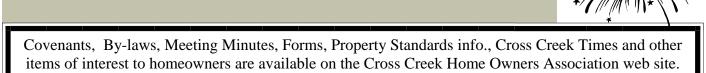




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# CROSS CREEK TIMES



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The Board met on Thursday, January 9th in the Cross Creek Rec. Center for the regular monthly meeting.

**Rec. Center/Pool Report:** Bingo Night 24 folks showed up. Linda extended a thank you to the Silva family who have attended every event! Rec. Center now has a nice couch. Next month perhaps there will be an activity for Valentine's Day. She gave an overview of the February calendar.

The 28<sup>th</sup> is ladies night, and if someone is interested in adult game night or bunco, call Linda Osmon.

A Rec. Center renter offered to put in tile countertops in the kitchen & bathrooms if we furnished the materials. This homeowner does this for a living.

She was thinking about a spring bazaar as she had a lot of interest in this activity. Linda thanked Lisa K. for all her help.

**Maintenance:** Leo H. Pool back flushing issue. Lee has contacted several plumbing companies. BV Plumbing sent an estimate. It will take some volunteer work needed once again as concrete will need to be removed. We will cut the concrete out, and the plumbers will do the digging. They also have to drill through a wall. We'll have to reapply the concrete, etc. after the job is finished. They will possibly need to rent a jackhammer

Estimate is for \$700 with the caveat that volunteers will take out the cement. Leo's estimating the job between \$700 - 1000. This must be done, as we have to comply.

#### **Property Standards:**

We have been monitoring the CC Neighbor hood and noting violations. We have waited until we had more than one survey of an area so that we could determine if the violation was on-going or a momentary occurrence.

Property Standards Committee Meeting frequency is still to be determined.

We are currently meeting approx. twice a month.

## **Current Activities/Tasks**

Proposal for additions to CC&Rs, standardized violation letters have been developed. Letters are generated from a database that will keep track of both violations and letters sent. **Current Concerns:** Garbage Cans – should letters be sent to every property or just those in violation (currently over 50% of CC properties are in violation): Abandoned Vehicles are being reported to Wash. Co. Sheriff: **Illegal Vehicles:**There are a few vehicles in driveways with expired plates. Need to develop a better criteria of what is to be considered a Commercial Vehicle

#### **Board Votes:**

- Cathy Watkins to serve in the Cross Creek Times Delivery position.
- Leo H. moved, Carolyn P. seconded to approve & send the letter submitted by Property Stds. Committee to be sent with the annual meeting notice. Motion passed unanimously.
- Leo motioned to go ahead with the project to put in the plumbing to take care of the backflush, Jan seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

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# February LOCK Combination 9-6-3-6

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#### Drivers Beware:

The top 5 most dangerous intersections in the Washington County area are:

- SW 185th & SW Baseline Rd.
- TV Hwy & SW Murray Blvd.
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- NW 185th Ave. & Evergreen Pkwy.
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#### AGENDA ITEMS FOR NEXT MEETING:

- Job description (Times Editor).
- Covenants update
- Report on Basketball hoop issue from Brent who attended CPO meeting last month regarding this issue.
- Covenants update
- Impact of free coffee on Rosa Rd. on Wednesday mornings.
- Neighborhood Watch meeting coordination.

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#### **Property Standards Alert!**

The Property Standard Committee will be sending out information letters this month regarding Property Standards violations that have been observed on a wide-scale basis through the association.

A few violation letters are also to be sent.

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Attend all monthly board meetings

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#### **Crime Alert!**

A sheriff's deputy advised a homeowner that he had arrested a 14 year old for selling drugs on the Rec. Center property on or about early to mid-December.

Please, if you see any suspicious activity while occurring, call 911. Otherwise, call dispatch at 503-629-0111.

We are also organizing another Neighborhood Watch meeting. Details to follow.

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March LOCK Combination 7-5-5-9

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#### Rec. Center

While the Rec. Center was rented, the board & staff members 'interrupted' the activities on at least 3 different occasions. Linda & Stefanie received a few complaints about this. Rich admonished the board to stay out of the Rec. Center unless the activity is open to the public and they are entering as customers.

