

SPRING RIDGE COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER

JULY 2023

Resident Social

Please join us at the clubhouse on Tuesday, July 11th from 7AM to 10AM for a continental breakfast. We looked forward to seeing you there!

Garage Sale

Please reach out to Elisa at elisa.c@epmwebsite.com or 933 647-6070 ent 3 't you ould be interested in participating in selling your belon ings at a garage sale at Spring Ridge

Corn Hole

We are happy to announce we will have a corn hole game set up by the pool area to be used at your convenience. Please reach out to use if you have any questions. 90.-047 20.00 et 3

Clubhouse Activities

Please remember that participants a e responsible for bringing their own sum lies i.e. yain initing needles, cards, games, mahjong tiles. No items are to be stoled in the lounge for the following weel's activities.

Al. activities begin at 1:00 PM.

The schedule is as follows.

Mondays Knitting

Tuesdays. . ards & Games

Wednesdays: Mahjong Thursdays: Rummikub Fridays: Bingo WE'LL BE CLOSED



Holiday Office Closure

The Management Office will be closed on Tuesday, July 4, 2023, in observance of the July Fourth holiday. Have a safe and happy holiday.

Association Office

Mon - Fri 9:00 AM- 5:00 PM

Executive Property Management
Office Pnone: 908-647-6070
Office Fax: 908-647-6479
Emergency No. 908-806-3823

July Board Meetings

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Manager's Corner

(For EPM-Managed properties)

Kenting Your Unit

Management would like to inform homeowners considering renting out their unit that they should be aware of pernards Township, State, and Association requirements they are obligated to comply with.

For Sale Signs

If you are selling your unit, please be aware For Sale" signs of any kind are not permitted in the community. Please make it clear to your realtor, signs are not to be placed on the Spring Valley Blvd. center island, in the courtyards, on any of the streets within Spring Ridge, or in the windows of your unit. If any signs are observed, they will be confiscated by Management.



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Spring Ridge (lesident
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7 Mt Be:hal Rd Warren, NJ 07:59 908-7-34-:511 The decision to put your home on the market is a business decision. As an expert in marke conditions, and a re ident of Spr ng Ridge is know how so classe the strongest marketing position to sell your home.

For a free market analysis, simply give me a call or send an email

Construction Debris

When having work performed on the interior of your unit, all construction materials should be removed by your contractor from the property. Your contractor should not be dumping of construction materials in the community trash dumpsters. If it is determined your contractor placed debris in the community dumpster, the homeowner will face fines.

Barbeque Gril s

For safety reasons and as per NJ State Regulations, gas/propane/open flame grills are not permitted for use within the Association. Management would like to remind all residents that ONLY electric barbecue grills can be used within the Spring Ridge Community.

Pool Access

Now that the pool has opened, you might find that you cannot enter the pool because your badge is coming up as invalid.

There could be a few reasons why your badge is not valid. For example, if you did not submit the required yearly pool application form or the tenant waiver form. If you have an unpaid account balance, you have not completed your dryer vent cleaning or fireplace inspections, and you or your landlord has not submitted an updated census leasing information.

Please know the lifeguards do not know the reason why your pool badge is not valid. Therefore, you will have to speak to the clubhouse on the next open business day.

Window Fans & Air Consitioners

Please be aware that per the Ly-Laws, window air conditioners are prohibited.



Classifieds

All classifieds are due to the Management Office by the 15th of each month.

Please email your classified at to Elisa. C:@epm. revsit: om

FGR SALE: 1) Professional si e ironing board about 18 inches deem. Brand new Wever used \$40.00. 2) Floor standing Metal vase with Drown background and anake motif. \$20.00 Please call 908-604-6546 and leave a message.

