

SPRING / SUMMER 2023

WOOD VALLEY NEWS

Official Newsletter of the
Wood Valley Homeowners Association

Spring Has Finally Arrived!

We hope this newsletter finds you and your family happy and healthy. It's hard to believe we're finally into warm-weather season. For quite some time, it seemed like we would never escape the cold temperatures.

In this edition, you will find reminders, seasonal updates and information on upcoming events. Have a wonderful spring and summer - enjoy our beautiful neighborhood and the company of those in our community!



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Neighborhood Updates

Annual Dues Reminder

As a reminder, the annual dues payment of \$80 for each homeowner was due by March 1, 2023. If you have not paid already, please do so as soon as possible to avoid unnecessary fees to be assessed pursuant to our bylaws. Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter.

Neighborhood Updates

Below are updates on neighborhood projects that the Board would like to provide to residents. When we have additional information, we will be sure to share it with homeowners.

- We are currently looking into options for refreshing the front entrance sign at Spring Mill Drive and Green Road.
- You may have noticed that winter did quite a number on the neighborhood streets! We are discussing potholes with the Road Commission to determine the best course of action.
- We are discussing maintenance of the park pond and park ditches with the Drain Commission. They estimated that maintenance will be performed on them in early 2024.
- We are in the process of purchasing a soccer net for the park.

Spring Cleaning

'Tis the season for spring cleaning! As a reminder, homeowners are welcome to power wash the outside of their home/fence, clear street drains, and remove tree stumps. Let's keep our neighborhood looking beautiful!

Little Library

Are you looking to refresh your book selection? Stop by the little library in front of Ron and Ann Perry's home at 5843 Wood Valley Drive. You can bring books from home to exchange, allowing other families to read stories that you have enjoyed. It's a great stop to make during your neighborhood walk!



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Community Activities and Upcoming Events

Community Activities

Utilize the resources below to learn more about upcoming events as well as parks, trails, and activities in our local area.

East Lansing Art Festival

Saturday, May 20, 10 a.m.-6 p.m.,
and Sunday, May 21, 10 a.m.-5 p.m.
Downtown East Lansing

Celebrate Meridian Festival

Saturday, June 24 | 8 a.m.-11 p.m.
Meridian Township Municipal Complex/Central Park and
Marketplace on the Green Pavilion, Okemos

Parks Directory: [meridian.mi.us/government/
where-to-find/parks-directory](https://meridian.mi.us/government/where-to-find/parks-directory)

Trails and Pathways: [meridian.mi.us/about-
us/departments/parks-recreation/trails-pathways](https://meridian.mi.us/about-us/departments/parks-recreation/trails-pathways)

Farmers' Market: [meridian.mi.us/community/explore-
meridian/meridian-farmers-market](https://meridian.mi.us/community/explore-meridian/meridian-farmers-market)

Harris Nature Center: [meridian.mi.us/community/explore-
meridian/harris-nature-center](https://meridian.mi.us/community/explore-meridian/harris-nature-center)

Dog Parks: [meridian.mi.us/about-us/departments/parks-
recreation/dog-parks](https://meridian.mi.us/about-us/departments/parks-recreation/dog-parks)



Upcoming Events

Wood Valley Garage Sale

Friday, June 16 and Saturday, June 17

Ads will be placed in the *Lansing State Journal* and their network of publications. In addition, the Board will place signs at both neighborhood entrances on Green Road.

Family Fun Day

Saturday, Aug. 5, 2023

Save the date for a fun summer event in the park!



Get Involved

Board of Directors Positions

We are seeking interested homeowners to serve on the Board. **There are currently two vacancies, so we strongly encourage residents to get involved!** If you would like to help support the neighborhood, please email woodvhoa@gmail.com.

WVHOA Website and Facebook Group

The WVHOA website can be accessed at woodvalleyhomeowners.com. The site contains previous newsletters, WVHOA bylaws and deed restrictions, boundary and street maps, and links to Haslett Public Schools and the Meridian Township and Ingham County Governments.

Residents can access the [WVHOA Neighborhood Facebook group](#) by going to facebook.com and searching for “Wood Valley Haslett Neighborhood” in the search bar at the top of the page. It is a private, closed group for Wood Valley homeowners. The group is moderated by homeowner Lauren Dyer.