Calendar. Stefanie is moving out of state, but will continue until June. Position needs to be filled. Linda is going to ask Lisa to fill the position. Church group is moving out as they have out grown our space. Tile person, Steve, needs to be contacted about doing the countertops. John, who is new to the assn., wants wish list for things that the association needs. He's a contractor and will keep an eye out and offered help in getting these things accomplished. Started T.O.P.S. group last night, open to men and women. The meetings will be scheduled every Wednesday night.

First women's group met, and the next meeting is on 2/28, looking at fund raisers. Next four months, Cindy teaching kids art, Nancy crochet class, Kit writing class. Possible charge of \$5/per/class with \$1 to Rec center. The biscuits were popular at the last breakfast and Linda has purchased more. In May, they will hold a safety meeting, with CPR, Neighborhood Watch, etc. Looking for someone to teach Tae Kwon Do self defense.

Saturday, June 7, neighborhood garage sale. Each person who wants to participate would donate \$10 towards advertising. Also planning a spaghetti dinner. Spring bazaar April 12 - needs to be done before Easter. There are people interested in the December bazaar already calling. She's also looking into a neighborhood Easter Egg Hunt.

## Neighborhood Watch (Marilyn M.):

One call on teen agers running through the neighborhood disturbing some of the residents. Per Lee, Cross Creek resident called, break-in occurred in Cross Creek South. Nine sheriff cars were parked from Rosa Rd. to Rosa Dr. on Sunday night 2/16 searching with dogs.

#### Maintenance (Leo Horst & Lee Hoodenpyle):

Back flushing planned on a few Saturdays back, no call back from any volunteers. Still need to get it done within next few weeks. There is doubt as to whether we would be grandfathered in to let us continue to backflush into the sewer. The chemical of objection is chlorine which goes into Butternut Creek, into Dairy Creek, and into the Tualatin River and poisons the wildlife.

## Property Standards

They've seen quite a few violations on the walk-throughs. About half of the folks who got letters have cleaned up the garbage cans & vehicles. About 100 violation letters still need to be sent. We came across a document (Cross Creek Enforcement Standards & Policies) that states that the violation letters either need to be hand delivered or by certi-

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fied mail. This will run into quite a bit of money. The committee needs to meet again to go over the 'newly found' document. The blanket letter regarding the garbage cans was effective, however; there is still noncompliance, including board & staff members. Sheriff's dept. help for seniors to help keep up property. The reason the sheriff's dept is involved, is that keeping your property up reduces crime. There are also other organizations that help out with this very issue.

RV Lot 11 on waiting list. She's planning on rearranging the lot so as to make more room. She's also checking for empty spaces. A suggestion was made that Carolyn walk through and check for expired tags, since all RVs parked in the lot must be li-

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A sheriff's deputy arrested a Cross Creek homeowner for fraud, bad check writing, and identity theft. Please be very careful to guard your mail. If you do not have locking mailboxes, perhaps now would be a good time to check into getting them.

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The church group that held its meetings in the Rec. Center have outgrown us! The last meeting was held February 9, 2003. They're now located west of Park Lanes on Alexander right behind Movies On TV.

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Rec. Center: Linda & Lisa are looking into different 'clubs' such as Kiwanis and ARC to come in and give presentations. She handed out a Recreation Program and Registration Form. Any classes given that have a chance of injury will require the signature of the participant waiving liability. With all the activities going on, we could be eligible for a grant from Fred Meyer to help with repairs & upkeep of the Rec. Center. Lisa will write the grant. She wrote grants for a living and so is very knowledgeable about it. The Spaghetti dinner, sponsored by the women's group, will be held Tuesday, March 18. The proceeds will be split between the women's group and the Rec. Center. The women's group has a project in mind to put patio furniture on the patio as an extension of the Rec. Center during the summer months.

Linda asked for an \$800 advance from the Homeowner's funds to purchase 2 more couches to match the one already in the Rec. Center. **BOARD VOTE: Leo motioned** to advance the money to the Rec. Center board member for sofas for the Rec. Center due to the time element on the pricing of the sofas. The association will be reimbursed no later than the end of August. Andy Vigil seconded. The motion passed unanimously.

