

## Safari July Newsletter

2017

**UPCOMING EVENTS:** Mark your calendar for upcoming events.

**July 4<sup>th</sup> parade and hot dog potluck:** The parade will set up at 9:45 at the Lodge and begin at 10:00. Bring your red, white and blue and join us. The hot dog potluck will begin at 1:00. Hot dogs and their fixings will be provided. Please bring your drinks and a potluck dish.

**Annual Spaghetti Dinner and White Elephant Auction** will be held Friday July 14<sup>th</sup> beginning at 5 o'clock. Cost will be \$5 per person for spaghetti, salad, garlic bread and dessert. Help is still needed for this event. Please contact the office if you can help. The White Elephant Auction will immediately follow the dinner. Donations for the auction are needed and can be given to Dana, Sue at 8154 Perimeter or brought to the office on Monday mornings.

**July Membership Meeting** will be held Saturday July 15<sup>th</sup> at 1:00. Registration will begin at 12:00. Please register early so the meeting can begin on time.

After the meeting, join us at the "island" between the gates to honor Normal Caba with a memorial plant and plaque.

**Board member positions:** Nominations are being accepted for the following Board positions: President, Treasurer, Assistant Financial and Secretary. If you are interested in running for a Board position, please contact Anne Rogers at [alrcrazy01@yahoo.com](mailto:alrcrazy01@yahoo.com), or call Safari at 360-355-9512 or email [safari3205@gmail.com](mailto:safari3205@gmail.com).

**Lot Clean up:** 46 letters were sent out concerning lot clean up. This past winter "blessed" Safari with an abundance of rain!! Now we have an abundance of weeds and grasses appearing! As these weeds and grasses grow and bloom they are spreading their seeds. Please remember it is member's responsibility to keep their lots up throughout the year and not just for the Memorial Day clean up. Did you know that 1 dandelion flower can produce 54 – 172 seeds? One dandelion plant can produce up to 2000 seeds over a season.

**New phone number:** To save money, Safari is switching to a new phone system. We have a new phone number. Please note the new phone number [360-355-9512](tel:360-355-9512).

**Tarps:** At the May Membership meeting, tarps were discussed. Input was given from the membership. The Board then put together the following rules for tarps in Safari.

**Tarps & covers may be used according to the following rules:**

1. Custom fitted covers for vehicles/RVs are permitted as long as they are of a solid color and in good repair. Using tape for repair cuts is not allowed unless approved by the board.
2. Blue tarps may be only used in an emergency to protect property from leaks. The repair must be completed within 30 days and the tarp removed. The board may approve an additional 30 days use of the blue tarp but only once.
3. Brown and white solid color tarps may be used to cover vehicles for a period of 90 days.
4. No tarp may be used as a wall or fence substitute.
5. Tarps of any color may be used to cover items like woodpiles if they are not visible from the street.
6. Tarps must be secured such that they do not blow in the wind and produce noise.
7. Violators will be given 10 days to correct any violation of these rules. If the violation is not corrected in that period, a fine of \$100 is assessed. If the violation is not corrected within an additional 20 days, an additional \$500 fine is assessed. If the violation is not corrected within an additional 30 days thereafter, the membership will be foreclosed. These rules were adopted on June 20, 2017 and will go into effect on July 20, 2017.

