Fall 2014

Rochdale Times

Note from the President

Hello Neighbors,

I certainly hope everyone has enjoyed their summer, despite the cooler temperatures and a fair amount of rain. Of course it still went by in a hurry, but the fall colors will soon be here in all their splendor.

Since the last newsletter, we had some changes to the Rochdale Board. At the Annual Meeting, Trisha Cox was voted in as our new Secretary. Welcome, Trisha! And Thank you! Tiffany Fronek, former Secretary will continue to serve as a Director. Tiffany has been a huge asset as the Secretary and I'm glad she is still going to help out as a Director. We, unfortunately, did have two Directors step down this year. I'd like to thank David Grice and Cal

Pasbjerg for their time spent as Directors. If you were unable to attend the annual meeting the minutes are posted on the subdivision website, www.Rochdalesub.com, as well as the most recent board meeting on September 10th.

There are a few agenda items I'd like to mention. The Board has voted to not replace the "Subdivision" sign that was at the Orchardale entrance. The Board only received a few comments on this matter, all stating it was a confusing sign. The Board also voted to treat the pond for two years with a pellet form bacteria product to reduce organic sediment, muck, on the bottom. This reduces the amount of nutrients available for

algae and other invasive aquatic plants to feed on, therefore, improving the ponds health and appearance. Since we had such a great turn out at the children's Halloween party last year the Board did vote to have one again.

See the details on page 2.

That's all from me, but if there is anything you would like the Board to address, please feel free to contact me and I will add it to the agenda.

Warren DeWitt



News about Our Residents

New Neighbors

Jerry and Gail Crosser have moved into their new home at 485 Orchardale. Formerly from Fowlerville, they are enjoying their retirement and being close to family. They can be contacted at 517-304-1576 or jcrosser45@aol.com.

Kevin Seymore has purchased the home at 1525 Stockport. Though he and his son (who is attending Grand Valley) will not move in until they have finished some renovations. Kevin can be reached at 248-880-1670.

Please take the time to introduce yourselves when you have a chance. Also remember to update your directories.

Visits from the Stork

Congratulations to Jason and Lauren Knapp. Their daughter Fiona Lynn was born on May 28th weighing in at 6 lbs and 20 inches long with a full head of hair.

Congratulations to Angela Bishop and Dan Lewis on the birth of their son, John. He arrived on July 26th weighing 7lbs and 9 oz.

Loss of Neighbors

Dorothy Bojarzin passed away of natural causes on May 24th. Sympathy goes out to her husband, Fred, and daughter, Megan, who also lives in the sub. A memorial donation was made to Royal Oak Symphony Orchestra.

Sid Wilde passed away on July 6th. He will be greatly missed by his wife, Bridget, and let's hope a lifetime of great memories can ease the pain of her loss. A memorial donation was made to Rochester Neighborhood House in Sid's memory.

Recipe Share—Picnic Coleslaw

For those who could not make it to the subdivision picnic, here's a chance to get a small taste of what you missed. Maren Vos shared her delicious coleslaw recipe.

1 package of cole slaw

1 good sized red apple, cut into bite size pieces

1 small to med bunch of green grapes

1 cup of cashew halves

1/4 cup of silvered almonds

Approx. 1 cup or enough to saturate the slaw of Marzetti's Original Slaw Dressing

Gently toss all together and enjoy!

Have a recipe you want to share.
Please send your recipes to
contactrochdaletimes@gmail.com

Annual Sub Halloween Party



The Annual Sub Halloween Party is scheduled for Sunday, October 26 from 3-5 pm at Rochdale Park. The kids and grandkids of residents up to age 11 are invited to wear their costumes, play games, enjoy some snacks and join in on some Halloween fun.

Please RSVP for the party by October 20. Please contact Trisha Cox at 248-910-6484 or Caryn DeWitt at 248-651-8336.

Dates to Remember

- Daylight Savings Time ends at 2:00 am on Sunday, November 2.
- Next Board Meeting is scheduled for December 2nd at 6:30 pm at the Rochester Hills City Hall in Room 221.
- Last yard waste pick up is December 9th.



Ideas for Fall Activities

- Cider Mills—Yates Cider Mill now has a location at Old World Canterbury Village in Lake Orion
- Trick or Treat—Take the kids to Downtown Rochester on Saturday, October 18th from 4-5 pm
- Hayrides and Haunted Houses—Check out www.oaklandcountymoms.com for the latest list of kid friendly events.

Contact Us

Have any news to share?
Please send your stories to Trisha
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for consideration.