FOR SALE. 1) Laura Ashley Mayhill dinner service for 8. Asking \$110. 2) Italian ceramic oval centerpiece bowl. Dishwasher safe Made in Italy C.I.C. 16. Wide x 20.5 long, blue/purple/green/pink. Asking \$15. Call Live @ 908-580-5237

FOR SALE. Classic Sianchi F'en's Road Sike in good condition - 2 winch wheel size CR-MO Pg Three nine. Asking \$350 - Vera Silva (908-764-1214)

FOR SALE: Brand . ew, never used 8.0 cu. ft. 1 ront Load Perfect Steam Electric Dryer with LuxCare Dry and Instant Refresh in White color by Electrolux. Comes with 5 year extended warranty. The unit measures 31.5" Depth . 38" . ligh x 27" wide. This unit comes with 30A 3 prong plug. Only reason of sale is because the unit does not fit in my space. My loss your gain. I can deliver depending on distance. Asking \$800 obo. Please call 732-921-9556.







Jackson Village

Management has received numerous calls and emails regarding the pool, tennis courts, etc. Please be reminded that the Master Association handles all the amenities for our community. Please ensure to contact the clubhouse at 908-647-6070 for further assistance.

The stair/railing replacement project for the entry ways of the buildings commenced on June 5, 2023. We hope that this project will be wrapped up and finished by the time that you read this article. Thank you to all the unit owners for your cooperation and understanding during this process.

The replacement of thirty-four (34) garage doors commenced on June 8, 2023, and has been completed. The remainder of the garage doors will be replaced during the 2024 calendar year.

Due to the two projects noted above the garage inspections have been delayed. Please be on the lookout for an email during the late part of June/early part of July of the date this will be completed.

Please advise your children not to play in the landscaped courtyards areas. In addition, no additional plantings are permitted to be added on any part of the common areas, anything planted in the beds that had not been planted by the Association will be removed by the landscaper.



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It is imperative that land ords share al email blasts and information with their tenants, so ti ev are up to date as what is occurring within the .ommunit .

The next Board of Trustees meeting wil1 be held on Thursday. July 27, 2023, at 7:00 P.M. and will be a zoom meeting.

As always should you have any questions or need assistance, please teel tree to contact me at 973-376-3. 25 ext. 124 or via email at help@rp-_anagement.ro__. Please be sure to include your name, address, and the name of the community.

Adams Village

Monitoring of Electr. nd W ter Us _e The Board and Management have been closely monitoring the water and electric usage in Adams Villa e on a monthly basis to make sure there are no substantial increases month after month. Somethin, , like a runny toilet or a leaky faucet, could cause a substantial increase to our monthly invoices. We ask that you are conscious of any such issues within your unit. This will help us to lessen our monthly operating costs. Your cooperation in this is much appreciated. Please be advised that currently Buildings 11,13, and 16 are all running higher than normal electric bills. We ask everyone in those buildings to ensure they are not using any of the Association's common electrical outlets for personal use.

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in the period of the Derlard of the dependence by the Continental Congress in Philadelphia, PA. on July 4, 1/76, decaring independence from the Kingdom of Great Britain.

This is a Federal holiday in the United Sates and is celebrated with fire works, parades barbecues, picnics, and baseball games, along ith many other private ramily and triend's events

Bridgewater Somerset County
Independence Jay Family Festival
Tuesday, July 4, 2023: 6pm - 11, m
(rain date fireworks July 5th)

North Branch Park 355 Milltown Rd Bridgewater, NJ 908 722 1200 x 225



North Branch Pari gates will open at 6.00 P.A. to allow vehicles to enter the park and families to picnic on park grounds. he fireworks display will begin at 9:30 P.M. Milltown Road will be closed at approximately 9:00 P.M. Heavy car and foot traffic is expected.

The New York Bee Gees will perform classic 70's Bee Gees favorites along with other disco classics from that era at 8:30 PM - 9:30 PM and 10:00 PM - 11:00 PM. Park visitors should bring lawn chairs or blankets while they enjoy time in the park. Food trucks will be available and picnic baskets are allowed, but alcohol is prohibited.

Van Buren Village

Did You Know?

