

In The News

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From The President

Submitted by Julie Pompa, ELE President

Hello Everyone!

Hope you are having a GREAT start to your New Year!

This month we are trying something new with the newsletter by having it online.

Let us know by either emailing myself, <u>president@elehoa.com</u>, or Jean Christenberry, <u>communications@elehoa.com</u>, and let us know what you think.

Have a fabulous month!





Someone Who Makes Our Neighborhood A Better Place To Live?

If You Do, Email Your Nomination and Story to

jean@christenberry.com



Pool Season Reminder



By Mike Gerro, Pool Chair

Just a reminder to submit your request for pool tags. Remember that it is a requirement to have your pool tag(s) with you when entering the pool area. Please remember to complete your Pool Tag Form found in your ELE Directory and drop or mail to 7008 Crater Lake to receive your tags before the season begins.

Splash Day Will Be Here Before You Know It!

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Spring Clean-up Coming Soon! By Bill Zacharias, Architecture Chair



Since some residents have already trimmed back their trees and shrubs for the season and many more will soon as spring approaches, I want to remind everyone of a couple of things. First, we are required to keep all shrubs, trees, grass and plantings of every kind on your property neatly trimmed. This is important obviously to maintain the overall appearance of the entire neighborhood but, equally important is keeping the sidewalks and streets clear of overhanging branches. As an occasional walker I am very appreciative of those who keep our ELE sidewalks clear. Keep this in mind for you or your yard maintenance crews as we spruce up this spring and on into the growing season. Please be especially mindful for plants such as roses or others that have thorns and could truly injure some.

Additionally, as we have branch clippings that need to be discarded, some preparation may be needed before the trash collectors will haul them away. I have seen many instances in which the trash collectors have probably gone well beyond what they are required to do. Per the cities' website:

"Brush must be cut in 4 foot lengths: trimmed, bundled and stacked with large ends toward curb. Bundles may not exceed 50 lbs. Brush will be collected at the rate of 1 cubic yard per pickup day."

If you have questions about trash, brush or pickup of other debris please visit the cities website at http://www.arlingtontx.gov/environment/garbage.html or call the disposal company at (817) 317-2000.

The city currently has Saturday April 17th and 24th scheduled as spring cleanup days. This allows residents of Arlington to make unlimited free trips to the Arlington Landfill, not only for brush but for a variety of items. Please consult the city website for more information on those events as well.



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Chili Cook Off Time! By Cheryl Eichenauer, Social Committee



Come Join ELE for our

Second Annual

ELE Chili Cook Off!!!



Sunday February 21st 530p-730p ELE Clubhouse

We challenge all of you great Chili cooks out there to <u>WOW</u> our judges with the most unique and delicious Chili this side of ELE!

We'll provide the desserts and beverages, you bring your world famous Chili

Please RSVP to Heather Baresh 682-365-8628 By February 15th

Prizes will be awarded for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place! Don't miss out on this fun family event

