the troops, these beds are back in production with plans to expand their use for outdoor education. Students have been enjoying eating the produce from their gardens in the form of salad parties! Michele and Jen report that the students can't get enough of the garden fresh salads. There are also two butterfly gardens, one planted anew by Ms. Smart's class and the other recently rejuvenated by volunteers. Students have been studying insect life cycles and how to use compost for successful gardening. E.K. Powe looks forward to partnering with Whole Foods for a year-end event that will include making and taste sampling Radish Avocado Salsa and Vegetable Dip, using carrots and radishes from the school garden. The event will also offer nutrition education that includes interesting visuals about nutrition content and recipe suggestions. There are also plans to poll students about what additional fruits and veggies they may like to see in the garden next year.



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61 YEARS -

July 4 in Watts Hospital-Hillandale

That's right! It's hard to believe, but WHH neighborhood residents have been marching along on the Fourth of July for 61 years. That's four generations of Watts-Hillandalers, their friends, neighbors, and families who know about and count on this very special holiday celebration. How many cumulative numbers of people has this annual event included? Perhaps thousands upon thousands. Which WHHN residents has marched in the most number of parades? Is it fifty, or more? And this year, how many families will have four generations on hand to recite the Pledge? The answers are worth knowing even though it is difficult to reduce the measure of a tradition so strong to mere numbers. The WHHNA Fourth of July celebration and parade is made up of not just neighbors, but neighborliness. Not just flags and bunting, but real, abiding patriotism.

Old Watts-Hillandale hands know what to expect - Oval Park festooned with hundreds of flags, the parade led by the fire-truck, the recitation by many of the Pledge of Allegiance, the 'Star Spangled Banner' beautifully sung by the OK Chorale, a cool drink and perhaps a cupcake too. Newcomers are in for a treat! While it all sounds a little campy (because it is), it is also genuine, enduring, and very moving. It's not hard to find neighbors who will tell you it's their favorite holiday of the year. It started in 1950 with just a handful of kids on Club Boulevard. Since then it has grown and grown. Last year, nearly one thousand people participated!

Note Sunday Start Time!

This year the Fourth will fall on Sunday and so the

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If you know a new neighbor or are one yourself, please contact Wendi Gale: wendigw@verizon.net

Allie Halpern and **Joey Nix** hope that by introducing themselves as though already WHH neighbors, they may become the recipients of good fortune. They have their hearts set on moving to the Watts neighborhood and continue to seek a rental opportunity, and who can blame them? Allie graduated with a degree in biology from UNC Chapel Hill, then joined the Teach for America movement to end educational inequity, and now teaches 7th grade science at Mary Potter Middle School (MPMS) in Oxford, NC. She loves being outdoors, art, music, cooking, and fashion. In the near future she wants to start a community garden at MPMS, and eventually wants to pursue a career in medicine.

Joey graduated from ECU with a BS in Elementary Education and currently teaches 3rd grade at Club Boulevard Elementary. Joey's interests include hockey, cooking, sushi, local microbrews, biking, reading, art, and music. Allie & Joey have two dogs; Nala, a yellow mutt, and Oy, an Australian Shepherd. Nala definitely wears the pants in the relationship! Oy is just a laid-back, nub-wagging kind of guy. They both enjoy peanut butter in any shape or form as well as small vermin.

Irene Belle Janis and her boyfriend, **Chris Skowronek**, are thrilled to be moving to Oval Drive on May 25. Irene will be starting an internship in clinical psychology at Duke University and Chris will be working for the North Carolina Hospital Association.

"We are moving from the northeast and are very excited about North Carolina, Durham, and the Watts Hospital-Hillandale Neighborhood, writes Irene. Both Irene and Chris love to be active and to spend time outdoors. They are therefore very excited to explore the Ellerbe Creek, Ninth Street, and other neighborhood areas.

Holly Kunkel moved into the WHH neighborhood at 2408 Albany Street in December 2009. She is a social worker who serves as the Program Director for the Second Family Program, sponsored and supported by the Second Family Foundation in Chapel Hill. In partnership with the Orange County Department of Social Services, the non-profit Family Program's goal

is to foster and nurture the self-development of adolescent, foster care youth in Orange County by providing resources so these youth will have the best chance to develop to their full potential mentally, physically and spiritually. Holly says, "Never a dull moment with these guys and girls and I'm the only employee so president and janitor in the same day!" Holly is really looking forward to meeting more neighbors as the weather continues to warm up and more and more people and pets come out to play!



