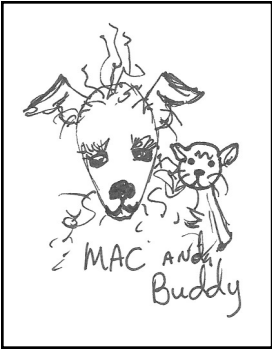


## Buddy & Mac



July is the month of fireworks, visitors, and hot weather. All things that can stress out even the best pet, or person. So if we all plan ahead, it can still be a very special month for everyone.

Respect the rights of others by following the rules about loud noises and fire safety... we don't want to give pets or people heart

attacks, or burn down the park. Visitors need to be aware that many dogs aren't used to little people, so adults need to caution their little people about that. Don't expect all cats to be friendly either.. Some even scare the heck out of Mac! Please do not leave pets in cars... even in the shade it can get very hot inside a vehicle. Always have water and shady places available for the animals. Some residents even put out water dishes at the curbs. Nice eh? We love you guys!

**Tip of the month:** Did you know that several vets in the area practice acupuncture on animals? Just like people, it can help with many conditions and give a better quality of life to your dear furry friends. Check it out. (Lower Upqua Vets in Reedsport and Dr. M the traveling vet). Go out and enjoy July!!!

Your friend, Buddy the Cat



## Welcome New Residents

Nicolas & LaDonna Davis court - lot 108



## Greentrees Bingo

Every Saturday Night  
at 7:00 PM

Door Prizes, Good Snacks,  
and Good Company.  
In the Recreation Hall

# ON JULY 4<sup>TH</sup> GREENTREES VILLAGE IS HAVING IT'S ANNUAL HOT DOG LUNCH

IN THE  
**RECREATION HALL**  
FROM 11:00 AM TO 2:00 PM.

IT IS FREE FOR ALL  
GREENTREES VILLAGE RESIDENTS

**COME AND ENJOY!**

## *In Memoriam*



Loretta Platz-Gilliland - Lot 101

7/15/37 - 6/19/16

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# GREENTREES

## VILLAGE, INC.

A FIFTY-FIVE AND OLDER COMMUNITY

July

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### Free Lunch on the Fourth

On Monday, July 4th Greentrees is hosting its annual Hot Dog Roast and it's free to all residents. Come to the Recreation Hall between 11:00 AM and 2:00 PM and have a hotdog, chips and a soft drink. The event is being sponsored by the Greentrees Activity Committee.

### Association Annual Meeting on August 6th

The 2016 Annual Meeting of Greentrees Owners will be held on August 6th at 11:00 AM in the Association's Recreation Hall. We must have at least 86 lots represented in order to have a quorum to hold a meeting, so every owner is encouraged to attend.

This is an excellent opportunity to meet your District Representative and discuss any issues or concerns you have regarding Greentrees. It is also a great time to socialize with your neighbors, so we hope everyone will plan on attending. Owners will receive an invitation and agenda for the meeting in the mail during the third week of July.

### Greentrees Flea Market on July 16th

The annual Greentrees Village Flea Market and Bake Sale is scheduled for July 16th from 8 AM to 2 PM. Tables are going fast, so if you want to sell your items you are encouraged to sign up in the Greentrees office as soon as possible. The 8ft. tables rent for \$10.

You may also donate items for Greentrees to sell, or bake and contribute items for the Bake Sale. The proceeds from both benefit GTV activities. Volunteers will price the items and sell them at the Greentrees sale ta-

bles. Items can be donated any time prior to the day of the sale by calling Faye Walters at 1-208-250-9019. You may sign up to bring Bake Sale items, or to assist with pricing and selling items at the Greentrees' tables in the Clubhouse Library.

### No Fireworks Please

Just a reminder for the Fourth of July: fireworks are not allowed in Greentrees Village. Please be courteous to your neighbors by following the rules, and help keep Greentrees safe from fires by not setting off fireworks on Independence Day.

### Recycling Class at LCC

Ever hear of Bokashi? What is a MURF? Where does your garbage go? Recycle 101 explains this and lots of other things. Lane Community College is offering recycle classes in Florence starting on January 13, 2017. If you are interested please call 541-682-2059, or email [Kelly.bell@gmail.com](mailto:Kelly.bell@gmail.com).

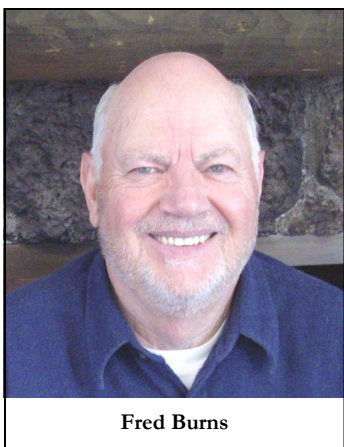
### Rhododendron Drive Path

We should soon see construction begin along Rhododendron Drive in front of Greentrees. The Oregon Department of Transportation is scheduled to begin building the pedestrian/bicycle paths in 'early summer' according to the City's newsletter. The path will be made of asphalt and be attached to the road. It will be six feet wide, and run along both the east and west sides of Rhododendron.

The path stirred up quite a bit of controversy back in 2014 when the City proposed building a much wider detached path only along the east side of Rhododendron. Greentrees residents came out in force to protest that path because it would destroy so much of the native vegetation in front of Greentrees.

