

TEEPEE TALK

ARROWHEAD HOMEOWNERS' ASSOCIATION NEWSLETTER

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NEWSLETTER FORMAT CHANGE

There has been a change of format of this edition of Teepee Talk. This change was made in an effort to reduce printing costs. Due to limitations of available space, graphics will be strictly limited. It is hoped that the readers will understand the necessity of this change. We will make every effort for the Teepee Talk to continue to be an important way to inform the neighborhood of events that effect the community and keep the membership abreast of the activities of the AHOA board. Please do not hesitate to give your feedback and or suggestions on how the Teepee Talk may be improved.

MISSING MEMBERS

There has been a serious drop off in membership this year. The AHOA depends on the dues paid by the members. This drop in membership has caused a serious financial crunch. If you are a former member, please consider rejoining. If you are a current member, please ask your friends and neighbors to join. Your dues are essential to maintain the entrances, pay the electric bills for the lights, pay the water bills for the sprinklers, maintain the street signs and pay insurance on the entrances. The Association has just invested a large amount of money from grants to improve the entrances. It would be tragic to let the appearance decline due to lack of funds. We desperately need your assistance in this matter.

SEMINOLE ENTRANCE DAMAGED (AGAIN)

Another auto accident occurred last month that resulted in serious damage to the entryway at Seminole Drive. This time the damage was not caused by the cars involved in the wreck, but rather by the tow truck that came to remove the wrecked cars. The damage has been estimated to be around \$13,000. Fortunately, the tow truck operator had insurance. Our president, Grace Pugh, has been negotiating with the insurance company and has contacted

contractors to repair the damaged entrance post and light fixture. There are a limited number of skilled craftsman able to do repairs on the dry stack stone construction and make it match the rest of the undamaged structure, so it has been difficult finding a contractor willing to take on the job. Please be sure and thank Grace for devoting her time and effort to locate the contractors and negotiate with the insurance company.

NEIGHBORHOOD SAFETY

Once again there has been a serious accident at one of the entrances to the Arrowhead neighborhood. Fortunately, there have been no fatalities. Please be extremely cautious when entering or leaving the neighborhood. Be mindful that speeding seems to be rampant on the Atlanta Highway. The speed limit is 55 near the entrances, but people coming off the interstate seem to think it is 70. Speeding also seems to be on the increase on the main streets of Arrowhead. Arrowhead Drive, Seminole Drive and Oldfield Drive have long straight stretches with few stop signs. Drivers let their speed creep up to far above the 25 mph limit. With the corona virus more people, especially children are at home during the day, and many more walkers are out. Please be mindful of your speed. Think how you would feel if you hit a pedestrian, particularly a child.

TRASH PICKUP PROBLEMS

On several occasions, the Montgomery Sanitation Department has gotten behind on trash pickup. The reason for this is that they are shorthanded due to the corona virus. A number of their truck crewmembers have been struck by the virus or have had to self-isolate due exposure to the virus. The Sanitation Department even worked on the July 4th holiday in an effort to catch up. In addition, there has been a 30% increase in trash, due to people staying at home more and doing more yard work. If you have trash that needs to be picked up and are able, you can drop it off at Wares Ferry Elementary on the first and third Saturday of every month between 9:00 and 3:00.

VIRTUAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING?

The bylaws of the Arrowhead Homeowners' Association call for two membership meetings a year. The summer meeting, usually held in June, had to be cancelled due to the corona virus and the restrictions on large gatherings. The board has been considering holding a membership meeting in August or September utilizing Zoom or another group meeting app. This would enable the membership to voice their concerns and give the board feedback on the Association. Please check the Arrowhead Web site or face book page for a possible time and date. If our webmaster does not have your e-mail address, please send it to him at webmaster@arrowheadhomes.org.

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2021 MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION
ARROWHEAD HOMEOWNERS' ASSOCIATION

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Annual dues are \$95. Please make check payable to Arrowhead Homeowners' Association, Inc. Mail to Post Office Box 241353, Montgomery, AL. 36124-1353. Dues may also be paid on line by going to the Arrowhead HOA web site at www.arrowheadhomes.org. If you wish to donate additional funds to help support your neighborhood, any amount will be greatly appreciated. Thank you for your continuing support.

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