

Helping Hands Group

July 23, 2020

Those participating Dave Breylla, Russ Booth, Lou Drumeter, Jim Huff, Barabara Neale and Dick Pelly

Items taken care of since our last gathering

Barbara has been watering many of the plants in the common area
Dave, Barry, Jim and Russ spent two early morning seasons assembling the bench around the tree near #90

Items taken care of on 23 July

Pruned the birch tree behind #11 so the mower can get closer. Do suggest that the mulched area be enlarged as it is at a minimum at this time.

Items of interest and discussion

It is recommended that with the arrival of ants in our homes it would be a good idea to get the clubhouse sprayed inside. Previously the perimeter was sprayed.

Checked pruning at Lonnie's. Plants are still in bloom. Advised as the flowers fade we will return and complete the pruning.

Checked request for pruning at #4. Delayed shrubs are too wet and present a shocking hazard at this time.

Replacement of Flag, it is showing wear.

Seeing as it was drizzling, the cleaning of the fascia was postponed to a later date. It is interesting to note that of the 14 notices sent out, only 4 residents requested the service.

As we were walking over to Lonnie's a white cobweb appearing growth was notice in the back lawn between #41 & #45

Upon checking the fungus growth was identified as dollar spot

When the fungus is active and moisture is present a fine, white or gray cobwebby mycelium may cover the infected area during early morning hours. This mycelial growth may be promoted artificially by covering the infected turf overnight with a glass bowl.

Dollar spot tends to be most damaging in poorly nourished turfs, particularly when soils are dry, when humidity is high or a heavy dew is present. Dollar spot may occur whenever days are warm and nights are cool from early spring to early winter.



Items still on the To-Do-List

Should we purchase a sprayer so we can do some spraying?
Shelving for Club house garage
Light out at Hi Rise garage
One power panel at Hi Rise needs re-labeling. Owners are needed to participate
Lighting at mailboxes
Ramp for Club house garage
Repaint sign poles **IN PROGRESS**
Flag pole leaning
Prune shrubs around clubhouse

6 Aug is the next scheduled gathering