

Diamond A Recreation Newsletter Spring 2013

The bulbs are in glorious bloom at the Rec and another fun filled summer is right around the corner. What a slice of heaven we have here in Diamond A.

Winter Wednesday BBQs have been a hit each month. If you missed out on the fun, come on down the first Wednesday night of the month through the month of May and enjoy the company of neighbors and friends. Just like summer BBQs, bring something to grill and something to share.

The **Holiday Party** was a highlight in December. Friends and neighbors chatted, ate and toasted another great year of camaraderie.

The **Super Bowl** was quite a hit thanks to Carleen who really knows how to put on a big spread! Win or lose, it sure is fun to be with friends cheering on our team.

The **Crab Feed** was, as always, sold out almost as soon as announced. Thank you Fred Merrill and crew for a fun night for all.

Welcome to our newest Rec members:
**Trina Schrette & Bobbie Wilson
Fro & Larry Vallerga**

Upcoming Events

Spring Clean-Up Day

Saturday, May 25th

9 to 12 am with lunch to follow.

It is right around the corner! The old adage, "Many hands make light work" couldn't be more appropriate. Please mark your calendars and come lend the Rec few hours of your time to keep it a beautiful place for all to enjoy. As always, we will celebrate our efforts with a barbecue complete with dogs, burgers, beer and sodas.

Pool Opening Party

Sunday, June 1st from 1 to 5pm

Come and join the fun and celebrate the start of the pool season at the Rec. This is always a great event complete with games for the young and old and lots of great food! We will have a Chicken barbecue, and ask that you bring a side dish to share.

Wednesday Night BBQs

Weekly once the weather warms up

Looking for a great way to relax midweek and enjoy the company of neighbors and friends? Come join us and bring something to grill and a dish to share. (This is the perfect place to unload your extra garden spoils!)

Quick reminders

- For liability reasons, guests must have a member with them **at all times** while using the facilities (pool, tennis, play ground, ball field).
- We do not have a regular cleaning service so please leave it better than you found it! Help your trash into trash cans and put the pool toys away.
- Anyone in the pool area under the age of 14 must be under adult supervision. The attending adult must be at least 18 years of age. This is a state law.
- Keep the pool area gate closed and locked at all times. There are surprise inspections of the pool and the Rec would be cited if the gate was propped open!
- Before you leave, please ensure that the gate is closed tight, the bathroom doors are locked and the umbrellas are down and secured.
- For dog walkers, we provide dog POOP bags. Please don't forget to use them.

Rentals

Looking for a place to hold your party or have a nice get together? The Rec is a great venue perfect for BBQ, baseball games, swimming, active kids or just relaxing. Call Marilyn Avrit, 938-5818 to reserve a date, secure the paperwork and enjoy our corner of the Wine Country.

Website

www.diamondasonoma.com

In the Fall, 2012 Newsletter, we announced the opening of the new Diamond A Web Site. This web site has information about all aspects of Diamond A – including comprehensive coverage of the Recreation Association. As we said before, this includes a Description, Membership Application, Photos, Board of Directors, History, By-Laws, Rules, Rental Procedures, & Newsletters. Since then, we have added fun photo filled pages on the Work Day, Oktoberfest, Sports Parties, and the Holiday Party. Please browse and send suggestions to Bruce Hoadley brucehoadley@sbcglobal.net

Dues Invoices

The annual dues invoices will be sent out (mostly by email) about May 1, 2013. The due date is June 1, 2013. These dues will cover the 2013-2014 Season, which goes from June 1, 2013 to May 31, 2014. Make Bruce Hoadley (the evil money changer) a happy camper by paying on time.

Thank you and we look forward to seeing you all this summer!

Your Rec Board

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