

**STONEYBROOK VILLAGE – February 2014**  
“ASSOCIATION INFORMATION”  
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**Board Meetings** – If you want to know what is going on first hand, your Board of Directors invite you to attend their Board meetings which are held on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of each month at 9:00 a.m. in the Clubhouse. If you aren't able to attend the meetings, please read the minutes that are issued with the monthly mailing so that you can be well informed. The next meetings are scheduled for February 13<sup>th</sup> and March 13<sup>th</sup>.

**Community Preparedness** - A workgroup has been formed that will be chaired by Jane Fleischbein to recommend a path forward to better prepare Stoneybrook Village for emergencies and disasters. The group is targeting having a proposal for the SVOA Board by the March meeting. If you are interested in participating, please contact Jane.

**Community Garden** – Stoneybrook residents are welcome to sign up for a plot in our community garden located on Birdsong Dr. The sign-up sheet is posted on the Clubhouse bulletin board. Garden plots are assigned in March to allow for early planting for those who wish. The Garden Committee will provide those who sign up with a copy of the guidelines for using the garden. Don't wait, sign up today. If you have questions contact either RobinJeanne Parks or Doreene Carpenter who serve on the Garden Committee.

**Did you know??** - As a reminder to residents in Stoneybrook, as a condition of their contract with SVOA, TruGreen Landcare prunes all shrubs in your front yard except for azaleas, rhododendrons, roses, topiaries or hydrangeas. These plants do not receive any service from TruGreen. In addition to the aesthetic pruning you might enjoy performing on these plants, you may want to trim them off your siding as well if they grow too close to your house. TruGreen does not prune any of the shrubs in the side yards between the houses.

**Association Information Editor Needed** – The Communications Committee is responsible for the preparation of Association Information (the document you are now reading) and the editor is a member of the committee. The work involves putting together information that is important to our residents regarding the workings of our Association. The sources of the information include Board meetings, our management company, committee chairs, etc. The time commitment for this work is probably about two hours per month. If this might be for you, attend the Communications Committee meeting on February 10<sup>th</sup> at 11:00 a.m. in the Clubhouse or contact Susan Hayes.

**Read a Good Book Recently?** – If you have a good book or books that you would like to donate to our library in the Clubhouse for others to read, it is so easy to do. Bring your donations and place them on the floor in the corner between the book shelves and our librarian will enter them into our system. Paperbacks are especially requested. Our librarian will re-donate to other book drives any books not added to our library. If you haven't visited the Clubhouse library, put it on your list of things to do in 2014. The process is easy, sign your name, write the name of the book and the date, and fill in the return date when you bring the book back.