Neighborhood Watch (Marilyn M.):

She got a phone call that the "H" emblems off Hondas are being stolen.

Maintenance (Leo Horst & Lee Hoodenpyle):

Bark chips still need to go on the ground under the new big toy - it will be done in drier weather.

Backflushing: They have started on it. Simon Garibaldo, Bill Martin, and Lee Hoodenpyle helped out on this project. Simon loaned the saw & jackhammer to use so that saved some money. The dust was really thick when cutting the cement. Normally cement floors are 4" thick, but in this case, there was considerably more – approx. 1' - , and the pipes were surrounded with it, as well. Simon also informed Lee that the chemicals have to be separated. Simon does have wood to replace (unknown if he will donate or charge) the storage area for the chemicals.

Leo said that volunteer work totaled approximately 375-400 man hours of work. At a minimum wage it would total approximately \$2,600 - \$2,760. This is a significant savings for the association.

The mailboxes are in serious need of repair. Several options for replacing were discussed, but in the end, the responsibility for this task falls on the homeowner.

Property Standards (Brent Brewer)

Jan Miller called & resigned from the board due to time conflicts. Since that leaves us with an open board position, the alternates will be offered the position first.

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April LOCK Combination 9-1-7-1

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## <u>Covenant Reminder</u>

Keep trees and bushes on your property trimmed so they don't block sidewalks or streets.

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The Board met on Thursday, April 10th in the Cross Creek Rec. Center for the regular monthly meeting. The Annual Meeting was held April 17th, 2003.

Abbreviated notes below are from both meetings.

Bookkeeper: The past due list is growing smaller. We've been doing really well in keeping costs down, and most of the cost savings are due to the volunteer help. The bridge project would have cost \$4,000, and was \$481 instead. Budget report was distributed.

Rec. Center: Summer activities planned for children (reading classes, sports camp) & seniors (informational classes on scams that target seniors, a 'senior information evening'). The 2 extra sofas (totaling 3) have all but been paid for. Planning a teenage job fair after the June breakfast. Board voted to let Agape Coffee continue to use the electricity on Wednesday mornings. Monthly breakfast & spaghetti dinners will continue, but after May's dinner, they will be BBQs. Swim lessons and water aerobics classes will not interfere with regular swim times.

Neighborhood Watch: Reports of: theft of a bicycle & jumper cables from a homeowner's garage, emblems stolen from Honda & Cadillacs, problems with 'rowdy' teenagers, someone 'paint-balled' the Rec. Center while in use, and a homeowner was arrested for writing bad checks. Neighborhood Watch organization meeting to be held in the Rec. Center soon. Date & time to be determined.

Maintenance: Thanks to all who volunteered over the past year on the various repair & improvement projects on common property. Items repaired: bridge, backflushing for the pool, Avon Ct. big toy, and building the new shed. The Rec. Center needs to be painted this summer, pathways are buckled by tree roots, Sport Courts are in serious disrepair.

Property Standards: Property Standards duties now the responsibility of a committee, rather than a single staff position. Recommending CC&R changes. Special meeting to be held in June to vote on 4 changes (separately). Official announcements will be mailed out. 2 homeowners put in property improvement proposals. Board voted & passed each proposal unanimously.

RV Lot: 13 homeowners on the waiting list. Carolyn is thinking about rearranging the lot, and putting up a rack to accommodate more smaller items such as canoes, etc. Trailers are not RVs, and so not allowed in the RV lot. All RVs licensed except for one, homeowners phone is disconnected.

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Big & Bulky Waste Day @ Hillsboro Landfill 3205 SE Minter Bridge Road, HB Saturday, May 3, 2003. 8:00am - 2:00pm

Fee will be \$5 for each car, pickup, or utility trailer load. Add'l \$5 for each air conditioning, refrigerator, or freezer unit. They can accept: appliances, furniture,

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## *ġਫ਼* **Good Neighbor Tip**

The board has had many complaints about loud music and especially constantly barking dogs. Please be considerate - keep your dogs under control and your music turned down so your neighbors don't hear them.

