

SHORECREST BEACH CLUB NEWS

2023/2024

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WAYS TO IMPROVE YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD

As property owners in Shorecrest, we all want to see our neighborhood thrive and our property values rise! There are a few simple things that each of us as homeowners can do to help improve our neighborhood.

1. **Curb appeal.** Keep your yards and front porches neat and tidy.
2. **Get to know your neighbors.** Come to our HOA meetings and events, welcome new neighbors and look out for each other.
3. **Volunteer.** Join a committee or maybe the HOA board. Bring your ideas to meetings, activities and events.
4. **Obey Rules & Regulations.** These are in place for the benefit of the neighborhood.
5. **Watch your speed** and drive safely within Shorecrest.
6. **Pay your dues.** These dues improve and maintain the common areas in Shorecrest. Common areas include the clubhouse, swimming pool, community garden, basketball court, horse shoe court, picnic shelters, as well as 2 beautiful parks.

We all can make a difference, just by doing our part.

HOA PRESIDENTS REPORT

Shorecrest continues to grow with new homes and new neighbors moving in. If you have a new neighbor, we hope you will welcome them and share with them the benefits our community has to offer.

This last year the clubhouse roof was re-shingled as well as all the out buildings and covered picnic shelters. A fence was added to the garden area. Much work was done to the swimming pool this year, resurfacing the pool and installing new lights and electrical wiring so we will be ready for another successful swim season. This year we plan to make some improvements to the waterfront park.

The last couple years we have brought in garbage dumpsters and this seems to be very appreciated. We plan to do it again this spring (in early May) so we encourage all our Shorecrest residents to take advantage of this event and do some spring cleaning! A reminder will be sent out with your 2024/25 annual HOA billing.

Thank you to our dedicated Shorecrest employees who keep things running smoothly all year long and also to our board members who have donated so much time. With their hard work, along with our many resident volunteers, we continue to improve our community. Because we have worked so well together this last year, we do not need to increase our HOA dues this year!

I welcome and encourage all Shorecrest homeowners to attend our monthly board meetings the 2nd Saturday of each month at 10 AM at the clubhouse. It's a great way to stay informed, voice your ideas, and get to know your neighbors.

Have a great year!
Mike Jacobson/HOA President

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BE A RESPONSIBLE PET OWNER

As part of our Shorecrest Rules and Regulations, it is essential that you keep your pets contained. Dogs especially cannot be left to run free in the neighborhood. They need to be housed, in a fenced yard, or on a leash. This is not only for the safety of your Shorecrest neighbors and their pets, but also for your own pet's safety. **Be a good neighbor and responsible pet-owner!**

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MEMBERSHIP MEETING:

SATURDAY APRIL 20th
10 AM at the Shorecrest
clubhouse

RESIDENTS: PLEASE PLAN TO ATTEND!!

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Be sure to check out the
SHORECREST WEBSITE for
updates on activities, meeting
minutes photos and more!
www.shorecrestbeachclub.org

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SHORECREST EVENTS

This last year our activities team started off the season with the return of our Easter Brunch and Easter Egg Hunt. We had a great turn out with even a couple Easter Bunnies to help hide eggs and take pictures with the little egg hunters in the neighborhood. The brunch was "egg"cellent as well! We followed up this event with a pool opening celebration on Memorial weekend.

Our activities group decided to raise money in order to purchase new kitchen appliances. We had several fund raisers including a bake sale the 4th of July weekend at the same time as the neighborhood yard sale. It was very successful, and so much fun! Thank you to everyone who donated wonderful baked goods and also to those who came out to buy or give cash donations! We also had a raffle at our annual pool party on the 4th of July, which included a barbeque and live music by local Shorecrest musician, James Harlan. In August we celebrated with our annual SHOREFEST celebration. Last year's theme was "Beach Party" and included a delicious barbeque rib dinner, the GIANT slip n' slide, dancing, fun decorations, another raffle and live music by local band "Pleasure Hounds". It was a blast! In the fall, by popular demand, we brought back our BINGO game night. It's a fun way for the whole family to spend those cool, rainy nights and many brought home prizes or extra cash!

We hope you all enjoyed the events last year. We will plan events again for this coming year and so long as we have volunteers we will try to keep them going. If you would like to be a part of the action, please contact me at: MissMarciaLynnette@gmail.com or see Carolynne in the office. It really is fun so I hope you will join us! Watch for signs, emails and check the website for updates on up-coming events. **I'm looking forward to a fun filled 2024 here in Shorecrest!**

Cheers!
Marcia/Activities



COMMUNITY GARDEN



The "Connie West" community garden continues to grow and be more beautiful every year. Amelia and her garden team have done a fabulous job not only growing wonderful fruits, vegetables, herbs and flowers for the Shorecrest neighborhood to share, but it looks beautiful and welcoming. Be sure to stop by to watch it grow!

Work on the garden is continuous. As soon as the harvest is complete, they move in to plant a cover crop and before spring they are already buying and planting seeds for starts to later transplant into the garden. There is much soil preparation that needs to be done before they can actually plant and this year they have added a shed to house their garden tools and supplies. Plans are also underway to install an irrigation system to make watering much easier and more efficient. They will be busy for sure!

Now that we know we have many gardeners in the neighborhood, a gardening section has been added to the clubhouse library. Be sure to stop by for some great gardening ideas.

Watch for signs at the garden/bus stop (typically on Wednesdays) to let you know when their harvest is available to pick up.

If you are interested in joining the garden team, please contact Amelia at: ameliasavinova03@gmail.com

YOGA and MEDITATION

South Sound Yoga and Wellness Group (SSYWG) is a local group whose mission is to promote healthy lifestyles in our communities through activities that nurture physical, intellectual, emotional and spiritual wellbeing. Since the pandemic, the classes have been changed to meeting on Zoom teleconferences. Pam and Johanna (both certified yoga teachers and residents of Shorecrest) offer yoga classes six days a week. Everyone is welcome!

To join please log in to: www.ssywg.org to view class schedule. If you have any questions, please contact Pam at pamlau3@gmail.com or Johanna at ikalang@comcast.net

LADIES NIGHT OUT

Shorecrest ladies, friends and neighbors continue to meet the 2nd Tuesday of each month. A typical LNO includes a potluck dinner at the clubhouse with fun, lively conversation, but they also do other activities. During the summer months, they often meet during the day for a picnic, hike, visit a garden nursery, or whatever the group decides to do. In November they had a traditional Thanksgiving dinner and in December they did a progressive dinner where they stopped at three neighborhood homes for appetizers, dinner and dessert. It was so fun! They are hoping to do another progressive dinner this summer. If you are new to the neighborhood, or just want to meet some of the fun, talented ladies in our neighborhood, please come out and join the group!

To get an email reminder of LNO, please contact Johanna Lang at: ikalang@comcast.net



LOOKING FOR A PARTY VENUE?

Our Shorecrest Clubhouse is a great place to celebrate birthdays or other occasions. See Carolynne in the office to reserve a spot.

EASTER BRUNCH and EGG HUNT



SATURDAY MARCH 30th