

# RidgeRunner

Monthly Newsletter for the residents of Miller's Ridge

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## President's Corner

As we say farewell to the year 2007, we continue to pray for peace in the Middle East and await our troops to arrive safely home. I know that many of our residents here in MR have had Son's and Daughter's and other loved ones deployed and it has been a year of anxiety as we wait for them to return home. I for one have tried to put my anxiety and uncertainty to work, and as my son was off in Iraq serving, I was trying to serve here in my community to make it a better place for all. If I couldn't sleep, I got up and patrolled your neighborhood to make it a safer place for you and your loved ones.

My wife and I are looking forward to serving the Miller's Ridge Community along with the new board for 2007 - 2008. We have an enthusiastic group that really enjoyed judging your beautiful Christmas displays and we plan to work for revival and renewal for our neighborhood. We are working hard to put new ideas to work. Please pitch in and say I want to be part of the Miller's Ridge Neighborhood Association by paying your membership dues and volunteering to help out.

We are starting something new, Sub Groups that will get started in January. These groups are forming and if you didn't sign up for at least one, then you are going to miss out on some fun. Come to the January General Meeting and sign up to get in on the fun.

Again, I am here to serve and help improve our neighborhood.

*Barry Hunt*

President MRNA

## MRNA Christmas Light Up Contest 2007

The MRNA Board had a tuff time judging this year as we had so many Holiday displays to judge. A special "thanks" to all who participated and worked so hard to decorate their homes. **Congratulations to the WINNER'S!**

**1<sup>st</sup> PLACE Ingrid Hawkins 6811 Ludgate**



**2<sup>nd</sup> Place Wesley Redd 9511 Millers Ridge**



**3<sup>rd</sup> Place Richard Gaines 9515 Dunhill**



**Honorable Mention Ruby Chapman 9662 Chelmsford**



**Honorable Mention Nancy Maxwell 6703 Vineland**



**Honorable Mention Chris Cardenas 9554 Dunstable**





### Special Presentation

MRNA Board made a special presentation to Richard Fields PhD. for his 5 years of service as President of the MRNA; he was made a Lifetime Honorary Member to the MRNA and presented with a gift certificate as a token of their appreciation for all his hard work.



Richard Fields PhD presented by Barry Hunt-MRNA-Pres.

### Donation Time

Do you have an old car not running or just sitting in your drive way? Reminder that tax time will be here before you know it! Why not donate it and get a tax deduction. Call **AMERICAN LUNG ASSOCIATION - 1-888-252-5864**

### Miller's Ridge Neighborhood Association

**January 2008 General Meeting** will be Tuesday January 8<sup>th</sup>, 2008 at 7:30 pm at the meeting room at Summit Ridge on Crestway. These meetings are to help shape our neighborhood and we need your input and support. Remember this is a general meeting that is open to all Miller's Ridge Residents, we are a **Neighborhood Association** and you can join if your own, lease or rent. Come and make a difference. We are still accepting membership dues and it is never too late to join. Dues are \$30.00 per household and that is a real bargain. We have many functions during the year. *MRNA Holiday Light- Up, Spring MRNA Garage Sale, MRNA Spring Dump Your Junk, Bar-B-Q & Auction Fund-Raiser (open to the public), MRNA Fall Garage Sale, MRNA Fall Dump Your Junk, and in January we are adding MRNA Sub-Groups.*

#### SUB- GROUPS

Cellular On Patrol  
MRNA Beautification and Garden Group  
MRNA Men's Walk Night Group  
MRNA Lady's Walk Night Group  
MRNA Backyard Chef's Group  
MRNA Movie Buff's Group  
MRNA Seniors Young at Heart Group  
MRNA Mom's Group  
MRNA Gourmet Cook's Group  
Remember you must be a member to participate in all MRNA functions other than General Meetings. Come and join and have some FUN!!!

### MRNA Marque

Bexar County is getting a bid approved to finish the rock work and stabilize it. We plan to discuss whether or not to light it at the January meeting. Please be

there for your input as that will have to be paid for by the MRNA. Attend the **MRNA January General Meeting** for discussion on Phase III for completion and upkeep.

### Miller's Ridge Beautification and Maintenance Fund for the Marque

Ingrid Hawkins has donated her winnings from the **Light Up Contest** to start a **Beautification and Maintenance Fund** for the **Miller's Ridge Marque**. A very special "Thanks" to her and if any one would like to make donations to this fund, please contact Stanley Thomas @ 599-0901 and he will be happy to come pick up your donation and add it to the Fund.

### Trading Post

All members can run a free ad to sell household goods. Email your ad to:

[Millersridgesatx@yahoo.com](mailto:Millersridgesatx@yahoo.com)

### For Sale

**Entertainment Center**-cherry look, three section, holds up to 27" T.V. \$100.00 call 210-887-6009

**RCA Video Camera**-uses reg. size video cassettes, with bag and accessories. \$100.00 Call 210-655-9556

**Attention Businesses-** You can run your business card ad here. MRNA member's ads are free. Non member's ads are \$30.00 for 12 newsletters. Call to add your business to this publication that goes out to over 220 homes. Call 210-655-9556

### Street Captains

Stanley Thomas is our Team Captains and is looking for several more Street Captains to pass out the newsletters. Please call him to volunteer @599-0901.

### Board Members 2007-2008

Barry Hunt	President	655-9556
Stan Thomas	V. Pres.	599-0901
Wilburn Gloor	Treasurer	653-7866
Betty Koula	Parliamentarian	650-4573

### Chairpersons

Ann Jones	Membership	967-0812
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