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# Meet Your Neighbor

By: Dana Calhoun

Dana: Thanks for sitting down with me and agreeing to be the first family featured in our Meet Your Neighbor piece! Let's get right into it! So, tell me a little about your family.

Chelsea: *My husband, Darrick, and I, have been married for 4 years and we have 2 daughters Dylan (4 years old) and Dawson (2 months old).*

Dana: Wow, it seems like your family is growing! So, how big do you expect your family to get?

Chelsea: *Party of 4 is it. 2 girls is plenty for us!*

Dana: I don't blame you. Two seems like a handful! How long have you lived in Lone and where did you move from?

Chelsea: *We moved from Stockton and we've been here in the oaks for a little over two years now.*

Dana: Same here, I've lived here for a little over three years. Lone is a small town. Many young families are moving into Sacramento where there is great growth, so why did your family choose Lone as a place to raise your children?

Chelsea: *I'm from Stockton and Darrick is from the Sacramento area. We don't like living in the city. We are a very outdoorsy type of family. We decided Amador County would be a good fit to raise our kids.*

Dana: I think that's a great choice. What do you enjoy most about living at The Oaks?

Chelsea: *It's quiet compared to the neighborhoods we've lived in before and it's pretty kid friendly. Dylan's made lots of friends.*

...continued.

Dana: I also enjoy the fact that our neighborhood is filled with kids. It's a nice atmosphere. Speaking of which, the board of directors and management decided to expand the playground and add several new toddler aged structures. Are you looking forward to the new play structures? Do you feel the families in the community will use them?

Chelsea: *I'm super excited about the playground. I'm a stay at home mom and I can only entertain the kids for so long inside. It'll be nice to let the girls actually run around and play. Yeah I do [believe families will take advantage of the new play structure]. I'm sure there's other parents here that are stoked that it'll be more toddler friendly.*

Dana: What is your favorite part about being a parent?

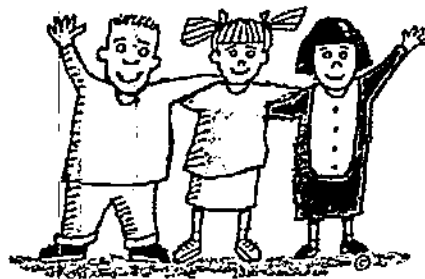
Chelsea: *There's never a dull moment. Our daughters are little so, there's something new every day.*

Dana: Do you think lone will keep that small town feel as your children grow throughout the years?

Chelsea: *Maybe. I hope it does. That's one of the reasons why we moved here. With the casino opening it's hard to say though. I remember when there was hardly anything in Jackson.*

Dana: Those are legitimate concerns, but Amador County seems to be slow in growth. Well, thank you so much for sitting down with me and I hope your family enjoys many more years here in The Oaks!

To be featured in the June edition of Meet Your Neighbor, please send an email to [dcalhoun.toca@att.net](mailto:dcalhoun.toca@att.net) and explain why you want to be featured.



## Code of Conduct for Directors and Committee Members

As a member, you may have questions or concerns regarding our community. Members are encouraged to attend board meetings (the third Tuesday of each month at six o'clock in the evening) to voice their concerns during open forum. Between meetings, you may also contact management or board members with questions. Below are some excerpts from the Code of Conduct Policy which refers to the hierarchy and who to contact for your specific concern as well as confidentiality and responsibility policies:

*"The general duties for directors are to enforce the association's governing documents, collect and preserve the association's financial resources, insure the association's assets against loss, and keep the common areas in a state of good repair."*

*"... no director or committee member may: solicit or receive any compensation from the association for serving on the board or any committee... [and] make promises to vendors unless with prior approval from the board..."*

*"... responsible for protecting the association's confidential information."*

*"To ensure efficient management operations, avoid conflicting instructions from the board to management and avoid potential liability, committee members and directors shall observe the following guidelines: The president of the board shall serve as the liaison between the board and management, except for the president or the maintenance supervisor, committee members and directors may not give direction to management, employees or vendors..."*

If there is a maintenance emergency, you will want to contact the community manager first. If she is not available, you should contact the maintenance supervisor. You may contact any board member with questions, but please note that no decisions will be made without the approval of the board during the board meeting. If there is a pressing concern, contact the President, as he is the only board member who has the authority to direct management outside of meetings.

