

In Case You Missed It!

The **new name** for the Kearney Lodge Mobile Home Owners Association is

Kearney Lodge Community Connection (KLCC).

The name was chosen by a majority vote at the meeting of 8 March 2012.



April 12 at 6:30 PM Main Recreation Room

FOOD: Bring what you can . . . it's PotLUCK!

BRING: Your own plates,

cups, and utensils.

SOCIALIZE and EAT;

then CONDUCT MEETING: 7:00-8:00 pm as usual

QUOTES

Caster spells out beauty, the rare beauty of new life. -S.D. Gordon

Passover has a message for the conscience and the heart of all mankind. For what does it commemorate? It commemorates the deliverance of a people from degrading slavery, from most foul and cruel tyranny.

And so, it is Israel's – nay, God's protest against unrighteousness, whether individual or national. — Morris Joseph

A Blessed

Caster

WISHING

A Joyous Passover



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NEXT POTLUCK and MEETING Thursday, 12 APR 2012 - 6:30 PM Main Recreation Room

JUST A REMINDER FOR ALL RESIDENTS

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Kearney Lodge Community Connection

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Opinions expressed in "Letters to the Editor" do not necessarily represent

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Kearney Lodge Office 858-277-6060 http://www.kearneylodge.net/index.htm

At Caster

by Winifred Sackville Stoner, Jr.

As Easter breathes hope for a joyous tomorrow
E'en out of the depths of despair,
So may this day banish from you every sorrow
And make you feel free as the air.

While hearing grand anthems that swell to the sky,
And breathing sweet lilies' perfume,
May you feel assured that your soul will not die
As life does not end in the tomb.

Why is This Night Different?

By Ray Shankman

Why is this night different
now that we are older
and our children are with us
each one of us crosses the same desert
helping the stragglers
lifting the forlorn and lost
helping life into life
helplessness into healing hope
we are here together
hearing each story as if it were our own
committed to keeping the story alive
the journey going

TO CONSIDER

Yesterday is gone; tomorrow is uncertain; today is here. Use it wisely.

When we learn from our mistakes, we are less likely to repeat them.

Fellowship builds us up and binds us together.

Compassion is needed to heal the hurts of others.

Good works are not the means of salvation but the result.

Correction does much, but encouragement does more. When you forget yourself, you usually start doing something others will remember.

QUOTES

He is no fool who gives what he cannot keep to gain what he cannot lose. — Jim Elliot

If it's very painful for you to criticize your friends – you're safe in doing it.

But if you take the slightest pleasure in it, that's the time to hold your tongue. — Alice Duer Miller

Don't Move!



(But, You May Have To)

If your home is destroyed under a covered loss and you have an insurance policy that does not replace your home with a brand new home, you will probably have to move! Either buy someone else's home in your park, which is not always ideal; what if you do not like their home? Their floor plan? Their home smells funny? You do not like their location? What if it's a "fixer upper"? What if the only home for sale in your park is in not in your price range? OR, what if you have to buy a home in another park? Really?

These are things you should think about when you purchase this kind of policy.

It doesn't get any better when you consider buying another home from another park and moving it to your lot. This can take thousands of dollars out of your purchase: tear down, permit and prep for travel (\$2500), transport with permits (up to \$5000), set up with permits (up to \$7500), make necessary repairs to the roof, sub-flooring, and exterior, including any new piers, new skirting, new carport & steps, as well as re-paint the exterior of the home to match the new skirting, will the park approve this age home? The list of "to do's" goes on . . .

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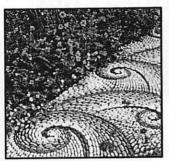
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http://www.stopthethyroidmadness.com/

OUOTES

A common mistake that people make when trying to design something completely fool-proof is to under-estimate the ingenuity of complete - Douglas Adams fools.

It is the peculiar quality of a fool to perceive the faults of others and to forget his own.

- Marcus T. Cicero

I don't make jokes. I just watch the government and report the facts. - Will Rogers

The trouble with practical jokes is that very often - Will Rogers they get elected.

PROVERBS...

He who is born a fool is never cured.

Fool me once, shame on you; fool me twice, - Chinese Proverb shame on me.

We're fools whether we dance or not, so we - Japanese Proverb might as well dance.

It is better to weep with wise men than to laugh - Spanish Proverb with fools.

If every fool wore a crown, we should all be - Welsh Proverb kings.

