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## The Village Voice

2019

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### Around The Village

#### 39th Annual Meeting

The 39th Annual Meeting of the Greentrees Village Homeowners Association will be held on August 3rd, 2019. The meeting will be held in the Recreation Hall. The sign-in will begin at 10:00 AM and the meeting will commence at 11:00 AM. Lunch will be served after the meeting concludes at approximately 12:30 PM. All homeowners are invited to attend. You will be receiving an agenda for the Annual Meeting and proposed budget in the mail this month. We need a quorum of 15% of our homeowners to hold the meeting, so we hope to see you there!

#### Central Coast Disposal

As of August 1st., 2019, Central Coast Disposal will only be able to pick up one trash can per household. If you put out extra cans, they will not be picked up. Residents have the option of requesting a larger trash can, but you will be charged \$9.65 per month and will be billed quarterly by Central Coast Disposal. You can call them at 541-902-7554 to request delivery of a new larger trash can.

#### Trespassing in Greentrees

The Greentrees office staff has been hearing from owners that have seen homeless people wandering through Greentrees. If you see people who don't belong here, call the police. Waiting until the next day to report it to the office is not helpful. The police want to know what these people look like and where they are heading. The office doesn't have that information. Greentrees is private property and those who do not live here or visiting residents are trespassing. If you see suspicious people on property, call the police.

#### Siuslaw Rhododendron Beach Park

Back on May 14th, the City of Florence opened a new park. The address of the park is 612 Rhododendron Drive and its located on the south side of the road. The park has a very nice sheltered picnic area and beach access along the Siuslaw River. Many of our residents have come by the office to comment about

how nice it is. It's dog friendly, and is a nice place to walk, picnic, or just kick back and relax and enjoy the view of the river!

#### Greentrees Flea Market in July

The annual Greentrees Village Flea Market and Bake Sale is on July 13th in the Recreation Hall. At this time, we still have a few tables available for rent. They are \$10 each for Residents. The Greentrees East gate will open to the public at 8 AM. The Activity Committee is asking for volunteers to bake and contribute items for the Bake Sale. There is a sign-up sheet in the Greentrees Library for baked goods contributions.

#### Save the Date - 2019 Block Party

The City of Florence is having a Community Block Party on Friday, July 19th, 2019 from 5:30 PM - 10:00 PM. Live music by, "5 Guys Named Moe", will begin at 6:00 PM. This free event will be in Old Town Florence between Laurel Street and the Siuslaw River Bridge.

#### Bike Raffle

Owner Jeff Myers and Bicycles 101 are again donating a three-wheeled bike to raffle off as an Activities fund raiser. The bike is available to see in the clubhouse and raffle tickets can be purchased for \$1 each or 6 for \$5 in the Greentrees office. This fund raiser, sponsored by the Activities Committee, helps provide free meals to residents for Thanksgiving, Veteran's Day and Christmas.

#### July 4th Hotdogs

On Thursday, July 4th Greentrees is hosting it's annual Hot Dog Roast and it's free to all residents. Come to the Recreation Hall between 11:00 AM and 1:00 PM and have a free lunch of hotdogs, chips and a soft drink or water. The event is sponsored by the Greentrees Activity Committee.

#### No Fireworks Please

Just a reminder for the Fourth of July: fireworks are not allowed in Greentrees Village. Please be courteous to your neighbors by following the rules, and help keep Greentrees safe from fires by not setting off fireworks on Independence Day.



During the month of June, contractor Johnson Stone laid down a new asphalt overlay on the Greentrees clubhouse parking lot

### Coffee Meet & Greet in July

Come and join us on the first Tuesday of each month for our Coffee Meet & Greet! This month we'll meet on July 2nd at 9:00 AM in the Coffee Room located in the Clubhouse. Mary Vander Weit hosts this great social event. Yummy breakfast treats such as bagels, and cream cheese, donuts, danish, coffee and tea are provided. This is a wonderful opportunity to meet new residents and to socialize with old friends.

