



# SouthView News

May 2011

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## The President's Comments

(Jim Nuber, President)

WOW ! It's springtime already? It can't be, can it? Yes, that time of the year is upon us. The time just seems to fly anymore. It's a great time of the year to enjoy SouthView. Everyone is planting, the birds are singing, and the trees are almost fully leaved out.

It's also the time of year for our annual Homeowners meeting. Thanks to all who attended. We had a very good turn out and with the numerous ballots mailed in; it was easily a quorum with which to conduct business. Our guest speaker, Ken Lain from Watters Garden Center, was super. There was a lot of interchange between Ken and our homeowners about planting in SouthView. I've already done three of the things he suggested. I'm sure it's going to help.

The election was successful with the selection of Al West as our newest Board member taking over for Vern Organ as treasurer and re-electing Larry Zimmerman as member at large. The Board and all the Homeowners want to thank Vern for his years of service to the community. Things simply run smoother when you have people that know what to do and get it done. Thanks again Vern. We could say that same for our HOAMCO support from Ruta Norkus. She does all the hard things for the Board and Homeowners.

You'll see some changes over the next few months. We're adding additional lighting to our flag at the entrance. We also are looking into additional landscaping to enhance our newly refurbished entrance marques. Additionally, we've been in contact with the city about the condition of all our roads. They've been "crack sealed", but need to be chip sealed (resurfaced). We hope to see that happen this summer.

Enjoy SouthView; it's a great place to live. Have a wonderful time as summer comes upon us and please be safe in your travels and gatherings.

Jim Nuber

## Quarterly Firewise Notes

**Firewise Volunteers:** This will be the schedule for brush clearing for the next several months. Note the work activity will start at 0800 hours. We usually work for two [2] hours but it is not a requirement for anyone to work the entire block of time. Whatever time you can volunteer for will be appreciated.

May	Wednesday, 11th and Saturday, 28 <sup>th</sup>
June	Wednesday, 15th and Saturday, 25th
July	Wednesday, 13th and Saturday, 30th
August	Wednesday, 17th and Saturday, 27th
September	Wednesday, 14
October	Saturday, 1st and Wednesday, 12th and Saturday, 29 <sup>th</sup>

We are currently working on the East side of Country Park Drive. We have started at to top...the most southern end...and are working our way north toward Pleasant Valley Drive.

If you volunteer, it is advised that you wear heavy shoes or boots, wear gloves, long sleeve shirt and pants. Flip flops, shorts, etc, are not advised. Consider bring a snack and some liquid...water, tea or coffee...your choice. Tools...chain saw [if you have one], heavy brush cutting clippers [again, if you have one].

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If any of you would like to get involved in this worthwhile activity, please contact any member of the Firewise Committee. The members are Linda Roegge, Peter Wendorf, Al West, Larry Zimmerman, and Ron Gould, Chairman.

## Board of Directors Meetings

Meetings for the Board of Directors are held at the HOAMCO office, beginning at 9:00am. HOAMCO's new address is:  
3205 Lakeside Village, Prescott

### Board of Directors

Jim Nuber, President.....776-0835  
Peter Wendorf, Vice President.....717-1730  
Al West, Treasurer.....776-0202  
Ron Gould, Secretary.....717-0710  
Larry Zimmerman, Mbr. At Large.778-2743

## Committees

### **Architectural Control**

Gary Mallicoat, Chairperson..... 442-3173

### **Communications**

Mary Richardson, Chairperson.... .442-1380

### **Firewise**

Ron Gould, Chairperson .....717-0710

### **Landscape**

Al West .....776-0202

### **Neighborhood Watch**

Michael Allen, Chairperson..... 717-9353

Don Mills ..... 443-1365

### **Newsletter**

Sharon Fukayama, Editor .....771-0987

### **HOAMCO Community Assoc. Mgr.**

Ruta Norkus 776-4479 x24

Ruta@hoamco.com

**Please direct questions or problems with the landscaping or irrigation system to HOAMCO.**

## Reminder:

**Summer Picnic**  
**June 25, 2011**



*Info from*  
**Architectural**



**Control:**



The Architectural Control Committee will be coming up with guidelines for those homeowners who want to paint their house numbers on the street curbs.



**BE AWARE – BE ALERT**  
**No solicitors**

# Ladies' Activities



## Ladies' Book Clubs

### Southview Page Turners

Second Monday of the month at 2pm.  
Contact Pat Gebhardt 443-1548.

**May 9th:** "Saving CeeCee Honeycut" by Beth Hoffman (at Elizabeth Licht's 717-0089)

**June 13th:** "Cutting for Stone" by Abraham Verghese (at Mary Richardson's 442-1380)

**July 11th:** "A Northern Light" by Jennifer Donnelly (at Sue Cuccinello's 777-8115)

**August 8th:** "Antarctica on a Plate" by Alexa Thomson (at Johanna Eierhoff's 708-0350)

### Novel Thoughts

Second Monday of the month at 2pm.  
Contact Shirley Pichoff, 717-1481, for location.

**May 9th:** "The Kalahari Typing School for Men" by Alexander McCall Smith

**June 13th:** "Possession" by A. S. Byatt

**July 11th:** "The Liar's Club" by Mary Karr

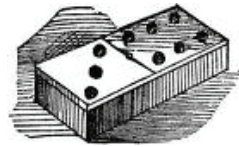
**August 8th:** "Claude & Camille" by Stephanie Cowell

**Anyone want to start a third Book Group?**



## Bridge

Third Wednesday of the month, 1:00pm.  
Pat Homes 227-1164. Openings available.