Don't give cherries to pigs or advice to fools. - Irish Proverb

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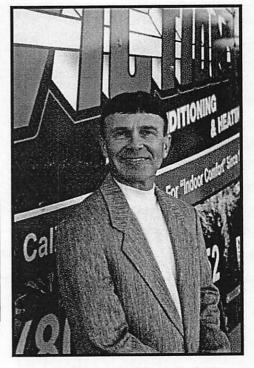


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Kearney Lodge Community Connection Meeting: 9 FEB 2012

Joe Beatty called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

TREASURER'S REPORT:

Beginning balance: \$465.11
 Newsletter ad income: \$16.00
 Donations \$49.00

4. Refreshments: (\$ 10.00) 5. Newsletter expense: (\$149.34)

BALANCE

\$370.77

POTLUCK and MEETING Thursday, 12 APR 2012 at 6:30 pm

Joleen moved to accept the treasurer's report; motion approved unanimously.

HOUSEKEEPING CONCERNS:

- 1. Joe reminded everyone of the rules of order.
- 2. Donations were accepted by the treasurer.
- 3. Raffle money was collected from those who wanted to participate.
- 4. Joe moved to approve the minutes from February 9, 2012. Motion approved unanimously.

COMMITTEE REPORT:

- 1. Emergency Preparedness—Chair, Cheryl Clark.
- a. Cheryl left early due to illness—everyone wishes her a speedy recovery.
- b. One block captain reluctantly resigned; Sylvia Thomson volunteered to take her place.
- c. Ron Maurice volunteered to contact Cheryl and suggest that we have a meeting of the block captains before the next KLCC meeting in April so we can get this going.

Dara Dobbins #285
Wendy Hunter #186
Myrna Wilhelm #333

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Cheryl Clark #57

Ellen Conrad #86 Steve Cook #66 Sylvia Thomson #277

Alex & Joe # 145

Dee Cowley #77

d. Joe reminded everyone that a map of the park can be printed from the KL park website.

OLD BUSINESS:

- 1. Rummage sale
 - a. Date is March 24, 2012, from 7am to 1pm.
- b. 8 of the park's 9 tables have been reserved. If you want the last table, sign up at the front office. One table will be set aside for residents to donate items to be sold with proceeds going to the KLCC Treasury.
 - c. Ellen posted a sign for the meeting tonight,
 and the same sign will be used to adver-

tise the sale on the 24th.

d. Joe will put the tables out at 6 AM) on the 24th and will put names on a the tables that have been reserved.

- e. Taylor has agreed to help. For next year's sale, ask if there are others who would be willing to lend a truck for this purpose.
- f. Another suggestion for selling large items is to take pictures of them to put on your table—then anyone who is interested can come to your space later to look over and/or purchase them.
- 2. Previous suggestion box items:
- a. The suggestion to report dog owners who don't pick up their dog's waste was questioned—are you supposed to follow them on their walk and then back to their space? Response: not at all; but this is where coming to meetings and get-ting to know each other can help.
- b. The suggestion about moving handicap parking nearer to laundry: Joe spoke with the managers who said a handicap space takes up 1.5 spaces and there are only 2 spaces closest to the door (additionally, the railing that is up impedes easy access to the laundry room door). They do plan to put handicap spaces as close as possible when it is time to re-mark the spaces around the secondary laundry room.
- 3. Driveway questions from last month: Joe spoke with the managers who stated that:
- a. Park rules indicate that managers are responsible.
- b. Managers check driveways once a year and will put them on a list to be fixed; someone thought they only fixed 7, maybe 10 or maybe 10% per year.
- c. Managers will seal a driveway for \$100 fee.

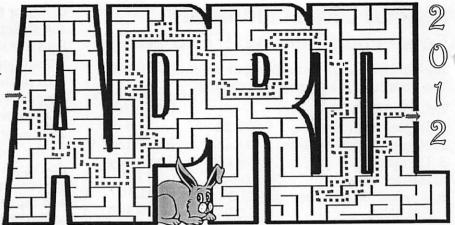
NEW BUSINESS:

- 1. Suggestion box items thank you to those who are taking the time to let us know your concerns.
- a. Concern was expressed about the cats that are not being kept indoors as required by park rules. Members present indicated that some of these may be feral cats and that they actually help keep the rat population down in the park. Several members shared that they have seen rats on their property and the consensus was that we would rather pick up stray cat waste than have rats running rampant. Joleen agreed to publish some ideas in the next newsletter regarding non-poisonous ways to discourage cats from coming onto your property, should you want to do this. (Continued on page 8)

A copy of the By-Laws is in the KLCC Minutes Notebook in the clubhouse and will be available at meetings.