Laura Bowen & Kurt Pivko just adopted a newborn little girl, nee April 2, 2010. They named her **Madeline Helen Sevara Pivko**. Laura wants us all to know, "Kurt and I went to Colorado to pick Madeline up and had to stay there two weeks before returning home with her in arms. Our WHH neighbors were amazing...took care of the dog, the cat, the seedlings, the garden, mowed the lawn, took in the mail, picked up the car from the airport parking lot, picked us up from the airport, decorated our yard to welcome us, and then brought us dinner twice a week for the past month. We love this neighborhood almost as much as the new addition to our family."

FAREWELL From Chris, Shannon, & Celeste

"It has been wonderful sharing the neighborhood with all of you for the past two years. We have made many friends here and feel lucky to have lived in Watts-Hillandale. From day one, you welcomed us and made us feel right at home. We will miss you and we will take with us many fond memories - the July 4th parade; chatting with people we met on walks; the active list serve with its many lively discussions, found pets, and generous swaps; parties and play time at Oval, Indian Trail and Westover parks; walks and rides along Ellerbee Creek; historical meetings and the Wattsminster Dog Show at NCSM; the Art Walks, the newsletters that kept us informed, the Night of Lights, the open houses... the list goes on. This is a neighborhood of people who care about and support each others' sense of belonging, safety, self-expression, and opportunity to become involved. That is a rare gem. We were impressed and touched by the appreciation shown for the rich heritage of the neighborhood - in the houses, trees, land, water and people of Watts-Hillandale. We're glad to be a part of that history now and we look forward to visiting in the years to come. Thank you all. Wishing you the best."

Chris, Shannon & Celeste

The Matthews: A Very Special Family

Part of the house and detached garage in the deep lot at 1607 Maryland Avenue was built by a former slave in 1890 and later moved across the street to its current location during the construction of Watts Hospital in 1928. It is only appropriate that the reflective, thoughtful, and progressive family of Tracy, Hart, Walker and Wilson Matthews, purchased this home from the daughter of the second owner in 1996. Their home is like a drop-in-center for neighborhood children with its sweet dog, trampoline and spaces to ride bicycles and scooters, vegetable garden, and multiple wild critters.

The Matthews moved to Watts from the Outer Banks when Tracy accepted a position with the non-profit, conservation organization, The Nature Conservancy. She now works at UNC Kenan-Flagler Business School as the Director of Student Engagement in the Center for Sustainable Enterprise. The Center is dedicated to developing and providing education, knowledge and practical tools for students, executives and organizations to become leaders and to drive innovation in sustainable enterprise. Tracy states that she loves the WHH neighborhood and especially the following aspects: "The people, the list serve discourse, the book club, the parks, Ellerbee Creek and most definitely, the education both of my boys have received at E.K. Powe and Brogden. I love Halloween on Robin Kirk's porch and the 4th of July Parade and lemonade. I couldn't ask for a better community in which to live, work and raise children." Tracy grew up in California and used to live and teach environmental education in Grand Teton National Park. Today she continues to enhance the neighborhood she lives in with thoughtful manners and personal interactions. She is the first neighbor I met upon moving to WHH, introducing me to her two sons and offering a fresh-baked wheat-free banana bread – still warm!

Prior to moving to WHH in 2000, Hart served as a reporter for the Virginia-Pilot and as a reporter/photographer for The Outer Banks Sentinel. He also authored a book on early aviation (how cool is that!), freelanced news articles and photographs for Reuters newswire, American Angler, SportsSouth and others. In 2005, Hart was moved to change careers after homeopathy helped his food allergies and Tracy and Walker's asthma. From 2005 – 2008 Hart attended the Caduceus Institute of Classical Homeopathy. After earning his degree in homeopathic medicine, Hart opened Dynamis Homeopathic Healing, a practice offering Classical homeopathy for adults, kids and families; homeopathic

support for people with depression, sleep and behavioral disorders, along with care for people with traumatic or acute illness. He works out of the old workshop/garage behind their home. If you are interested, please see Hart's website at <http://www.dynamishomeopathic.com/> "My favorite things about WHH, Hart says, "are the beautiful houses and trees, easy walking and biking, friendly neighbors, good schools and a diverse city population."

