

PARKWOOD GARDEN CLUB 2015 MEMBERSHIP FORM

Please complete the Membership Form (even if you were in last year's directory) and mail it along with a check (payable to Parkwood Garden Club) to PO Box 3472, Decatur GA 30031-3472. Or, you may bring the completed form and check to the Membership Table at the Fall Block Party Sunday, October 26. (Prefer PayPal to check? Send \$62 - includes \$2 processing fee - to membership@paypal.com.)

In order to appear in the 2015 Parkwood Garden Club Directory, please return no later than October 31. Unless otherwise indicated, all information will be published in the directory.

Member Name(s), (Last, First)	Home Phone Number	Cell Phone Number	Email Address
Name 1:			
Name 2:			
Street Address:			
City, State ZIP:	Decatur, GA 30030	Publish my email address in the printed Directory: ___ YES, ___NO	



PCG dues	\$60 (add \$2 if paying via PayPal)
Additional donation*	
Total enclosed	

** If you would like to make a tax deductible donation to Parkwood Park, you may donate through the South Fork Conservancy using the Parkwood Park Special Tax-Deductible Contribution Form.*



Please list below any recommendations you would like to be included in the directory.

Recommended contractors

Contractor Name	Service	Phone number/Email address

Neighborhood services (e.g., babysitting, pet caregivers, yard helpers) Note: Only family last names will be listed in the directory

Family Name	Service	Phone number/Email address

JOIN THE PARKWOOD GARDEN CLUB TODAY!

**What do your membership dues cover?
For just \$60 a year per household, you receive
the following benefits...**

Social Events

Summer Party: Last year's summer afternoon get-together was Fourth of July-themed in the backyard of Steve and Erin Elmore. Families enjoyed all-American picnic finger foods and desserts, juice boxes, a spiked lemonade and beer.



Fall Block Party: This family friendly, outdoor party on Upland Road in October draws a big crowd every year. Neighbors come to catch up, eat potluck dishes along with PGC-provided entrees, watch kids parade in their Halloween costumes and help them climb up on the visiting fire trucks.

Winter Party: For the cooler season, we celebrate an adults' night out in a neighbor's home, with delicious food and drink. Last year, Jane Carriere hosted with a Mardi Gras theme, complete with cocktails, beads and masks!

Ladies Bunco: The last Tuesday of the month, neighborhood ladies gather for this lucky dice game for appetizers and fellowship.

Communications

PGC Facebook Page: Effective in November, the Facebook group will only be for paying members of the PGC. This is a safe place to post about missing pets, requests to have neighbors look over your house while you're out of town and more.

E-mail Communications: Starting in December, you'll have the ability to receive all neighborhood-wide news (party information, opportunities to learn more about City of Decatur, etc.) – or only opt in to the types of news important to you.

Neighborhood Directory: This booklet includes a map of the neighborhood, a section for neighbor recommended vendors (plumbers, painters, etc.) and contact information for neighbors who offer services such as babysitting or yard work.



Neighbor Care

Parkwood members have an official welcome committee and mother hen in volunteer Anne Dicks. Anne has been delivering welcome notes and plants or baked goods to new neighbors for several years. This year, she will also help organize MealTrains for new parents and ill neighbors. Parkwood Membership dues fund the modest budget for welcoming new neighbors to our community.

Green Space Maintenance

The PGC funds a monthly maintenance program for the East Lake triangle and traffic circle and the perimeter of Parkwood Park. Although this is by far the largest budget item, the improvement to the neighborhood makes it a very nice investment.



Neighborhood Board

The PGC is guided by a group of elected volunteers who work to keep our neighborhood safe and in good shape. The PGC Board actively pursues neighborhood wide improvements such as sidewalk and pothole repairs, traffic studies and crime prevention.

To put it in perspective, dues are just \$5 a month (about the same as a latte or a beer out!). If you've been a member in the past, we hope you'll join us again this year. If you're new or considering joining for the first time, you're in for a great year!

Paying dues this October will cover your membership January 1 through December 31, 2015. Visit parkwoodgardenclub.com to see a copy of the annual budget.