# EVENTS

**Coming Up!**  
Starting in June, The Oaks will be hosting movie night outdoors! Be ready with your lawn chair and popcorn! Bring the entire family.

**Communication**  
Alt methods of communicating: The Nextdoor App/Website, Facebook Page, The Oaks Community & The Oaks Neighbors Group.

**Volunteers Needed**  
Bingo is in search of back up callers and donations for prizes. Please contact Terri if you are able to help!

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
		1	2	3	4	5
					Community Yard Sale	
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Safety Mtg. 1:30 -pizza!			Movie Night Shazam		Homecoming	Mother's Day
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
Pot Luck 6:30 BINGO 7:00					Safety Mtg. 12:00 -pizza!	Casino Grand Opening
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
HOA meeting 6:00		Aces Cleanup Day		Movie Night How to Train Your Dragon 2		
27	28	29	30	31		

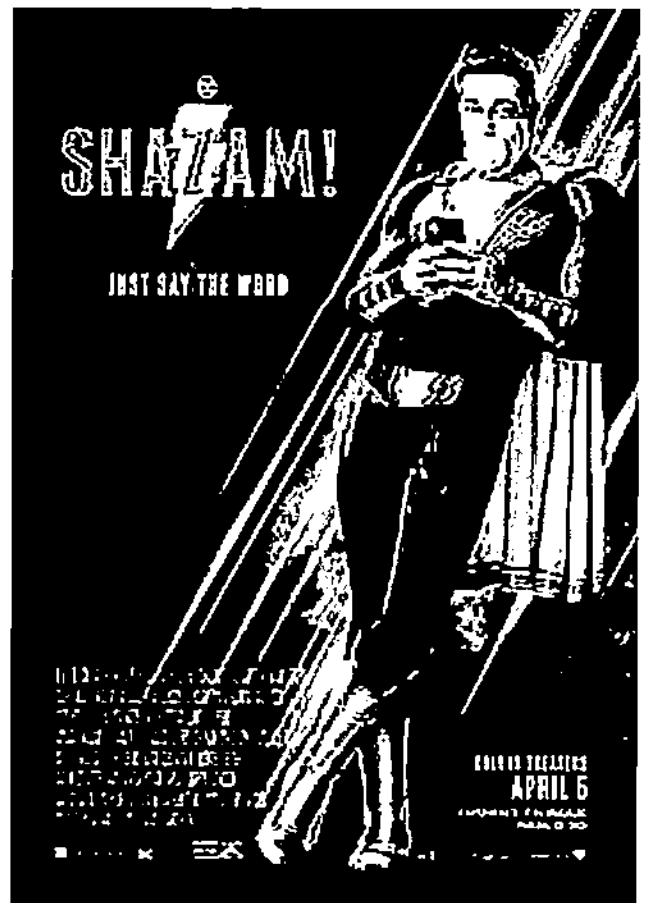


**MOVIE NIGHT  
AT  
THE OAKS**

**How to Train Your  
Dragon 2**

Tomatometer 92%

Friday, May 24  
7:00 PM



**SHAZAM!**

Tomatometer 90%

Friday, May 10  
7:00 PM

## Notice of Rule Change

Civil Code Section 4360(a) states; The board shall provide general notice pursuant to Section 4045 of a proposed rule change at least 30 days before making the rule change. The notice shall include the text of the proposed rule change and a description of the purpose and effect of the proposed rule change. Notice is not required under this subdivision if the board determines that an immediate rule change is necessary to address an imminent threat to public health or safety or imminent risk of substantial economic loss to the association.