On March 14th Walker Matthews turned 14 years old. That date marks his first decade as a young man growing up in the WHH neighborhood. Today he matriculates at Brogden Middle School, but prior to middle school, Walker LOVED his five years at the E.K. Powe Elementary School on Ninth Street. At E, K, Powe, Walker's best friends were all WHH neighborhood friends; Justin Hall, Maya Sugg, Alex and Maggie Perron, Eli Weinreb, Hannah Schmidt and Stewart Kingdon. Highlights of these elementary years include the wonderful



end-of-year field trips. In third grade Walker's class enjoyed the Discovery Center in Charlotte. In the fourth grade his class spent a day trip exploring the beaches of the North Carolina coastline. Finally, in fifth grade, Walker and classmates marveled at the National Washington, D.C. Air & Space Museum, and The Museum of Natural History. During our interview, Walker spoke mostly with me about his experiences whilst growing up in the WHH neighborhood.

He especially expressed his appreciation of the neighborhood friends he first met, many of whom he still has today. Yet he also says that each year he looks forward to the new friends and classmates he may meet. He remarks about the ease of meeting new people; the respect he has for growing up feeling safe in a "neat neighborhood" where he has "been able to walk to nearly everything I need or want." In addition, Walker shares the wonderful experiences of first learning to ride a bicycle, then a scooter, and finally two types of skateboards on the relatively slow trafficked streets of the WHH neighborhood. Walker likes that he was able to walk to school with his father or mother when at E.K. Powe; establish a vegetable garden with his family; design and host a haunted Halloween exhibition in his driveway and yard for friends and neighbors (and I am telling you, it was scary and awesome!), and to continue to feel safe and happy exploring the neighborhood and Ellerbe Creek.

Wilson just celebrated his 11th birthday on June 4th and has lived in Watts since he was a baby. He says it is the only neighborhood he can remember, but that he can't imagine a better one. "There are so many nice people here; grown-ups who are friendly and support E.K. Powe and it's really interesting to meet so many people from other countries. " His best friends include Jonathan and Vicente, each from Mexico, Thorri from Iceland, Xavier, Ethan, Ray Starn, Jackson Beck, and

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Clements Funeral Home Expansion

- JOSHUA ALLEN

Clements Funeral Home is looking to build a new set of offices and a community room on the site of the retail space between their current building and the auto parts store, across from Broad Street Cafe. Their intention is to tear down the existing structure and replace it, while re-using the existing foundation and footprint of the building.

The current design of the new building shows a white brick exterior on the front and hardi-plank siding on the sides. The building will remain as one story, but will become slightly higher due to the new architectural plan that includes a more steeply pitched asphalt-shingled roof in place of the current flat roof.

Because of zoning changes since the original building was built, Clements must secure a variance in order to reuse the existing footprint and is looking for the WHHNA support for this variance. The WHHNA Board is researching this issue before making a recommendation. If you, as a member of WHHNA, have an opinion regarding this issue, please contact the WHHNA Board of Directors at whhNA_Board@googlegroups.com.

July 4 Volunteers Needed!

- TOM MILLER

Many hands are needed to make our Fourth of July Celebration the really wonderful event the neighborhood has come to love. We need flag putter-uppers and taker-downers, t-shirt sellers, traffic cone putter-outers, drink servers, parade marshals, and cleaner-uppers. If you can help, please join us Sunday morning, July 4, in Oval Park at 11:30 a.m. The work we do is rewarded by the smiling faces of hundreds of happy neighbors. Twenty willing helpers will make the work fast and fun. Make volunteering part of your July 4 tradition. To volunteer, e-mail Tom Miller, tom-miller1@nc.rr.com, or call him at 286-3730.

Duke/Durham Neighborhood Partnership

- JOSHUA ALLEN

In early May, representatives from the Neighborhood including Board Members and members of ECWA, WattsBusters, EK Powe & the EK Powe Backpack Program met with officials from Duke University to discuss project ideas we can work on together. The following priorities were identified and discussed:

- * Support of ECWA Initiatives, such as greenways and storm runoff projects
- * Develop stronger partnership and support for EK Powe, including the EK Powe backpack program
- * Partner with Duke on environmental initiatives, including Ellerbe Creek Watershed, preserving the tree canopy on Club Blvd., and reducing energy consumption through Clean Energy Durham.
- * Continue and increase community discourse and involvement in development plans for 9th Street.
- * Seek greater access to Duke for bikers and pedestrians; would like to see bike lanes and/or other safety features at dangerous intersections such as 15th and Anderson, and along Erwin Rd, Main St., and Broad St.
- * Seek the creation of a pedestrian bridge along the train trestle.
- * Support the most deteriorated/-ing neighborhoods and schools in the area.