FirstService Residential has a tool that makes it easy to stay connected to your community association any time (24 hours a day/ 7 Days a week) from anywhere. This tool is FirstService Residential Connect Resident Portal. On this portal, you can communicate with your property manager, access community forms and documents, pay association fees, submit work orders, and much more. The Portal link for Van Buren Village is: https://VanBurenVillageCons.consectre.ident.com

Leasing of Units

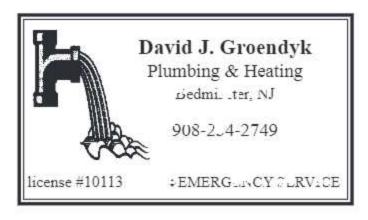
As a reminder, when you are renting your unit, please provide a copy of the lease to management and fill out the lease rider that is located on the portal. Per the by-laws "No 2 bedroom unit shall be leased to more than 4 people, and 1 bedroom, no more than 2 people."



Visiting the Statue of Liberty on Liberty Island and the Immigration Museum on Ellis Island is a wonderful experience, and to get the most out of it, realize that visiting can take most of a day.

Happy 4th of July.

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<u>Madison Village</u> Dumpster/Recycling Enclosures

Residents are placing furniture, beds, electronics and other household items in the dumpster sheds. This is prohibited and a safety issue to other residents who are disposing of their trash. If you have large items to dispose of, please obtain a permit from Bernards Township for the Pill Hill facility. Information can be obtained online at www.bern.rds.org. Or, contact the trash removal company for a bulk trash pickup, Republic Services 732-545-8988.

Also, recycling bins should only be used for trash. Please **DO NOT** throw your garbage in the recycling bins. Boxes should be broken down. Only **clean**pizza boxes are recyclable.

Umbrellas on Decks

Management would like to remind residents who have an umbrella on their deck to please close it when not in use.



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Also, it is very important to close same during a storm. If left open, your umbrella could become airborne causing property damage or personal injury. Your cooperation is greatly appreciated!

Vent Covers

Many homeowners may not be aware that they are responsible for having vent covers installed over their dryer vents. This is done to prevent birds and any other animals from entering your unit. Madison Village is not responsible for installing these vent covers or removing any wildlife from the vent pipe and/or unit. Please ensure your vent covers are properly installed.

Dryer Vent Cleaning

If you haven't already done so, please make sure that you provide the Management O ice with a copy of the receipt showing that your dryer vent was cleaned. Cleaning is required every 2 years no later than May 31st. Fines will continue to accrue until receipts are provided.

Irrigation

Repairs have been completed, and our irrigation system is up and running.

Parking

If you are having work done at your unit, please speak to your contractors to ensure they are parked in a guest parking spot. At no time should contractors be parked in reserved spaces unless it's your own. Nor should they park in front of anyone else's garage. Please be respectful of your neighbors by having your contractors and guests park in guest spots when working in your home or when visiting.

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Washington Village Dryer Vent Cleaning

Please make sure that you provide the Management Office with a copy of the receipt showing that your dryer vent was cleaned. Cleaning is required every 24 months no later than the last day of the month that it was previously inspected. If you are unsure of when the cleaning for your unit was last performed, please contact the Management Office.

Landscaping

High Tech has completed the tree and bush trimming throughout the community. Please help keep our community beautiful by not leaving any trash behind as you exit your vehicles.

Package Delivery Services

If you have a delivery, make sure you indicate to the delivery company that the package should be left at your front door. If you find the driver left the package at the garage, you should contact the delivery company to file a complaint.

Jefferson Village

Association Wersite

The Association continues to move forward by sending notices and informative emails to the community via the Association website and reducing the number of paper notices. Residents who are not registered on the Association's website will miss important news, surveys, and other information. Please contact the Management office to have a website invite sent so you may activate your account.

Dryer Vent Cleaning/Inspection

The June 30th deadline for homeowners to have their dryer vent cleaned and a copy of the cleaning receipt turned in to the management office has passed. If you have not completed this required cleaning, you are in violation, and fines will be assessed starting August 1st. Kindly schedule your cleaning to order to avoid any penalties being assessed to your account.

Did You KNOW the Association Has an FAQ Section on the Website Answering Questions:

For example, Q: When are the monthly open meeting minutes available?