The Board of Directors of The Oaks Community Association will be considering adoption of proposed rule changes during their regularly scheduled board meeting in May. Please see the attached text and explanation of the proposed rule change. The words in *italics* describe the purpose and effect of the proposed change, words which have a strikeout through them will be removed and words which are red are changes to the rules.

During the April 8th, 2019 Board of Directors Meeting the Board voted to include a restriction against pets being allowed in the fishing pond area. The purpose of this rule change is to address safety and sanitation concerns. This issue will be ratified by the Board at the May 21, 2019 meeting. You may address the board regarding any concerns or issues you have with this proposed rule change.

### **FISHING POND**

1. Anyone under the age of 14 must be accompanied by an adult.
2. Anyone under the age of 18 must have a signed permission slip from a parent or guardian.
3. All trash, garbage, and debris must be removed.
4. No swimming is permitted in the pond.
5. No boats or any other type of flotation devices are allowed in the pond.
6. No vegetation can be removed from around or near the pond.
7. No pets allowed in the pond area
8. There are no restroom facilities near the pond.
9. No lifeguards are on duty; all users of the facilities use at their own risk.
10. Access is allowed from 1 hour before sunup to 1 hour after sundown.
11. Do not leave any bait or fishing hooks or lines on the shore.
12. Shoes should be worn at all times.
13. Personal flotation devices (life jackets) must be worn if fishing from the dock.
14. Fishing from the dock not allowed on dock near water intake.
15. Do not drink the pond water.

*This rule change will prevent pet owners from allowing their pets to use the pond area. The effect of this change will be to restrict pets from the pond area.*

During the March 19, 2019 Board of Directors meeting the board voted to ban the use of fire pits in the community and restrict the use of other commercial heat and or cooking appliances by adopting the proposed rules change. This rule change is being implemented due to fire concerns in the community. This issue will be ratified by the Board at the May 21, 2019 meeting. You may address the board regarding any concerns or issues you have with this proposed rule change.

**This would be a new section in the Rules and Regulations.**

## Fireplaces and Outdoor Barbeques, Heaters, and other heat producing appliances

All indoor and outdoor fireplaces, heater, cooking appliances and other heat producing appliances should be inspected annually for safety and proper airflow.

Household members should be knowledgeable as to how to properly start and stop a fire and what action to take in case of an emergency.

### Indoor Fireplaces

Only the listed items are authorized for indoor burning;

- Season Wood
- Untreated Wood
- Commercially Manufactured Fire logs and Pellets
- Natural Gas or Propane

### Outdoor Appliances:

Outdoor appliances are limited to commercially manufactured Barbeques, smokers, heaters, above ground or tabletop fire pits, and other similar appliances which are designed to use commercially manufactured materials as a combustion source such as;

- Propane
- Pellets
- Natural Gas
- Charcoal

Appliances should be placed a safe distance from structures and not directly under awnings or other overhangs.

Appliances should be placed on a level surface area.

Appliances while in use should not be left unattended.

*The effect of the proposed rule change would be to prohibit the use of non-commercially produced heating and cooking appliances. It would also restrict outdoor combustible material approved for burning to commercially manufactured materials, propane and natural gas. It would also restrict indoor combustible usage materials to untreated season wood, wood pellets and other commercially produced materials such as fire logs.*



**Board of Directors Meeting Minutes  
Tuesday, March 19, 2019 at 6:00 PM**

**Regular Meeting Minutes:**

**Call to Order:**

Meeting was called to order by President R. Brown at 6:02 pm.

Pledge of Allegiance was delivered.

**Roll Call of Directors:**

Directors Present: S. Brown, R. Brown, Calhoun, Hutson, Lopez, Morrison, and Six.

**Approval of Minutes:**

Director Hutson moved to accept the minutes of February 19, 2018 as corrected, Regular and Executive meetings. Director Morrison seconded. The motion passed: 7-0-0-0

Director Lopez stated there was an error in the January minutes regarding the appointment of Officers. President R. Brown requested that the minutes for January 15, 2019 be added to the April 2019 meeting agenda for amendment.