(Continuation from page 7) KLCC Meeting - 8 MAR 2012

b. Parking was raised as a concern again. The same cars are parked overnight, night-after-night; cars are parking on both sides of the street right across from each other which is impeding traffic and would be a safety hazard if an ambulance or fire truck needed to get through. One member reported that one of the security guards dismissed her concern when she expressed it to him. Joe will ask



the managers to make an announcement that clearly explains the parking rules and what will happen for violations. Members present believed that parking to load/unload, or for 20-30 minutes during the daytime should be allowed without penalty, but that long-term, repeated parking, especially over-night or in a manner that impedes the traffic flow should carry a penalty in order to stop it from happening.

- 2. Steve announced that May 21 is the deadline for registering to vote in the primary election in June; and reported that the Registrar of Voters is looking for paid-volunteers to help at the polls. Steve will put registration cards in the front office (if it is allowed) or in the clubhouse.
- 3. Sylvia expressed concern that the streetlights seem to be inadequate for safe walking in the park after dark. Joe will talk to the managers and ask whether the lights can be made brighter or if we can get more lights, closer together. Several members also complained that the lights seem to come on inconsistently, especially after a time-change (they may not be changing with the changing time of darkness). Again, Joe will check on this.
- 4. Joleen recognized everyone present for taking the time to be here. She also asked that people tell her when there is a birth, marriage, etc. in the park so she can spread the news in the newsletter (with resident's permission, of course). Member turn out was better last month with the potluck. Wendy

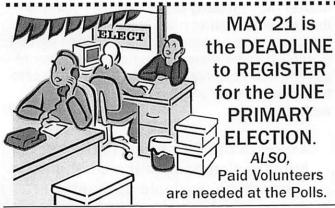
moved that we have a potluck every other month to see if this will draw out more participation. Members approved: Pot Luck April 12 at 6:30 pm. Joleen will advertise in the newsletter.

5. Raffle drawing was held for the \$13 that was collected. Winner's name will not be published.

Meeting was ended at 7:55 PM. Respectfully submitted, Wendy J. Hunter Secretary, KLMHOA - Space 186

NEXT POTLUCK and MEETING

12 APR at 6:30 PM

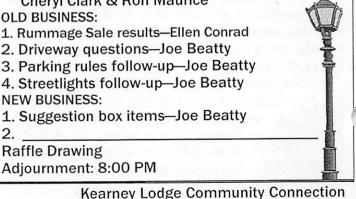


KLCC Meeting Agenda: 12 APR 2012 POT LUCK: 6:30 PM Call to order: 7:00 PM The Pledge of Allegiance Treasurer's Report HOUSEKEEPING CONCERNS 1. Rules of order reminder—Joe Beatty

- 2. Voluntary KLCC dues reminder (\$1) Joe Beatty
- 3. Raffle reminders-Joe Beatty a. \$1 drawing
 - b. Any business raffle?
- 4. Minutes approval—Joe Beatty COMMITTEE REPORTS
- Emergency Preparedness— Cheryl Clark & Ron Maurice **OLD BUSINESS:**
- 1. Rummage Sale results-Ellen Conrad
- 3. Parking rules follow-up-Joe Beatty
- 4. Streetlights follow-up-Joe Beatty **NEW BUSINESS:**
- 1. Suggestion box items—Joe Beatty

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Adjournment: 8:00 PM



WE WANT TO KNOW IF . . .

You plan an event in the Park that the public may attend...there is someone new in your family...you got married...you have a loss...you need transportation...you need medical equipment

that we may have available to lend to you, or **you want** to donate an item or two for lending.

SHARE YOUR IDEAS!

The KLCC wants ideas to discuss at meetings for implementation in Kearney Lodge (dances, dance lessons, exercise classes, book clubs, bridge or other card games, (board) game nights, arts/crafts, trips to someplace, potlucks, breakfasts, or something else?) Do you or a neighbor need a ride to the meetings? See block

Ideas could be for activities for the **entire** community and for adults, kids, families, small groups. Would you participate...

Would you help... Do you have experience with this activity or event?

