



The Heritage Lakes Homeowner Association Newsletter is Published Monthly by Neighborhood News, Inc.

Board of Directors

The Board of Directors met for the first time on February 9th and began the process of running the HOA for 2006. One item that was discussed was the creation of committees for various areas within the community. Each Board Member has taken a liaison role to the committees that were established, but we are needing involvement from the community for these committees to be a success.

Various committees that are available to serve on are the **ACC Committee** (reviews ACC requests and will work on the design guidelines for ACC requests); **Social Committee** (works to plan events and encourage attendance); **Pool Committee** (works to create a way to monitor the pool and preserve the asset); **Communication Committee** (works to improve the newsletter, website, homeowner directory, and email communication); **Security Committee/Crime Watch Committee** (work to establish post orders for the guards, monitor all assets in relation to the gates/guards, work to increase participation in the neighborhood watch program); **Golf Course Committee** (work to ensure golf course is maintained and maintenance and improvements are monitored) .

Additional committees may be added in the future as the need arises. If you are interested in serving on any committee, please contact any of the board members at the email addresses/phone numbers listed on the newsletter. Thanks in advance for your support of the community. The Board of Directors are ready to get started on the projects for 2006 and we need community involvement.

The following article will not be shown at the Homeowners' Association's request.

MAKING YOUR HOA DOLLARS WORK BEST FOR YOU!!!!

Many things have changed in 2006 for your HOA. The Association is now governed by a resident Board of Directors. Your Social Planning Committee wanted to make your event dollars go further. For 2006, Cinco De Mayo, 4th of July and Fall Festival will serve FREE food.

To make sure that we have enough for everyone, it will be extremely important that you RSVP by the due date. Without proper RSVP numbers, the events could run short on food. Something else that is new, 4th of July will be a BYOB event and drink wrist bands will be sold for Cinco De Mayo.

Board Meetings

The Board of Directors has been established and has set the Board Meetings for 2006. They will be **the third Monday of each month**. All Board Meetings are open meetings with the exception of the executive sessions.

If you would like to attend and speak at these meetings, you must contact Matt Moore at SBB Management Company prior to the meeting and be placed on the agenda.



Heritage Lakes 2006 Calendar of Events*



The Social Planning Committee had its first meeting on Tuesday, January 17th. Below is a list of the events that have been scheduled for the coming year. Although we have a Committee Chair for each event, we need others to help on each committee to make the event even better. If you are interested in helping, please contact Anna at the clubhouse and she will direct you to the Committee Chair for that event.

DATE	EVENT	
January 24 th (Tuesday)	Zooniversity	Kids Night
February 7 th (Tuesday)	Deluxe Spa Night (BYOB)	Ladies Only
February 16 th (Thursday)	Broadway Babies	Kids 6 mos-3 yrs
March 3 rd (Friday)	Casino Night	Adults
March 23 rd (Thursday)	Tween Night	Kids Night
April 1 st (Saturday)	Easter Egg Hunt	Family Event
April 28 th (Friday)	Drive In Movie Night	Family Event
May 5 th (Friday)	Cinco de Mayo	Family Event
May 18 th (Thursday)	End of School Year Party	Kids Night
June 10 th (Saturday)	Wine Tasting Event	Adults
June 20 th (Tuesday)	Birthday Expo/Puppet Show	Kids Night
July 4 th (Tuesday)	Independence Day Celebration	Family Event
August 2 nd (Wednesday)	Kindergarten Ice Cream Social	Kids Event
August 2006	Back to School Night	Kids Event
September 16 th (Saturday)	Community Yard Sale	Community Event
September 19 th (Tuesday)	High Touch/High Tech Science Night	Kids Event
October 13 th (Friday)	Night Golf/19 th Hole Social	Adult Event
October 28 th (Saturday)	Fall Fest/Halloween Carnival	Family Event
November 21 st (Tuesday)	Movie Night	Kids Event
December 9 th (Saturday)	Community Holiday Party	Family Event
December 16 th (Saturday)	Gift Wrap for Charity	Community Event
December 31 st (Sunday)	New Year's Eve Party	Adults

* Does not include Over 50's Club Events or Ladies Night Events which are still being planned.

