

# **Neighborhood News**

A Newsletter for Residents in Indian Hills Estates

October 2022

### Your IHE POA Officers and Directors

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# **Community Mourns the Loss of Mike Kleiss**



It is with a heavy heart we share that Mike Kleiss, a beloved member of our community, passed away on October 10th. Our thoughts and prayers go out to his wife Betty and their children.

Mike Kleiss contributed much to our community over the years and was quick to lend a helping hand, share a smile or offer a kind word. Until he became too ill to do so, he

could be seen routinely mowing all of the right of ways in the neighborhood. Both he and his wife Betty also served on the POA board for many years.

He will be greatly missed.

## **Community Dumpster Day – Round 2**

The Dumpster Day held on September  $10^{th}$  was a huge success and it filled up so quickly that some property owners didn't have the opportunity to make use of it. With that in mind, we will have another dumpster day for the community on Saturday, November 5th, from 8:00 am – 12:00 pm or until it fills up – whichever comes first.

It will be in the same location at the pavilion located at 5057 Apache Moon. Be sure to come early to beat the rush!

Due to regulatory restrictions, we cannot accept the following items:

Paint, solvents, thinners, oils, oil rags, oil filters, fuel, fuel tanks, fuel cans, refrigerators, air conditioners, freon cans, acids, fluorescent bulbs, propane bottles, welding gas bottles, herbicides, pesticides, radioactive materials, tires, batteries, any electronics containing built in batteries.

# The Changing Weather

It is turning cooler and we have had a little rain, but we are still currently under a burn ban. Not only is the ground saturation much dryer than normal, but the high winds that come with the season would make it much more difficult to contain any fires that get out of control.

ALWAYS check with the Fire Marshal for the status of any burn ban before starting an outdoor burn.

Burn Ban Information: https://www.co.comal.tx.us/Fire\_Marshal.htm

Drought Information: https://www.drought.gov/states/texas/county/comal

# **Helping Our Neighbors**

Please, especially as Thanksgiving and Christmas holidays approach, check on your neighbors. Many may be spending the holidays alone, without family or friends.

If you can, "adopt" them for the holidays. Share a meal and a laugh or two. No one should be alone during this time of year. Let's be thankful for what we have been blessed with and help those we can.

If you are aware of someone who will be alone and you are not in a position to help, please pass the name and address to a current board member so that we can reach out and provide a holiday meal.

### **Holiday Letters Delivered**



The Community Christmas holiday letters were hand delivered this past Sunday. If you are in need of gift assistance for your children, or you would like to offer assistance for a needy family, please complete and return the questionnaire by November 15<sup>th</sup> to allow time for shopping and gift wrapping.

Santa and Mrs. Claus have confirmed their travel plans and will be arriving in Indian Hills on Saturday, December 10th. Watch our website and Facebook page for the times, which will be posted as their date of arrival gets closer. Do you know how the Indian Hills Estates POA Officers and Board of Directors are selected?

#### Your vote counts!

The Indian Hills Estates Home Owners' Association is governed by a *Board of Directors*. Directors are property owners in Indian Hills Estates that are elected by members (property owners). These positions are voluntary and unpaid.

All meetings are held at the Pavilion at 5057 Apache Moon.

Annual meetings are held the second Sunday in September at 1:00 PM.

Monthly meetings are held the first Monday of each month at 7:00 PM.

Property Owners - Please be sure your annual dues are current. These funds support our street lights and will help us continue these special events.

