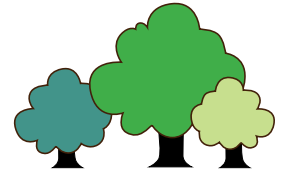


SORRENTO OAKS Newsletter



Remembering Gail



Gail lived in our park for more than 30 years, on sp. 86 and with her life partner Ron on sp. 78. She was involved in helping with the purchase of the park by the residents. Her fun and laughter found an outlet as chairman of our Social Committee. She was also president of our board

twice, Sunshine Lady, involved in closing the clubhouse, and provided us with a newsletter, The Flyer. Gail left her mark on Sorrento Oaks with all she did for us.

Thank you, Gail.

Hi Neighbor

The days of greeting your new neighbor with a casserole are gone, according to Lee V (sp. 79). But it's really friendly to say hello, welcome him or her to our community, help with questions and just be there. Be a good, welcoming neighbor!

Dog Park

The seemingly closest dog park is Frederick Street Park, on the other side of the harbor/Arana Gulch. You can walk there with your dog or park your car nearby. Know other good dog parks where your dog can run off leash safely? Let us know so it can be in the newsletter.

Remember to vote in CA on or before June 7th, 2022

All registered Californians should have received a vote-by-mail ballot which will have been mailed to them. The ballot can be returned by mail (postage is prepaid), returned to a drop box, returned at an in-person polling place. The ballot must be postmarked or deposited by June 7th. You can register to vote and vote on the same day.

Our board

Officers: Judy (sp. 55), Chris (sp. 74), Joanna (sp. 67), Joyce (sp. 9); and members: Irwin (sp. 23), Ken (sp. 20) and Miguel (sp. 28). Each person has responsibilities. The board meets once a month, third Wed., 6:30, in the clubhouse or by Zoom. To prepare for the meeting, each board member receives a green folder of information on topics that will be brought up at the meeting. An agenda is distributed to all residents on Friday before the meeting and a duplicate green folder is in the clubhouse for all of us to read there. Minutes of each meeting are distributed to all members on Monday after the meeting. Come to the meeting with a mask or attend via zoom (see instructions on the agenda). Board members appreciate our being there and we learn about all the issues. Our board represents us, so be supportive. (Thank them!)

New Home for Holiday tree?

Remember seeing it outside the clubhouse in December...the last 2 years? Shirley (sp. 27) is "mothering" it while it's in bloom and resting. Sandra (sp. 35) and Sandy (sp. 11), helped put it together. We are looking for people who'd like to take over the holiday tree, refurbish it in Dec. and display it by the clubhouse. Call Shirley, 566-7267, and let her know if you're interested.



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Travels From Finland, birding and exploring, Sharon (sp. 75) sent some pictures.



We CAN use less H2O

Do it! We didn't get much rain, and drought looms. Restrictions may be coming.

What suggestions do you have to share?

Here are a few: catch water by putting a pot under a downspout to catch runoff from your roof; water plants less; wait to wash your house; put your drip system, if you have one, on a timer; if you don't have a drip system, consider it; water plants only as they need it. It's possible that our creek might dry up this summer, eliminating glen water use.

We have a turtle!

S/he's a new glen resident. It was sunning himself or herself at the dam, perched on the ledge. Seen twice in one day, it's about 7-8 inches long, green of color. The turtle jumped from its perch and into the water when it saw it had company. Keep an eye out for our new glen resident when you're walking in the area.

Driving in our park

Thanks to all who drive 10mph in our park and who remind visitors and delivery people of our speed limit.



Your Monthly SOHA Bill

Your meters are read around the 10th or 11th of each month. The information is sent to Valley Computer Services where the information is combined with monthly operating fees and property taxes applied by our park. Twice a year both the gas & electric companies issue a Climate Credit, if your bill is less than the credit allowed, the remainder will be applied the following month. The billing statements are emailed to our park office toward the end of the month, printed here and given to you ASAP. Thanks to Pete (sp. 10) and Joyce (sp. 9) who usually give out the bills. Payment of your bill is due in the office on or before the 5th business day of the month.

Turn signals

California Vehicle Code 22108 requires all drivers to signal at least 100 feet prior to making a turn or changing lanes. The section states: "Any signal of intention to turn right or left shall be given continuously during the last 100 feet traveled by the vehicle before turning."

Monthly Park Fees: Due on the 5th business day of the month.

Board Meetings: 4th Wed of the month, 6:30 pm, clubhouse

Finance Committee: 3rd Tuesday of the month, 5:00 pm, clubhouse

AC/MC Meeting: 1st Monday of the month, 5:00 pm, clubhouse

Garden Committee: 2nd Wednesday of the month, 4:30 pm, clubhouse

Birthday Bash Party: 2nd Tuesday of the month, 2:00 pm, clubhouse

Bookmobile: Every other Tuesday 1:30 -2:15pm, outside clubhouse

Emergency Assistance: Requiring Police, Sheriff, Fire Dept, Ambulance : 911

Any other urgent assistance: Call James (sp. 53) or Ken (sp. 20)

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Meetings are held in the clubhouse and by Zoom. Please check with the office manager if you want to attend by Zoom.