### Greentrees Garden Club by Mary Hamilton

A big thank you goes out to all the Garden Tour hosts! I appreciate the participation. Next meeting is at 9:00am on Wednesday, July 3rd. We will meet the first Wednesday of each month at 9:00am. I hope you can make it. Participants are sharing information, starts and some mighty tasty vegetables! Let me know if you need some orange Crocosmia bulbs....I have plenty! Give me a call if you have questions: Mary Hamilton 434-996-9072 .

### Summer Reminders

Summer is here! Residents are out planting flowers, pulling weeds and landscaping. The maintenance staff has been working hard to make the common areas look well kept. Most of Greentrees is looking great; but there are a few homes that still need some work weeding, blowing, etc. Let's all work to make the Village look well kept.

And with summer, the bears are out again. Several residents have seen a large male bear and a smaller black bear roaming the village. Stay alert if you are out walking. These animals can come out of the brush at any time and they have little fear of you.

Please remember, DO NOT FEED THE BEARS! Take your bird feeders in at night and do not put your garbage cans out until Monday morning.

### Game Night

Friday, July 12th (5 - 6 PM) in the recreation hall multi-purpose room. Join us for easy and fun board games - no experience needed. We play games with simple instructions. Snacks appreciated but not required. You are welcome to bring your favorite game too.

### Sunday Arts and Crafts is Back!

Starting July 7th we will again be having Arts and Crafts in the Recreation Hall, every Sunday from 1 - 4 PM.

We are going to try a slightly different format. We will have an instructor each week for a demo or class. Everyone is welcome. You may watch the demo, or just do your own art. The program will either give residents the chance to buy all the supplies necessary at cost, or it will have a supply list to bring the following week.

Our first project (July 7th and July 14th) will be working with a gourd and the instructor will be resident Colleen McKnight. The cost is \$10.00 for the first week, and you will receive a gourd, instructions, a scrubber to clean the gourd and all materials necessary for designing your gourd. The second week we will complete the project and additional costs would be minimal, depending on your design.

Not even sure what a gourd is? There will be samples in the clubhouse and also a sign-up sheet to judge interest. You may still come without signing up. You can watch and learn, or bring your own projects to work on.

The demo will start at 1:00 and we will have plenty of time to work and create, visit and enjoy! Hope to see lots of you there! For more information or questions call Colleen at 360-770-6584



GTV residents enjoy Tai Chi in the dog park. Tai Chi classes are on Monday and Wednesday at 9 AM and on Friday at 11:15 AM.

