



Ceres Gleann  
March 2014

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# TAC Update

Our next TAC/Board meeting will be Tuesday, March 4th, 3:30 p.m. at the Community Center. This is an open meeting and all Ceres Gleann residents are welcome to attend. Our agenda is generally flexible, with opportunity to add items of interest, so be sure to let us know if you have something that you think needs our attention.

Our weather has really been confusing with its alternating between days of extreme cold with lots of snow to days with so much sunshine one might be tempted to declare themselves a snowbird without actually having to leave Dallas. Even the bulbs are confused as many of them are starting to pop out of the ground. Flowers and sunshine just naturally turn ones thoughts to Spring, even if it is the wrong month on the calendar.

Perhaps now would be a good time to remind ourselves that we do have a new landscape company who is trying diligently to learn about our community and the residents who live here. They are anxious to please, so do be patient as they develop and refine their work patterns that will

## TAC update continued

continue to keep our landscapes healthy and thriving. If you have questions, suggestions or commendations, please be sure to pass them on to a member of our Landscape Committee.

At last report, we still have a few volunteer positions open so please let us know where you would like to help. One of the nice things about a self-managed HOA is that the more we work together the better it gets and, let's face it, the price is right and it is not just about saving a few dollars. Many of us wouldn't do the things we do for Ceres Gleann for pay, but we will often scramble to take on tasks that need doing because we can...and it does make a difference. See you at the Community Center, the Garden, out enjoying the sunshine or just shoveling snow off your driveway. Sure hope that doesn't all happen on the same day!

## Pancake Breakfast

Due to the snow storm we had to cancel the regular monthly pancake breakfast on Feb 8 and reschedule it for Feb 15. The change didn't make any difference as we had 40 in attendance. We have also added two more free breakfasts to the drawing and now we have four lucky winners each month. The winners for February were: Bob Comella, Ron Dodge, Kathy Hervey, and Andy Knox. The only requisite for being in the drawing is attending the breakfast. The next breakfast is on March 8 from 8:30 to 10:00 AM in the CG community center. Come and join us for all you can eat pancakes, scrambled eggs, bacon, sausage, coffee, and juice. The price is only \$5.00 and it is the only money making event that we have. Among other things it provides funds for community center supplies.

## Gentlemen's Breakfast/Ladies Luncheon

The March gentlemen's breakfast will be held on Thursday, March 6 at Café 22 West located at 5152 Salem-Dallas Hwy NW. If you plan on going please contact Ray Swansen at 503-751-1284 or email at [raymondswansen@yahoo.com](mailto:raymondswansen@yahoo.com)

Please respond by Tuesday March 4 and let him know if you can drive and take others, need a ride, or will drive yourself.

No Ladies Luncheon information available at this time

## Birthdays & Anniversaries

### Birthdays

3	1	Ted	Miller
3	2	Lois	Comella
3	2	Gail	Johnston
3	3	Clayton	VanRiper
3	5	Clo	Barbour
3	14	Ronald	Johnston
3	17	Shirley	Jones
3	18	Diane	Klipfel
3	19	Martin	Hauge
3	21	Larry	Samuelson
3	23	Terry	Kissane
3	23	Bret	Marks
3	24	Larry	Seith

3	24	Mary	Hamilton
3	28	Ed	Aggas
3	28	George	Spangler

### Anniversaries

3	2	Jerry & LaVonne	Cleaveland
3	13	Ernie & Janet	Miller
3	23	Jerry & Judy	Levis
3	27	Ray & Terry	Swansen
3	31	Martin & Nancy	Hauge

## Submissions for Newsletter due the 25th

All-Just a quick reminder to submit articles for the April newsletter to Dwight Dean at [djdean2@msn.com](mailto:djdean2@msn.com) no later than Tuesday, March 25th.

Please send items (new or changed) for the monthly Ceres Gleann Calendar to Judy Levis at [jrynjudy@yahoo.com](mailto:jrynjudy@yahoo.com) or 503-623-5734

# Announcements

## BULLETIN BOARD IN CLUBHOUSE

When you go to the Club House you might take notice of the Bulletin Board as you enter. We now have a committee who will be changing items on the Bulletin Board from time to time.

In May we will be honoring all of the Mother's here at Ceres Gleann. If you would like to participate please submit a photo of you and your children. Please do not submit a picture which also has the father in it. Make sure your name and your children's names are on the back of the photo. Photos are due by 4/23.

