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Enchanted Lake Estates Newsletter

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From the President

Hello Neighbors,

Well the end of summers approaching. I encourage you to get in some last trips to the pool. The water feels great on these hot days. The guards and the pool committee are doing a great job of keeping the pool in wonderful shape. The end of the summer also means the board's year is coming to an end. The annual meeting will be Sunday, September 16. At the meeting, the board will report out on the year and we will elect new board members.

This will be my last year on the board and I have been honored to serve the neighborhood. The board will be looking for nominations for new members. I really encourage you to put your name in the hat to serve on the board. It's a great way to get to know your neighbors and to do something important to keep Enchanted Lakes a great place to live. If you are interested please contact a member of the board.

Guy Donaldson, Board President
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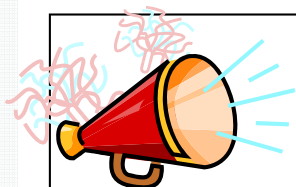
Annual Meeting

Please make plans to attend the ELE Annual Meeting.

Sunday, September 16

7 p.m.

Pool Club House



Do you have something to share with the neighborhood?

Submit your neighborhood news to
Emily Swanson at communications@elehoa.com or
call **817-480-0462**

Pool

Pool Rental– New Guidelines!

Due to very high usage this year, the board has determined the pool will not be available for private parties during regular pool hours Friday-Sunday. Private parties may be scheduled at the pool during normal hours Monday - Thursday upon approval of the board after review of the number of people expected at the pool for the party and staffing of guards.



Women's Club Happenings

Hello Ladies of ELE,

My name is Cathy Nordman and I will be the new president for 2012-2013 for the ELE Women's Club. I would like to invite all the ladies of the neighborhood to join us this year at our meetings. They are scheduled the third Thursday of the month at 7:00 PM, at various homes in the neighborhood. We meet September-April. This is a great way to meet not only your next door neighbors, but other ladies in the neighborhood. Our board will be meeting in August to plan the coming year. We are still in need of volunteers to help on the board. If you would like to donate your gift of time and help in one of these positions, or if you would like to invite us into your home for one of the meetings, please give me a call at 817-239-5363 or email at c.nordman@sbcglobal.net. No experience necessary! If anyone has any suggestions for the coming year, please notify me. A flyer will be distributed before the first meeting with all the information. Enjoy the rest of your summer!

Cathy Nordman

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Get the newsletter and ELE updates in your inbox.



Send your email address to communications@elehoa.com

Welcome to the Neighborhood!

Please welcome these new neighbors to ELE!

Muhammed Yousujuddin and Tasneem Fbrahimji who live at 7200 Lake Havasu Ct. They have two children, Ammar (4) and Maryam (18 mths). Muhammed is a chemistry lecturer at UT Arlington and they have lived in Arlington for four years. Before moving to Arlington they lived in California, New Jersey and Maryland.

Scott and Tracy Langman who live at 3509 Lake Tahoe Dr. Scott is a retired Air Force C-5 pilot and is currently an Aerospace executive. Tracy is an international flight attendant with United Airlines. They have two grown daughters who reside in San Antonio. The Langman's moved to Arlington from Altus AFB in Oklahoma.

Volunteers Needed

Neighborhood Directory

We are looking for some volunteers to help with the 2013 directory. If you are interested in helping, please contact Emily Swanson at communications@elehoa.com or 817-480-0462.

Canal Aerator Caretaker

John Burris, our ever-faithful canal aerator caretaker/volunteer, wishes to retire from his responsibilities. We have a need for a volunteer who could take over this duty. It involves monitoring the 'aerator' fixed to the canal wall near the bridge, which helps keep the canal water moving so it does not become stagnant. In addition to monitoring, John has been the 'go-to' person for repairs and maintenance on this important feature of our common area. If anyone has a bit of extra time to donate their time to make routine checks on this, please contact Dianne del Cid so she can hook you up with John to go over the details.

Dianne del Cid at 214-418-4754 or at grounds@elehoa.com

If someone does not come forward, we will have to pay a person to monitor this, which will come out of our HOA dues.



Water Aerobics



A group of ELE residents (women and men!) and their guests have been enjoying twice-weekly water aerobics classes at the pool. Fun and fitness in the water has already translated into very positive health benefits for several of the participants. The classes will continue throughout the summer as long as attendance is good. A mid-summer salad lunch after class is planned at the time of this writing.

Grounds Report

The new park benches and picnic table for the common grounds have arrived and have been installed in the 'common grounds' area between the canal and the fence along Bowman Springs Park road. These new amenities, constructed of recycled materials, will provide long lasting, sturdy, attractive furnishings for ELE residents to picnic and gather for comfortable family and friends events, near the pool and tennis court.

Dianne del Cid, Grounds Chair
grounds@elehoa.com



A Sign of the Times

The HOA has had several complaints recently over the increasing number of yard signs at ELE creating an unpleasant visual blight in our neighborhood. This circumstance will continue for a while, as so many of us are getting roofs replaced due to the spring hail storms. Understand that the roofers place these signs as a way of staking claim to a business deal, and save us homeowners from being continually solicited by roofers. This will subside in due time as roofs are replaced.

This temporary leniency DOES NOT extend to signs of a commercial or business nature posted by residents who may have an interest, whether financial or social, in that business. Such signage is in violation to both ELE covenants and Arlington city codes.

With the exception of Realtor signs, the covenants restrict signs in yards to a single 1 square foot sign. The board asks all residents to exercise restraint and consideration towards their neighbors, to avoid having to send out the "sign police".

Junior Team Tennis

Junior Team Tennis will soon be coming to ELE!! This is a league for kiddos ages 4-18 who enjoy tennis and camaraderie with their friends. Each team consists of six players, three girls and three boys. Also needed is a coach/captain. This can be a parent, grandparent, or other adult who enjoys tennis and kids. It would involve about two hours per week, one practice and one day of match play. The USTA provides extensive training and support, and the league is only six weeks long.

If your child would like to play on a team, or if you wish to coach/captain a team, please contact Lavell McCollum, [817-483-6199](tel:817-483-6199) or jtsoutheast@yahoo.com

