



A few words from the Vice President

Hello Neighbors! I hope you have been enjoying the bit of spring we have experienced over the last few weeks. We certainly deserve it with the early winter we had. It did seem to go on forever. Not sure about all of you, but February has to be my least favorite month. Thankfully, it is the shortest.

I wanted to take a minute to share with you a few things your community has planned for all of you. First off, please stay connected through email, our website, and our Facebook page for updates about the neighborhood, the park, and the clubhouse at Whispering Woods Golf Course. Many events are scheduled during the upcoming summer months. If you can, please attend these events and get to know your neighbors! Also, the golf course is open for business, and the bar and restaurant will be along shortly. I am sure the crew up there will have some great things to try.

Along with spring is a reminder to remove the snow-

plow stakes along your property. I did see quite a bit of damage to yards this past winter. Mailboxes are always an issue and are frequently damaged. If your green mailbox is looking a little rough, please refer to page four for information on parts and installation. If it's looking dull, the HOA has paint to make it look fresh again!

Finally, I want to express my sincere appreciation to the other board members and committees for their continued hard work in ensuring the neighborhood is managed per our rules and regulations. That being said, this will be my final address to the neighborhood as I have resigned my position as Vice President. My wife, Kris, and I sold our home recently to a great young family. We moved to the Stonebrook Condominiums at Whispering Woods. We haven't gone far, but we wanted to downsize our lives a bit. My wife and I have truly enjoyed serving over the years alongside a great group of people who taught us so much.

If you want to really feel part of a great team, I ask that you reach out and get involved. The board is always looking for help. Serve on a committee or even run for a board position. As we acclimate to our new residence, I am going to try to see if there is any interest in the HOA at Stonebrook expanding communications with Whispering Woods HOA. We are right next to each other, and 49 properties may share some common interests. It may help expand turnouts at some of the events. I want to express how much the community here means to my wife and me. It has been such a part of our lives and will continue to be as we are still just down the road a bit! I wish all of you the best. I also want to close with congratulations to Eric Albright, who is stepping into the role of Vice President.

Mark Zaleski

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WW website

In between the quarterly newsletters, you may find news and other updates on our website.

Past newsletters, as well as minutes from Board and HOA meetings, photos, calendar of events, WW Directory and many other items may be found on our web site:

whisperingwoodserie.com

Millcreek Street Rules Reminders

Lawn stakes must be removed by April 15th. The neighborhood looks much nicer when they are removed.



Facebook page

Are you looking to stay connected with your neighbors and be in the loop about things happening in our neighborhood? Look no further!

Join our Facebook page and connect with our community today!



[Whispering Woods Facebook](#)

“83 degrees one day...38 degrees the next. Another day in paradise!”

Nick Pompadelaquisio

HOA meeting

Our annual Home Owners Association meeting is scheduled for Thursday, May 28th at Whispering Woods Golf Club at 6 p.m.

Food truck/ice cream nights

Food truck nights are scheduled for June 25th, July 16th and August 20th at the park. More details soon.



Want to help shape neighborhood events?

Interested in planning and improving our community events? We're looking for volunteers to join an Events Team to help run big events like the Summer Party!

Contact Kayti Stadler: kaytistadler@gmail.com

Spring clean up

There will be no formal spring clean up this year. We are asking homeowners to take a look around and pick up any trash that may be in the common areas near your house. Let's show our pride in the neighborhood!

Trash containers

Your trash containers should not be visible from the street (other than trash pick-up days). They are not permitted in the front or side yards. Please move them and help make the neighborhood look better.

Summer Party

Our neighborhood summer party will be held **Sunday, August 2nd, from 2-5:00 p.m., at the park.**

Please save the date and if you would like to be part of the planning committee, reach out to Kayti Stadler at:

kaytistadler@gmail.com



Thoughts from your neighbors

I have a concern that someone is putting dog waste in the garbage can that we put outside. Could you please inform the neighbors not to put that in other people's garbage. Simmi K.

