### NEWSLETTER

January 2007

# Prairie Village Homes Association

### All Association Annual Business Meeting

When: February 7, 2007 7:00 pm

Where: Village Presbyterian Church Rm. 233

67 St. & Mission Rd. (Use south entrance) Agenda: Dinner @ 7:00 pm

State of the Association Report

**Financial Report** 

Volunteer Recognition and Awards Presentation

**Election of Board Members** 

R.S.V.P. to Susan Forrest @ 262-6312 by February 1, 2007

#### Board members needed:

4 board positions will be up for election or re-election this year. Board members attend meetings every other month. Meetings last 1 to 2 hours. We currently meet Wednesday evenings at 7:00 pm. This schedule is subject to change should the new board choose to do so. In addition, most board members spend time outside of these meetings on Association projects, events and administration. Board terms last 3 years. If you are interested in a seat on the board, put your name on the ballot by calling Susan by February 1, 2007. We will also accept nominations from the floor at the annual meeting.

#### Island Beautification:

We wish to thank our volunteers for their outstanding job planting and maintaining the traffic islands though out our Association. We wish to acknowledge the work they put in for the enjoyment of all of us. Our island volunteers from 2006 are:

Paul & Tina Abney Ed & Sharice Golden Susan Britton Andy & Mary Hoy Maurice Brownlee Kim Long Angie McDermed Scott & Lynne Crossette Helen Messner Cyndee Davee Anne Framcke Brent Muecke Marianne Noll Tia Franks Kimberly Goings Susan Miller & Mark Robins

Kathy Schrunk
Laurie & Jim Stiles
Tammy Wainwright
Ashley Weaver
Leo Wetherill
Jim & Sally Wiley
Mark & Betty Wilson
Angela Wohler

We apologize for any omissions. This list may need to be updated. To make corrections, call our island coordinator, Dick Haun @ 432-8596. We wish to recognize all of these hard working volunteers.

#### Islands Available in 2007:

67 St & Granada 73 Ter & Village Dr 68 St & Mission Rd 75 St & Rosewood 69 St & Granada Roe Cul-de-sac 72 St & Tomahawk Tomahawk & Nall

If the island you desire is not listed, contact Dick. He will have any updates or may be able to work out a trade.

You will be reimbursed for your planting materials should you wish to volunteer your creativity and labor.

#### Welcome New Neighbors:

September:

Rick & Trina Vega 4600 W 70 St Kristen Krueger 4510 W 71 Ter Bret Gray & Courtney Lawrence 5214 W 72 Ter Eric Ecklund-Johnson 4317 W 67 St Lee Bird & Alisha Ahern 4811 W 71 Ter Samuel & Maura Murray 4122 W 68 Ter

October

Stephen & Susan Bubb 7184 Buena Vista. Robert Edson & Laura Brockman 5021 W 72 St Christina Jordan 7048 Cedar Kimberly Olson 4116 W 68 Ter Tracy McClain 6803 El Monte Shawn Renner & Karen Pennington 7332 Ash November

Theresa Meara 4406 W 70 St Pauling Payne 4306 W 69 Ter Sarah Miller 5211 W 71 Ter Kelly Miller 4909 W 70 St Matthew & Michelle Dawdy 4103 W 73 Ter

Frank & Patricia James 6818 Granada Rd Nichole Vrana 4719 W 71 Ter December

Mindy Vonwolf 7057 Cedar David Walsh & Sarah Scott 4324 W 70 Ter Barbara Worthington 6731 Granada Ln Matthew & Amy Vaughn 7409 Ash Andrew Nielson & Sarah Crabb 6842 Fontana Kyle Graham 4521 W 71 Ter Joseph Hassell & Quinn Ogozelec 4907 W 72 Ter

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#### Calendar:

2007

Board Meeting 7pm Municipal Bldg. Jan. 17 Annual, Meeting 7pm Village Church Board Meeting 7pm Municipal Bldg Mar. 21 May 16 Board Meeting 7pm Municipal Bldg. Garage Sale. June 1-3

Board Meeting 7pm Municipal Bldg July 18 Sept. 19 Board Meeting 7pm Municipal Bldg. Board Meeting 7pm Municipal Bldg. Nov. 21

\*Porter Park Picnic to be announced

The board meeting schedule is subject to change. Please consult our web site @ www.pvhomes.org or contact any board member for updates.