**Open Forum:**

Member asked what happened to the backup mirror by the mailboxes. Community Manager Bailey explained that it was blown away in the last windstorm and will be replaced soon.

Member stated that it would help new owners if they were giving a printed copy of the CC&R's and Rules and Regulations. Community Manager Bailey stated that the CC&R's and Rules and Regulations are given to new owners as a part of the escrow process. They are also available online and at the office.

Member asked what can be done regarding children riding four-wheeled vehicles, bikes, and scooters in the park. President R. Brown stated this is on the agenda and they will discuss it later in the meeting

Director Calhoun stated there will be a Yard Sale Committee meeting on Monday, March 25th at 6:00 pm at the clubhouse. There is a Casino meeting on the 26th at the Board of Supervisors chambers. She also thanked the staff for such a good job with the water change over.

**Treasurers Report:**

The Treasurer's Report was delivered by Director Calhoun.

January 2019: Cash on hand: \$224,507; Total Income: \$83,066; Total Expenses: \$69,213; Net Gain for January 2019: \$13,853

February 2019: Cash on hand: \$213,732; Total Income: \$94,480; Total Expenses: \$91,041; Net Gain for February 2019: \$3,439

#### Maintenance Report:

Director Morrison delivered the maintenance report. He stated they're waiting for dryer weather to start projects.

#### Community Manager Report:

Community Manager Bailey delivered the Community Manager's report. There are several projects being worked on right now. These include a new shed for the golf cart, installing new playground equipment, painting the existing playground equipment, installing the front gate pillar, cleaning up the storage yard, sending out the revised contracts for the storage spaces, getting estimates for solar, storm drain on West Park, the fishing pond, audit of utility meters, and digitizing of records. Community Manager Bailey is waiting for direction from the Board regarding the covered structure by the front gate.

Community Manager Bailey stated she will not be available for the April 16th meeting. She will be attending a CPUC workshop in San Francisco. A couple of directors have said they, also, will not be at the April meeting. There are several options for the meeting: The meeting can be rescheduled, the meeting can be canceled, or Elizabeth can attend in Community Manager Bailey's place.

Director Calhoun asked who else will not be at the April meeting? Director Hutson said she will not be there. Director S. Brown suggested rescheduling the meeting. He is not in favor of canceling the meeting. President R. Brown stated if it's going to be rescheduled it needs to be rescheduled before the 16th. Director Hutson moved to hold the April Board meeting on April 8, 2019. Director S. Brown seconded. The motion passed: 7-0-0-0

There is a big problem with kids climbing over and under the fence to get to the playground. This happens mostly on weekends, if the gate does not get unlocked. Community Manager Bailey would like the board's direction to either fix the fence so it cannot be climbed over or gone under or just leave the gate open. Director Calhoun stated this should be discussed later in the agenda. Possibly a committee should be formed. Director S Brown stated he feels the playground should be open on the weekends, so the children can play. President R. Brown stated this should be discussed later under agenda item L.

Community Manager Bailey reminded the Board that she will be retiring in April 2020. The Board needs to form a committee to discuss hiring a new Community Manager.

Community Manager Bailey will be on vacation from March 20th through March 27th. She will be returning on March 28th.

The water change-over went very well. There were only two problems. One affected only three residents, all of which were Board members. There was one water leak that staff repaired.

#### Wastewater Report:

Community Manager Bailey delivered the wastewater report. The flow meter is working and is logging data remotely. Once Bradley is certified he will not have to be here over the weekend to read the levels. Bradley should have enough hours, within the next 3 to 4 weeks, to take the test for certification.

The crane has been installed at the wastewater plant. This allows the grinder pumps to be removed without someone climbing into the lift station.

