

STONEBROOK VILLAGE ASSOCIATION INFORMATION

June 2014

BOARD MEETINGS: For first-hand knowledge of what is happening in Stoneybrook Village, the Board of Directors invites you to attend monthly board meetings held the 2nd Thursday of the month at 9:00 in the Clubhouse. Minutes are provided in the monthly mailings and residents are encouraged to read them in order to be kept up-to-date and well-informed. The next meeting is scheduled for June 12th, 2014.

COMMUNITY PREPAREDNESS—“Don’t Be Scared; Be Prepared” : At its March 2014 Board meeting, our Board approved the establishment of a SVOA Preparedness Committee. To begin the process, come join your neighbors May 28th from 4PM – 6PM at our Clubhouse to discuss building and strengthening disaster readiness among neighbors. Guest speaker Peggy Peirson, Benton County Emergency Management (retired), will share her experiences. As we enjoy some a light supper, we will begin to learn ways we can prepare ourselves, reach out to our neighbors, and understand our community resources when such events occur. And please consider joining the SVOA Preparedness Committee and/or volunteering to help us implement the plan through sharing preparedness information with our neighbors.

WINTER DAMAGED SHRUBS: Letters were mailed to owners last month regarding the shrubs that were most likely impacted by this past winter’s severe weather and the reminder that replacing these shrubs fall to the owners. Owners who had plants die in their yard will be receiving a proposal from TruGreen by way of Stoneybrook Village in the form of a letter. Owners have the choice to opt in to having their plants removed and replaced by TruGreen. If owners opt in, the work will then be performed by TruGreen and the bill for service will be reflected in the monthly SVOA assessment statement.

As previously mentioned, Association will be replacing those shrubs in the common areas that have been damaged and will not recover; however, not all shrubs may be actually replaced this spring.

HONORING STONEYBROOK VETERANS: As mentioned in the May “Happenings”, we will recognize those veterans living in our community on May 30th during our 5:00 Happy Hour. If you are a veteran, please contact Diane at 541-760-7630. If you know someone who is a veteran, please encourage him or her to contact Diane. This will be a wonderful opportunity to pay tribute and offer thanks to those who have served our country and helped to preserve our freedom.

ILLNESS AND POOL USE: We all are exposed to many germs on a daily basis. We can do our part to help prevent the spread of germs. The Center for Disease Control guidelines recommend staying out of the pool when we have diarrhea and for two weeks after we are symptom-free. While well-maintained pools such as ours reduce the likelihood of catching “recreational water illness”, once the pool has been contaminated, all it takes is swallowing water to become infected. The germs from diarrhea can live from minutes to days in a pool. It is also very important to shower before swimming and to avoid swallowing pool water.