

VILLAS VOICE

Countryside Villas Newsletter

March 2021

BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

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Monica Alponte

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Matt Dadasiewicz

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Monica, Janet, Tom & Sherrie Pratt

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Tom & Sherrie, Marianne Moriarty

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UPCOMING MEETINGS:

- Thurs, March 18, 2021 6:30pm (cancelled)
- Wed, April 7, 2021 (Virtual)
- Thurs, May 27, 2021 6:30pm ANNUAL MEETING

Annual Meeting (will be held in-person) at: Countryside Community Center 9151 N Bald Eagle, Tucson, AZ 85742

President's Report: 2 New Board Members!

- 3-8-2021 Janet Horton appointed to the Board, to serve as Secretary/Treasurer and Landscape Committee.
- 3-8-2021 Matt Dadasiewicz appointed to the Board and will serve as Vice President.
- 3-18-2021 Tom & Sherrie Pratt joined the Landscape Committee.
- 3-18-2021 Marianne Moriarty and Tom & Sherrie
 Pratt joined DCCR Committee, Tom will Chair.
- March's Board Meeting has been rescheduled for April 7 to allow time for bids for Board consideration.
- 3-12-2021 BrightView Landscape was given their
 30-day notice (their last day 4-12)
- March 2021 The Board met with landscaping companies to get estimates to start immediately.
- March 2021 The Board met with and secured tree trimming estimates and removal of mistletoe.

- March 2021 The Board secured evaluations and estimates for irrigation system to be repaired, has met with 2 companies so far, (Andy's Irrigation) scheduled for 3-25th.
- Plans to replace dead plants throughout after irrigation is repaired.
- Plans to replenish decorative rocks (small red ones) and raked to fill in bald spots throughout property. Also replenish white river rocks at entrance and exit and throughout where needed.
- March 2021 The Board got estimates for common area cleanup like packrat nests in cactus throughout, and turnaround area at end of Doria (items that landscapers don't do)
- **3-9-2021 Contacted Arizona Certified Backflow Testers** to replace and secure locking backflow covers (1 at entrance on Doria and the other at the end of Doria along Lessing Lane).
- 3-11-2021 Contacted B&C Towing, 12 new B&C towing signs will be installed throughout community free of charge within 30 days (they have a new address).
- 3-26-2021 Board issued warning to homeowner for turning off Villas' main water without authorization. Water was shut off from 3-14 to 3-22 before it was discovered. Plants were without irrigation for 8 days; she mistakenly thought the yard leaking water at 4854 Matilda was Villas' irrigation system, but it wasn't, it was a house pipe not our irrigation.* *(see Jan/Feb 2021 newsletter "2-18-2021 Homeowner water leak at 4854 Matilda" [house pipe]
- The Board got estimates for new "VISITOR PARKING" and Speed Bump signs.
- Eight (8) Century Link green metal DSL cable service pedestals replaced 3-17-2021
- Ten (10) COMCAST/Xfinity boxes repaired throughout the community 3-3-2021
- **3-9-2021 Reported broken chevron traffic sign** by vehicle that jumped the curb on Lessing Lane to PIMA who came to Blue Stake 3-11-2021 last week to mark it for replacement.
- 3-13-2021 Removed abandoned wood crate full of trash from sidewalk at Lessing/Doria.
- 3-5-2021 Contacted Sherriff, unregistered large white cargo truck illegally parked on Lessing Lane at Doria for over a year finally removed by owner. Sheriff noted it was parked illegally because it is unregistered since 2019. Received 2 homeowner complaints that it blocked view of children school bus stop. Owner complied and towed his truck away.
- Month of March: Letters for violations were issued by Manager Geoff.
- Board members registered for Cadden Community Management's FREE Webinar training Wednesday, March 24 6:00 PM
- Board got estimates for cleanup of desert common areas ranging from \$5k to \$8k; however, the Board voted to form a volunteer landscaping crew to save this cost (so far Monica, Janet, and Tom have volunteered). The Board distributed flyers on homeowners' gates seeking volunteers (below)



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Looking for volunteers to help clean up our common areas.

Any time is appreciated.

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