



# Turner House Times

September 2006

Volume 1



## Wine Tasting a Big Success

On June 24, a Wine Tasting was held at Turner House to raise funds for building improvements. Over 100 people attended this event, the first of its kind at TH. Those in attendance enjoyed wine, food and live jazz by Diana Savage and Tommy D’Salvo. About \$3,800 was raised through donations which will go towards preservation of Turner House. We hope to make this an annual event. All TH Board Members would like to thank everyone who attended this event and all our sponsors: Stoney’s Fine Wines, Bank of Texas, Hewitt and Habgood, Melissa Huffman/Century 21, Janet Woods/UBS, Mary Stewart Hall, Nancy McCaskell, Alfred Martinez and James Prothro.

## Recent Rentals

Did you know that Turner House is available for event rentals? Recent rentals at Turner House include a wedding reception, a 90th birthday party, a Buddhist retreat and a chamber of commerce Casino Night which filled the entire house. Are you looking for a place to host an upcoming meeting, reception or celebration? Contact us via phone or email: [events@turnerhouse.org](mailto:events@turnerhouse.org)

## Our Mission & Our Needs

Our goals are to expand the organization, restore Turner House and provide a beautiful historic event space in Oak Cliff. We benefit greatly from the participation and support of the Oak Cliff and Dallas communities. If you are interested in joining our efforts in any way, please return the attached postcard or contact us via phone or email. We have needs both large and small.

## This Old House

Recent improvements to Turner House include the donation of beautiful period parlor furniture and a stunning pump organ. In June, extensive tree trimming was completed. Our Facilities honcho, James Prothro, has generated an extensive list of “Big Bang for the Buck” projects to generally clean, repair and restore things all over the house. There is a job here for every talent, toolbox and time constraint, from sewing to roofing.

## Turner House Calendar

Sept. 29, Friday: Movies On The Lawn  
**Abbott & Costello Meet Frankenstein** (1948)  
plus Looney Tunes before the show!

Oct. 13, Friday: Movies On The Lawn  
**Invasion of the Body Snatchers** (1956)

Oct. 27, Friday: Movies On The Lawn  
**Young Frankenstein** (1974, with Gene Wilder)

Dec. 3, Sunday  
TH Benefactor’s Christmas Party  
with silent movies (big fun)

Dec. 9-10, Saturday—Sunday  
Heights by Candlelight Home Tour

Go to our website for additional info

## The Oak Cliff Society of Fine Arts

House address: 401 N. Rosemont Ave. Dallas 75208  
Mailing address: P.O.Box 222332 Dallas 75222-2332  
Telephone: 214.946.1670  
Website: [turnerhouse.org](http://turnerhouse.org)

If you’d like to become a benefactor, find out how on our website.



The Oak Cliff Society of Fine Arts  
P.O. Box 222332  
Dallas, Texas 75222-2332

**FREE**  
FRIDAY NIGHTS THIS FALL  
TURNER HOUSE PRESENTS

**Spooky Movies**  
**ON THE LAWN**

**SEP 29, OCT 13 & 27**

7PM: ENJOY YOUR PICNIC

8PM: ENJOY THE MOVIE

Visit [www.turnerhouse.org](http://www.turnerhouse.org)  
to see what's playing!



**T U R N E R**  
**H O U S E**

OAK CLIFF SOCIETY OF FINE ARTS  
401 N ROSEMONT DALLAS, TX 75208  
[WWW.TURNERHOUSE.ORG](http://WWW.TURNERHOUSE.ORG) • 214.946.1670