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\$Paid\$ Staff Position Open! Cross Creek Times Editor Contact Brent Brewer for more information 503-642-0970

## Covenant Reminder

It's the time for home improvement & remodeling. Be sure to submit any property improvement plans to the board for approval.

"Therefore, including the exterior color scheme, together with a block plan indicating the exact location on the building site shall have been submitted to and approved in writing by the Homeowners Association..."

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## Trading Post

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The Board met on Thursday, May 8th in the Cross Creek Rec. Center for the regular monthly meeting.

Bookkeeper: We're doing rather well for this time of year. Generally at this time of year, we're below \$10k. Bills go out June 1<sup>st</sup> Total past due amount is \$4,750.00. Susan now has a regular job and needs to give up the bookkeeping position for Cross Creek.

Rec. Center: We have a full summer session planned for this year. Get the details at http://www.bbdataservices.com/xcreek/HomeownersPage.htm Click on the Rec. Center link, and go from there. Registration forms need to be turned in to Lisa Klingsporn no later than May 28, 2003.

The first 2 sets of patio furniture are available and the women's group will be potting plants/container gardens. This is paid for by the women's group spaghetti dinners.

Neighborhood Watch: no report given.

Maintenance: The pool backflushing project is finished. The Rec. Center exterior will need to be painted this summer and we'll need volunteers for that. Pool is opening June 14th, with uncovering May 31st. We have 3 lifeguards, but will need at least a couple more, and we still need a swim instructor.

Property Standards: 2 Property Improvement Proposals were submitted. One is under review, it will have to be looked at. The other passed board approval as all improvements fell within the covenants guidelines. Brent noticed one of the condos is moving the fence in the back yard out quite a few feet. Since we haven't been contacted about this fence revision or had any plans submitted, a board member needs to contact the condo board and advise them that this still needs to be done, even though they have their own association and board.

RV Lot: She received a call from a homeowner who complained about a utility trailer in #13. The person who has the trailer in the lot was contacted. He said he didn't see a problem with using the corner lot. He has a flatbed trailer as well as a utility trailer in that spot. The flatbed trailer is used to transport recreational vehicles and so can stay, but the utility trailer has to go. Carolyn will reassign spaces so that the corner space can be used for the stacking racks for canoes and such.

Carolyn is to send him a letter notifying him that he will be required to remove the utility trailer and that his space is to be reassigned to the space of her choosing.

We're still looking at the mailbox issue. Prices are \$1125 for 8 boxes, \$1225 for 16. The average cost of installation is estimated at \$400. (We don't know for sure.) However, we would like to see all the old wooden mailbox structures replaced with locking ones.

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Saturday, May 31 at 9:00 a.m. to help uncover the swimming pool in preparation for opening on June 14. Bring your power washer (we have need of 2) and enjoy coffee, rolls, and neighborly camaraderie.

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Sarah Murchison a traffic engineer from the county attended the meeting at Rich's request to explain why the trees on Rosa Rd. & 203rd Ave. were cut down. (See website for more details.)

Bob from Petra Post Security Mailbox Co. attended the meeting and presented brochures and showed the strong, sturdy, locking mailboxes that are PO approved and almost indestructible. He made an offer of a wholesale price to the association with relatively inexpensive installation fees. (See website for more info.)

Bookkeeper: Report made by Treasurer. The annual dues notices were mailed out. Alice Desautel was voted in by the board as the new Association bookkeeper. Welcome, Alice!

Rec. Center: A lot of the summer programs that were planned didn't have enough homeowners sign up, so the classes had to be cancelled. We strongly urge you to sign up before-hand, not show up on the day of the event. Rec. Center Rental position was filled by Paula Shadrach. Welcome, Paula!

Neighborhood Watch: Some boys were on Rosa Rd. 'mooning' passersby. A couple of folks went out and chased them off. A couple of people at the meeting were aware of who the boys are. A home in the neighborhood had a problem that required the attention of the Washington Co. Sheriff's dept. Apparently, this home is an ongoing problem.

