

COMMUNITY UPDATE

By David Wenner

As the newly elected President of the Board of Directors, I would first like to thank Steve Kellam, Paul Malherek and Dave Pacholczyk for their contributions to the community. Following in Steve's footsteps is indeed going to be a challenge. Best of luck to Steve and his family in their new endeavors.

I would also like to congratulate Tanya Black, John Anderson and Linda Turpyn on their recent election victories and welcome them to the Board. I look forward to serving with them and Todd Jackson in the coming years.

The new Board members were "tried by fire" as we were just entering the trial phase of the swimming pool litigation. I am happy to say we reached a settlement in the suit which I and the other Board the members believe protects from a potentially Association extensive pool failure. MBC Pools has already completed repairs to the pool bottom as part of the agreement. Many, many thanks to those of you who took the time to prepare for and testify during the trial. Your help was extremely important.

With the pool litigation behind us, I feel we can focus now on other needs in our neighborhood. The best way to continue moving forward is to build on the thoughts and ideas I am sure you all have. Our Association has some extremely useful tools for "pooling" these thoughts - our various committees.

The committees were established to provide <u>all</u> homeowners an opportunity to actively participate in the "goings on" of our Association. You have your choice of committees: Pool, Grounds, Social and Land Use. Each with the job of assuring a very important aspect of the community is maintained. These groups <u>ALWAYS</u> need help. So please contact a committee or Board member and <u>volunteer</u>. I don't think you will be disappointed.

NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH

By Bill Bailey

Welcome to any and all new neighbors.

Unless you are a 410 lb. Sumo Wrestler whose hobby is raising Dobermans, chances are you sometimes security. home about WOLLA Particularly if you are often about at night, your home is somewhat isolated, you travel frequently or you have valuable family heirlooms to protect. You can have you home wired by a professional security company, who will then monitor your home. Systems cost upward of \$2,000 and have monthly fees.

"Burglary is one of the most frequently committed crimes!"

There are many things you can do to protect your home on a smaller, less expensive scale.

NOISE AND LIGHT

<u>Loud noise</u> and <u>bright lights</u> are helpful deterrents to crime; the last thing a criminal wants to be is the center of attention.

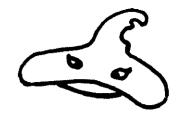
- 1. One clever key-chain device works like a garage door opener. It is great for people who return home from work after dark; you push a button and it turns on a light inside your home (it works up to 50' away.
- 2. A similar device is a "sound switch" that turns on a light in your home when it detects a noise. You can set the lights on interval for as little as five seconds or as long as 10 minutes.
- 3. Several sound alarms are designed to hang on doorknobs. They make a loud noise if the door is opened. Wedge-shaped doorstop alarms are similar, as are sliding door barriers that emit an 85 decibel warning.

MORE IDEAS TO BE CONTINUED IN THE NEXT NEWSLETTER.

Don't forget:
SPEED LIMIT IS 25 M.P.H. IN OUR
NEIGHBORHOOD. SLOW DOWN!!!!!!!!!!!

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Due to my work schedule and work load, I would like someone to take over our Neighborhood Watch Program. If you are interested, please call me.



SWIM TEAM

By Joanne Burger

Welcome to all swimmers - those returning and especially to our newest members. We are hoping you will all have a great season! now, practices have started, but it is not too late to join the team. We especially need more TEENAGERS! Summer swimming is meant to be fun. Yes, it is a competitive sport (which one isn't?), but you don't have to be a super-athlete to swim. those of you playing Fall sports (for CYA, a club or High School), the practices give you excellent allaround training. You will use all your muscles and develop endurance. I encourage you to talk to some of You will the kids on the team. recognize them at the pool. will be the ones leaving you in their "wake". See me to sign up!

PARENTS: We have most jobs filled but still need more people to sign up to work Concessions (we only have 4 Home Meets). We need 1 or 2 more to help with scoring (at 2 Home Meets and 2 Away Meets), and 3 or 4 people to help with writing ribbons. An added bonus: When scoring or doing ribbons, you get to sit in the shade and you get free drinks (at Home and Away Meets)! Please call me.

Also, please ask your children (when they come home from practices) if they were given any papers. It is our best way to communicate. Also, look for the sandwich board signs at the pool and at the 4 exits from our neighborhood.

Have you bought a raffle ticket yet If not, all team members are selling them (or contact Debbie Mowatt at 378-9522). Local merchants have been very generous in donating "goods and services". For only \$1/ticket, you can win some great prizes - buy a lot and increase your chances!!! Check at the pool for the exact date of the drawing (originally it was to be June 6 at the Adult Party, but we needed to postpone the party).

Come to our 1st Meet on June 20 and cheer the team on. We look forward to seeing all of you there!

JOANNE BURGER

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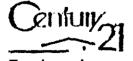
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