

CLASSIFIEDS

SERVICES

- I am a licensed Cosmetologist with 10 years experience in hair cutting. If you would like you or your children's hair cut, permed, or styled in your home (or mine) please call Sheryl for pricing and an appointment at 703-304-5076 .

AVAILABLE FOR SALE

- Kitchen table, bakers rack and matching chairs, Pier 1 Imports brushed silver rectangular table with beveled glass top, 4 chairs & matching bakers rack \$650. If you are interested please call Sheryl at 703-304-5076 or 703-737-7759.
- Maternity clothes, nursery set, kids bikes, jog stroller, various toys, etc. Prices negotiable. Call Jen Wilkins @ 703/842-7458 or via email at: jenwilkins@adelphia.net
- 2002 Volvo XC70 AWD. 36k miles, 22,399 OBO. 703-443-9049 Leave message.

Are you interested in advertising your business?

Please contact Nancy Carter at ManagerSLHOA@aol.com.

It finally happened...



The Spring Lakes HOA has suffered its first major auto accident. On Friday evening, 25 June, a young man that resides in the townhouse area lost control of his vehicle speeding down Sierra Springs Square, taking out the "Slow, Children at Play" sign, and demolishing several vehicles. According to the police, he was probably doing in excess of 45 MPH. We have stated time and time again that policing is a community effort – at home, on our streets, in our community. This young man has been stopped several times, but to no avail. Speed bumps are not the answer; they would have only accentuated the size of the accident. I was reminded of all the evenings I've watched some of our children out riding after dark, no helmets, and mindless of the danger that exists. We cannot pretend that these things can't happen....please help us with controlling speed and speeders. Call the police and report the tag numbers, stop the cars if you can do it safely. I don't want to report that our next accident has incurred the loss of a young life or loved pet.

Thank you,
Kirk Nicholas, HOA President



Community Working notes...

Community change is about Community involvement

The Spring Lakes Board and Committee chairs and membership are all volunteer, and are working hard to make this a community we can all enjoy. It takes time and effort to make it happen, especially with a new development. Many of these volunteers at the Board Chair and member levels are on multiple committees. In short, the same few are doing the work for many. These members have families, jobs, and busy lives, but yet they find time to give back. How about you?

If you're interested in getting involved and/or joining a committee, you may either contact the committee chair (contact info available on the website), or contact the board at board@slhoa.org,

Digging & other tidbits...

Contractors are digging in Spring Lakes to bury cable for Verizon DSL.

We have been assured by the primary contractor that they will repair any damages to private property to the homeowner's satisfaction. If you have any concerns or need to file a claim, please contact Shari Yonts at Ivy H. Smith Company. Her phone number is 703.796.1740.



Visitor Parking and Curb Painting

There will be parking spaces in the town home section marked for "Visitor Parking." The goal is to allocate enough spacing for both our residents and their visitors. Homeowners in the town home section are asked to park their cars in their garage and/or driveway, and not utilize the limited parking spaces in the parking lots. Remember there is no permanent parking allowed in the parking lots. Additionally, please note that some curbs have been painted yellow and designated as "No Parking" areas.

New Towing Company Under Contract

The HOA has contracted with **Road Runner Wrecker Service** to tow vehicles parked illegally in the community. This includes commercial vehicles (trucks and taxi cabs) parked in the parking lots, vehicles without current decals, and vehicles permanently parked on streets or parking lots. All cost associated with towing and storage is charged to the owner of the vehicle.

Are you in the directory?

Get to know your neighbors and join the Spring Lakes Volunteer Directory.

If you are interested in participating in this VOLUNTARY directory, please contact Deb Bergin via email @ Debbergin@yahoo.com to receive a copy of the registration form.

THOUGHTS?

Do you have:

- Comments or articles you would like to share?
- Questions that have been plaguing you but you haven't taken the time to ask?
- Recipes you would like to share?

If so, please send them to debbergin@yahoo.com for inclusion in future publications.

DID YOU KNOW.....???

To be kept informed of all of the latest news with regards to Spring Lakes, please remember to sign up for the Spring Lakes HOA-News distribution list. This will allow us to communicate more effectively on hot topics and activities sponsored by the HOA.

Light the Night Leesburg!!

Can you spare a few hours for a great cause?

This year, the annual Leukemia & Lymphoma Society's "Light the Night" walk will start at Ida Lee Park. The walk will continue through downtown Leesburg for approximately 2-3 miles.

Mark your calendars for
Saturday, September 24th at 6pm.

There is no cost to join and all ages are welcome and encouraged to participate. If you are interested in forming or joining a team, would like to register for the walk or for additional information please visit us online at www.lightthenight.org/nca, or call 703-960-1100.

Let's make this the biggest walk in Virginia History!

Covenants Committee Reminders

Lawn mowing - keep it short. Lawns must be kept mowed throughout the grass-growing season. If you want to hire a service, you can contact our landscaping company, Abernethy & Spencer at dlohmann3@aol.com.

Pets - they are your responsibility. All pet owners must clean up after their pets in the common areas and on their property. Pets must be walked on leashes. If your yard is just too messy and you want to hire a company to clean it, contact DoodyCalls at 1-888-92-SCOOP.

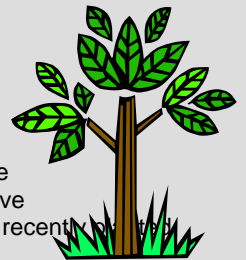
Loudoun County Inspectors. We were visited recently by the Loudoun County Health Department. As a result everyone is asked NOT to throw trash, grass clippings, wood, or any other materials onto any open space area. The covenant rules specifically prohibit storing anything on open space area by a homeowner.

Street parking. Residents are reminded that long-term parking on streets and/or parking lots is forbidden.

News from the Open Space Committee...

For all Homeowners that have planted trees in the last few years that still have stakes and support wires....

Many of the trees have become established and no longer need the support structures. In fact, some of the support structures are now causing harm to the trees, as they are too tight now that the tree has grown. It is now time to remove the stakes and wires. Of course, this does not pertain to trees that have been recently planted.



Tree Removal Almost Completed

The removal of approximately 90 hazardous trees is nearing completion. We want to thank homeowners who have cooperated with Hart Tree Service during the time they've been working in the community. We would like to thank Linda Kibblewhite for all of her hard work and endless patience on this project.

Beautification Projects

We would like to offer a special thanks to Abernethy and Spencer for adding several flowerbeds to the community. As soon as the tree removal work is completed, we'll be coordinating several beautification projects with Abernethy and Spencer. If you have suggestions you'd like to pass along to the HOA, please contact Nancy Carter at ManagerSLHOA@aol.com or 703.771.1670.

Spring Lakes Women's Club Game Night

Mark your calendar for Friday, July 22nd, at 7:00pm



Come and have fun. Please RSVP to ManagerSLHOA@aol.com or call 703.771.1670. This will be a great chance to relax, rekindle old friendships as well as make new ones! You're welcome to bring an appetizer if you like, but it is not required. **July is girls' only night.** August will be girls and guys.

If you are interested in joining or hosting any of these events, please contact Nancy Carter at ManagerSLHOA@aol.com or 703-771-1670.