#### Treated Water Report:

Director S Brown stated that the pond will become stagnant very quickly if something isn't done. He suggests installing aeration system. He presented a brochure on one system to show the board what is needed. Director S Brown explained how the system works, what is needed for the system, and how it would be installed. Director S. Brown moved to purchase and install an aeration system for the treated water pond, total cost not to exceed \$1000.00. Director Calhoun seconded. The motion passed: 7-0-0-0

#### Social Committee Report:

Community Manager Bailey stated bingo is on the second Tuesday of every month. Director Hutson asked if we are still looking for volunteers? Community Manager Bailey stated yes we are still looking for volunteers. Director Lopez stated she would volunteer if it was on a different night. Community Manager Bailey stated several residents have volunteered to help Toni with bingo. Director S. Brown stated if someone wants to hold bingo on a different night they should be allowed to do it.

#### Design Review:

Lot 166 – 5899 West Park Dr.: Director S. Brown moved to approve design request for lot 166. Director Hudson seconded. The motion was approved: 7-0-0-0

Lot 62 – 5605 Park Circle: Director S. Brown moved to approve design request for lot 62. Director Lopez seconded. The motion was approved: 7-0-0-0

#### Discussion and Possible Action Related to Proposed Rule Change

##### Use of Fire Pits in the Community and Possible Adoption of Rules Pertaining to Fire Issues:

Director S. Brown read the Fire Safety Committee handout outlining proposed rules and regulations for indoor burning and outdoor burning. The committee proposed that only commercially manufactured heating appliances using propane or natural gas and produce a steady flame be allowed in the park. Heating appliances must be located at least 10 feet away from any structure including but not limited to homes, sheds, cars, trees, and power lines. Heating appliances must be located on level ground, not under any overhang and must be fixed in open space. Commercially manufactured gas or charcoal barbecues are permitted. Only commercially purchased fuel is permitted. Director Hutson asked about the green waste collection days. She stated there is no waste pickup from January to May. She would like to know how residents can dispose of green waste if it is not allowed to be burned. Director Lopez stated it could go in with the garbage. Director Hutson stated she has a fire pit and she does not agree with this policy. Director Calhoun also voiced her opposition to the proposed rules change as she felt it was too restrictive. Director Six moved to approve the fire safety committee's proposed rules and regulations. Director Lopez seconded. The motion passed: 5-2-0-0 with Directors Hutson and Calhoun voting against the motion.

#### Adoption of Age Restriction for Unattended Minors in Playground Area.

President R. Brown stated there is a growing problem with children playing unsupervised, riding bike, scooters, and motorized vehicles, and climbing on walls and fences. Director Calhoun suggested organizing a committee to review current rules and regulations and propose changes

and/or new rules and regulations. Director S. Brown suggested moving the playground gate to the other side of the pool once the playground has been expanded. Also, setting an age limit for the basketball court. President R. Brown stated he would like to see a committee with parents to get their thoughts and input. Director S. Brown suggested putting a reminder in the newsletter that anyone riding a bike, scooter, or motorized vehicle must obey California road rules. Director S. Brown, Director Hutson, Director Calhoun and Community Manager, Steve and Maryann Sanchez were appointed to the Committee.

#### Discussion and Possible Action Related Company Vehicles.

Community Manager Bailey stated the transmission in the white pickup needs to be replaced. The cost to replace the transmission is between \$2300 and \$3200 , for a used or rebuilt transmission. The engine, as previously discussed, is also questionable. Director Morrison moved to salvage the white truck and spend \$4000.00 to \$5000.00 on a new truck. Director S. Brown stated he would like more comments and discussion before a motion is made. Director S. Brown stated that too much money is being spent on used vehicles and he would like to consider a leased vehicle that can be kept for at least 10 years. Director Morrison stated that the maintenance crew is too rough on trucks for a lease. Director S. Brown stated we should not be buying used vehicles. It should be in the reserves for regular vehicle replacement. Director Morrison stated that gray F150 truck was bought five years ago for \$8,000 and it has been good. Director Morrison stated he would like to be on the committee to purchase a vehicle. Director Morrison amended his motion to form a committee to research purchasing a vehicle. Director Hutson seconded. The motion was passed: 7-0-0-0.

Future Agenda Items: Yard waste collection, Child safety committee.

