

# NEIGHBORLY CHAT

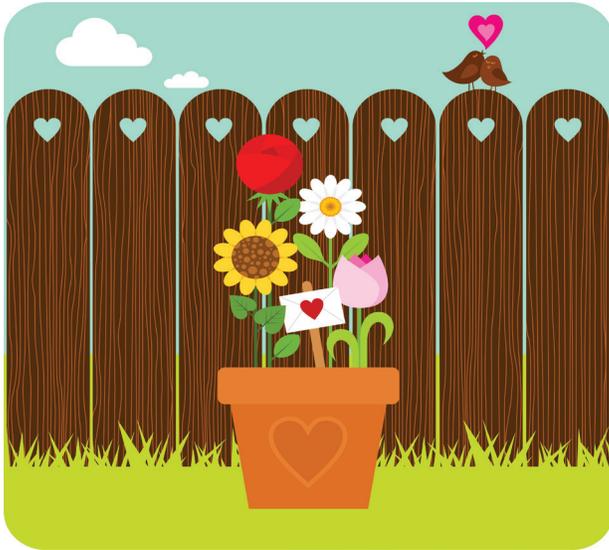
FOUR SEASONS NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION NEWS

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## Four Seasons: A friendly place to live

Throughout this newsletter we have discussed the problems we have experienced keeping our neighborhood common areas mowed and debris free. And although we have wonderful neighbors that take it upon themselves to keep these areas looking good, (see the back of this newsletter for a thank you) this is always a constant battle. But let's view the common areas from a different perspective.



Looking at the design of Four Seasons and Four Seasons II, our neighborhood feels open and airy, unlike some neighborhoods in our surrounding area. At any time of the year, we see people walking and even congregating in the common areas and on sidewalks. These areas allow our kids the room to run and explore, for trees and flowers to grow, and neighbors to stop and chat. This makes for a friendly place we call home. Feel free to use the common grounds to have a picnic, plant flowers, practice your golf game or just sit and talk to your neighbors. With Fall just around the corner, the leaves will be changing and our neighborhood will take on a new look. Get out and walk around! It healthy for your body and mind. Let's get neighborly!

*Come to the next*  
**Four Seasons  
Neighborhood Meeting**

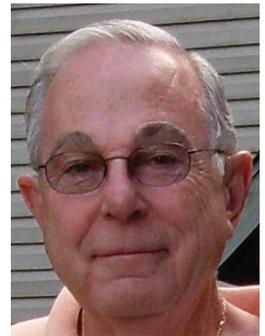
**Thursday, August 15**  
**7 – 8 p.m.**  
Hunsinger Lane Baptist Church  
3400 Summerfield Drive

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### Chairperson's

**Corner** I am pleased to announce that we had a good turnout at the last General Meeting, and had enough there to vote on and pass the necessary By-law

changes, they are posted on the website. Jim Patterson has volunteered to incorporate them into the area were the changes are needed as he has time. Thank you Jim, I appreciate your help.



The Raintree Drive property looks better than it ever has all this Summer. Our vendor has done an excellent job and kept trash picked up as well. I sprayed weed killer along the blacktop and concrete gutter to keep

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## Chairperson's ...cont

### Corner

those weeds from growing. It was such an eyesore in the past and really distracted from our neighborhood. Your dues paid for this project this year, we are hoping that our membership continues in order to keep this up next Summer and beyond.

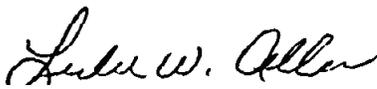
We are currently paying for 35 street lights. They are NOT paid by your taxes, but paid for by your dues, and benefit all of us. Prior to FSNA taking over paying for street lights, individual home owners or a small group of home owners would pay for them. We have a process and criteria for each and every new street light installed. We looked at traffic, school bus stops, distance from existing street lights, the darkest streets, etc. We would like to install more, but at \$20.50 each per month, it take about 7 paid members just to pay for one light for one year. We simply do not have enough members to pay for any more at this time.

The work that MDS had planned to do this Summer through Four Seasons has been postponed until the Fall. The only thing we know is the proposed project will run in the middle of Summerfield and should not involve any property other than disruption of traffic. If your property is involved you will be contacted by MSD prior to work being done.

Kind regards,

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Chairman

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“A good neighbor is a fellow who smiles at you over the back fence, but doesn't climb over it.”

-Arthur Baer

### Caprese Salad

1 lemon, juiced	1 cup mozzarella cheese, cut into bite size pieces.
1 small clove garlic, minced	1 jar artichoke hearts, drained
1 cup basil leaves, about 20	1 can black olives, drained
1/3 cup olive oil	Salt and black pepper to taste
1 pint cherry tomatoes, halved	

Combine lemon juice, garlic, basil in food processor or blender, process and stream in olive oil to form a smooth dressing. Combine tomatoes, cheese and dressing in a bowl and season with salt and pepper to taste. Garnish with torn basil leaves.

## Did you know?...

• **Want to become more involved in your neighborhood community?** Volunteer to be Secretary. All you have to do is take notes, write up the minutes and email them to the other Board members. You don't have to be a professional, just someone that cares about their community.

All “at large” positions are coming up for re-election in November. Call Les if you are interested.

• **Thanks Mother Nature!**

With the help of rain we have had this year most of our yards are looking green and healthy. Sometimes it has been difficult to get a cutting in when needed between rain, but we seem to be keeping up with the task. However, we would like to remind residents not to blow the clippings into the street, especially onto curbs and gutters. MSD does not allow this because storm sewers become clogged and flooding occurs. Blow clippings back into your own yard for a great fertilizer, our sweep up and dispose of them.

• **Yeh Four Seasons!**

In July we received 37 new members to the Four Season Neighborhood Association, bringing our total to 283 members. Thank you!

Still want to help out the neighborhood and help yourself too? Write out your check for \$35 made payable to Four Seasons Neighborhood Association and mail to: FSNA, c/o Judy LeClaire, Treasurer, 3405 Rainview Circle, 40220.

• Our little neighborhood has a **menagerie of animals!** One of our neighbors videotaped a deer on Summerfield and we have a family of ground hogs playing on Raintree Drive. Have you seen the hawks that patiently sit on rooftops ready to pounce on their dinner? Look around! We live in a beautiful area.

• Please say **thank you** to the neighbors that cut the grass and clean up the common areas: Rick Sneed, Jerry Johnson and Doug Crume. If you know someone else that does a good deed for the good of others, please let me know. 468-7544

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