# GREENTREES ACTIVITIES FOR JULY 2019

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Swimming Pool Water Aerobics M - F @ 8:00 am All Residents Welcome!	1 Pickle Ball 8:30 - 10:30 Tai Chi 9:00 am Exercise Class 10:00 am	2 <b>Coffee Meet &amp; Greet</b> 9:00 am  <b>Property Comm.</b> 10:00 am  Bridge 1:00 pm	3 Pickle Ball 8:30 - 10:30 am Tai Chi 9:00 am Garden Club 9:00 am <b>Finance Comm. 9:45 am</b> Exercise Class 10:00 am <b>ACC Meeting 10:00 am</b> Computer Class 11:10 am <b>Activity Comm. 1:00 pm</b> French Club 1:00 pm	4 <b>Happy 4th!</b> GT Office Closed  Free Hot Dog Lunch! 11:00 am - 2:00 pm	5 <b>Pickle Ball 8:30 - 10:30</b> Exercise Class 10:00 am Tai Chi 11:15 am	6 Bocce Ball 11:15   Bingo 6:00 pm
7	8 Pickle Ball 8:30 - 10:30 Tai Chi 9:00 am Exercise Class 10:00 am Train Game 2:00 pm	9 <b>BOD Meeting 1:00 pm</b>  Card Exchange 1:00 pm  Bridge 1:00 pm	10 <b>POOL CLOSED</b> Pickle Ball 8:30 - 10:30 am Tai Chi 9:00 am Exercise Class 10:00 am Computer Class 11:10  French Club 1:00 pm	11 <b>GERT Meeting</b> 1:00 pm  Friendship Club 9:30 - 12:30	12 Pickle Ball 8:30 - 10:30 Exercise Class 10:00 am Tai Chi 11:15 am  Game Night 5:00 pm	13 <b>Flea Market &amp; Bake Sale</b> 8:00 - 3:00 Bocce Ball 11:15 Soup 5:00 pm & Bingo 6:00 pm
14	15 Pickle Ball 8:30 - 10:30 Tai Chi 9:00 am Exercise Class 10:00 am	16   Bridge 1:00 pm	17 Pickle Ball 8:30 - 10:30 Tai Chi 9:00 am Exercise Class 10:00 am Computer Class 11:10 am French Club 1:00 pm	18   Rhody Quilters 10:00 am	19 Pickle Ball 8:30 - 10:30 Exercise Class 10:00 am Tai Chi 11:15 am	20 Bocce Ball 11:15  Bingo 6:00 pm
21	22 Pickle Ball 8:30 - 10:30 Tai Chi 9:00 am Exercise Class 10:00 am Train Game 2:00 pm	23 Luncheon Out 11:30 Mari's Kitchen  Bridge 1:00 pm	24 Pickle Ball 8:30 - 10:30 am Tai Chi 9:00 am Exercise Class 10:00 am Computer Class 11:10 am French Club 1:00 pm	25 Rhody Quilters 10:00 am Friendship Club 9:30 - 12:30 Book Club 2:00 pm	26 Pickle Ball 8:30 - 10:30 Exercise Class 10:00 am Tai Chi 11:15 am  Potluck 6:00 pm	27 Bocce Ball 11:15  Bingo 6:00 pm
28	29 Pickle Ball 8:30 - 10:30 Tai Chi 9:00 am Exercise Class 10:00 am Train Game 2:00 pm	30  Bridge 1:00 pm  Flying Needles & Hooks 3 - 5 pm	31 Pickle Ball 8:30 - 10:30 am Tai Chi 9:00 am Exercise Class 10:00 am Computer Class 11:10 French Club 1:00 pm			

### Thank You Greentrees

My husband and I have resided in Greentrees full-time since 1998 and part-time since 1989.

We have always enjoyed living here, made many friends who either have moved, still live here or are now deceased. It is hard finding a more caring and friendly group of people which has been especially true since my husbands recent passing.

I want to thank you all so much for all the cards, phone-calls, sympathy and caring you have given us when David was ailing as well as after his passing.

I truly feel blessed to live in our community!

*Kerstin (Chris) Johnsen*

### G.E.R.T. Tip of the Month

July's tip is more of an experiment. One Gallon of Water per person is what the recommendation is from all Emergency sources. Consider taking this challenge: For one day use only one gallon of water for all of your daily needs. See how far a gallon of water will go. One gallon of water will need to cover your hygiene needs, your cooking and food preparation, cleanup and your pets. Then ask yourself, do you think you have enough water in the event of an emergency?.



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**July 18, 2019**

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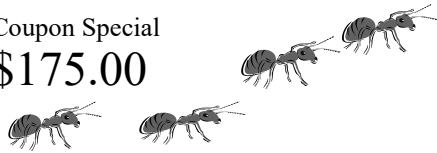


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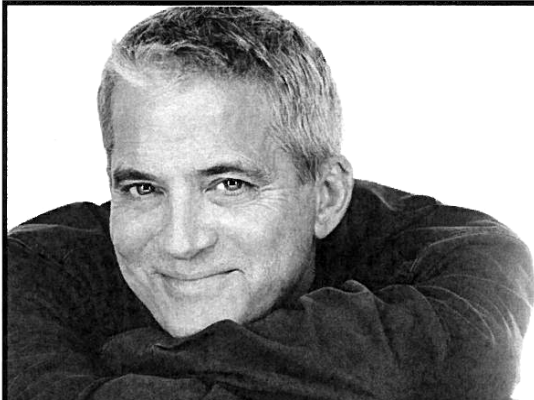
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