* Offer support/training for other neighborhoods in how to better organize their neighborhoods and structure their organizations

* See a Duke-sponsored architectural design competition for Durham Habitat so that new houses fit the existing style of neighborhoods.

WHHNA and Duke will continue to meet in the coming months to work on some of the overall goals. Of the items discussed, the one with the most traction was EK Powe. Duke is highly committed to helping EK Powe and runs a tutoring program there.

Friends, Co-workers, Army Buddies, Killed in Invasion of France, 1944

-TOM MILLER

In the last number of PARADE, I told you about how the little monument Erwin Mills erected to honor its employees killed during World War II came to be moved to Oval Park. I also told you how some Durham ladies painstakingly created scrapbooks of all the newspaper notices and clippings concerning every Durham soldier and sailor serving in the armed forces during the war. From those now yellowed clippings here is the story of two of the men whose names appear on that little monument came to lose their lives in their country's great struggle against the tyranny of Hitler's Germany:

Jesse Griffin and Walter Renn grew up together in West Durham. Renn was about two years older than his friend. The two attended Durham High School together and later, as young adults, they worked together at Erwin Mills. On the same day, June 10, 1942, Griffin and Renn volunteered together for service in the army. They were never separated as they went through training at army camps in Virginia, Florida, Tennessee, Arizona, and Kansas. Both were assigned to the U.S. 79th Division

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and were shipped overseas with their unit. Both were sergeants fighting with the division in France when, on July 20, 1944, each was hit by enemy fire. Renn survived, but Griffin died of his wounds. At home in Durham, Griffin's young wife, Mary Helen, was notified by the army shortly afterward. Renn's wife, Mary Lou, was notified that her husband was wounded and that he had earned a commission as a second lieutenant. The newspaper clipping reports that Mrs. Renn received her husband's Purple Heart medal on the same day Mrs. Griffin learned of her husband's death.

Evidently, Renn recovered from his wounds and returned to active service because the next item about him pasted into the brittle pages of those old scrap-books is a notice that on November 14, 1944, that he killed in action in France. I have the notice before me as I write. Above the caption "Killed in France" is Renn's photo. By anyone's standards he is a good-looking young man. He has a broad smile and widely set eyes that shine even in this old newspaper photograph. His envelope-style overseas cap is set jauntily on the side of his head. He appears happy and confident. Maybe his buddy, Griffin, was there with him, making faces to cause that smile. In this studio photo there is no portent of war, wounds, loss and death. This is the photo his parents and his young widow framed for the mantelpiece. This is the face of a soldier forever young. This is the face of the soldier honored on the little monument in Oval Park.

E.K. Powe Walk to School Day

- NINA SPERBER

Thanks to all students, parents, and teachers who helped with the success of Powe's 1st Annual EK Powe Walk to School Day on Friday, May 21st. Virtually

all of our students got a little exercise and a healthy start to their morning. Ms. Bennett led the bus riders around the school with some great chants and cheers. We were blessed with splendid weather and a generous spread of beverages and fruit. Special thanks to Joe Van Gogh for the coffee, Whole Foods for the fruit, and Clean Energy Durham for helping us organize the event. We look forward to an even bigger event next year!



Writer's Expo at the Regulator

- NINA SPERBER

The 2nd annual Writer's Expo on Saturday, May 15th was a huge success. Students from K through 4th grade read from their works to a crowd of family and teachers in the store's lower level, just like published authors. Students wrote about their own interests and experiences. Thank you to the Regulator Bookstore for hosting the event and donating 20% of profits all weekend to E.K. Powe.

Planning Commission Votes 12-0 Against Billboard Changes

- TOM MILLER

At its meeting on April 13, the Durham Planning Commission voted unanimously against a proposal by the billboard industry to relax Durham's ban against new billboards. Commission's vote is advisory only and despite the Commission's

resounding disapproval, the industry's proposal will still go to the city council and board of county commissioners for a final decision. That decision may be made this month.