Director Hutson moved to adjourn the meeting. Director Lopez seconded. The motion was approved: 7-0-0-0

Meeting adjourned at 7:25 pm.

### **Executive Session Minutes Tuesday March 19, 2019**

#### **Type of Meeting: Executive Session**

The Board reconvened into Executive Session at 7:40

Discussion and Possible Action Related to Delinquent Account and Violation Letters – No Action Was Taken.

Discussion and Possible Action Related to Pending Litigation. No Action was Taken.

Personnel Issues. The Board gave direction to the Community Manager.

The Meeting was adjourned at 8:07.

	2/28/2019	Reserve Withdrawal	Reserve Transfers Deposits	3/31/2019
<b>Operating Bank Accounts*</b>	<b>72,119</b>			<b>20,668</b>
Edward Jones Money Market	388	39,446	109,204	70,147
Edward Jones CD	50,000			50,391
Edward Jones CD	102,000			102,080
General Reserve BBVA	-			-
Water & Sewer Treatment Reserve	-			-
Reserve CD	-			-
General Reserve CD Bank of Amador	-			-
Water & Sewer Reserve Eldorado	-			-
	<b>152,388</b>	<b>(39,446)</b>	<b>109,204</b>	<b>222,618</b>
<b>Total Cash Available</b>	<b>224,507</b>		<b>109,204</b>	<b>243,286</b>
<b>Accounts Receivable</b>	<b>73,015</b>			<b>89,395</b>

**Income and Expense Statement    March 31, 2019**

Income	Actual	YTD	Budgeted		Variance		% of Budget
	Month End		Month End	YTD	Month End	YTD	
Assessments	33,440	95,304	33,440	100,320	-	(5,016)	23.75%
Utilities	55,216	165,576	52,217	159,581	2,999	5,995	26.08%
Other	2,750	7,960	2,345	7,056	405	904	23.08%
<b>Total Income</b>	<b>91,406</b>	<b>268,840</b>	<b>88,002</b>	<b>266,957</b>	<b>3,404</b>	<b>6,899</b>	<b>26.71%</b>
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<b>Expenses</b>							
Utilities	27,805	88,426	35,474	107,170	(7,669)	(18,744)	17.61%
Water Treatment Expense	5,920	12,315	1,443	3,587	4,477	8,728	96.97%
Sewer Treatment Expense	4,882	14,221	2,558	9,564	2,324	4,657	31.60%
Maintenance Expense	1,886	14,622	3,805	10,715	(1,919)	3,907	30.78%
Payroll Expense	27,198	73,341	22,515	68,795	4,683	4,546	25.45%
Administrative Expense	1,945	9,275	4,296	12,843	(2,351)	(3,568)	14.14%
Insurance Expense	1,624	4,872	1,767	5,301	(143)	(429)	22.98%
Taxes & Licenses Expense	662	1,135	167	501	495	634	56.75%
Professional Fees Expense	-	1,450	500	500	(500)	950	38.16%
Bad Debt	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.00%
Reserve Expense	6,429	19,287	6,893	20,679	-	(1,392)	23.32%
	<b>78,351</b>	<b>238,944</b>	<b>79,418</b>	<b>239,655</b>	<b>(1,067)</b>	<b>(711)</b>	<b>22.32%</b>
<b>Net Income (Loss)</b>	<b>13,055</b>	<b>29,896</b>	<b>8,584</b>	<b>27,302</b>			

