

STONE FOREST

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Presidents MESSAGE

We have to announce that one Board member, Lesley Hollenberg, has resigned due to family circumstances and we thank her on behalf of all homeowners for her service and wish her and her family well in their future endeavors. A replacement has been found to serve out Lesley's term and we will announce the name next month after confirmation by your Board.

Kristi Hendrickson will also be leaving us soon as she will probably be re-locating to another area. More about this next month also.

We are sorry to see both of these ladies leave us but it has been very enjoyable having them on our Board.

Many homeowners close to the main retention pond will have noticed that the HCFCD has been cleaning out the cement gullies in the pond and laying the "goo" on the walls of the pond to help re-enforce the sides. Once this all dries out it will stop smelling bad and will hopefully mitigate the erosion. Maybe next summer we won't see so many rodents, snakes and other creatures trying to access the surrounding houses. (This was the County's expense not the HOA's as some have asked !)

Harris County Pct.4 has also been repairing some sidewalks and the street drain outlets where the concrete has crumbled. Maybe the new Commissioner has had an effect after all!

It was delightful to have steady rain recently but it is a tear in a bucket compared to what we need. Bridgestone MUD has posted water rationing notices at each entrance to Stone Forest and we must strictly adhere to the order. Please ensure that your house number complies with the restrictions i.e. watering only two days per week (designated) between the hours of midnight and 10:00 a.m. NO exceptions. If we don't comply we are faced with further restrictions which will surely be inconvenient for all. We understand that whole of Texas is under severe water restrictions until we get some relief in the distant future.

The Fall Festival is still planned although we will now be short of help. If anyone can volunteer for a few hours on Saturday November 12 we would appreciate a call. Please watch the website & the two public notice boards for additional information.

We are still going through the budgeting process and hope to resolve the 2012 budget by the end of October. We are cautiously hopeful that we can avoid an increase in the assessments but until we see where we are at the month's end and do some further examination of our expenses for next year it is hard to predict how we will end up. It is always a little difficult to guess what next year will bring when we are not finished with this year. As you all know

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Welcome

TO THE STONE FOREST FLYER

*Official Newsletter of the Stone
Forest Homeowners Association*

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the biggest problem is the delinquency rate which is not slowing down and takes a long time to resolve.

Also some of the wish-list items we have may have to wait until the economy picks up.

Security is still on our minds and for those going away for Thanksgiving please take all the normal precautions like cancelling newspapers and avoiding deliveries to be left on the doorstep while away. It is also noticeable that there are fewer garage doors left open during the day, reducing the drive-by temptation. It makes perfect sense to be cautious and aware to avoid the possibility of opportunistic crimes. For those who have to leave the vehicles in the drive please lock and secure same, removing all valuables out of sight. With the nights drawing in, darkness is a friend of thieves.

On behalf of the Board I wish you all a Safe and Happy Thanksgiving.

Sincerely,

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President
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