

# June 2013 – 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter Newsletter

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The primary goal of the Countryside Village Community Association is to keep our neighborhood beautiful, safe and a pleasant place to live.

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# **SUMMER TIME IS HERE!**

If you're out taking a vacation to someplace cool and refreshing, then make the most of it! If you're looking for ideas nearby, try San Diego, California or Pinetop, Arizona – both are a short drive away and the perfect getaway for those who love a beach or mountain scene.

While you're not vacationing, there's another benefit to the summer – extended daylight. This is a great chance to inspect your home's exterior to spot any potential hazards, such as termites or loose roofing tiles, or even identify general upkeep like rotting wood on gates, roof trim or holes in stucco. There are plenty of contractors looking for work during the slow summer season, and they will welcome the opportunity to help you out.

## MONSOON SEASON

Monsoon showers are about to break at any moment, and it can be tough to keep up with the constant attack of weeds from each day's new rains. Here are some tips to get ahead of it to keep your yard looking great all season without having a large cleanup effort after the rain clouds escape for another year:

- Conduct frequent inspections: Make frequent visits throughout your yard at least twice a week. This can take anywhere from 5-10 minutes.
- Take advantage of soft ground: The ground will be much softer than usual, so you may be able to pull these up by hand

#### MONTHLY BOARD MEETINGS

Monthly Board meetings are open to all homeowners. We meet on the second Monday of every month at 6:00pm at the Northwest Fire Department Station 38 on 8475 N. Star Grass Drive. Please feel free to attend. Your suggestions and ideas are always welcome.

# **NEXT BOARD MEETINGS**

The next Board meetings will be on the following dates:

- July 8, 2013
- August 12, 2013
- September 9, 2013
- October 14, 2013

#### TRASH CAN STORAGE

Please remember that trash containers are only allowed to be out the night before collection day and must be put away the evening of collection. Trash containers are to be stored out of sight. (CC&R Section 5.3)

#### **DESIGN REVIEW REMINDER**

If you are planning to make changes to any part of your home that is visible to the public, remember to fill out an Architectural Design Review Form. This includes, but is not limited to, landscape or plant changes, paint color changes, porch additions, patio wall or gate changes, etc. Application forms can be obtained from the HOA management by calling 744-5321 or by emailing manager@csvhoa.com. The forms are also available on our website at www.csvhoa.com.

# TENANT INFORMATION FORM

If you are renting out your home, you are required to provide an up-to-date <u>Tenant Information Form</u> to the HOA. If you haven't taken care of this yet, or if you have new tenants, please fill out the form and return it to the HOA. The form is available on our website on the Rules and Regulations page.

# **PARK SECURITY**

We have had relatively few problems with vandalism at our two parks over the last year. There has occasionally been some minor graffiti at both parks and some late night noise at the small park on Calatrava. Both parks are closed after dark. If you notice any suspicious activities at either of the parks, please contact the HOA or call the Sheriff Dept. at 88-CRIME (882-7463)

## CONTACTING THE HOA

For general information please contact the General Manager by email at <a href="manager@csvhoa.com">manager@csvhoa.com</a>. Or you may call the HOA message phone at 744-5321. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the HOA at any time.

## CC&R'S and BY-LAWS

At the time of closing you should have received a copy of both documents. It is important to read these and understand them. At the time of your purchase you signed a document agreeing to abide by the rules and regulations put forth in these documents. If you need an additional copy, they are available through the HOA for a fee of \$5.00. You can also download them from our website at <a href="https://www.csvhoa.com">www.csvhoa.com</a>. If you are planning to rent out your property, you are responsible for providing your tenants with a copy of these documents and you are also responsible for your tenant's compliance.

# **ASSOCIATION DUES**

Association dues are \$90 per quarter. You will receive a quarterly statement to keep you updated on your account. Payment is due the 1<sup>st</sup> of each quarter and past due after the 15<sup>th</sup>. If payment is not received by the 15<sup>th</sup> of the first month in the quarter (January, April, July, October) it is considered late and a \$15 late fee will be charged. Please make checks payable to CSVHOA. Checks and money orders are the only form of payment accepted. Please mail your payment to CSVHOA, PO Box 91432, Tucson, AZ 85752. You may pay your dues quarterly or annually, however, all dues must be paid in advance. Payment coupons are available on request.