

# September 2016 Newsletter

## **Farm at Creekside HOA Yard of the Month Winner for August**

The winner for August was 2303 Barn Swallow, belonging to Dawn and Terry Haas. The yard has a clean look with curbing separating the lovely green lawn from the flower beds in front of the house and around the golden locust tree. The flower beds contain a colorful combination of perennials and annuals, including day lilies, petunias, zinnias, marigolds, columbine, roses, and violets, with moss rock hand-picked by Terry from friends' property at Carter Lake. The front porch has hanging baskets, and elk and deer antlers add interest. The driveway is bordered by prairie grass, a large healthy aspen, and clean rock beds. The Haas's write, "We enjoy the yard and the upkeep and use it as a stress release from our jobs. It brings us pleasure and pride."



## **Neighborhood Oktoberfest Will Be Saturday, September 17, starting at 4:00 p.m. at the Eagleview Circle Island**

The party will include a chili competition and homebrew competition. Other homemade consumables (e.g., wine) are welcome, but are not eligible for prizes. Steven Noel of RE/MAX Alliance is our biggest sponsor. Families are welcome. We'll supply store-bought beer and non-alcoholic drinks. Please bring your own lawn chair. Men's winter coats, long underwear, gloves, and especially size 9-13 boots will be collected for H.O.P.E. (Homeless Outreach Providing Encouragement, supporting people experiencing homelessness in Longmont and aiding in steps towards self-sufficiency; [www.hopeforlongmont.org](http://www.hopeforlongmont.org)). Email [soc@fachoa.org](mailto:soc@fachoa.org) if you plan on entering either contest, can be a homebrew judge, or can help the Social Committee (of 2) pass out fliers or set up. Bad weather date: September 24, 2016.

## **Streetlight Added at Corner of Plateau Road and Creekside Drive**

The streetlight was in the original plans for the subdivision, but was overlooked until a board member asked the city to put a light there. Now it's much easier seeing where to turn onto Creekside Drive from Plateau and the name of our neighborhood on the monuments.

## **Leaving “Free” Items on the Sidewalk is Only Legal in Front of YOUR House!**



Otherwise, it is considered littering or dumping.

## **Would You Like to be a Neighborhood Group Leader (NGL) and Have the Neighborhood Join the NGL Association?**

Neighborhoods can apply for Activity and Improvement Grants. If interested, email [reweller@uab.edu](mailto:reweller@uab.edu).

**For Property Guidelines and Architectural Control Committee Approval Forms, See Our Website ([www.fachoa.org/documents.html](http://www.fachoa.org/documents.html)).**