



Birnam Wood Bugle



“Our mission is to promote the enhancement of property values, security, and overall livability of our community while improving and maintaining the Common areas”

May 2011- July 2011

Office # 281-350-8556

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

April 30, 2011 – **Pool’s Open**
(Weekends only 1-7pm)

May 10, 2011- **Water Board Meeting**
7 pm in the Clubhouse

May 14, 2011 – **Happier Mind and Body**
Class every Saturday for 16 weeks 10:30 - Noon
in the clubhouse

May 18, 2011- **50+ Mother’s Day Luncheon**
Birnam Wood Clubhouse from 11:30am - 2:30pm.

May 2011 – **Swim Team Practice**
At the pool after school

May 29, 2011 – **Memorial Day Party**
(3 – 7pm at the pool)

May 30, 2011 – **Memorial Day**
Scheduled School Day – Pool Open 4pm

June 14, 2011 – **Water Board Meeting**
7pm at the clubhouse

July 5, 2011 – **HOA Quarterly Meeting**
7:30pm in the Clubhouse

July 12, 2011 - **Water Board Meeting**
7pm in the clubhouse

Office Closed –
May 30, 2011 Memorial Day
July 4, 2011 Independence Day

BWIII Officer Positions for 2011

President: Perry Trosclair-VACTT &
Nomination Election Chairperson
pmtrosclair@gmail.com

Vice-President: Faye Frost –
Beautification and Deed Restriction
Chairperson fayefrost@gmail.com

Treasurer: Kathleen Harrison-
Audit/Finance Chairperson
harrisonk88@sbcglobal.net

Board Secretary: Elly Brokaw
Security Director
elly.brokaw@yahoo.com

Recreation Director: Jacob Bice-
Neighborhood Watch Chairperson
jbice@walterpmoore.com

OFFICE STAFF:

Office Manager: Maureen Graves
Birnamwood3@sbcglobal.net
Office number # 281-350-8556

Office Assistant: Leaphiny Arriola
Birnamwood3@sbcglobal.net

GARAGE SALE OR OTHER SIGNS

If your are advertising a garage sale or anything else please do not stick the signs in our flowerbeds. This damages the flowers that have been planted. THANK YOU

QUARTERLY BOARD MEETINGS

Our next quarterly meeting will be on Tuesday July 5, 2011 at 7:30 pm. The board meets quarterly on the first Tuesday of the quarter unless that day is a holiday. These meetings last just one hour and give all owners a chance to come and provide their input into the community. We also have 5 committees that provide reports on their activities in the neighborhood. Please, come join us.

HARRIS COUNTY MUD #43

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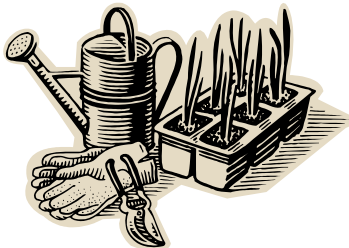


The water district will be holding their monthly meeting at the Birnam Wood III Clubhouse on Tuesday May 10, June 14, and July 12, 2011 at 7:00 p.m. These are regular monthly meetings and a number of items will be discussed. All residents are encouraged to come.



MUD #43 (TNG) WATER BILL

You can drop off your water bill in the red, white and blue hydrant mail box that is located next to the Volleyball court. TNG staff comes to pick up the payments on a regular basis.



YARD OF THE SEASON

The beautification committee is sponsoring the yard of the season contest. Faye Frost and her committee will vote on the best yard for each season and the winning yard for the season will be provided with a sign for their yard which announces its selection as yard of the season. This sign will remain for 30 days. The yard of the spring season has already been selected. Please drive by **4314** **Burkegate Dr.** to see this season's winner. The Beautification Committee will select the next yard of the season during the summer.



POOL WILL OPEN FULL TIME

The pool will open full time starting June 4, 2011. We will have an adult lap lane at the front pool all day every day. This is for adults only. Kids have the rest of the pools to swim in. We will also have adults only in the front pool for the first hour of each day except for Sundays. Please check and see if your pool cards have been updated. Make sure your assessments are paid and if you rent make sure your Landlord has submitted a 2011 Tenant form. There is a \$10.00 charge for each card. **If you do not have a current 2011 tenant form on file you will be turned away.** Tenant forms can be found online at www.birnamwood3.org or you may pick one up at the office or pool. Tenant forms have already mailed out to the landlord in March.