**Agenda Board of Directors Regular Meeting  
Monday, April 8, 2019 at 6:00 PM**

**Type of Meeting: Regular Meeting:**

- A. Call to Order:
- B. Roll Call of Directors:
- C. Approval of Minutes:
  - a. Approval of Correction to Regular Board of Directors Meeting Minutes of January 15, 2018.
  - b. Approval of Regular Board of Directors Meeting Minutes of March 19, 2019
  - c. Approval of Executive Meeting March 19, 2018
- D. Open Forum:
- E. Treasurers Report:
  - a. Financial Statements: Profit and Loss & Balance Sheet: January and February
  - b. Lien Approval
  - c. Property Foreclosure
- F. Maintenance Report:
  - a. Various Miscellaneous Items
- G. Community Manager Report:
  - a. Projects
  - b. Board Members Signing of Ethics Policy
  - c. Various Miscellaneous Items
- H. Wastewater Report:
  - a. Various Miscellaneous Items
- I. Treated Water Report:
  - a. Discussion and Possible Action Related to Treatment Plant Closure
  - b. Discussion and Possible Action Related to Expanded Parking via Retaining Walls
- J. Social Committee Report:
  - a. Upcoming Events
- K. Design Review:
  - a. Lot 84 request for additional parking.
- L. Discussion and Possible Action Related to Pesticide and Herbicides Use in Common Areas
  - a. Development of Policy and Procedures
  - b. Notification
- M. Discussion and Possible Action Related to Fishing Pond
  - a. Update of Rules
  - b. Future Use of Pond Area
- N. Discussion and Possible Action Related Safety Committee
  - a. Discussion and Possible Action Related to Safety Committee and Future Meetings.
- O. Future Agenda Items: This item is to Provide Board Members an Opportunity to Request Items to be Placed on Future Agendas. Not an action item.

**Open Forum Rules:** During the open forum, each attendee may address the board for up to 5 minutes. A director or manager may briefly respond to statements made or questions asked. Speakers must observe rules of decorum and not engage in obscene gestures, shouting, profanity, or other disruptive behavior. If the speaker is in the middle of a sentence when the time is called, he/she may finish their thought before sitting down. The time guidelines ensure that others will have an opportunity to speak. Speakers may not allow their time to others. All persons must follow meeting rules. •  
**\*Meeting Rules:** As provided in the "Open Meeting Act," members may observe the meeting but do not have the right to participate in the Board's deliberations or votes. Members may address issues during the open forum portion of the meeting. If attendees become disruptive, they may be expelled from the meeting, and the Sheriff called. **Recording Meetings:** Regular Meetings of the Board of Directors are recorded for record keeping purposes. The meetings are not a public meeting, and any recording of the meeting must be approved by the board beforehand.

**Executive Session  
Monday April 8, 2019 6:00 PM**

**Type of Meeting: Executive Session**

- Discussion and Possible Action Related to Delinquent Account and Violation Letters
- Discussion Related to Liens placed on Delinquent Property
- Discussion and Possible Action Related to Pending Litigation
- Personnel Issues

# **Bingo Night at The Oaks!**

Please join us for Bingo on  
Tuesday, May 14<sup>th</sup> @ 7:00 P.M.

Pot luck starts at 6:30; please bring a dish to  
share if you are attending the pot luck.

ONLY \$10 for 2 cards/10 games!  
-18 and older-  
Volunteers and Donations Needed.



# **COMMUNITY YARD SALE**

**SATURDAY, MAY 4<sup>th</sup>**

Advertised in a variety of media outlets, so use this opportunity to purge and make some extra cash! Please help spread the word and get your neighbors involved! Yard sale is advertised as starting at 9:00 AM, one day only sale. Remember, Aces extra trash pickup is May 22<sup>nd</sup>.



Contact Dana for more information: 530-306-4624 or  
dcalhoun.toca@att.net.

## **THE OAKS COMMUNITY RESIDENTIAL CLEAN-UP**

**Wednesday May 22, 2019**

**As part of the regular waste pick up ACES will provide  
their RESIDENTIAL garbage collection subscribers, a free pick up.**





**Collection will be on Wednesday, May 22, 2018.**

**CLEAN UP MATERIALS MUST BE PLACED**

**AT THE CURB NO LATER THAN 6:00 AM.**

**ALL TRASH MUST BE BAGGED, BOXED, OR BUNDLED**

**You may leave up to one cubic yard (3'X3'X3' which is equivalent to seven  
32 gallon bags.)**

**No single item may exceed 50 pounds or 4 feet in length.**

**Acceptable materials include:**

**Paper products, general trash, wood, tools, metal, plastics, yard waste, etc.**

**Unacceptable materials include:**

**Appliances, furniture, mattresses, tires, electronic waste (TV's, computers,  
etc.) motor oil, rock, dirt, concrete, paint, hot ashes, animal waste,  
car batteries, dangerous liquids, or toxic substances requiring special  
disposal.**