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OVER 50'S 2006 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

<p>FEBRUARY 2006 <i>The Murder Mystery "Stay'n Alive"</i></p> <p>Friday, 17th at 6:30 p.m. Group participation BYOB & a Pot Luck Dish</p> <p>Committee: Anna Pfaff Diane Rogers Marilyn Rubin</p>	<p>MARCH 2006 <i>Wine Tasting Social</i></p> <p>Friday, 17th at 6:30 p.m. Appetizers to be served</p> <p>Committee: Diane Rogers Celia Grundl Darlene Yoquelet Marilyn Rubin Mary Clark</p> 	<p>APRIL 2006 <i>Kimball Art Museum Fort Worth</i></p> <p>Saturday, 22nd Time and transportation to be determined</p> <p>Committee: Anna Pfaff Barbara Scoggins</p>	<p>APRIL 2006 <i>Classics Movie Night</i></p> <p>Friday, 28th at 6:30 p.m. Old Classic Movie Bring an appetizer BYOB</p> <p>Committee: Carol Carr Diane Rogers</p>
<p>MAY 2006 <i>Old Fashioned Lawn Party</i></p> <p>Saturday, 20th, Time TBD Croquet, Horseshoes Barbeque to be served BYOB</p> <p>Committee: Diane Rogers Ann Noble Sally Lee</p>	<p>JUNE 2006 <i>Horse Races</i></p> <p>Saturday, 10th Time TBD</p> <p>Trip to the races Transportation to be determined</p> <p>Committee: To Be Determined</p>	<p>JULY 2006 <i>Game Night Texas Hold Em</i></p> <p>Friday, 21st at 6:30 p.m. All kinds of games, players choice Bring an appetizer BYOB</p> <p>Committee: Anna Pfaff Diane & Randy Rogers</p> 	<p>AUGUST 2006 <i>Swing Night Dance Contest</i></p> <p>Saturday, 19th at 7 p.m. Live Music Wear your best dancing shoes and be ready to strut your stuff BYOB</p> <p>Committee: Diane Rogers Celia Grundl Marilyn Rubin</p>
<p>SEPTEMBER 2006 <i>Destination Unknown</i></p> <p>Date TBD 15th or 16th A special outing More news to follow</p> <p>Committee: Donna Nazarenes Audrey Myers</p>	<p>OCTOBER 2006 <i>TO BE DETERMINED</i></p> <p>Hockey Game & Octoberfest are possibilities – share your ideas!</p> <p>Committee: Nelda Walker Diane Rogers Anna Pfaff</p> 	<p>NOVEMBER 2006 <i>Play Night</i></p> <p>Friday, 17th at 6:30 p.m. Keep a look out for more infor- mation on this performance Bring a dish/BYOB</p> <p>Committee: Richard Zavaglia Marilyn Rubin Diane Rogers</p>	<p>DECEMBER 2006 <i>Prestonwood Church Annual Performance</i></p> <p>Date TBD Be prepared to enjoy this ex- traordinary performance We will dine at the buffet res- taurant on the premises</p> <p>Committee: Diane Rogers Ann Noble Shirley Wrye</p>



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OVER 50'S WINE TASTING SOCIAL

FRIDAY, MARCH 17TH, 2006

7:00 – 9:30 P.M.

Please join us for a wine experience. We will sample several wines and enjoy friendship. We are coordination appetizers for you to bring to enjoy with the wine.

For those of you who do not indulge, Non-alcoholic Beverages will be served.

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Tween Night
Spring Fling Dance
 Thursday, March 23rd
 6:30 pm to 8:30 pm

Come kick off your shoes and dance the evening away (or until bed time) at the first ever Tween Night. DJ Dudley Wilson Fresh will keep the music hoppin and Heritage Lake's Karaoke Idol will be chosen. Don't miss this night, only you can make it cool!



The Tween Night committee feels that this event will best suit tweens ages 12-15.

The Easter Bunny is Hopping
 into Heritage Lakes

Saturday, April 1st, 10:00 am-12:00 pm
 (Rain date Saturday, April 8)

It's time for the Heritage Lakes Easter Celebration! Join your neighbors and friends on Saturday, April 1st at the clubhouse. Fun events are planned for the entire family!

- Egg Hunt - Kids will be divided into 2 groups, 5 & under, and 6 and up.
- Egg Races—Kids and parents team up to compete for prizes.
- Complimentary Pictures with the Easter Bunny.
- Crafts—Make a keepsake Easter Bunny frame, Make a Spring Butterfly, Egg Decorating.
- Bounce House
- Face Painting
- Duck Race on the Lazy River

Egg Hunts start promptly at 10:00. Games and pictures with the Easter Bunny are immediately following. All families participating in the Egg Hunt are asked to bring 1 dozen treat-filled eggs, per child, to the Clubhouse between March 24-31. Please do not send chocolate treats, as they might melt.