Weekend Hours – 4/30/11 - 5/29/11 (1:00 – 7:00pm)
Memorial Day – 5/30/00 (4:00 – 8:00pm)

SUMMER POOL HOURS STARTING JUNE 3, 2011

Sunday -- 1:00 pm – 8:00 pm
Monday – Closed for cleaning
Tuesday – 12:00 am – 8:00 pm
Wednesday -12:00 am – 8:00 pm
Thursday -- 12:00 pm – 8:00 pm
Friday -- 12:00 pm – 8:00 pm
Saturday -- 12:00 pm – 8:00 pm



Volunteer Day – April 9, 2011

The Board members and Office Staff would like to take this opportunity to “Thank” everyone that volunteered their time on Saturday, April 9, 2011. All the volunteers did a great job!!! Some of the items taken care of were trimming trees, cleaning the concession, replacing bad wood, staining large portions of the fences and decks, and also removing the old playground.

A special thanks to: Carl McCardle, Julio Cruz, Jacob Bice, Kathleen Harrison, and Perry Trosclair. The Board would also like to thank the Birnam Wood Blue Marlins for donating 100+ hours in compliance with our yearly agreement.

CLUBHOUSE/PAVILION/POOL **2011 RENTAL FEES**

If you wish to rent the Clubhouse, Pavilion and/or Pool for a Party call the office to see if dates are available. We recommend that you schedule in advance. **Reservation fees** must be paid within one week after scheduling the event, unless you reserve your event within one week of the scheduled date, in which case the **reservation fee** is to be paid within two days of making the reservation. The remainder of rental fees and signing of paperwork must be completed no later than 4:00 pm the Friday before the event.

Clubhouse:

Rental Fees: \$150 for 6 hours rental (this time period is for set-up, party, and clean-up) and \$15 for each additional hour (additional time fees are to be paid in advance). Call the office for additional details.

Reservation Fee: \$35- Nonrefundable and required to reserve the date (credited to the rental fee)

Security Deposit: \$250- (\$150 check and \$100 cash) Security deposit will be returned once the key is returned and clubhouse is cleaned. Call the office for additional details.

Pavilion

Rental Fees: \$70 for 5 hours rental (this time period is for set-up, party and clean up) and \$10 for each **additional hour (additional time fees are to be paid in advance)**. Call the office for additional details.

Reservation Fee: \$25- Nonrefundable and required to reserve the date (credited to the rental fee)

Security Deposit: \$100- (\$50 check and \$50 cash). Call the office for additional details.

Pool Party:

Rental Fees: \$200 for 2 hours pool rental and 4 hours pavilion rental. (total 4 hours)

Reservation Fee: \$100- Nonrefundable and required to reserve the date (credited to the rental fee). Must make reservation at least one week prior to the event.

Security Deposit: \$100 – (\$50 check and \$50 cash). Call the office for additional details

All pool parties must be paid in full no later than two weeks prior to the event. **NO EXCEPTION or you will lose your deposit.**

HAPPIER MIND AND BODY CLASS

The Happier Mind and Body Class is FREE. The class is held every Saturday from 10:30 am – 12 pm. The class is for adults of any fitness level. The Class has two parts. Part 1 is Happier Mind, 10:30 – 11:00 am, reading and discussion based on the book “Happier” written by Harvard University Lecturer Tal Ben-Shahar, Ph.D. Part 2 is Happier Body from 11:00 am – 12:00 pm breathing, stretching and positive affirmation through yoga-based moves. Participants should plan to bring their own fitness mat and water. For more information contact Perry at pmtrosclair@gmail.com or call the office at **(281)350-8556**.

SECURITY

There are three constables who patrol our area full time. In addition, we also get coverage from surrounding subdivisions. The constables are here to protect us and respond to calls from the residents. Do not feel like you are bothering the officers by calling something in. In fact you may be the person who helps prevent a crime. **PLEASE CALL IF YOU SEE ANYTHING SUSPICIOUS.** We need to work together to keep our neighborhood safe.

Neighborhood vehicle decals are available in the BWIII office. These decals are recommended by the Constable as a means of assisting them in identify vehicles that do not belong in our neighborhood. Each resident is encouraged to come and pick up one decal for each of their vehicles.

SECURITY CALL: 281/376-3472
