

Lakeside Park Association

Newsletter

September 2021 Edition

Hello and welcome to the fall 2021 edition of the LPA newsletter. Well, it was a heck of a summer. The ongoing Covid pandemic, low lake level caused by the drought, smoke and fires all contributed to a summer we all won't soon forget, although most probably would like to get it behind us. We hope everyone did have breaks to enjoy our beautiful area.

Caldor Fire:

We at LPA want to send out a HUGE round of applause to the firefighters, police and other service individuals who kept guard and stood at the ready to protect our community particularly during the evacuations. Their level of commitment for individuals they don't know is to be commended.

Also, high praise and thank you should be given to our LPA water service employees. Always driven to do their utmost to provide the best drinking water in the Tahoe basin, Water Manager Nakia Foskett, with water operators Bob Kuhre and Pat Grillet, made sure to be at the water plant each day to assure our facility was working at peak performance so all fire hydrants in the area had adequate pressure should the need arise. In addition, they took it upon themselves to drive the neighborhood during the evacuation to be an extra set of eyes in support of the law enforcement officers on patrol. Again, we thank them for their commitment.

Low Lake Level – Slip Applications for Next Year:

As you are all aware, the lake level is very low. For those with a boat in the marina, it would be prudent to get your boat out of the water while you can. Letters to Members interested in slip rentals for next year will be sent out in October. Remember, Members can rent slips before they are offered to the public, however you must get your application and payment returned by the due date indicated in the letter.

Azure Ave Improvement Project:

Long planned work to replace the main water service pipe along Azure Ave is scheduled to begin September 20th. All residents along Azure Ave have been contacted and although it is our goal to keep water shut offs at a minimum, they may be necessary.

Election Results and More:

At the annual meeting held on July 30, 2021, the returned ballots were totaled for Board of Director positions, and we are pleased to announce that John Paoluccio and Danny Olsen were re-elected to 3-year terms and Chet Pipkin was elected to his first 3-year term. We welcome Chet to the Board and look forward to his contributions. Thanks to all the Members who attended the meeting and provided questions and input. We encourage the interaction and look forward to next year's meeting.

For those of you who used the shuttle or attended the beach this summer, you may have had the opportunity to speak with a distinguished gentleman, Beach Manager Warren Rowe. We at LPA are pleased to announce Warren has accepted an offer to join us full time as the new General Operations Assistant/Beach Manager. We are sure he will be a great help to Operations Manager Judi Goddard.

We have said it before, but it is worth saying again, we are here to serve our members and please feel free to let us know how we can help. Enjoy the fall season, we look forward to seeing you around the neighborhood. (And it's never too early to start doing a little rain and snow dance.) Take care.