## Dominos (Mexican Train)

Third Friday of the month, 1:00 pm.  
Contact Jan Wendorf 717-1730

**May 20th:** Jan Wendorf 717-1730

**June 17th:** Pat Homes 227-1164

**July 15th:** Candace Packard 227-1920

**August 19th:** Johanna Eierhoff 708-0350



## Ladies' Game Day

Fourth Thursday of the month, 1:00pm  
Contact Jan Wendorf 717-1730.

**May 26th:** Sharon Fukayama 771-0987

**June 23rd:** Hostess needed

**July 28th:** Hostess needed

**August 25th:** Hostess needed



### **Ladies' Luncheons**

First Wednesday of each month,  
11:30am.

Contact Jan Wendorf 717-1730

**May 4th:** Murphy's  
(Candace Packard 227-1920)

**June 1st:** Brown Bag Burger  
(Barb Powers 442-9492)

**July 6th:** Gurley St Grill  
(Pat Homes 227-1164)

**August 3rd:** Garcias in Prescott Valley  
(Joan Ross 443-7686)



### **Movie Madness**

Second Thursday of the Month

Call for schedule: Jan Wendorf 717-1730

**May 12:** Sue Allen 717-9353

**June 9th:** Candace Packard 227-1920

**July 14th:** Hostess needed

**August 11th:** Hostess needed

*Call hostess if you plan to attend!*

**Men's Activities**

Does anyone want to organize some activities?

**Welcome  
New Neighbors**

Bill & Sue Hunter  
1466 SouthView Dr  
Lot 24

Ken & Kay McCourt  
1511 SouthView Dr  
Lot 125

## **Annual Cleanup Schedule**

-Monday routes will be picked up starting 5/2\*

**-Tuesday routes will be picked up starting 5/9\***

-Wednesday routes will be picked up starting 5/16\*

-Thursday & Friday routes will be picked up starting 5/23\*

**\*ALL ITEMS MUST BE CURBSIDE BY 6 A.M. MONDAY OF THE DESIGNATED WEEK**

**City crews will sweep through neighborhoods ONE TIME ONLY and the route will be completed by Friday each week.**

### **Annual Cleanup Rules:**

1. All materials must be bagged, boxed or bundled for collection.
2. Tree limbs and lumber must be cut to 4 foot lengths and tied.
3. Items must not weigh more than 75 lbs.
4. Appliances containing, or which have contained CFC's (freon) must be accompanied by a certificate from a licensed professional stating that the CFC's have been evacuated. Compressors and motors must be removed.
5. No tires, oil or lead acid type batteries will be collected.
6. No liquid paint, pesticides or other household hazardous wastes will be collected.
7. No contractor's or demolition debris will be collected.

**Any questions please call:**

**Field Operations Department**

2800 Sundog Ranch Rd.

Phone: (928) 777-1116

# **Arizona State Forestry Division**

## **Office of the State Forester**

**1110 W. Washington St., Suite 100**

**Phoenix, AZ 85007**

**(602) 771-1400**

**Janice K. Brewer**

**Governor**

**Scott Hunt**

**State Forester**

**APRIL 2011**

## **FOREST HEALTH INFORMATION ALERT**

### **PINION NEEDLE SCALE EGGS HAVE BEEN LAID IN THE PRESCOTT AREA**

**According to the Arizona State Forestry Division, female pinion needle scales have already laid their eggs in the Prescott area. This complex native insect which defoliates and kills pinion pines, can be found spread over thousands of acres from Prescott Country Club to the Prescott Basin, and to Williamson Valley all the way up to Hootenanny Holler.**

**Due mainly to the recent warm temperatures, female scales have already emerged from their over-wintering stage on the needles in these areas.**

**Very noticeable clusters of yellow**

**eggs held together in loose, white, cottony webbing have been laid by the females mainly in branch crotches, along the underside of branches, on the trunk, and at the base of the tree. The females die shortly afterwards and are the dark objects seen in the egg masses.**

**Heavily infested pinions can be easily detected by the yellow or orange discoloration of the older needles towards the back of the branch. The needles are covered with small, black, bean-shaped scales which pierce the foliage and remove the sap, causing the needles to discolor, dry, and fall off. Small trees may be killed within a few years; whereas, larger trees may lose one or more branches and may take years to die. Control of this stage of the insect involves Step 1: Washing the eggs off branches and trunk with a garden hose equipped with a high pressure nozzle and allowing eggs and litter one to two days to dry. Step 2: Raking eggs, litter and debris out from un-**

der the tree, and Step 3: Properly disposing of the eggs in plastic garbage bags. Raking may not be practical if heavy brush, rocks or other material is present under the tree. However, washing the eggs off the tree is still recommended.

**Removal of the eggs from your pinions will be simplified if you have already treated your vegetation for fire prevention reasons.**

**“Examine the tree closely for egg masses in branch crotches which are usually overlooked.” If you wash too late, eggs will have hatched and the young scales (crawlers) will have moved to the needles where they can be treated with insecticides. Egg hatch usually occurs in May, providing an extended period of time for egg removal—but the sooner you remove them the better! Unless there are local water restrictions, consider slow, deep, and infrequent watering of your infested pinions nearest your home, starting as soon as your soils dry out, with a soaker hose placed around the drip line of the tree. Continue watering until “monsoon” rains are well established.**

Also refer to the pinion needle scale publication issued by the Cooperative Extension at: <http://cals.arizona.edu/pubs/insects/az1315.pdf> & their watering brochure at: <http://cals.arizona.edu/pubs/water/az1298.pdf>. And fire prevention treatment information: <http://ag.arizona.edu/firewise/>. For additional information about this insect, or other forest health concerns in the Prescott area, contact: Bob Celaya, Forest Health Specialist, Office of the State Forester at (602) 771-1415. [bobcelaya@azsf.gov](mailto:bobcelaya@azsf.gov)