We need volunteers to make this event run smoothly and safely. Email Kristin Kloss or Michelle Van Pelt to volunteer or notify Anna at the clubhouse.

Kristin: kristinlakloss@sbcglobal.net
 Michelle: rvpmvp@sbcglobal.net

Save the Date

Drive In Movie Night • Double Feature
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MEETING
MARCH 13, 2006
7:00 PM
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March Calendar

- **Heritage Lakes Bible Study** every Wednesday, Contact Randy Valtierra to get involved 214-618-5280.
- **Friday, March 3rd**—Casino Night, 7:00 pm. Tickets are \$5 per person. Please purchase in advance.
- **Monday, March 13th**—Town Hall Meeting, 7:00 pm at the Clubhouse.
- **Friday, March 17th**—Over 50's Group Wine Tasting, 6:30 pm. Appetizers to be served. Please RSVP to Diane Rogers.
- **Monday, March 20th**—Board Meeting, 6:30 pm in the Conference Room.
- **Thursday, March 23rd**—Tween Night Spring Fling Dance, 6:30 –8:30 pm. Ages 12-15.

April Upcoming Events



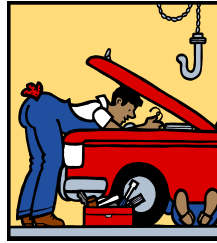
- **Saturday, April 1st**—Easter Egg Hunt starts at 10:00 am.
- **Saturday, April 22nd**—Over 50's Group, Kimball Art Museum, Time TBA.
- **Friday, April 28th**—Drive In Movie Double Feature 1st Feature starts at 6:30 pm.

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What's new?

By Scott Stepien

If you are talking about automobile engines, the answer could be nothing. From the time cars first became their own entity instead of converted horse carriages, the Ford flathead V-8 was the engine of choice. 1955 brought two revolutionary designs to the forefront of automotive power. Chrysler unveiled its hemispherical head V-8, the first gasoline automotive engine to produce 300 horsepower. Every professional drag racer today uses this style engine, sometimes producing several thousand horsepower. Chevrolet received its first V-8 engine in 1955, the small block. This design was the first automobile engine to produce one horsepower per cubic inch of displacement. Open the hood of a new Chevy pick up, Cadillac Escalade, or Hummer H2 and you will find an engine resembling the one found in a 1955 Bel-Air. In fact, Dale Earnhardt and Jeff Gordon have been powered by this small block on many race wins. The majority of powerboats have a Chevy small block as their power source, although called Mercruiser or some other boating name. Sure, the fours and sixes in today's Hondas and Toyotas are a reliable source of power, but will their legacy stand the test of time. Packard and Duesenberg had much acclaimed 12 and 16 cylinder engines in their time. Where are they now? Entertainers, athletes, fashion, and music all become classics or all stars by surviving time.

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- 1 tbsp. Vanilla extract
- 3 c. PILLSBURY Best All-Purpose Flour, plus more for rolling
- 3/4 tsp. Baking powder
- 1/2 tsp. Baking soda
- 1/2 tsp. Salt
- 1/2 tsp. Peppermint extract
- Green food coloring

In the bowl of an electric mixer combine sugar and shortening; beat at medium speed until well blended. Add eggs, corn syrup and vanilla extract; beat until blended and fluffy. In a large mixing bowl combine 3 cups flour, baking powder, baking soda and salt; gradually add to shortening mixture, beating at low speed until well blended. Place half of dough in medium bowl. Stir in peppermint extract and food color, a few drops at a time, until desired shade of green. Shape the colored and plain doughs into disks. Wrap each with plastic wrap. Refrigerate 3 hours or until firm. Sprinkle flour on large sheet of waxed paper. Place peppermint dough on floured paper; flatten slightly with hands. Turn dough over; cover with another large sheet of waxed paper. Roll dough into 14x9-inch rectangle. Repeat with plain dough. Remove top sheet of waxed paper from both doughs. Invert plain dough onto peppermint dough, aligning edges carefully. Roll layers together lightly. Remove waxed paper from plain dough. Trim dough to form rectangle. Roll dough tightly in jelly-roll fashion starting with long side and using bottom sheet of waxed paper as a guide, removing waxed paper during rolling. Wrap roll in wax paper; freeze at least 30 minutes or until very firm. Heat oven to 375 F. Remove roll from freezer; remove wrapping. Cut into 3/8-inch-thick slices. Place slices 2 inches apart on ungreased baking sheets. Bake 7 to 9 minutes or until edges of cookies are very lightly browned. Cool 2 minutes on baking sheet; transfer cookies to cooling rack to cool completely.

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