Can you please reinforce the pet etiquette. You have mentioned several times in the newsletter to clean up after your dog, but people are allowing their dogs to go up in the middle of someone's front yard to pee and poop. Yes, they clean it up, but as a homeowner that does not have a dog I don't appreciate someone's dog, peeing, and pooping in the middle of my front yard. Carolyn B.

Operation Poo Patrol

The snow has finally melted, the flowers are budding, and piles and bags of dog poop are popping up everywhere! As one example, 9 bags of dog poop were thrown over the walking bridge on Stonecreek Drive. Thanks to a thoughtful neighbor, all have been removed. But it's YOUR responsibility to pick up after your dog.

While we shouldn't have to remind anyone how to be a responsible dog owner, evidence suggests otherwise. So...

PLEASE remember to pick up after your dog (bagging it and disposing of it anywhere other than your own garbage can is not appropriate);

Refrain from allowing your dog to do their business in the middle of someone's yard;

If you are out for a walk and forget your bags, go back later and pick up the evidence.

To those of you who are thoughtful and responsible dog owners, THANK YOU for setting the standard for the neighborhood!



WW HOA Directory

The directory remains a work-in-progress. Many of you have submitted information for the Whispering Woods Directory. Thank you!

But, many have not. In order to receive email updates and future newsletters, please submit your information for the Whispering Woods Directory. The directory is confidential and intended for internal use only. It will not be shared or sold to any other entities. Click [HERE](#) to submit your information.

Whispering Woods Board and Committee Members

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Mailbox damaged?

If your mailbox gets smashed and you need parts or a complete replacement, please contact Tony Sitter (you must get the parts from Tony). tsitter@roadrunner.com

If you need someone to repair or replace your mailbox, we recommend Adam Michali for the labor (contact information below).

Mailbox pricing (parts) *

Materials available from the HOA:

- 1 Mailbox placard (for numbers) \$65.00
- 1 Mailbox post \$425.00
- 1 Mailbox \$30.00
- 8 Brass numbers \$8.00/each



If the homeowner needs help with the repair (labor), please contact:

Adam Michali
ARM Construction
Contractor # PA006479
Owner: Adam Michali
814-460-9596

ARMConstruction@ymail.com Fully insured

Mailbox labor pricing *

Labor costs (ARM will charge for mailbox repair/installation):

- Mailbox install on existing wood base: \$60
- Mailbox install on new wood base: \$75
- Newspaper holder install: \$50
- Mailbox post repair on existing base: \$100
- New mailbox post install using all other existing components: \$175
- Mailbox complete install using all new components including base: \$275
- Painting: \$75
- Mailbox placard (for numbers) install: \$40
- Placard brass number install: \$40

Labor price only. All materials will be in addition to these prices. Special circumstances or additional labor may incur additional costs.

***All prices listed are subject to change without notice.**

WW Classified section

Blanco Precis Super Single Silgranit (80% Quartz) Under mount Sink, Color - Truffle, One Year Old, Has a few blemishes but otherwise good condition. Excellent for basement/utility application or possibly in an apartment. Cost new \$630, asking \$100.

Lance Eastman
5937 Mystic Ridge
Erie, Pa. 16506
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ShinMaywa Norus Submersible Pump Model 50CR2.25S (1/3 HP, 115 V)
Minimal use in a pond at our prior residence. Sells new for \$499. Asking \$200.

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Streetlight out?

To report a streetlight for repair [CLICK HERE](#).

Potholes?

To report a pothole for repair [CLICK HERE](#).

From the "Grumpy old men's club"



SLOW DOWN! The speed limit is 25mph. It's not our problem you're running late. **And STOP** signs are not a suggestion. **And golf carts** are not allowed on the street!

Pick up the garbage and trash that's in your yard. When I was young we had pride in our neighborhood.

And no one wants to hear your dog barking ..if there's barking going on for more than a couple minutes, be a good neighbor and bring 'Spot' inside.

Sitter available

Heidi, a resident of Fossilwood Ct., is an Elementary Education major at Penn State Behrend and is interested in babysitting opportunities. She has experience, is CPR and First Aid certified, able to drive and is great with children of all ages.

Please contact Steve Murdock at (614) 307-9278 with questions or opportunities.

