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Walden Lake Community Association

Spring 2022

PRESIDENTS CORNER—Alicia Powell

Dear WLCA Residents,

Spring is upon us and with that brings another newsletter.



- WLCA is continuing to work on the next phase for the rejuvenation of the entrances to the sub associations. The Landscape committee has put a tremendous effort into this project.
- As of April 1st, Walden Lake will be managed by Greenacre Properties. We will have a new manager on property as well.
- There will be a City Commission hearing on Monday, May 16th, 5:30pm at the Trinkle Center and on Wednesday, May 18th, 5:30pm, should the hearing need to be continued for the Walden Lake Rezoning of the golf course property. All residents are encouraged to attend.

Happy Spring and see everyone at the WLCA Annual Meeting on April 21st., at the Plant City Church of God, Mud Lake Rd.

2022 DUES

As of April 1 WLCA will be managed by Greenacre Properties. A welcome letter along with a coupon for the July 1 dues was sent to all homeowners late in March. This is the coupon you will use to pay your 2nd half of 2022 Maintenance fees. Please destroy all coupons received from BB&'T Bank (Truist) as we will no longer be using this bank. Also, if you signed up for auto debit with BB&T you will need to fill out new forms that were in your welcome packet from Greenacre. Greenacre will need to receive these forms prior to mid-June in order to process your auto debit for the July 1 payment. If you do not sign up for auto debit, use the coupon that was sent and mail that along with the check to the address provided. If you have any questions regarding your account, please contact Tracy Preston @tpreston@greenacre.com or the direct number 813-936-4150.

PRESIDENT ALICIA POWELL NOT SEEKING REELECTION



After six years of serving the Walden Lake Community, President Alicia Powell has chosen not to seek another term on the WLCA Board of Directors. Alicia joined the board in April 2016 and was elected as Secretary. She served as Secretary until she was elected as President in April 2020.

Alicia has served on or been the Chairman of the Special Events Committee, Landscape Committee, Nominating and Election Rules Committee, Community Involvement and Safety Committee, Sports Complex Committee, Communications Com-

mittee and as President served as Ex Officio on all committees.

Alicia was a very hands-on Director as she put in many hours for the Special Events for the Community. She would come to the office and help for weeks prior to an event so staff could continue the daily work for the residents and Walden Lake. She and her husband Bob were the first to arrive the morning of the event to get ready and the last to leave making sure everything was cleaned up and put away. She would get in the golf cart and ride around and see firsthand what was needed for landscaping. She attended all the meetings at City Hall or with the Police Department making sure Walden Lake was safe. She volunteered many hours while the Sports Complex was being built and donated the two horseshoe pits to the community.

There is not much in Walden Lake the Alicia hasn't been a part of and has made Walden Lake a better community for all. Please say thank you to her for her hard work and dedication. The Walden Lake Community Association Board of Directors and staff wish her well in all her endeavors and a well-deserved rest.



WLCA AMENITIES



Playground at the Walden Lake Park



Approximately 2.5+ miles of walking trail around our beautiful Walden Lake. See nature at its finest!



SPORTS COMPLEX







Tetherball, Horseshoes and Foursquare is also available.

Residents can use any area for free on a first come first served basis.

You can also reserve any area of the Sports Complex for your use for a fee. Please contact WLCA office @813-754-8999 for more information.



There is a small yearly fee to join the dog park. Any resident can join. Contact the WLCA office-813-754-8999





WLCA NEIGHBORHOOD PRESIDENTS

There are 30 neighborhoods in Walden Lake that have a President and Board who volunteer their time for their residents. Below is a listing of the Presidents for each neighborhood who give of their time graciously and tirelessly for their residents. Please remember to give your neighborhood Board members your thanks for all their hard work.

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Juniper Place

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Westwood

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THANK YOU WALDEN LAKE RESIDENTS!!

Residents donated a total of 8,930 lbs. in 2021. That is more than the previous 4 years combined! Your continued support is so very much appreciated by the Food Bank. Drop off your donations at the WLCA Office, Monday-Friday, 9:00am-5:00pm.

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GARDENING

WHEN TO TRIM AZALEAS

The best time to trim azaleas is after the blossoms have faded but before the new blossom buds have started. The next year's blossoms typically start forming at the beginning of July, so you must prune an azalea busy before then.

If you prune after the beginning of July, you may not get any flowers on the bush next year. A good rule of thumb is not to prune or trim after the 4th of July weekend.





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Harley Herman: 2015 Plant City Bar President

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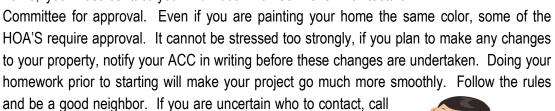


GET ACC APPROVAL BEFORE YOU BEGIN

It's that time of year when homeowners are taking a good look at their properties and deciding it is time to change something. Whether it is painting, changing the landscaping, fencing, driveway



or a new roof, anything that changes the outer appearance of your home, you must contact your individual Homeowner's Architectural



the President of your association and he or she will be able to give you the contact information.



Remember, anything regarding changes within your community, contact your local homeowner's association, and anything regarding the common areas, contact Walden Lake Community Association!

WALDEN LAKE COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION

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BOARD OF DIRECTORS

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Walden Lake Community Association



WLCA BOARD OF DIRECTORS NOMINEES

The following residents are nominees for Walden Lake Community Association Board of Directors. They are listed alphabetically:

Robert Blizzard Jason P. Parrillo
Larry Britt Allen L Sandor
Scott Collins Charles Tomes

Louis W McGrath

A total of three (3) seats are up for election. The (3) highest vote getters will be elected for three (3) year terms.

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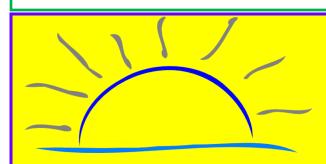
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Easter Sunrise Service

April 17@7am-Walden Lake Park
Plant City Church of God



*Bring your lawn chairs.