A: The draft open meeting minutes from the previous meeting are usually posted to the community website three weeks after the meeting but before the following meeting.

2022 Audit

The Board met with the accountant to review the draft audit. No irregularities were found with the Association's financials, and the Association is financially sound. If you wish to receive a copy of the audit for review, please contact the clubhouse. Additionally, the adopted audit will be posted on the website.

Landscape Improvements

The Association has completed the installation of the new shrubs and removal of dead or declining shrubs that were approved.

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Building 27 Underground Leader piping

In the near future, the Association will commence a project to replace the underground leader pipes at the front entrance of the building. Previously, the pipes were found clogged and no longer functioning as expected. The work will involve removing some shrubs and sections of the sidewalks as part of the project. A notice will be posted at the building as the start date arrives. When the work does start, please be aware of any equipment or men in the area, and do not remove or bypass any safety barriers.

Carriage Light Fixture Painting

The Board has approved maintenance to repaint the light fixtures on the courtyard light posts. The work will be completed over several months as only one to two fixtures will be painted each week, and no work will occur during winter.

Building 31 Center Entry Stair Replacement

The entrance stairs and the railing for the center hallway will be replaced in the near future.

June 5th Special Meeting

The Board would like to thank the residents who attended the June the resident commentary meeting. The turnout of residents was impressive, and the Board appreciated that it was a civil meeting. The Board will review the comments and see if areas can be improved.

Communicating With Association Contractors

The Association would like to remind you to please refrain from attempting to give Jefferson Village contractors direction or distracting them from their task, which demands focus and concentration. While the contractors will be considerate and listen to you, they will only to take direction from Management.

Single-Family/Duplex

Single Family/Duplex Website

The community website, <u>singlefamilyduplexes.frontsteps.com</u>, is an interactive, informational site designed to get you the information you need when you need it. If you have not joined the website, you should. Otherwise, you will miss important news or notifications.

Do you wish to send an email to your representative? The email address is single.cuplex@gmail.com.

Sports E uipment

Toys, trampolines, equipment, portable goals, or other objects should not be stored or kept in the front of the home. When not in use, such things should be stored in the garage or rear of the house.

Sit back, have a BBQ, relax in the pool, and enjoy your summer.

Association Specifications to be Aware of Note:

Homeowners must submit a property modification/replacement form seeking prior approval before replacing/repairing/installing any items seen from their home's exterior. The Association specifications and a property modification form are available on the Single-family/Duplex website.

Garage Doors

All doors must have 16 solid raised panels within the door. (Four squares wide and four squares tall).

(For Metal Doo s)

Raised panel si te 20" inches wide and 1...5" inches tall

Decorative T-handle installed on door (optional)
 L-style lift handles are not permitted to be installed

Paint Colors

(For Homes on Commonwealth & Gelsey)

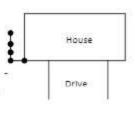
 Paint color must closely match Commonwealth Beige color that is on file at Warrenville Hardware.

(For Alexandria, Hampton, Salem, Smithfield, and Plymouth streets)

. Door color shall be brilliant white

Privacy Panels

May be used to hide garbage and recycle cans that are placed along the side of the garage. One panel may be installed extending out from the side of the house, and up to three panels may be installed running the side of the home





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Market Update

Bernards Township/Basking Ridge

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Roxanne - Your Spring Ridge Specialist

Thank you so much and Happy 4th of July!



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ADDRESS	LIST PRICE	#ROOMS	#BEDROOMS	#BATHROOMS	SOLD PRICE
343 POTOMAC DRIVE	\$275,000	4	1	1	\$260,000
263 POTOMAC DRIVE	\$329,900	5	2	1	\$330,000
52 ALEXANDRIA WAY	\$349,900	5	2	2	\$390,000
298 POTOMAC DR*	\$365,000	5	2	2	\$405,000

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263 Potomac Dr	2	1	\$329,900	\$330,000	05/04/23
298 Potomac Dr	2	2	\$365,000	\$405,000	05/24/23
343 Potomac Dr	1	1	\$275,000	\$260,000	05/30/23

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