

CC Newsletter Oct 23

Congratulations and welcome to Ryan who has just joined the board after a long but productive Annual meeting. Also, many thanks to Gerry K who is stepping down. She deserves a rest after much hard work this past year.

And thanks to some board members who brought refreshments for this 2+ hour meeting. Many new ideas were discussed, and will take some time to work out.

Thanks to Ryan for volunteering to clear the old playground equipment. Also note: burning brush will not be allowed due to the fire hazard. The board is working out a plan to have it carted away.

Some new developments: A designated play area is being planned. Anyone who is interested and would like to gift either time or resources would be welcome. And to add-- we all deserve some space around our own units free of other people's activities.

There is discussion about providing more 10mph signs, or at the very least, talking to the people who are driving too fast through the property and /or reporting them.

Fall cleaning: We did such a good job clearing the brush last spring, let's continue this and clean up some of the unwanted plant material around our units such as frost killed annual plants and leaves of hosta, iris, and and lilies after cutting. Most of these can go directly into compost bins. Seed pod bearing stalks from flowers such as echinacea, rudbeckia, and coreopsis should remain. One thought about this is that some of the hollow stems and dead flowers are places for pollinators to stay over the winter months.

THINK AHEAD: Winter will be here in a matter of months. A reminder to be aware of parking for snow plowing. Either put your car in garage or be available to move it when the snowplow comes through.

And....WARNING: Call dig safe before doing any digging!

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Be safe, be well.

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