ELE Newsletter

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Welcome New Neighbors and Newly Weds

ELE welcomes Juan and Mandy Corominas who are just married and now reside at 3513 Lake Pontchartrain Dr. (827-563-4906). Juan is an independent health and life insurance broker and was a former tennis champion at TCU. His new bride, Mandy, is a social worker for a middle school in Fort Worth. Both love to dance and play tennis (of course!)

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Links to Arlington 2025:

http://www.ci.arlington.tx.us/planning/comprehensive/ Arlington2025.html http://www.arlingtonforums.net/

Survey:

http://www.ci.arlington.tx.us/planning/comprehensive/survey1.html



Tennis Anyone??

Our newest neighbor and former National Tennis Champion from Mexico/TCU All-star is offering tennis lessons to anyone in the neighborhood. Private/group classes available. Contact: Juan Corominas at 817-563-4906.

Note of thanks: Juan has already improved the tennis courts—the nets have been raised to the official playing height (of course a national champion would be most concerned about this!) and he has repaired the holes in the nets and continues to keep the courts clean. It is great to have a neighbor who takes charge and gets things done. Thanks Juan!

Alarm Permits

It's time to renew your Arlington Alarm Permit. Effective July 1, 2003, the Police Department will not respond to burglar alarms when an alarm company calls 911 unless a valid permit number is provided.

From the Pool Committee:

Swim Lessons

We still have a few spots available in our "Backyard Swim Program."

Age Group	Session Dates	Session Times	
3-5	June 2-12	9:00-9:50 a.m.	
6-8	June 16-26	9:00-9:50 a.m.	

Please call as soon as possible, the YMCA is ready to assign instructors. These lessons are a great price at a great location and promise to be a great benefit for our ELE homeowners and kids!

Jan Brown 817-478-5715

Pool Tags

Remember to drop or mail a signed certificate found on page 31 of your ELE Directory to 7008 Crater Lake to receive your 2003 pool tags before the pool opens. It is the hope of the Pool Committee to have all the tag certificates by May 17th. Homeowner's turning in their certificate for pool tag stickers after that date need to allow the Pool Committee seven days for delivery of pool tag stickers, no exceptions. Tags must be current for entrance to the pool for the 2003 season.

The Pool Committee was unable to reorder plastic tags the same size as in the past years; therefore, the current tag stickers are slightly smaller. In order to avoid losing pool tags; please pin your tags to your pool towel, affix to a pool bag, etc. Also, remember to write your last name and/or phone number on the back of your tags in permanent marker. If left at the pool, the lifeguard staff will be able to contact you.

Parties

There are some new rules regarding parties/gatherings held during regular pool hours. The new rules are posted in the pool house foyer and can be found in your ELE directory. Please carefully review the new rules before planning a party at the pool!

Splash Day

Splash Day will be on May 24th. Hot dogs, chips, and soft drinks will be available for purchase from 11:30 to 1:00 with snow cones free of charge, thanks to the ELE Women's Club.



See you at the pool!

Splash Day: May 24, 2003

Grounds Committee Spring Update

This has been a great year for the Grounds Committee! With the help of Southwest Erosion Control, we recently completed phase III repairs to the canal and Tennis courts and plan to plant a new garden oasis in the old pond behind the community pool. Our courts were in danger of water erosion on the north end. The existing rip-rocks were removed and replaced with more eyeappealing trilock bricks. This promises to be a longterm repair plus safer for our children's little feet to walk on. The canal erosion was also repaired with the same trilock bricks. Instead of paying to remove the rock from the backside of the tennis courts, we used them to support the edges of the common grounds boarding the lake.

The common ground pond was in desperate need of help. The years of silt and branches flowing down the canal had filled the side areas of the pond. Southwest Erosion Control cleaned the pond, erected a bag wall to ensure better water flow and removed a constricting concrete wall under the bridge. A new planting area was formed and Tim's Landscaping has great ideas for a colorful pond oasis including the return of the fountain.

A big **THANK YOU** to all the Grounds Committee members as well as the phone calls and e-mails from the homeowners for your suggestions, keep them coming. The ELE website has a link for "grounds" so please feel free to express any ideas or concerns.

Ken Eichenauer

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