In June we will be honoring all of the Father's here at Ceres Gleann. If you would like to participate please submit a photo of you and your children. Please do not submit a picture which also has the mother in it. Make sure your name and your children's names are on the back of the photo. Photos are due by 5/21.

You may submit both photo's at the same time if you wish. The photos may be of any year you choose. The photos will be returned to you. You may submit the photo's to Joyce Cramer or Candi Carlisle.

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## SOUP SOCIAL POTLUCK

The Annual Soup Social Potluck will be held on Wed., March 19th in the clubhouse. Social time will be at 4:30 and "eating time" at 5:00. We need at least seven favorite soups or you can choose to bring a salad, bread, or dessert. Please bring your own soup bowls, plates, silverware, and beverage. Coffee and tea will be provided. Don't forget your appetite. A sign-up sheet is in the clubhouse. Please be prompt if you plan on attending. The last day to sign up is Sunday, March 16 or sooner if we reach clubhouse capacity. If you have any questions, please contact Judy Levis at 503-623-5734, [jrynjudy@yahoo.com](mailto:jrynjudy@yahoo.com) or Shirley Janicke at 503-623-9794, [eur51eka@q.com](mailto:eur51eka@q.com). Hope to see you there!!!

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## NEW NEIGHBORS!

**Pete and Dian Reed** have moved into 2078 SE Rhododendron (formerly Dave Brown's house). Add their telephone number, 503-623-7851, and e-mail address, [weereeds@msn.com](mailto:weereeds@msn.com), to your Ceres Gleann Residents' Confidential Listing. Pete's birthday is 2-26 and Dian's is 7-1. They celebrate their anniversary on 8-8. They also have a dog named Abby. Say hello and welcome them to Ceres Gleann when you see them.

## Announcements *continued*

### **Terry Swanson's Knitting Project**

Terry Swanson has taken on a new project knitting scarves and hats for the children in the local Head Start program. Knowing that Terry can "knit up a storm" and therefore uses up yarn like we use up air for breathing, she was wondering if you would be willing to donate any unused, surplus yarn you might have for her project. Any kind of yarn will do.

I am glad we have such a tender hearted resident in our midst and intend to support Terry's work. I hope you will join me. If you have questions or suggestions, you can call Terry at 503-751-1284. Signed, Linda Holland

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### **End of Life Seminar Offered by Alzheimer's Network**

Navigating the Final Journey, a series of free seminars, will be presented in March by The Alzheimer's Network of Oregon and Hospice Care of the Northwest. This series is for those looking ahead to the end of their lives, or who have family members in that season of life.

Through presentations and discussions, this series will help you prepare practically and spiritually for those final years. The seminars will take place Tuesdays from 2:00 to 3:30 at the Dallas United Methodist Church, 565 SE Lacreole Dr, in Dallas beginning March 4th. Topics will include: Accepting our Mortality, Living with Dementia, Legal and Financial Planning, Support Services at the End of Life. No registration required, but please RSVP with the Alzheimer's Network for planning purposes: 503-364-8100.

Submitted by John Nastari

# Committees

## Transitional Advisory Committee (TAC)

Chair: Mike Stewart

Members:

Ray Olmstead  
Mike Holland  
Ron Dodge  
Randy Rohman

## Architectural Review Committee

Chair: Ron Hannegan

TAC liaison: Ron Dodge

Members:

Dick Winn  
Gary Bluhm  
Ernie Miller

## Community Facilities Committee

Chair: Judy Levis

TAC liaison: Randy Rohman

Members:

Emily Cleaves  
Ernie Miller  
Shirley Jones  
Doug Taylor  
Joyce Cramer  
Candi Carlisle

## Landscape Committee

Chair: Larry Samuelson

TAC liaison: Ray Olmstead

Members:

Bob Comella  
Bob Thornburg  
Barbara Kerr  
Jack Carlisle  
Linda Holland  
Ruth Bluhm

## Finance Committee

Chair: LaVonne Wilson

TAC liaison: Mike Holland

Members:

Barbara Connell  
Jean Sherbeck  
Gladys Moorman

## Finance Sub Committee

Reserve Study:

TAC liaison: Ray Olmstead

Andy Knox: Finance

Judy Levis: Community Facilities

Barbara Kerr: Landscape

## Garden Committee

Chair: Bob Wilson

TAC liaison: Randy Rohman

Members:

Ralph Norris  
Dan Wiens

## Lot Committee

Co-chairs: Jerry Levis

Ted Miller

TAC liaison: Randy Rohman

Members:

