
Gran Forest News

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Thank you Board Members!

NEIGHBORHOOD ANNOUNCEMENTS...

Our New 2007 Board is in place and will be taking over January 1st.

Please welcome your new neighbors!

No new neighbors to report.

We are asking our existing neighbors to notify a committee member or the board when they are aware of a new neighbor... also, contact **Kim Driesse, 770.205.7520** if you would like to participate on the Welcoming Committee. The Committee ensures a Welcome Basket is delivered!

'Community Cop' Corner

All the STOP signs have been painted and now is a good time to remind everyone to STOP at them. Too many near accidents and cars driving through our signs have lead to this reminder.

Halloween

Drive safely and watch out for Ghouls and Goblins on Tuesday Night October 31st. That's the night our families will be out Tricking, Treating or both.

Surrounding Developments - We lost the last round, however our great team continues to work hard with Commissioner Charles Laughinghouse and developers to reduce density. If you want to help please contact Chris Clark 770-887-8005.

THANK YOU!

Thanks to Rose Perniciaro, Kim McKenzie, and Julie Walters for organizing the wonderful adult social at the pool. Great food and company were enjoyed by all in a beautiful luau atmosphere.

Fescue reminder

For those with fescue lawns, now is the time to kill weeds (including clover), crab grass and invading grasses. Then, seed for a lush lawn this spring. If we stay on top of the weeds, different grasses and crab grass as they emerge, our lawns won't look as bad as they did this year.

Recycle for the Holiday

The KFCB Electronics Recycling will occur this November 11. Drop your old TV, radio, computer, monitor, microwave, cell phone, or any electronic discard to the Graffs at 1575 Loblolly Lane, by November 10th and we'll haul it to the recycling center for you. Or, feel free to call, 770-205-7616, and we'll pick it up from you.

Haunted Garage – a must for all ages!

The Annual Haunted Garage will be in full scare again this Halloween night. See you on Loblolly!

Another Thank You

To all the neighbors who so generously donated items to my 3day Breast Cancer garage sale. Thank you very much for making it a success. ~ Kim Driesse

All about the ACC

Remember, you need to receive approval to remove trees greater than 6 inches in diameter when measured 2 feet above the ground. It's easier to check before removing trees than to face problems after the fact. The established fine for removing these larger trees without approval is \$250 per tree.



Water & Sewer Department

Outdoor Water Restrictions Reduced

Hours change to reflect those of state restrictions

Effective Saturday, October 7, Forsyth County's outdoor water use restrictions will be reduced to allow for extended hours of watering. The new outdoor water use restrictions are as follows:

Even-numbered addresses (addresses ending with the number 0, 2, 4, 6, 8 or no number) may water on Wednesdays and Saturdays, **with no watering allowed between 10:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.**

Odd-numbered addresses (addresses ending with the number 1, 3, 5, 7 or 9) may water on Tuesdays and Sundays, **with no watering allowed between 10:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.**

No outdoor watering is permitted on Mondays, Thursdays and Fridays.

The new hours reflect those of the state's current level one restrictions.

VERY SERIOUS ALERT!!

Around 11pm this past Monday, October 9th two young males were seen taking mail from a mailbox. The Sheriff's office was given a description and later found the youths. The next day in the morning light a search took place and mail was found thrown over a fence on Loblolly Lane and on the Gran Forest side of Haw Creek Rd across from the Church. The crime scene specialists were called and evidence was bagged. We will keep you posted on the outcome.

Now is a good time to talk about our Neighborhood Watch. Listed in the next column are the Captain's of the Neighborhood. If you see anything suspicious please call your captain as well as the Sheriff's Office. It is imperative that we look out for one another.

If you haven't already, some of you will receive a call or a visit from the Sheriff's office regarding your stolen out going mail.

Remember to not leave checks or money in your mailbox, especially over night.

To report suspicious activity in the neighborhood, first call the Sheriff's Office at 770.781.3087. If it is a life threatening situation call 911, then call your block captain.

List of block captains:

- 1 - Jenni Snow 770-844-1954
Gerry Butler 770-889-7170
- 2 - Tracy Ross 770-205-7976
Jan Weisenborn 770-886-3999
- 3 - Lynn Schoenbrun 404-234-1471
Priscilla Walker 770-887-6199
- 4 - Madonna Crowder 770-844-7907
Lynn MacKenzie 770-887-0237
- 5 - Cathy Graff 770-205-7616
Jim Cheatham 770-844-5751
Beth Blanchard 678-947-6878
- 6 - Carolyn Diaz 770-889-7821
Annette Kolker 770-205-6433
- 7 - Binnie Jansa 770-887-9300
Julie Walters 770-781-9699
- 8 - Kim McKenzie 770-888-4329
Marlene Naudin 770-886-5203
- 9 - Rosanne Perniciaro 770-889-4625
Marge/Bill Bieler 770-889-4487

Thank you to all the block captains for your service and diligence.