Maintenance: Someone did a 'lawn job' on the Rec. Center, however; the sprinklers weren't broken this time. Paths are still in need of repair. The free coffee is still being offered on Wednesday mornings - there hasn't been any problem with this activity. Bike rack needs to be replaced. Pool is open and swim classes are being offered. We have enough lifeguards and a swim instructor.

Property Standards: Noise complaints have become more numerous, ranging from noisy vehicles, bands, barking dogs, and industrial sized air compressors. The board agreed that letters should be sent to violators - even if the noise is before 10:00pm. Covenant changes were submitted for approval. The board will review them and finalize at the next possible meeting (due to vacation schedules). An anonymous complaint was made about what looks like homeowner initiated graffiti painted on the driveway. The board agreed that a letter should be sent.

RV Lot: A slot has become available and will be assigned to the next homeowner on the waiting list. A homeowner who has been particularly troublesome was sent a letter advising he had until June 15th to remove the offending vehicle. If the offending vehicle is not removed, that homeowner will be sent another letter advising to remove it or he will lose his spot completely.

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The board (and staff) feel it is *particularly important* to replace the old wooden ones with locking mailboxes. Identity theft is a rapidly growing problem and costs the victim a lot of time and money trying to clear up bad credit caused by these thieves.

Please see the website for information that was presented at the last meeting on the proposed mailboxes. www.crosscreekhoa.org

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## The pool is now open!

Swim lessons start July 1. Two-week sessions are \$30. Sign-up is at the desk. Lessons will be filled first by homeowners, unless we can't get enough, then outside participants will be considered. Classes won't be offered if we don't have enough

participants to meet costs. As a reminder, those who are past 🙎 due on homeowners dues will not

be allowed to use the pool or other amenities that are so nice to have in the summer. Please contact Alice Desautel to make payment arrangements.

@ 503-848-6478

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event sponsored by the Wa. Co. Sheriff's Office & the Nat'l Assn. of Town Watch is scheduled for Thursday, August 5, 2003. We're planning on having a gettogether at the Rec. Center with refreshments. We need to get our participation form in as soon as possible so we can get a visit from the Sheriff's office. Contact Marilyn MacIntosh @ 503-649-4116



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Rec. Center: Everything has been successful. The women's group is still putting on the dinners, and the monies are split. The women's group donated the last income for more patio furniture.

The dessert will be on the first Tuesday of the month due to National Night Out. Jill, lifeguard knows someone who has volunteered to come in and teach Cross Creek girls only (no outsiders) for free synchronized swimming. Ages 9-16.

Neighborhood Watch: 2 Homeowners reported that the windows of their vehicles had been shot out by a paint ball gun that had been modified to shoot marbles (per Sheriff).

Maintenance: The asphalt paths that are buckling due to tree roots. He asked for a commitment from the board as to the amount of money we're willing to spend to repair them. Since the pavers won't do anything but paving, we'll have to split the job into 2 phases; one to remove the roots, then the other to repave the paths. The last company that did the paving didn't remove the roots as they had agreed to, so Leo doesn't want them back again. There are 3 different sections of this buckled paving

Property Standards: 2 volunteers that have been helping with violation spotting and more violations have been brought up. Letters will be sent and fine notices issued, as well. Common violations are: apparently abandoned vehicles, vehicles not running, up on blocks, and garbage cans left in plain sight on a regular and consistent basis.

The covenant proposal submitted for review received input from the board & staff members and will be ready for finalization in the August meeting. Once approved, a letter will be sent to the homeowners accompanying an announcement of a special meeting to vote on the revisions.

RV Lot: She's had several calls that some homeowners had parked in other's spaces which was resolved. There are some spaces that are available, but they're small. The homeowners that are on the waiting list have larger vehicles than the spaces available will accommodate. She sent a problem homeowner a second letter asking him to remove the offending trailer and he hasn't responded yet. If he doesn't move it, he will be sent another letter advising him that he will lose the spot completely.

August LOCK
Combination
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Other Items: John Weinfurtner voted in as new board member. Welcome John! Arbor Homes has been encroaching on Cross Creek property and has scourged our wetlands. A meeting is scheduled to meet with them to discuss these issues.

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## The 1st and 2nd weekend of August to help paint the exterior of the Rec. Center.