Please **share** your ideas with us by using the form on page **10** and putting it in the Suggestion Box in the main Recreation Room **before** the April **12**, 2012 KLCC meeting. Ideas not used immediately may be used in the future.

Thank you for participating in the community spirit of Kearney Lodge Park.

FREE ADS FOR HOMEOWNERS

Homeowners can place a *free* "ad" for any item that they want to offer to the residents for *FREE*. If a homeowner wants to SELL an item, an ad costs the same as for a business advertiser. Costs are posted in the Newsletter on the bottom left of Page 3.



PLEASE WATCH OUT WHILE DRIVING?

WE ALL walk, bike, skate, tend our yards and gardens, and otherwise use the streets.

PESTS in your yard?

The NEXT POTLUCK

and MEETING is

Thursday,

12 APR 2012

at 6:30 PM

Main REC Room.

TRANSPORTATION

TO MEETINGS

For a ride to the next

Kearney Lodge

Community Connection

meeting, please call the

Park office at

858-277-6060.

AME

Here are some ideas to handle pests in your yard – possums, raccoons, skunks, cats and others – at http://www.alleycat.org/Page.aspx?pid=375&gclid=CMPfil-92q4CFcMbQgodPxVTfQ

Some neighbors are unhappy about in their yards. If you have been working in your yard and garden, the cats may think you do it for them – many cats have seen people 'tending' litter boxes – digging and sifting – it's a lot like gardening! It is a cat's natural instinct to dig and deposit in soft or loose soil, moss, mulch, or sand.

QUICK SOLUTIONS: Scatter fresh orange and lemon peels or spray with citrusscented fragrances. Coffee grounds, pipe tobacco, or oil of lavender, lemon-grass, citronella, or eucalyptus also deter cats, and other wildlife. Plant the herb rue to repel cats, or sprinkle dried rue over your lawn and/or garden.

Use plastic carpet runners spike-side up, covered lightly in soil - runners found at hardware or office supply stores; or set chicken wire firmly into the dirt with the edges rolled.

- Cover exposed ground in flower beds with large, river rocks to prevent cats from digging.
- Establish a litter box by tilling the soil or placing sand in an out-of-the-way spot in your yard. Keep it clean and free of deposits. (Your Editor had a six-by-six foot sandbox at one home.)
- Artfully arrange branches in a lattice-type pattern or wooden or plastic lattice fencing material over soil. You can disguise these by planting flowers and seeds in the openings. You can also try embedding wooden chopsticks, pinecones, or sticks with dull points deep into the soil with the tops exposed eight inches apart.

There are other ideas and information on the web-site noted above. Additional information is at http://www.cat-repellant.info/ and http://www.gardeningknowhow.com/proble ms/cat-repellent.htm. There are repellant products found at http://www.gardeners.com.

An Editor's neighbor really likes this product: http://www.contech-inc.com/products/scarecrow/ There are several sources.

If there are no outside cats, [§] Expect more mice and rats!

APRIL 2012 VIVIII						
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
APRIL FOOL'S DAY	2	3	4	5 9 am Quilters	6 PASSOVER Begins 7 pm Bingo	7
8 EASTER	9	PLEASE FILL IN AN IDEA FORM	BRING FORM TO MEETING >	9 am Quilters 6:30 pm POTLUCK and KLCC >> Meeting	13 7 pm Bingo	14 PASSOVER Ends
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KLCC ACTIVITIES SUGGESTION(S) (Please deposit this form in the Suggestion Box in the main Recreation Room)
TO DISCUSS AT MEETINGS:
ACTIVITY IDEA(s):
FOR: Adults _ Kids _ Families _ Everyone _ Groups _
Have you had experience with your idea before? YES No
Would you help? YES _ Not Able _ If "yes", please give your Name, Space # &best method of contact.
Would you participate? YES Not Able

THOUGHTS

Watch your thoughts; they become words. Watch your words; they become actions. Watch your actions; they become habits. Watch your habits they become character. Watch your character; it be-comes your destiny. Have you become a "user" and do not recognize love? Have you missed the opportunity to apologize for your thoughtlessness. Stay faithful and be grateful.

BINDER CLIP FOR KITCHEN TOWELS

The kitchen drawer is a great place to hang your towels, but every time you open the drawer, the towel falls to the ground. Solve



it with a binder clip. The mounting is pretty easy. If there is no screw going through the kitchen drawer from a handle, drill a small hole and mount the binder clip with a washer and a screw. Then, simply clip the towel with the binder clip and you're done.