When Durham banned billboards back in the 1980s, over two-hundred of the giant signs cluttered the city's highways. Now, fewer than half remain and those are on borrowed time. Under the industry's proposal, however, the ban would be lifted and old billboards could be upgraded and repositioned along identified thoroughfares like I-85, Hwy 147, 15-501, Hwy 70, etc. Some of the new signs could be electronic flashing a new message every eight seconds. The proposal is intensely unpopular. In a recent survey, Durham citizens polled nine-to-one against lifting the ban. Members of the city council report receipt of more than 500 e-mail messages against the industry proposal, and only a handful in favor.

The Watts Hospital-Hillandale Neighborhood Association has joined dozens of other neighborhood groups and the InterNeighborhood Council in opposition to any change to the billboard rules. The industry has hired lobbyists to apply constant pressure on our elected officials. It remains to be seen whether the city council and county commissioners will listen to and respond responsibly to the citizens of Durham or the industry's hired guns.

WHHNA Flagpole Policy

- MARIAN PLACE

Many of you have probably seen the flagpole donated by a generous and kind neighbor in the northern side of Oval Park. The neighborhood association looks forward to the display of a variety of flags flying to reflect the inclusive spirit of our neighborhood. The WHHNA board of directors has developed a policy guiding the selection and flying of flags, with input by the city since the pole stands in a city park. Should you wish to "hoist one," please read the policy on the WHHNA website, <http://www.whhna.org>.

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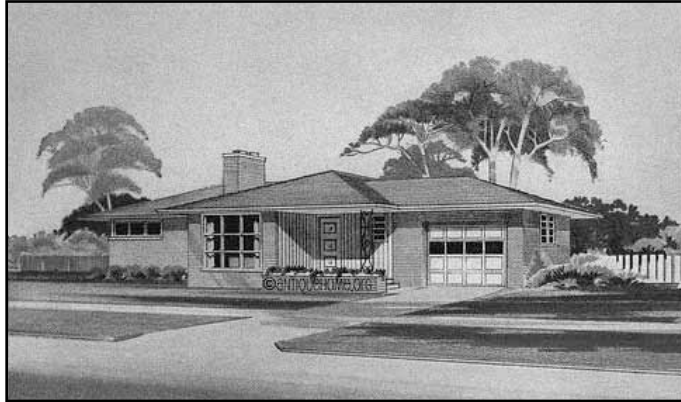
—TOM MILLER

From 1930, at the beginning of the Great Depression, until 1946, following the end of World War II, the homebuilding business in the United States was flat on its back. The depression robbed Americans of the money to buy houses and the war robbed builders of the men and materials to build them. By the end of the war, the pent-up demand following so long a drought exploded in a housing boom. What was wanted were starter homes for millions of young men and women whose lives had been interrupted by hard times and war - new homes in new styles representing the "American Dream."

The bungalows and eclectic styles popular before the depression would not do for the new generation. Architects cast about for something modern and, for so many new homebuyers, something inexpensive. Their first response was greatly simplified versions of the Tudor and Colonial style houses which dominated the residential marketplace in the 1920's. The resulting post-war style came to be called "Minimal Traditional." Houses in this style are usually one or one-and-a-half stories, clad with wood siding or brick veneer. Roof pitches are invariably shallow with little or no eaves or rakes. Decorative elements are limited to occasional detailing in front door surrounds and false shutters for the windows on the front façade. "Cape Cod" and gable-and-wing forms are common. The minimal traditional style is dominant in Durham neighborhoods developed immediately following WWII such as Northgate Park, Bragtown, and parts of Watts Hospital-Hillandale and Trinity Park. Excellent examples can be found along Pershing Street and Sprunt and Sunset Avenues. The architects who designed these houses would be pleased to know that today they often still perform the role of starter homes for new families just as they did when they were first built.

Close on the heels of the minimal traditional style was the "Ranch Style." This style was influenced by the romanticized idea of the relaxed California lifestyle made popular in movies and the new medium of T.V. The style was also influenced by the new automobile suburb. The American Dream was not just a house, but a car too.