At least one, preferably 2, power washers will also be needed. We are also in need of the use of a professional paint sprayer, one that can be dipped into a 5 gal. can of paint. The 1st & 2nd of Aug. we will be prepping for painting. The 8th & 9th painting will actually commence. For more information, contact Lee Hoodenpyle @ 503-649-8625

We have heard from a number of homeowners who are in favor of the idea of replacing the old mailboxes. The board has approved 2 vendors: Call Brent Brewer @ 503-642-0970 for the information.

As a correction/clarification to the last article, the board is offering \$100 per mailbox structure replaced, not per post. We apologize for any inconvenience this may have caused. The money will be paid after the mailboxes have been updated by a board approved vendor and a bill submitted to the board for review.

Please see the website for more information on the proposed mailboxes. www.crosscreekhoa.org

The Cross Creek board and Rec. Center staff wish to thank Elisa Buckley for her invaluable assistance in organizing the annual Garage Sale this year.

Thanks, Elisa!

## <u>Covenant Reminder</u>

Keep up the strip of property between your fence and the street. The weeds are getting out of control and look unsightly.

Article III(e) "It shall be the duty of the owner or occupant of any building site to maintain in proper condition the area between the property line of said building site and the nearest curb or improved street, including public sidewalks...

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Cross Creek Recreation is pleased to announce a two-week Synchronized Swimming class for girls ages 9-16. The classes will be Monday-Friday from August 4-August 15. The classes will take place at the Cross Creek pool from 12:00 - 1:00 p.m. The instructor will donate her time and provide a free cap to each girl. There is a \$12.00 charge to cover lifequard fees. Also, each student must bring goggles and a nose plug. This is a fantastic opportunity for Cross Creek girls. If you are interested, please contact Lisa Klingsporn at 503-649-9335.

## Moving in? Moving out?

Please let the association bookkeeper know. Alice Desautel @ 503-848-6478

Join us at the Cross Creek Recreation Center on Tuesday, August 5 from 6:00 - 7:30 p.m. for National Night Out. This nationally recognized event is to celebrate our neighborhood and to keep it crime free. Sundaes will be available at the recreation center for \$1.00 each and the Washington County Sheriff's Department will be here to distribute information. Please join us for this fun event.

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The Board met on Thursday, September 11th in the Cross Creek Rec. Center for the regular monthly meeting.

Rec. Center: The Rec. Center has been successful in its efforts so far. The dinners will start back up in October, but the breakfasts will not happen.

Neighborhood Watch: No calls received. The Neighborhood Watch newsletter had pictures of the National Night Out, including one of Cross Creek residents. Among the homeowner complaints were a couple engaging in inappropriate activity on one of the big toys, mirrors missing from vehicles, and a person who followed a couple of girls on their way home from school. Since he didn't speak to or harass the girls, no action could be taken on the part of the Sheriff's Deputies. We've also had increasing vandalism activity on and near the Rec. Center.

Maintenance: The Rec. Center was painted and a good job well done. The board wishes to thank the volunteers:

Lee Hoodenpyle, Eric Engstrom, Scott & Lisa Klingsporn, Richard & Linda Osmon, Glenn & Berta Owen, Bud Bunker, Zendra Hanft, and Leo Horst.

We're still trying to get a decent quote on the path repairs, and the roof of the Rec. Center needs to be repaired.

Property Standards: The notice letter was submitted and approved for mailing. 6 items are to be voted upon in the October meeting.

A homeowner complained of a 'junky' vehicle on Cross Creek Dr.

We need more members for the Property Standards Committee.

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RV Lot: One space is available, but the homeowners on the waiting list have RVs too large for the space.

We encourage <u>everyone</u> to attend the monthly Board Meetings to share your views and concerns as a Homeowner or Renter. We value your input and involvement.

Staff Members			
Bookkeeper	Alice Desautel	503-848-6478	Bookkeeper@CrossCreekHOA.org
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Maintenance	Lee Hoodenpyle	503-649-8625	MaintStf@CrossCreekHOA.org

Next Association Meeting Thursday, October 9, 2003 at 7:00 p.m. Refreshments are served. We also have a special plans for this meeting to vote on 6 Covenants revisions. Notices will arrive in the mail. Please plan to attend!

