

THE WOODS

A NEWSLETTER FROM THE CASCADEL WOODS
PROPERTY OWNERS ASSOCIATION
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CHIPPING DAY

We had a chipping day on July 23 and 24 at Loma Linda and Cascadel Drive. We wish to give a huge



THANK YOU
to our volunteers; Stephen Griswold, Michael Delaney, Ed Rose, Stan and Carol Eggink. The Cascadel

Drive pile was a big one and took us two days to finish the clean-up.

As you can see in the pics, there were rounds that had to be split to fit into the chipper. Stephen Griswold and Ed Rose made short work of that job for us. Thanks guys.



If you still have debris piles to be chipped, please call Carol or Stan Eggink at 559-877-6290. Make your chipping pile close to the road for the volunteers' ease of chipping. We have seen a few piles and have



set the date for the next chipping event for Saturday, August 14. If you can help, call Stan or Carol to volunteer for a couple of hours. They can be reached at 559-877-6290. Ask for Carol or Stan and thank you.

ROAD 233 EASEMENT CLEARING

Jim and Kitty Williams and Carol Eggink have been devoting two hours every other week to continue the easement clearing along Road 233. They work hard to aid the mountain community to be a bit more fire safe. They also appreciate your slowing down for the "Cone Zone" when they are working.

CSA BADMINTON AREA and OLD LOG DECK

Since the county only provides one cutting each year, as their maintenance of the CSA grounds, volunteers take



care of it, for your recreational



pleasures, for free the rest of the year.

Most recently the shelter-in-place areas have been thoroughly mowed down instead of a 15-foot wide strip along the road. Also, you can see the badminton area has been redone and part of the parking lot.

CSA LOG PILES

During this year, the Firewise Brigade and many volunteers have made a huge difference in the open areas access and fuel mitigation. This project will be ongoing for a few years. Several piles have been created for burning when the rains arrive this year. There is still much more to be done.

As long as we can continue to receive the permit to work on the open areas, they will be maintained a lot better than the past 9 years.



If you have ideas for the open spaces, feel free to express your desires to the CMWC Board of Directors. We will see what we can do for the community.

ROADS By Ed Rose

We have selected a contractor to begin repairs to our bridge and that should start shortly. The contractor will be acting on engineered plans with proper permitting. Please be patient and flexible when bridge crossing is restricted during the repair process. We appreciate your support.

WATER ACCESS

Judy Rose worked on an area for access to the stream before the bridge in July. There is even a log for a sitting.

Another area was cleared before the Falls for access to cross the stream so one can get to the lower pools.

LOGGERS JAMBOREE

The 61st annual Loggers Jamboree was held on July 3 & 4.

Congratulations to all the winners, especially our neighbor Nate Hodges who won Champion Logger. Congratulations to another winner from that household, Logger Jamboree Queen, Khloe Owen.

CMWC NEWS

Governor Newsome has asked for a 15% reduction in water use. This is not mandatory at this time, but it is most likely we will be receiving a requirement to reduce water usage in the near future as we continue in this drought.

Our automated water system is fully operational. We are waiting on delivery of generators to arrive. These generators along with the propane tanks will allow for the water systems to continue functioning in the event of a power outage. The system can be managed from a cell phone or computer.

WATER LINE BREAK

On July 26, a water line break was repaired by S&S Water Service without anyone losing service.

VOLUNTEERS HOURS FOR FUEL REDUCTION

We have accumulated 1,814 hours of fuel reduction work. More needs to be included as soon as the hours have been sent in. These hours equate to \$46,130.02. Well done everyone! This includes 21 volunteer workers and eight people who have donated lunch, propane, and money to keep the volunteers working.

EVENTS AND MEETINGS

- **Aug 13 – CMWC Board Meeting**
Closed Meeting due to Covid-19 Guidelines
3:00PM at the Eggink Home
- **Aug 14 – Community Chipping Day**
Please call to help out if you can. 877-6290
- **Aug 21 – Bandit Town Yard Sale and Swap Meet**
8AM to 3PM BBQ, Hot Dogs, Tri-Tip, and Live Music.

NEXT MONTH

- **Sept25 – CMWC Annual Members Meeting and Elections of Board**
10:00AM Clubhouse Lawn
Please bring your own chairs.

FROM THE EDITOR

We hope you enjoyed The Woods Newsletter. Submissions for the September newsletter should be sent to Carol Eggink by August 27, at egginks@netptc.net.