As with houses, the idea of a new car was something that most Americans had put on hold for a long time. In the subdivisions laid out after the war, large lots were the rule. The constraints placed on space by streetcars and the often unreliable automobiles of the 1920s vanished with Detroit's big new machines. Distance no longer mattered. What Americans wanted was an easy-going, rambling, single story house with a long street



façade and an attached garage for one or even two vehicles. Architects satisfied the demand with the Ranch Style. True ranch-style houses are long and low. Their roofs are often hipped and have shallow pitches. Usually one large chimney emerges from the center of the house. The siding can be brick, stone, or wood,

or a combination of materials. The plan is frequently asymmetrical to cast off any formal coldness. A common later variant of the Ranch Style presents a gable to the street at one end and a garage or car port at the other joined by an arcade under the eaves between them.

Although most of Watts-Hillandale was laid out in small lots before 1920, the neighborhood still contains a few fine examples of true ranch style houses. Most of these are found north of the golf course along and above Indian Trail, but perhaps the finest exemplar is located at 2112 W. Club Boulevard. This house, known as the Iolene Roush house, created a lot of excitement in Durham when it was built in 1948-49. Although small, it possesses all of the elements of the true ranch. The house is laid out in an "H" plan. The central public spaces are flanked by two projecting wings. The roof is hipped and has deep overhanging eaves. The house is clad in irregular flagstone and metal casement windows are mounted in the corners - very modern in 1949 (and now). In this example the garage is detached. The width of the lot could not accommodate it otherwise. In 60 years the house has changed very little - a testament to the purity and success of its design. The Roush house is one of the oldest ranch-style houses in Durham and because it is unchanged, it remains a gem for the neighborhood.

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parade will begin promptly at 2 o'clock p.m. instead of the more usual 10 a.m. Although it may be a little hotter at this time of day, think about how much sweeter and better that cool drink will taste after the parade! Marchers and riders should form a long line on Oakland Avenue next to the south side of the park a few minutes early. Kids and their families are strongly encouraged to decorate their strollers, wagons, trikes, and bikes with red, white, and blue!

Everyone is encouraged to carry a flag - especially the flag of his or her home state or country of national origin. If you don't have a flag and want to carry one, please contact parade coordinator Tom Miller, tom-miller1@nc.rr.com. There's a good chance that he may have the flag you want. If he does, he'll put it on a pole and have it ready for you on the 4th!

Don't miss this colorful, beautiful, event. We'll look for you at Oval Park on Sunday, July Fourth!

Community News — continued

Alex & Maggie Perron. Still, he says, "there are a lot more kids in the neighborhood who I don't know because they go to private or other schools. Wilson thinks it is sad that people might not believe that E.K. Powe is a great school, because he loves everything about it, especially his teachers, friends, and Friday afternoon clubs. Four times a year he gets to choose a club that ranges from Chess to Spanish to Music & Art. The latter was one of his favorites, taught by Mr. Goff. He learned the drumming with various instruments and movements of Capoeira, which he taught me, first began in South America. Afro-Brazilian slaves developed it as a mode of communication between them where none was allowed, and was accepted because their owners saw it as fighting and a sport. "It's kinda' like a martial arts," Wilson says, "but you don't hurt anyone." Wilson is an avid reader and especially enjoys adventure books and comic stories. He also loves soccer and is part of the Watts Hillandale Sports Association league.

The Matthews spend a lot of quality time together as a family. They cook, hike, bike, walk, travel, camp, fish, and canoe. When I asked Wilson what he thinks makes his family very special and different from other families he knows, he said, "Well, we eat healthy foods and don't have cable t.v. We do a lot of things together. Dad is the only person I know who practices homeopathy. Mom gets to travel really neat places with her job at UNC; places like Kenya and Brazil. And I think it's pretty cool that my Mom is a really good volleyball player." I hope that you have the chance to meet one and all of this very special neighborhood family.

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UPCOMING BOARD MEETINGS

- Jun. 15** Neighborhood Board Meeting at 7:00 p.m.
At the home of Larry Chapman
1400 Alabama Ave.
- Jul. 20** Neighborhood Board Meeting at 7:00 p.m.
At the home of Jo Pelligra
1515 Iredell Street
- Aug. 17** Neighborhood Board Meeting at 7:00 p.m.
At the home of Marian Place
1112 Oval Drive
- Sept. 21** Neighborhood Board Meeting at 7:00 p.m.
At the home of Meredith Emmett
1301 Alabama Avenue

*All meetings are held the third Tuesday of the month.
If you need a ride, please call one of the board members
and s/he will be glad to pick you up and take you home.*