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May 2010

SNAIL General Meeting Thursday - May 6th

Location: Columbia School • Time: 7:00 p.m.

The meeting will be held in the Staff Lounge. Look for the SNAIL sign.

This month the Speaker will be from the Santa Clara Valley Water District.

SNAIL always meets on the first Thursday of the month. The rare exceptions are when the first Thursday is also the same date as a big holiday.

Mark your calendar now for the rest of the year! All SNAIL area homeowners, residents and guests are invited. Children are welcome.

SNAIL Progressive Dinner Party May 16th, Sunday from 2:00pm to 7:00pm

YOU WILL NOT BE ABLE TO EAT WITHOUT A NAME TAG CALL 734-0739 NOW!

On the 200 block of E. Eaglewood 19 homes represent 12 different nations. Come and celebrate diversity with them.

Shelley Capovilla will make a name tag you will probably want to save and she will paint your face! However she won't look up the information for you. You need to leave first names, last names, addresses and ages of children on Jeannie's recorder at 734-0739. If you would like to make a dish to share contact Jeannie to receive instructions as to reimbursement for you expense.

May 16th, Sunday 3:00 raffle for those having made reservations in advance, 1-8 appetizers, dances, puppet show, games until 3, salads, main courses and desserts until 7. Please help us out by staying for clean up, bringing your own beverage, ice and chairs. IMPORTANT: "This activity will be cancelled if there is rain is forecast."

Fundraiser Books

SNAIL has received notice of Entertainment's bankruptcy. Happily, just in time we found Yore Fundraiser which is the finest fundraiser we have come up with to date. The reason it is such a fine thing for SNAIL is we make \$17 profit on every \$20 item sold. YORE Fundraiser Books are now available by calling 734-0739. The books will be available at SNAIL meetings and until the Progressive Dinner Party on E. Eaglewood May 16th.

Summer Camps

Summer is around the corner. What will your kids be doing? The City of Sunnyvale has more than 35 camps from which to choose, including general recreation, performing and visual arts, science and engineering, sports and field trips. To view the new summer camps, visit Recreation.inSunnyvale.com.

Art and Craft Fair May 8, 2010

Come and join for the 1st annual Columbia Creative! Art and Craft Fair on May 8 from 10am-3pm at the Columbia Middle School quad area. We have glass artists, carvers, woodworkers, candlemakers, painters, hat makers, drum makers, cards, clothing, textile artists, Tupperware, Princess House, Mary Kay and much, much more. We have 38+ artists. So come and see some of the wares your neighborhood SNAILS are selling on the day before Mother's Day. If you have any questions, please contact Shelley Capovilla 408-737-8450

From the Chair

I suddenly realized how quickly the year goes by this past weekend, when two truckloads from a neighbor's storage were delivered to my driveway for the June 12-13 SNAIL Fundraiser Yard Sale!

Time to get serious and start planning. We need volunteers to sort and price items Monday-Thursday, June 7-10th, 6-8pm, and volunteers to set up tables and put out sale items Saturday 6-8:30am. Then we need some cheerful, chatty folks to help customers during the day 9am-3pm Saturday and Sunday. This event is more than a fundraiser - it's just about the biggest social gathering of the year. We see more neighbors in one day than

about any other time. Please check your calendar for availability for a few hours, and call 739-8490 as soon as possible. It is great to see our neighbors coming out to the general meeting,

hearing our speakers, and enjoying the longer social break and special refreshments.

Deniece Alexander and Travis Neff from PG&E gave a very informative program on the new Smart Meters at our last meeting. We had guests from four other Neighborhood Associations for their program, and 2 of them have already had these speakers come

Remember our International Progressive Dinner this month, May 16th on the 200 Block East Eaglewood. The City is closing the street for us, and there will be music and activities for children. We need your early reservations to plan enough food. Please call 734-0739 NOW. Tell us how many adults and children will be there, and ages of children.

Looking forward to seeing you at General Meeting Thursday, May 6th at Columbia School Staff Lounge.

In neighborly friendship,

Connie Cook-Turner



Seemed the whole neighborhood was being rebuilt during April. Above - very dusty work on Maude and Borregas. Below - on Duane and Bayview corner curbs were upgraded for handicap access



Block Reps Volunteers Needed

Neighbors on the following streets do not have a volunteer to deliver the monthly Newsletter on their block. If you would like to continue receiving the SNAIL Newsletter and participating in SNAIL events, we need a volunteer to deliver newsletters once a month (approximately 15-20 minutes) on your block. If you would like to volunteer for your block, please call 739-8490.

200 Block East Ferndale 500 Block Borregas 500 Block E. Duane 500 Block Cypress

Newsletter Distribution Update

We have a new block representative for Santa Coleta Court, where the neighbors haven't received a newsletter in a year since the last rep. moved.

We are currently outreaching the 200 Block E. Ferndale, the 500 Block Borregas, the 500 Block Cypress, and the 500 Block

We have outreached the 200 Block W. Hemlock, 300 Block East Eaglewood, and the Sunset Apts for the past 3 months without getting a block volunteer, so they will not receive another outreach newsletter until October for the Holiday Season.

Any help with these outreach efforts would be sincerely appreciated. Please call 739-8490.

Website Committee

Now that our website, www.snail.org, has been updated and is live, we are considering some additions and changes. We would like to form a Website Committee to discuss these possibilities. If you would like to participate, please come to the general meeting on May 6th, 7pm, Columbia School.

Health & Safety Fair Return To Columbia Middle School

Bring the family to the City of Sunnyvale's annual Health & Safety Fair for an afternoon of fun activities and entertainment. Sunnyvale is once again teaming up with local groups to inform residents about health and safety services in the community. Admission is free and takes place Saturday, May 22, at Columbia Middle School, 739 Morse Ave., from 11am to 3pm.

Keep Conserving Water

It may be raining, but that doesn't mean we should stop conserving water. The City of Sunnyvale, in cooperation with the Santa Clara

Valley Water District (SCVWD), continues to encourage business and residents to reduce their water consumption.

Sunnyvale residents and businesses are eligible for a free Water-Wise water use survey from the SCVWD that helps identify opportunities where you can conserve.

For more information or to schedule your Water-Wise survey, call (800) 548-1882 or visit www.valleywater.org

Dumpster Day/Yard Sale

City of Sunnyvale will be providing us with 6 dumpsters again this year on Saturday, June 12th from 8am to 2pm.

Plan ahead for your garage and yard clean-up. Save those good, reusable items for the Annual Fundraiser Yard Sale on Saturday/Sunday June 12-13.

For further information or to volunteer for these events, call Barry 739-1420 re:dumpsters, or Connie 739-8490 re:yardsale.

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