**DO NOT PUT RECYCLE CARTS OUT AS IT IS  
NOT A RECYCLE WEEK.**

**If you have any questions regarding clean up Contact ACES @ 274-2237 6500  
BUENA VISTA RD., IONE, CA 95640**



## Burger toppers

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| BLUE CHEESE | ONIONS       |
| BRIE        | PESTO        |
| CATSUP      | PICKLES      |
| CHEDDAR     | PROVOLONE    |
| FRIED EGG   | SALSA        |
| GUACAMOLE   | SOUR CREAM   |
| HUMMUS      | SWISS CHEESE |
| JALAPENOS   | TOMATO       |
| LETTUCE     | WASABI       |
| MAYONNAISE  |              |

B E B L U E C H E E S E M  
 S A L S A D P I C K L E S  
 O V C Y S C H E D D A R D  
 N O Z O P O I J G X I H Q  
 I C N E N R U C A T S U P  
 O A T I B Q O R G W E M G  
 N D O J O D N F C K B M U  
 R O M K A N L M K R U U A  
 I Q A Z G L S E C Z E S C  
 N M T Z M W A S A B I A A  
 G U O K V Q B P E S T O M  
 S S W I S S C H E E S E O  
 Y T L E T T U C E N Z N L  
 P A F R I E D E G G O M E  
 P R O V O L O N E P P S N  
 U D M A Y O N N A I S E U

## Roadside sign

**Across**

- Lingerie item
- Steer clear of
- On, as a lamp
- Noted wine valley
- Neighbor of Mo.
- Automaton
- Rang out
- Therefore
- Cousin of a clog
- Morning, for short
- Window-shop
- Newswoman Shriver
- Summer mo.
- Bacteria discovered by Theodor Escherich
- Lyricist Gershwin
- Three-masted sailing ship
- Nancy Drew's boyfriend

**Down**

- Radar image
- Anger, with "up"
- Book of maps
- Type of math equation
- Sorcery
- Wildcatter's find

1	2	3		4	5	6	7	8
9				10				
11				12				
13			14				15	
		16				17		
18	19		20				21	22
23		24				25		
26						27		
28						29		

- Ticks off
- Showroom model
- Likely to change
- Tom Sawyer's creator
- Kind of charge card
- Defensive spray
- Positive
- Relative of "Oh, no!"
- Burgle

D	E	N		C	E	B	E	X
V	A	R		I	L	O	C	E
G	A	V		A	R	V	M	A
S	E	W		S	B	R		A
		T		O	A	S		
S	O			D	E	L	E	P
M	E	L		O	G		L	L
R	E			L	O	L	L	L
I	D			A	V		R	A

The headline is a clue to the answer in the diagonal.

## May Sudoku

**How to solve sudoku puzzles**

No math is required to solve a sudoku. You only need logic and patience.

Simply make sure that each 3x3 square region has only one instance of the numbers 1-9. Similarly, each number can only

4	5	9	3	6	2	7	8	1
2	6	7	8	1	4	9	5	3
8	1	3	7	5	9	4	6	2
3	2	6	1	9	8	5	4	7
9	4	5	6	2	7	3	1	8
7	8	1	4	3	5	2	9	6
1	7	8	9	4	3	6	2	5
6	9	2	5	7	1	8	3	4
5	3	4	2	8	6	1	7	9

	5		3			7	8	
2				1		9		
8					9		6	
					8	5		
		5				3		
		1	4					
	7		9					5
		2		7				4
	3	4			6		7	

appear once in a column or row in the larger grid. The difficulty on this puzzle is easy.