## NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

From The Stoney Glen West Association

Spring 2019 E-mail us: board@stoneyglenwest.org Website: www.stoneyglenwest.org

#### From the President of the SGW HOA April 2019

Dear Homeowners,

Happy spring! Let's hope the rain of the past few months subsides a bit so that we can enjoy some nice days ahead.

Thanks to all who joined us for the annual HOA meeting in January. Our special guest from the Police Department, Officer Morton, offered great tips and insights, some of which are highlighted here.

This is a great time to clean up yards, paint mail posts if needed and tend to other projects around the house. The Board will continue to be aggressive on violations in our community and actively enforce adherence to the Community Standards and Covenants. If you have a concern or complaint please visit our website (www.stoneyglenwest.org) to obtain a copy of a complaint form to submit. All complaints must be in writing. Our Beautification Committee continues to be very active in helping our neighborhood maintain a high standard for us all. We plan to invest in better lighting and additional fixtures for the playground over the next few months. If you have ideas for future capital projects, please contact a Board member. Please contact any Board member with your questions or concerns and thank you for your support of our community.

#### **Did you know?**

- Common County Code violations involve:
  - unlicensed or inoperable vehicles
  - recreational vehicles and equipment
  - trucks parked in residential areas
  - discarded materials
  - grass and weeds
- Disabled and unlicensed vehicles on the street can be towed.
- County Planning/Zoning can enforce where trailers/boats are parked (should be behind back plane of house).
- Vehicles parked on street cannot block emergency vehicle access and vehicles cannot block driveways and mailboxes.
- Complaints regarding violations can be filed through the county website, Chesterfield.gov.
- P Traffic concerns? Contact the Chesterfield Police Department's Traffic Hotline at 804-318-8084 or email speeding@chesterfield.gov.

| Board Members  |  |          |
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| Name           | Role/Responsibilities  | Phone #  |
| Gary Robertson | President; Grounds & Landscaping                               | 796-3727 |
| Bob Montgomery | Vice President   | 748-9701 |
| Van Zeh        | Acting Treasurer; Corresponding Secretary; Website Liaison     | 796-2789 |
| David Foley    | Architectural Review Board; Beautification; Disclosure Packets | 768-0157 |
| Carol Ricker   | Community Affairs  | 768-6777 |
| Leslie Morris  | Recording Secretary  | 715-4055 |
| Thomas Crawley | Director   | 796-1502 |
| Other Contacts |  |          |
| Susan Lovasic  | Neighborhood Watch   | 706-5910 |

Gary Robertson, President

Check our website (<u>www.stoneyglenwest.org</u>) for specific event details. Contact Carol Ricker for additional Community Affairs information (rickercb@gmail.com).

## Spring Community Yard Sale

Date: Saturday, May 4<sup>th</sup> (Rain Date May 11<sup>th</sup>) Time: 8:00 am to 12:00 pm

Start cleaning out your closets, storage sheds, and garages. Place balloons on your mailbox to show you are participating.





#### Stoney Glen Youth Swim Team

Children (ages 4 to 18) from Stoney Glen West are invited to be a part of the "Stingrays" swim team. All levels, from beginner to advanced swimmers, are welcome. Your family must be a member of the pool to be eligible.

For more information, go to the Team Website: https://sites.google.com/site/sgstingrays



## 2019 Stoney Glen West Upcoming Community Activities



**Yard of the Month** (May/June) Yard signs & awards will be presented to the best-looking yards in each neighborhood



**National Night Out (Tues. Aug. 6th)** Family fun at the playground! Details TBA *Contact the Board to volunteer to assist!* 



**Christmas Luminaries** (December) To celebrate the season, lighting will be provided on Christmas Eve in all three neighborhoods



If you just moved to Stoney Glen West and you were not yet contacted by the Welcome Committee, please contact Van Zeh (vanwynzeh@yahoo.com).

## **Activities to Join**

#### STONEY GLEN POOL

Join the Stoney Glen Oak Hollow Association!



As a homeowner in Stoney Glen West, you are invited to join as an associate member. Membership includes use of the pool, tennis courts, and member status for many events. There is an Initiation Fee for new members and an Annual Fee based on Membership Category (Family, Couple, Senior Couple, or Single). The initiation fee is waived for Active Duty military personnel!

If you wish for your children to join the Stoney Glen Swim Team, you must first join the pool.\_

For more info, contact the STONEY GLEN Board: <a href="mailto:sgha@stoneyglen.com">sgha@stoneyglen.com</a> or check out their website: <a href="http://www.stoneyglen.com/OakHollow.html">http://www.stoneyglen.com/OakHollow.html</a>

## Chesterfield County Neighborhood Watch

Anyone interested in being part of the Stoney Glen West Neighborhood Watch program to receive monthly e-mail updates and crime alerts from the Chesterfield County Police, should contact Susan Lovasic at 706-5910 or sllpsu@aol.com.

Call 911 for emergencies or 748-1251 for non-emergencies.

Check for updates between newsletters on our website: <u>www.stoneyglenwest.org</u>

You will find upcoming event notices, forms, past newsletters, and more.



# Please Do Not Forget...



#### Association Assessment Payment Due By April 30

For homeowners that did not take advantage of the early payment option for 2019, please pay \$150 no later than April 30<sup>th</sup> to avoid a \$15 late fee. If you have made a partial payment for 2019, please send the remaining balance by April 30<sup>th</sup>. Contact Van Zeh, Acting Treasurer, if you have any questions.

## Be Sure to Ask First...

BEFORE making ANY changes to the exterior appearance of your home or lot, you MUST obtain <u>pre-approval</u> from the Architectural Review Board.



Application forms are available on our website: <u>www.stoneyglenwest.org</u> For more information, **Contact Dave Foley at 768-0157.** 



#### Mail Boxes and Posts

Many mail boxes and posts in the neighborhood are in need of repair and/or repainting. Now is a great time to get them back into shape **– before** you get a violation letter.

Both the box and post must be maintained and meet the community standards for STYLE, SIZE, and COLOR. The mail box must be a black color. The post must be a cream color (NOT white).

You can obtain the correct post paint for <u>\$2.00 per container</u> from any Board member.

- Contact Barry Mize at 931-1179 if you need assistance with a
- replacement post.

#### Selling Your Home?

Remember that under Virginia law you, as the seller, are required to provide the buyer with a "disclosure packet" from the Stoney Glen West Association for your property BEFORE closing.

A <u>\$50.00 fee</u> is required to be paid to the Association for the packet.

Contact Dave Foley at 768-0157 at least <u>2 weeks in advance</u> to request a packet. You must provide adequate time for packet preparation. *Please do not wait until the last minute to request your packet.* 



### REMINDERS

**Connect with us on Facebook!** 

For the safety of all, please remember to obey all traffic laws and signs throughout our community!





Remember! Littering is illegal. Emptying ashtrays on the street is illegal and you could be subject to a fine.

Tree removal almost always requires pre-approval! Email the Board before cutting to ensure compliance!



#### REMEMBER! PICK UP AFTER YOUR DOGS & QUIET BARKING DOGS

Be sure to pick up anything your dog "drops" and please dispose of your collections in your home trash can. Do NOT drop those plastic collection bags into the storm sewers. Also, keep in mind that county ordinances provide that residents can incur a county fine if a dog barks once a minute for 10 consecutive minutes. Your neighbors appreciate your efforts to quiet barking dogs.