Alan Cleaves  
Randy Rohman  
Gary Smith  
Jack Carlisle  
Wes Scroggin  
Ernie Miller

## Communications

Chair: Barbara Kerr

TAC liaison: Ray Olmstead

Members:

Dwight Dean: Newsletter  
Nancy Hauge: Telephone Tree  
Judy Levis: Calendar  
Barbara Connell: HOA Telephone List  
Candi Carlisle: Neighborhood Watch  
Denise Seith: Webmaster  
Barbara Silvey: Welcome Committee  
**Announcements & Reminders:**  
Pam Smith Jan 16 – April 15 or 30  
Addie Rickey April 16 or 30 – July 15  
Valerie Beuck July 16 – Oct 1 or 15  
Vicki Perdue Oct 1 or 15 – Jan 15

# Resource & Service Groups

## Resource Groups & Leads

### Beading

Lois Comella

### Book Club

Sandy Lewis  
Back-up: Terry Swansen

### Card Making

Marilyn Winn  
Margie Moore

### Clubhouse Setup

(activities & meetings)  
Sandy & Doug Taylor

### Electronics Cabinet Access

Emily Cleaves  
Judy Levis  
Ernie Miller  
Sue Olmstead  
Doug Taylor

### Fitness

Stretch & Tone:

Doug Taylor

Cardio:

Sue Olmstead

### Hiking

Jerry Levis

### Genealogy Group

Addie & Stanton Rickey

### Library

Jean Sherbeck  
Pam Smith

### Line Dancing

Lois & Bob Comella

### Name Tags

Linda Holland

### Pancake Breakfast

Jerry Levis

### Garden Parties

Joyce Cramer

## Service Groups & Leads

### Aide Angels

Joan Chatham  
Joyce Cramer  
Barbara McCullough

### Widows & Caregivers

Diane Klipfel


### Bereavement

Lois Comella  
June Dodge  
Bea Funk  
Madeline Hanson  
Sandy Lewis  
Jan Perry

### File of Life

Candi Carlisle  
Fran Manning

# Ceres Gleann Community Center Calendar - March 2014

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p><b>3/6 - Men's Breakfast, 9:00 at Cafe 22 West in Salem</b></p> <p><b>3/20 - Ladies Luncheon, 12:00 at North Dallas Grill in Dallas</b></p> <p><b>Card Making - every Wed. at Margie Moore's from 1-3</b></p>						1
2	<p>3</p> <p>7:30-8:00 Stretch &amp; Tone 10-3 Open for Activities</p>	<p>4</p> <p>7:30-8:00 Stretch &amp; Tone 8:30 - 9:00 Cardio 3:30 TAC Meeting</p>	<p>5</p> <p>7:30-8:00 Stretch &amp; Tone</p>	<p>6</p> <p>7:30-8:00 Stretch &amp; Tone 8:30 - 9:00 Cardio 3-4 - Line Dancing</p>	<p>7</p> <p>7:30-8:00 Stretch &amp; Tone 10-3 Open for Activities</p>	<p>8</p> <p>8:30 -10:00 Pancake Breakfast</p>
9	<p>10</p> <p>7:30-8:00 Stretch &amp; Tone 10-3 Open for Activities</p>	<p>11</p> <p>7:30-8:00 Stretch 8:30 - 9:00 Cardio 11-12 Sparkling Cleaners</p>	<p>12</p> <p>7:30-8:00 Stretch &amp; Tone</p>	<p>13</p> <p>7:30-8:00 Stretch 8:30 - 9:00 Cardio 10-12 - Book Club 3-4 - Line Dancing</p>	<p>14</p> <p>7:30-8:00 Stretch &amp; Tone 10-3 Open for Activities</p>	15
16	<p>17</p> <p>7:30-8:00 Stretch 10-3 Open for Activities 3- Landscape Mtg</p>	<p>18</p> <p>7:30-8:00 Stretch &amp; Tone 8:30 - 9:00 Cardio</p>	<p>19</p> <p>7:30-8:00 Stretch &amp; Tone 4:30 - Soup Social Potluck</p>	<p>20</p> <p>7:30-8:00 Stretch 8:30 - 9:00 Cardio 9:00 - CFC Meeting 3-4 - Line Dancing</p>	<p>21</p> <p>7:30-8:00 Stretch &amp; Tone 10-3 Open for Activities</p>	22
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