PRAIRIE VILLAGE HOMES ASSOCIATION NEWSLETTER

January 2010

Annual Meeting

Who? - All members of the Prairie Village Homes Association are invited to attend.

What? – Annually we meet to hear our financial report, elect Directors and have an opportunity to address our fellow members.

When? – Wednesday, February 17, 2010 at 7 PM.

Where? – The Prairie Village Community Center, 7700 Mission RD.

Your R.S.V.P. to info@pyhomes.org by Feb. 10 will be appreciated but is not required in order to attend.

If you choose to vote for the election of Directors without attending, your absentee ballot is on page 3 of this newsletter.

\$\$ Available for Home Improvements

The Exterior Grant Program provides financial assistance to homeowner for the improvement and maintenance of the exterior of their homes. It requires a minimum investment of \$5000. 20% of your investment is reimbursed up to a maximum of \$2500. In order to qualify, your application must be approved before work begins. We encourage interested homeowners to apply early. The grant money available is limited and given on a first come first served basis. The geographic areas that are eligible to apply may differ from that of 2009. Watch for more information in the City's March publication of the Village Voice and on their website, pykansas.org.

The First Suburbs Loan Program offers low interest loans through the Community America Credit Union to qualifying homes. You may pick up information on this continuing program at City Hall.

2009 Homes of the Month

We thank our members for the many nominations we received this past year. In fact, some of the nominees had to be carried over to the 2010 list. In 2009, our homes received more compliments than complaints. So, keep up the good work. Your neighbors are watching. The 2009 PVHA Homes of the Month are as follow.

January-7301 AshMay- 4612 TomahawkSeptember- 6816 FontanaFebruary-7178 Buena VistaJune- 4323 W 70 TERROctober- 4711 W 71 TERRMarch-6823 Granada RDJuly- 5300 W 73 STNovember- 7481 VillageApril-5021 TomahawkAugust- 7407 DelmarDecember - 4702 W 70 TERR

Safety

Identity theft is something all our residents should keep in mind during the busy holiday shopping season. The Prairie Village Police Department's Crime Prevention Information website lists the following tips that may help you prevent identity theft:

- If your purse or wallet is stolen, obtain a credit report immediately afterward.
- Shred or tear up all paperwork with personal information on it before placing it in the trash.
- Shred all applications for credit cards that you receive in the mail if you are not going to obtain the card. Many times all it takes is a signature to activate an account in your name!
- Do not give out personal information to telephone solicitors or anyone you may be unsure of. Instead, obtain their phone number and call them back. Legitimate companies will have no problem giving you their telephone number.
- The internet is a great source of information for society, but that includes thieves, too! Before putting personal information or your credit card number out on the internet, determine if the site is a secure site.

Additional information regarding identity theft or other crime prevention topics can be found at http://www.pvkansas.com/police/crime/index.shtml or by calling the Prairie Village Police Department at 913-642-6868.

PVHA Calendar - Updated

January 13 Board Meeting

February 17 Annual Meeting, Election of Directors (see page 1)

March 8 Board Meeting, Election of Officers

May 10 Board Meeting

May 28-30 Garage Sale

July 12 Board Meeting

September 13 Board Meeting

November 8 Board Meeting

Board Meetings begin at 7PM at a new location, Faith Lutheran

Church. Please inform us if you wish to attend a Board

Meeting. Otherwise, the building will be locked.

Welcome New Neighbors

September

Robert Carter 7304 Ash
Kristen Fitzpatrick 5112 W 72 ST
Mark Acuff 5004 W 72 ST
John Phannes 5414 W 71 TERR
Nora McEwen 4620 W 70 TERR
Bryan & Tonya McInerney 6803 El Monte
Stephanie Fries 5005 W 72 ST
Angela Walker 7236 Roe
William Allen 4207 Oxford
Joseph Jannings & Holly Ruttan 5317 W 71 ST
Antoninette Lapp 4214 W 74 TERR
Michael Stephenson 4908 W 70 ST
William Pryor Jr 4021 W 74 ST
Charlie & Keri Dennis 4623 W 69 ST
Daniel Brauch & Sara Doull 4901 W 69 ST

October 0

Collin Acuff 4519 W 70 ST
Sara Helphingsteine 3914 W 74 TERR
Justin Golden 3901 W 74 ST
Mark Sedarous 4917 W 69 ST
Grant & Lindsay Messick 4416 W 72 ST
Daniel Clark 4635 W 71 ST
Victor Nirmalanadhan 4921 Tomahawk
John Butler 4023 W 67 TERR
Michail Gramlick 7118 Mission RD
Ryan McClanahan 7100 Linden
Modern Real Est. Inv. LLC 7251 Roe
Gary & Johanna Waldrup 7323 Rosewood

