GRIMESDALE GAZETTE

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BOARD MEETING & TREASURER'S REPORT. The July 2014 GHA Board Meeting was held at the home of Joyce and Chuck Mason. As of June 30, our bank balance was \$4797.71. As of this writing, we have 75 paid members for 2014. (See Treasurer's Report on other side.)

WELCOME TO THE NEIGHBORHOOD! Please extend a warm welcome to our new neighbors: Marianne and Michael Kline of 3077 Napier Drive (595-2495). If you know of any other newcomers to Grimesdale, please contact Evelyn VandenDolder (editor@grimesdale.org or 693-5992) so she can welcome them in the *Gazette*.

SUNSHINE REPORT. On behalf of the Grimesdale community, Tanya Jones, our Sunshine Director, sent a thinking-of-you card to Bill Fitch, who is ill. Please keep Bill in your prayers and offer him a kind word when you see him. If you know of anyone in Grimesdale who is ill, is in the hospital, or has died, please tell Tanya (joneslawrence@bellsouth.net or 692-8678) so she can send an appropriate card.

GARAGE SALE. Clean out those nooks and crannies, closets and cupboards, attics and basements, and make a pretty penny at the neighborhood garage sale, which will be held on **Saturday, July 26, from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m.** As in previous years, residents will sell their own goods in their own yards for their own benefit. An ad will be placed in the Hendersonville *Times-News* directing readers to this community-wide sale. It's a great way to turn your clutter into cash, which you can then use to buy some bargains in your neighbors' yards.



ICE CREAM SOCIAL. Did you know it takes an average of 50 licks to finish one scoop of ice cream? Think of the calories you could be burning with all this exercise at our annual ice cream social, which will be held in the Grimesdale Community Park on **Sunday, July 27**, **from 2 to 3 p.m.** (If it rains that afternoon, the social will be postponed until the following Sunday, August 3.) Ice cream may have originated in China in the 7th century and probably made its European debut in Italy in the 17th century. It appeared in the American colonies in the 18th century. Until 1800 ice cream was a rare and exotic dessert enjoyed mostly by the rich and elite. But by World War II, ice cream had become so popular in the United States that it became an American symbol, causing Mussolini to ban it in Italy. Ice cream greatly improved troop morale, so in 1943 the U.S. Armed Forces became the world's largest ice cream Month and the third Sunday of the month as National Ice Cream Day. In his proclamation, Reagan urged all Americans to observe these events with "appropriate ceremonies and activities." So please perform your patriotic duty: Join us on July 27 to celebrate this delicious American pastime. Sugar-free ice cream will also be served.

PICNIC IN THE PARK. By October you should have worked off any weight you gained at the ice cream social because you licked your scoop only 20 times instead of 50. Autumn is the best season to regain those pounds for use as extra insulation during the long, cold winter. Why not make it a delicious, as well as useful, weight gain? Join us for the annual picnic in the Grimesdale Community Park on **Sunday, October 19, from 2:30 to 4:30 p.m.** (If it rains that afternoon, the picnic will be postponed until the following Sunday, October 26.) GHA will supply the hot dogs, rolls, condiments, drinks, and eating utensils. Residents are asked to bring a side dish, salad, or dessert to share. Prepare for winter hibernation by joining us at this autumn feast.

MIDTERM ELECTIONS. While the entire country contemplates replacing all 435 seats in the U.S. House of Representatives and 33 seats in the U.S. Senate this year, residents of Grimesdale will also consider candidates for the GHA Board. Voting for GHA officers will take place at the picnic in the park on October 19. If you would like to volunteer for any of the five roles mentioned in the masthead (President, Vice President, Treasurer, Secretary, or Editor), let Chuck Mason know. New faces and fresh ideas are always welcome.

FALL FROLIC. Join us for the next GHA Board Meeting, which will be held at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, October 7, at the home of Chuck and Joyce Mason, 185 N Mason Way. All board members (including street directors) please plan to attend. Other Grimesdale residents are also welcome.

GRIMESDALE HOMES ASSOCIATION, INC.

Treasurer's Report for Quarter Ending June 30, 2014

Bank Balance as of March 31, 2014	\$5,067.71
<u>RECEIPTS</u> Dues Collected (April through June)	200.00
EXPENDITURES Tax Preparation 1st Half of Park Lawn Maintenance	170.00 300.00
Bank Balance as of June 30, 2014	\$4,797.71

THANKS to the following residents for supporting your GHA by paying your dues **FOR THE YEAR 2014**

Apple Creek Lane	S & J Collins, T & L Jones, C Knighten, S & M McCord, J McMillen, B Miller, C & J Wiley, W Wood
Brookside Camp Road	
Cardinal Lane	M Bailey, M & T Hoke, B & R Snyder, M & C Stanberry, R & R Turner
Charlyne Drive	M Ashe, K Brostowicz, L, D & V Collier, L & E Freeman, D & D Robinson, J Smith, M & H Trieu
Cherrywood Lane	
Cheryl Drive	P Davis & J Lee, C & R Kish, B & P Packer, A Robertson, R Stevenson, S & B Young,
Crabapple Circle	
Crabapple Hill Lane	L Siebel & C Parker
Florida Drive	M & C Graham, S Henderson, A & R Holt, J Kilbourn, J & D Noehre, J Reed, D & Z Sang, K & J Wolfe,
	B Wray
Magnolia Drive	E Blackwell, J Bridgers, C Bumgarner, L & B Fitch, C Masters-Webb, B & J Nicholson, J & E Norton, H & S
	Pennock, O Suleimansade, E VandenDolder & B Erickson, D & M Whitaker
Mason View Lane	K & T Simon
N. Mason Way	D Hess & B Chandler, J & C Mason, S & J Mason
Napier Drive	M & D Johnston, M & M Kline, J O'Connell, C Plack, C Powell, A Souther
Primrose Drive	B Brown, J & D Patterson, J Van Matre
Starlight Lane	B Fredericks, T & R Hass, P & M Orr, J & R Owenby, K & C St Clair, M & B White
Wesley Way	P & J Dubis, D & C Ford, R Goldman, A & T Kyriakidis, B Laney, D & J Piper, M & M Pugliese, D Riley,
· · ·	C & C Sloan

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Thanks to all who have already paid their 2014 dues. If you haven't done so, please make your check in the amount of \$20, payable to the Grimesdale Homes Association. Mail it, along with this completed form, to Bill Erickson, GHA Treasurer, 3116 Magnolia Dr., Hendersonville, NC 28792.

Name _____ Address _____

Phone _____ E-Mail _____