In August of 2014 Vicki Martin, Greentrees' resident and board member, presented the Florence City Council with a petition with over 2500 signatures of citizens opposed to the path's design. Finally, a compromise was reached and the new design of a six-foot road extension on both sides of Rhododendron was approved by the City.

## From the President *by Fred Burns*



Fred Burns

Summer is a busy time for Greentrees Village.

In June we had two great events sponsored by the Activity Committee, and both were headed up by Faye and Jim Walters: the Father's Day Dinner and the Greentrees Garden Tour. Both turned out great, and I want to thank the Walters for all their hard work.

This month, we have our annual Free Hotdog Lunch on the 4th, and then the Flea Market on July 16th. If you haven't rented a table for the Flea Market, come by and do some shopping. There will be baked goods for sale, and hamburgers and hotdogs, and resident Jeff Myers has once again generously donated a new bicycle to raffle off to raise money for the Greentrees Activity Committee. I don't know how many years Jeff has done this, but it has been quite a few, and we sure appreciate it.

I want to remind owners that our 2016 Annual Meeting is coming up on August 6th. We need to have 86 lots represented to have a quorum, so please plan on coming and hearing about what's going on in Greentrees. The meeting starts at 11 AM.

Lastly, I wish to take a moment to remember Loretta Platz-Gilliland who passed away this month. Loretta lived in Greentrees for many years and worked for the Association for eleven of those years in our maintenance department. For many of us, she was the face of Greentrees Village and we are all going to miss her.

### **Computer Club** *by Pat Miller*

As reported last month, the free upgrade offer for Windows 10 will end on July 29. You need to be deciding soon if you want to take advantage of this offer.

Those that do not want to upgrade to Windows 10 at this time and want to stop the nagging and installation of the new o/s, should install Never 10 ([grc.com/never10](http://grc.com/never10)) or GWX Control Panel ([ultimateoutsider.com/downloads](http://ultimateoutsider.com/downloads)).

Attend Jep's class on 7/20 and see what's current with Windows 10. This is a great opportunity to get your questions on all topics answered.

We always look forward to having Gene Fisher here for the summer and hosting extra classes. I don't have a schedule from Gene yet, but if you're interested in his classes, you can get in touch with Gene directly. I will also post his classes when known in the class announce-

ment on the bulletin board.

Class schedule – come join us.

7/6 Class

7/20 Jep Norwood

### **Check Drop Box**

Greentrees has installed a check drop-off box in front of the Clubhouse for owners to put their monthly assessment checks in. The secured box is located near the bus stop bench at the front parking lot of the Clubhouse.

If you have a hard time getting to the Clubhouse (or if it's pouring down rain) feel free to put your monthly check in the new drop box. Checks only, no cash please! And be sure that your lot number is written on your check so that we credit the correct account. The drop box will be emptied on a daily basis.

The check drop in the Greentrees Library will continue to be used as well.

### **Activity Committee** *by Faye Walters*

The Activity committee met on June 1st. Our Father's Day Baked Potato Lunch was a great success. Chuck and Phyllis Holms did a super job cooking in the kitchen and with Larry and June Elliot scooping ice cream and helping out with everything else it went smoothly. A big thanks to all the volunteers and attendees who came out to support this event.

Our 2016 Garden Tour was beautiful with so many gardens to see! Can't wait for what's up next year. Thanks to all the great hosts for allowing us to nose around their gardens, and to Larry Elliot for talking people into opening their gardens for us to enjoy.


This month brings our free hot dog lunch for the 4th of July. The flea market on July 16th is going to be fun. Bake sale, hamburgers, hot dogs and who knows. Fred Burns, Wayne Fisher and Jeff Myers are cooking it all up for both of these events.

The Activities committee is announcing that a beautiful new handmade modified log cabin queen quilt with two matching pillow shams has been made and generously donated to us by Glennis Hummel, a Greentrees resident, to raffle. This will be a perpetual raffle available to see and to purchase tickets at all events. The drawing will conclude at the 2016 Greentrees Christmas Dinner! Tickets are \$1 each or six for \$5. Proceeds will go to supporting the free Greentrees dinners.

That's all I have for now. There's a lot happening the rest of the year so come to the Activities meeting on July 6th at 1:00 pm to see what you can do to help. Everyone is invited. Have a great 4th!!!



# July 2016

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	Swimming Pool Schedule: Water Aerobics M-F at 8:00am					
3	4 4th of July Bar-B-Q - 11:00am - 2:00pm Pickle Ball 8:30-10:30am Exercise Class 10:00am Gabbers & Dabbers 1-3pm	5 Coffee Social 9:30am Property Comm. 10:00am Bridge 1:00pm Poker 6:00pm-9:00pm	6 Pickle Ball 8:30-10:30am Exercise Class 10:00am ACC meeting 10:00am Computer Class 11:10am Activity Comm. 1:00pm	7 Friendship Club 9:30-12:30 pm Finance Comm. 10:00am Rhody Quilters 10:00am-4:00pm Bunco 1:30pm - Snacks (A-L)	8 Pickle Ball 8:30-10:30am Exercise Class 10:00am	9 Bocce Ball 11:15 Bingo 7:00
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