

The Three Oaks
Neighborhood Watch
NEWSLETTER
July 2007

**Support Your Neighborhood
Watch**

It's that time of year when we are asking each house in our neighborhood to contribute \$12 for the year to be used as our operating funds. These funds help out during our annual neighborhood garage sale and annual spring cleanup. In the past year, our Three Oaks Neighborhood area has enjoyed holiday parties, our decorated yard contest for the Christmas holiday season and many other amenities our neighborhood program has afforded us. This year we have many more things to do but we need your help. If you are willing and can afford it, please return the attached envelop to your block captain with the requested money. Please make checks payable to **Three Oaks Neighborhood Watch**. We have a treasurer for the neighborhood fund and she gives us a financial report at each meeting. All monies collected go to the betterment of our neighborhood. If you have any suggestions for a special neighborhood project or questions concerning this program please contact your block captain or Janis & Bob Hood, at 737-5055.

"Let every nation know, whether it wishes us well or ill, we shall pay any price, bear any burden, meet any hardship, support any friend, oppose any foe, to assure the survival and success of liberty."

John F. Kennedy, 35th President of the United States of America

**Next Meeting
9 July 2007,
7:00 PM
Neighborhood
Initiative Center
9233 NE 10th
East end of the
old Greenhaw's
Bldg**



GUEST SPEAKER

Be sure to attend our July 9th meeting because we will have a Master Gardener from the OSU Extension there to answer any questions you might have about your yard, flowers, trees, insect or gopher/mole problem, etc. Bring your questions and hopefully we'll get some answers.

NEIGHBORHOOD SURVEY

Thanks to everyone who took time to answer our neighborhood survey. We will be going over the results from the survey at our July meeting and will address your problems and issues. Please attend if you had something specifically that you had a comment or question on.

Light for Safety

A safe neighborhood is one where people feel secure day or night. You can contribute to that sense of personal safety by turning on your porch light a night. This will increase the security of your property. OG&E says a porch light costs 2 cents per hour.

Message from Cammy

Please, please, please put in your neighborhood newsletters/fliers (for July) and/ or spread by word of mouth for any and all who can attend the Council meeting on **Tuesday, July 24, 2007 at 7pm** at the **Council Chambers in the city complex at Midwest Blvd and Reno.** Council will be voting on the curfew and portable basketball goals ordinances proposed by the neighborhood associations. They will be voting on a few other ordinances as well including derelict vehicles. Please make every effort to be there. "You" need to show Council that "you" support the ordinances that "you" proposed to them. We need the Council Chambers PACKED that night!!! If you need any more information, please contact me 739-8218, e-mail, or come by 300 W. Mid America.

Thanks~CAMMY

P.S. If you have not had a chance to see the proposed ordinances, you can pick up or see a copy of what will be going before Council at the office.



**God Bless America and
Our Troops**

Prevention of Ticks and Mosquitoes

- Use repellent with DEET on skin.
- Pre-treat clothing with permethrin before wearing.
- Wear uniform correctly.
- Wear long-sleeved shirts.
 - Deprives ticks of attachment sites.
- Check for ticks regularly, particularly along waistbands, in the armpits and groin area.
- Empty containers or large vesicles in your yard or around your home, which may harbor water, these will attract mosquitoes.

Tick Removal

- **Remove a tick from your skin as soon as you notice it.**
 - Successful transmission of disease requires the tick to be attached for at least several hours.
- **Use fine-tipped tweezers to firmly grasp the tick very close to your skin.**
- **With a steady motion, pull the tick's body away from your skin.**
- **Clean your skin with soap and warm water.**
- **Avoid crushing the tick's body.**
- **If you accidentally crush the tick, clean your skin with soap and warm water or alcohol.**
- **Don't use petroleum jelly, a hot match, nail polish, or other products to remove a tick.**
 - These materials are either ineffective, or may agitate the tick causing it to force more infective fluid into the wound site.
 - Note the date of tick removal and report any symptoms consistent with tick-borne illness to your physician immediately.

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Janis & Bob Hood-Co-Presidents Three Oaks
Neighborhood Watch 737-5055

Block Captains

Three Oaks North of Stop Sign
Jim Couey 737-6441

Three Oaks South of Stop Sign
Ronnie White 732-7843

Oak Hollow Drive
Sam Patterson. 737-6075

Oakwood Drive
Ambre Gooch 737-6855

Indian Creek Drive
Gerald Henshaw 733-4263

Pine Creek Drive
Rick Hudson 737-6411

Spring Creek Drive
Virginia Armstrong 736-6237

Oak Creek Drive
Hiawatha Bouldin 737-0914

Oak Cliff Drive
Fred Price 741-3259

S.E. 4th
Linda Whitley 737-4791

Margene & 6th
Need Volunteer(s)

Weather Warnings

FLASH FLOOD WATCH: Conditions favoring extremely heavy rainfall in a short amount of time are expected to develop within the watch area.

FLASH FLOOD WARNING: Flash flooding is occurring at the present time within the warning area.

SEVERE THUNDERSTORM WATCH: Conditions are expected to favor severe thunderstorm development within the watch area.

SEVERE THUNDERSTORM WARNING: Severe thunderstorms are occurring within the warning area.

TORNADO WATCH: Conditions are expected to favor tornadic thunderstorms to develop within the watch area.

TORNADO WARNING: A tornado has been detected or reported in the warning area.