## Cross Creek **Service Directory**

## **Little Dreamers Daycare**

USDA Meals & Snacks Provided CPR & First Aid Certified Activities for all ages Call Diedre @ 503-356-9840

#### Daycare

Morning Openings (except Wed.) Call Jeri 503-259-9341

## **House Painting**

Reasonable Rates call Ken Kirk at 649-8391 for estimate or information.

## PC Repair & Training

Your home (evenings or weekends). Reasonable rates! Call Nancy @ 503-642-0970 or email to pcsupport@bbdataservices.com

## **Prepaid Legal Services**

Ray Gregoire 503-356-1890

The listings in the Service Directory are for information only. The Cross Creek Homeowners' Association does not endorse any service providers. Please thoroughly check the legitimacy of any service or product purchased and do so at your own risk. (Ads must be resubmitted every 4 months.)

## Moving in? Moving out?

Please let the association bookkeeper know. Alice Desautel @ 503-848-6478

Teens for Hire
Babysitting

Tarah Rose 503-259-9341

Rachel Specht 503-649-9138

Brittany Yeaple 503-356-0902

The board wishes to thank you for your patience while the new bookkeeper is completing her transition into the position. If you have any questions or concerns please contact the Association Treasurer, Zendra Hanft (a) 503-649-1640.

We are in need of volunteers to help out on the Property Standards Committee. Duties include: twice monthly, walking a section of the neighborhood to check for violations and meetings twice monthly to address any issues pertaining to Prop. Stds. and Property Improvement Proposals. For more information, contact Brent Brewer @ 503-642-0970 or email (see front).

While we've had quite a few positive responses favoring replacement of the old wooden structures with locking mailboxes, no one has actually replaced them. It is not the responsibility of the Association to replace the structures, however; we have been repairing them. The \$100 assistance offer will expire at the end of the year. If you are interested in having them replaced, we will do our best to help you along in the process including giving you information on who to contact, board approved vendors, and any other information you might need.

For more information, contact Brent Brewer @ 503-642-0970.

Paid Staff position open. Times Editor. For more information contact Nancy Brewer @ 503-642-0970

## <u>Covenant Reminder</u>

Article VII, (a): "The board must approve any addition or alteration to a home. Failure to do so will be cause to have structure or addition removed at the sole expense of the homeowner. No dwelling house, garage, fence, wall or other structures upon any portion of said property shall be erected or constructed, and no alterations which would materially alter the exterior appearance of any such structures shall be made unless a complete set of plans and specifications are submitted. Therefore, including the exterior color scheme, together with a block plan indicating the exact location on the building site shall have been submitted to and approved in writing by the Homeowners Association, and a copy of such plans as finally approved deposited for permanent record with the Association. Said plans and specifications shall be submitted in writing for approval, over the signature of the owner of the building site or over the signature of his duly authorized agent, on a form satisfactory to the Association.

See the rest of the paragraph on the website.

## Trading Post

Have something to sell? Looking to buy?

Sears Craftsman lawnmower for sale. Self propelled, mulcher-bagger, new starter. Runs great. Mint condition. \$100.00. Also commercial fertilizer spreader for sale. Like new. \$40.00. Andy Vigil 503-642-3114

Please, No Business Ads 

Good Neighbor Tip Does your dog bark incessantly? Does your vehicle need a muffler? We've had quite a few noise complaints especially about barking dogs and noisy vehicles. Please keep your barking dogs, noisy vehicles, and any other loud noise-making machinery or activity between the house of 8:00 am and 10:00 pm all days of the week. Your neighbors greatly appreciate it!

## Homeowners/Renters

New to Cross Creek? Call Paula Shadrach at 503-356-5230. To Receive your "Welcome Packet"

## **Cross Creek Times and meeting minutes via E-mail!!**

You can receive the Cross Creek Times, Board Meeting Minutes, reminders for meetings, Rec. Center activities/ events, and urgent notices regarding our neighborhood.

Subscribe via e-mail: CrossCreekHO-subscribe@yahoogroups.com

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