Board meetings are held in the large meeting room in the Municipal Building A.K.A. City Hall.

#### Help Wanted:

#### Attorney

From time to time we need minor legal advice. If you are a community minded lawyer and would be willing to give of your talents, please invest in your neighborhood by helping your Association. Better still, please consider running for a seat on our board. Your particular perspective would be appreciated. Call Susan @ 262-6312 for more information.

#### Board News:

Our board has discussed asking for on increase in annual dues for the purpose of building a contingency fund. This fund would be in place to protect the interests of our Association, should the need arise. We have voted not to ask for an increase at this time. Our 2007 dues will remain at the 2006 levels. Instead, we plan to begin building the fund by watching spending and increasing efforts to collect on delinquent accounts. All Association members in good standing are welcome to attend board meetings. We begin each meeting with a public forum where you are free to speak your mind. Your input on this subject or any other is always welcome.

#### Block Captain Spotlight:

Did you see the holiday light display on 74 St. west of Mission Rd.? It began in 2005 when the Hansford family wrapped their curb line tree with twinkle lights. In 2006, a few neighbors asked the Hansfords if they would wrap their trees in the same manner. The Hansfords decided to distribute fliers to the 50 homes on their street, offering to do the wrapping if the homeowners would cover the cost of materials. The response was terrific. Nearly every home participated. The street looked quite festive. The experience was so positive for Jeani Hansford; she has volunteered to become a block captain.

Block captains are responsible for compiling, printing and distributing a street roster. They determine what to include, how and how often it is updated. Usually the street roster leads to a block party or other function. In this case the reverse happened. If you wish to or already act as a block captain, call Susan @ 262-6312.

#### Homes of the Month for 2006:

January: 6748 Fontana February: ------March: 4607 W 70 St April: 6833 Granada Ln May: 3917 W 69 St June: ----- July: 4705 W 70 St August: 4514 W 72 Ter September: 7345 Ash October: 4637 W 69 Ter November: 7119 Alhambra December: 4100 W 74 St

All homes of the month have some common characteristics. They comply with our deed restrictions. If additions exist, they compliment the original home. They are attractive and well kept. Many have been nominated by a neighbor. You may see photos of these homes @www.pvhomes.org.

#### Gather Common Interests:

They following people have stepped forward to organize the following activities. Please contact them if your interests match theirs.

- Play groups for children of stay at home parents Deborah Mower @ 677-0144
- Bridge Mary Lou Newton @ 722-2645
- Seniors for Socializing and Building Support Systems Jane Compton @ 831-6901

If you wish to organize a group to match your interest, call Susan @ 262-6512, and allow our Association to get your word out.

#### Deed Restrictions & Bylaws:

Our Bylaws are available @ <a href="www.haccd.org">www.haccd.org</a> or you may link to it through our web site @ <a href="www.pvhomes.org">www.pvhomes.org</a>. We are still working on the best way to put our declaration of restrictions on line. If you want a copy now, contact a board member and arrange to make a duplicate.

#### McCrum Park / Cingular Update:

Cingular's petition before the City Planning Commission has been continued to the February meeting. The situation is unchanged since our last report.

#### Our Fountain has New Life:

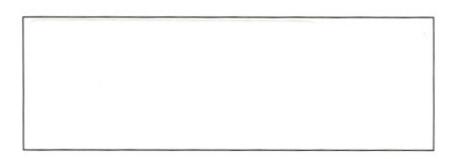
Good news. The fountain at Oxford & 69 St will run normally soon. Public Works has agreed to take responsibility for the extensive needed repairs. It will be reconstructed as a recirculating fountain. We have agreed to consider contributing to the project to add amenities and/or prioritize it on the Public Works schedule.

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