November

Andrew Meyer 4519 W 70 ST Christine Higgins 4309 W 71 ST Kelly Kacznarczyk 4904 W 71 ST James Senter 4121 W 74 ST Jamie Hudson 4007 W 67 ST Andrew Heggenstaller 7401 Nall Nicholas Tilton 5127 W 72 TERR John & Amy Ferry 7338 Roe CIR Brett Kidd 4701 W 69 ST

December

Chelsea Vaught 7115 Buena Vista Meghan Black 7115 Linden James & Nancy Easton 7322 Roe Stephanie Freiburger 4115 W 68 TERR Julie Davis 5006 W 69 TERR

Recycling Update

Glass recycling has come to Prairie Village! Look for the large purple receptacle labeled "Ripple Glass" in the Corinth Square Shopping Center. It is located behind the Hen House near the Bank of America Building. This receptacle is for glass only and is sponsored by local businesses. It is accessible all day, every day. We hope that you will find this new Prairie Village location to be safe and convenient way to recycle glass.

All other recyclables will continue to be collected at your curb. Remember that #1 - #7 plastics are now accepted. There is no additional fee for this service. It is part of our trash collection contract. We encourage everyone to recycle when you can and send to the landfill only what you must.

The <u>Prairie Village Homes Association Newsletter</u> is published three times annually to report Association activities and to provide our members with information that may assist them in preserving the quality of our residential neighborhood. Members are responsible for informing the Association should their mailing information change or need correction. Please email us at info@pyhomes.org or write us c/o Homes Associations of Kansas City, 4200 Somerset DR Suite 216, Prairie Village, KS 66208. Back issues are available at ha-kc.org.

ABSENTEE BALLOT for the election of Directors to the Board of the Prairie Village Homes Association.					
Members may cast only one ballot per household.	Mail or drop off your completed ballot to:				
Members owning multiple homes may cast only one ballot.					
Ballots may not be duplicated.	Homes Associations of Kansas City				
If mailed, ballots must be postmarked by Feb. 10, 2010.	4200 Somerset DR Suite 216				
	Prairie Village, KS 66208				
Please select or write in the names of up to 4 candidates.	"				
Ian Bartalos (incumbent) Write Ins:					
Andrea Ernst (incumbent)					
Susan Forrest (incumbent)					
Susan Spencer (incumbent)					

Island Beautification

We thank the following volunteers for the 2009 season. Their creativity and labor makes Prairie Village a more beautiful place to live.

Tina & Paul Abney Mary & Andy Hoytal Pat & John Roberts Shelley & Trevor Bacon Ron Keehn Cynthia Robinson Darby Brender Sue Kimble Jason Rothwell Susan Britton Liz Koch Brooke Santa Maurice Brownlee Tory Krebs Tami Wainwright Cyndee Davee Chris Longly Ashley Weaver Chuck Dehner Marie McMorris Leo Wetherill Angie & Matt Eastlack Helen Messner Sallie & Jim Wiley Susan Forrest Darlene Mount Susan Woodbury Brent Muecke Tia Franks Andrew Wymore Becky Gertzen Trish Orth Adriane Zender Kimberly Goings Stephanie Rawe

Anyone interested in adopting an island may contact our Island Beautification Chairperson. The sites available for 2010 are listed below.

72 ST & Tomahawk 74 TERR & Village DR Tomahawk & Nall

72 TERR & Tomahawk 75 ST & Rosewood

Happy New Year from your Board of Directors

Ian Bartalos, President	<u>ibartalos@yahoo.com</u>	(816) 523-3000	Public Relations
Jori Nelson, Vice President	trucancerian@kc.rr.com	(913) 236-9973	Annual Meeting
Joel Hanish, Treasurer	jhanish@kc.rr.com		Financial
Susan Forrest, Secretary	skforrest1@hotmail.com	(913) 262-6312	Home of the Month, Newsletter
Britt Bieri	jayhawkbieri@gmail.com		Island Beautification
Andrea Ernst	andreaernst@att.net	(913) 362-5494	Historic District – Ad Hoc
Logan Gerken	logangerken@gmail.com		Architectural Review - Ad Hoc
Ronald Nelson	ron@ronaldnelsonlaw.com	(913) 312-2500	Deed Restrictions, Social/Picnic, Website
Susan Spencer	sspencer@nelson-atkins.org	(913) 722-6313	Social/Welcome Packets, Block Captains
Ashley Weaver	arweaver02@yahoo.com	(913) 403-9154	Island Beautification



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Current Resident Or:

Home Repair & Snow Removal

Mike Doyle

a Prairie Village Homes Association resident (913) 645-6971 michaeldoyle@kc.rr.com

SEE YOUR AD HERE

Please contact us at INFO@PVHOMES.ORG for rates and information

Faith Lutheran Church

67th and Roe, Prairie Village, KS 913-722-3515

www.worshipwithfaith.org

Sunday Worship 9:30 a.m. Education – 10:45 See the Web Site for a full list of opportunities and events.