

SAFARI JULY 2018 NEWSLETTER

MARK YOUR CALENDARS:

July 4th Parade and potluck – The parade will begin at 10:00, gather to organize by 9:45. The potluck will begin at 1:00. Hot dogs and fixings will be provided. Please bring a dish to share and your own drinks.

Spaghetti feed and White Elephant Auction – This annual event will be held Friday, July 20, 2018 beginning at 5:00. Spaghetti, meatballs, sauce, salad, garlic bread and dessert will be provided for \$6 per person. Bring your own drinks. Donations for the White Elephant auction are needed. Please donate good, exciting items for this event. Items can be delivered to Sue Buzzard at 8154 Perimeter or brought to the Lodge on Monday morning during coffee. They can also be brought the night of the dinner/auction. We need volunteers to serve dinner and clean up afterward. Please contact Sue to volunteer your time with this event.

July membership meeting – The meeting will be held Saturday July 21, 2018 beginning at 1:00. Registration will begin at 12:00.

Thank you: To all members who brought desserts for the May meeting. Thank you Dreda Lucas and Dana Radford for all the work you do taking care of the library. Thank you to all members who pay their bills on time. You save the membership the cost of sending out late notices. Thank you to Cheryl Speer and her helpers who led this year's garage sale. Thank you to the members who help out with potlucks. Thank you to all members who work so hard to keep their lots neat and clean. Your work is greatly appreciated. Thank you to the members who obey the 5 mph speed. You are doing your part for safety. Thank you to members who notify us about guests. You help keep the park safe.

REMINDER: Bills come out the first of April and first of October. Bills are due to be paid and in the office by the 30th of each month to avoid late fees. We do not accept debit or credit cards for payment. We also accept monthly payments in advance for your convenience. This money is not spent prior to the billing dates.

PLEASE remember, if you have guests coming, you need to notify the park. Also, if the guests are not immediate family members, you must be present. We have no way of knowing if the people at your place are guests or not. This is a safety issue. If you have guests with children, remember the children must be supervised always. Do not send them to the Lodge or restrooms without supervision. We have had problems with children not using facilities properly.

Remember our speed limit is 5 MPH. With summer approaching, more people are out walking or riding bikes. We want to ensure their safety. Also, if you have vendors coming into the park making deliveries, make sure they know our speed is 5 MPH.

Recently, we have discovered that some members contact information is incorrect. If you have done away with a land phone line and are only using your cell, we need that number. We also need any changes to mailing and email addresses.

Be sure you check the website regularly for updates on the shop and electric projects. There will be a 4-8 hour period of time the park will be without electricity due to the electric project. There will also be a day when the in gate will not be in use due to trenching. **EXTREME** care will need to be used using the exit gate for coming and going.

DOGS: We love our dogs but do not love their deposits left on other member's lots. ALL DOGS must be on leashes. DO NOT let your dog out to run free and leave his "gifts" on other's lots. We will impose a first time fine of \$100 for this offense. If the offense continues, the fine goes up and there is the possibility of membership being revoked.

Building permits: When you submit a building permit, please realize it will not be approved that day. The Board needs time to look over the plan and look at the lot. The permit will be returned to you as soon as possible.

The Board has received a report that someone is just dumping their garbage in the cans. ALL garbage needs to be bagged and then deposited in the cans. Please make sure you bag all your garbage.

With the moist weather we get at the beach, weeds continue to pop up. Our rules say all lots are to be kept up year around. If you are pulling weeds, and we thank you for that, please don't toss them into the road. Put them in a bag and put them in the trash.

Please be respectful of Tom and Dana's work time and days off. They open at 9:00 in the mornings. Don't knock on their door earlier. Tom and Dana are off Tuesday and Wednesday. Please don't bother them on those days. If you have a problem, there are Board phone numbers on the office door.

If you wish to run for a position on the Board, please contact Sue Buzzard at 8154 Perimeter, email at tsbuzzard@msn.com, or drop a note in the office. The positions up for election this year are Financial Director, Vice President and Assistant Secretary/Treasurer. This information needs to be submitted prior to the July meeting. At that meeting all interested will be able to talk to the members. The voting will take place at the September meeting.