Parkstone Periodical

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SPRING HAS ARRIVED!!

Our grass is green, we are still getting rain, and it is beautiful outside! If you look closely, you will probably see a few neighbors, who have recently been hibernating, out for a walk. **Time to get reacquainted!**

ANNUAL HOMEOWNERS MEETING

The **Annual Homeowners Meeting**, held on March 16, was a success, and we appreciate the presence of all attendees. **The minutes of the meeting will be distributed within a week or so.** For any inquiries, please don't hesitate to contact a Board member. Booklets on xeriscaping, DIY home gardening recipes, and updated phone lists were available at the meeting. If you would like copies of any of the handouts, please reach out to Charlene (801-560-9131).

WATER ACTIVATION

Our irrigation water will be turned on soon by Water Pro. Our landscape company, **Professional Yard Services (PYS)**, will activate the common area sprinklers and residents' sprinklers.

PYS will turn your sprinklers on and charge you \$57.00 unless you contact Holly at 801-256-1111. If you prefer someone else (or yourself) to handle the sprinkler activation, contact Holly to cancel the PYS visit.

If you want PYS to turn on your sprinkler system, contact Holly to schedule an appointment and arrange credit card payment. In either case, **it's a good idea to call Holly** at 801-256-1111.

LAWN CARE

PYS completed the spring cleanup on Monday, April 8. **Mowing** will occur on **Fridays for residential lots** and on **Mondays for common areas**. Please remember to **turn off your sprinklers on Thursdays** and **inspect your yards** on Thursday nights for any debris, including dog poop, hoses, and sprinkler heads sticking up.

SPRUCE UP YOUR YARD

Although it is still too early to plant flowers, **it is an ideal time to clean your planters** of unwanted growth, such as grass, weeds, overgrown woody plants, shrubs, or hedges. Certain plants intended to conceal utility boxes may become overgrown, posing a safety hazard, or they may consist solely of woody branches that offer minimal coverage. Additionally, it is a good idea to **inspect your home for volunteer trees** growing nearby and remove them before their roots can damage your home's foundation.

PARKSTONE GARDEN PARTY

Calling all volunteers! Join us on **Saturday morning, May 11th, at 9:00 am** to help keep our east and west gardens beautiful. We'll provide the flowers, mulch, muffins, and juice. We usually finish the gardening in about **an hour and a half**. Mark your calendars and come lend a hand! We'd love to see you there.

PARKSTONE ESTATES BBQ

Mark your calendars for our annual **Parkstone Estates BBQ on Monday, June 24**. It's a fantastic opportunity to mingle with your neighbors, enjoy delectable food, and potentially be treated to some entertainment. Stay tuned for more details!

NEW TREES COMING TO THE COMMON AREAS

Finally! We will soon have some new trees planted this year in our common areas!

NEW RESIDENTS

In December, Matt and Stacia Aragon relocated to 1201 Parkstone Dr. They are the proud parents of three adult children (two boys and a girl) and the loving grandparents of three adorable grandsons. Although their family remains in Colorado, Matt and Stacia maintain a close connection through frequent visits. Prior to their move to Utah, they resided in Pagosa Springs, near Durango, Colorado, where they successfully operated their window and door business for 25 years. Matt's acceptance of a Regional Manager position with a prominent window and door company facilitated their move to Utah. Matt and Stacia share a passion for skiing and hiking, relishing the opportunity to explore National Parks. Additionally, Stacia enjoys the pleasure of reading.

Luc West and Maci Murdock just closed on their new home at **12342 Estates Way**. They are preparing it so they can move in soon. They are excited as it is their first house. They have been together since high school. **Maci** has been a **hair stylist** for three years and is looking to find a

salon closer to Draper. **Luc** is from Sandy and works in **social media marketing**. They love to vacation with Palm Springs a favorite spot. Luc likes to draw, Maci loves dogs. The coolest thing Luc has experienced is sky diving. Welcome to our neighborhood!

PARKSTONE BOOK CLUB

Book Club had been changed to **Wednesday, April 24, at 7:00 PM** at **Vivian Gubler's home** at 1208 Parkstone Dr. (Original date, April 17.) The book we are reading is **Awestruck** by **Jonah Paquette**, available at the Library in the Book Club section across from the main desk.

PARKSTONE DINNER GROUP

Vivian Gubler will now lead our **Dinner Group**. Our first gathering this year will be on **Thursday, April 25th at 6 PM at the Garage Grill**, above us in the Hidden Valley Shopping Center's far west end. **Please RSVP** to Vivian at 801-599-9488 so we can reserve appropriate seating accommodations. We look forward to seeing you there!

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