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The annual **Community Yard Sale** is scheduled for June 11th. Ads will run in the Forsyth County papers. Add some balloons on your mailbox to announce your participation and maybe place a sign to direct people down your road (signs at the main entrances will be posted by the Board).

Thank you Board Members!

NEIGHBORHOOD ANNOUNCEMENTS...

Pool Officially Opens May 30th, Memorial Day!

Please remember pool etiquette, and maintain a family environment. Harsh or vulgar language and actions will be cause for dismissal and/or loss of pool privileges.

Homeowners meeting at the tennis court bleachers on June 5th.

For topics to be discussed see next column.

Annual 4th of July Parade!

Meet at the corner of Redbud and Longleaf Trail at 10am. More information to be forthcoming, but most important is to trick out your bikes, trikes, wagons, hats and wear plenty of sunscreen. We'll travel down Sassafras to the pool and playground for more fun.

Please welcome your New Neighbor: Elizabeth Houghton at 1280 Cottonwood Trail

We are asking our existing neighbors to notify a committee member or the board when they are aware of a new neighbor... **also, contact Binnie Jansa, 770-887-9300, if you would like to participate on the Welcoming Committee.** The Welcoming Committee will ensure a Welcome Basket is delivered!

Two reminders of note:

- 1) Please pay your HOA Dues in a timely manner. This is our operating money. We need your diligence to continue to keep up the values in our neighborhood.
- 2) It's time again to clean up your flower beds. Please weed and add new mulch. Letters will be going out soon for those who are remiss.

Very beginner, Women's Tennis!

For our third year the motto is "Fun and Fitness!" Okay, that's what we use every year, with the emphasis on fun. If you think you might be interested, we meet at the courts at 8pm, Monday nights, starting May 23rd. If you need more encouragement call! **Erin Collins, 770.205.0855.**

Sewing Project

For all who wish to give away your old jeans or neckties, please call **Lisa Pirrello at 770.889.3337.** She's working on a wonderful project to recycle them.

'Community Cop' Corner

Spring is here and summer is just around the corner. Please remember to STOP at all the signs in the neighborhood. We've had some close calls lately. Also, if you have a young driver in your family, remind them to slow down, take a breath and stop fully.

Also, several people in the neighborhood have raised the issue regarding the unlicensed use of dirt bikes, motorcycles, go-carts etc. on our Gran Forest streets. This is forbidden in our county as well as our covenants. Our neighborhood watch has been instructed to call the authorities on all violations. Ya'll this is a safety issue, for riders, walkers and drivers young and old. Let's keep our streets safe!

VERY IMPORTANT HOA MEETING!

(Attendance is very important)

Partial agenda -

With the rash of recent vandalism (mailboxes, tennis screens, and lattice work ruined) and theft (mail tampering) our neighborhood watch had a special meeting, find out, what has been happening, who's been doing it, what we're doing and where we may be going with video surveillance in our common areas.

Staying on top and solving the stain problem that we have on our roofs.

Adding to our Volunteer list, we are presently at an all time low in volunteers. How can we come together?

