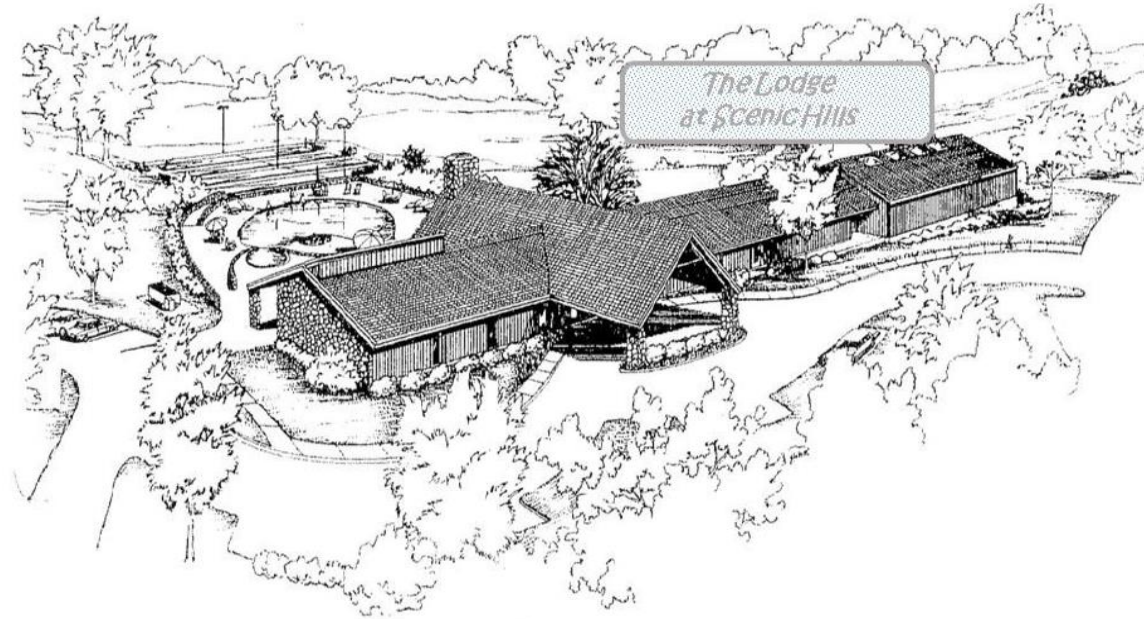

The Scene

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Scenic Hills Community Association

Board of Directors

(Elected)

Matt Dunda, President chsstreak60@gmail.com	2018
Jill Diaz, Vice President jilldiazagency@yahoo.com	2019
Norm Shaheen, Secretary normanshaheen@hotmail.com	2018
Cindy Miller, Treasurer cindy.scenic022@gmail.com	2019
Fred Kunz 3833gr@gmail.com	2018
Marty Danner mdanwen@aol.com	2020
Sharyn Hall jdhall166@gmail.com	2020

Designated Officials

(Appointed)

“The Scene”
Editor, Nancy Shaheen

EDITORIAL POLICY FOR THE SCENE:

The Article deadline is no later than 15th of each month at 12 p.m.

EDITORS NOTE: The accuracy of the dates and times of activities and meetings, which appear in the Scene and, on the monthly Calendar are the sole responsibility of the chairman or organizer of that event. Make sure the office has any changes by the deadline for the Scene each month.

Please submit articles via email to
denise@scenichillstx.com

All items need to be emailed.

Articles by residents and Letters to the Editor will be subject to editing or revision by the Editor to comply with the Rules established by the Scenic Hills Board of Directors.

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Security	Gary Ensminger	210-834-7356
Lawn Care	Bob Kelley	210-478-8849
Library	Matt Dunda	830-624-7206
Lodge Improve	Lisa Kelley	210-478-8846
Tours	Matt Dunda	830-624-7206
RV Storage	Tony Diaz	210-861-1302
“The Scene”	Nancy Shaheen	361-779-2830
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Board Reps to Committees

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Facilities	Norm Shaheen
Financial	Cindy Miller
Security	Marty Danner
RV	Marty Danner
Lawn Care	Marty Danner
Library	Matt Dunda
Lodge/Pool	Jill Diaz/Norm Shaheen
Lodge Office	Cindy Miller
Tours	Matt Dunda
“The Scene”	Norm Shaheen
Social	Fred Kunz
Webmaster	Cindy Miller

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MATT'S MESSAGE

ELECTION TIME! Do not forget to vote! We are electing three board members this month. Two members are leaving the board and one is seeking re-election. Please read the candidate bios and attend the Meet The Candidates Forum. We have some talented individuals running for office and they should be applauded for stepping up to keep our community great.

Thank you to Fred Kunz for serving on the board for the last three years. Fred has been an integral part of and a great asset to our community. **THANK YOU, Fred!**

Thanks to Norm Shaheen for all of his hard work. Enough said about Norm, as he is running for re-election and I am sure he will be reelected. He is too good not to be.

I am also stepping down after serving for 7 years with 3 of those years as the Board President. Thanks to all of you for allowing me to serve. It has been an honor and a privilege.

Unfortunately, as I leave the board, there are a couple of things that I was just not able to complete during my tenure. As a parting shot, let me list my top three failures with the hope that someday they may be fixed.

1. The biggest complaint is "Why don't people pick up their dog's doo doo?" "I don't know why, but some folks just like to leave their dog stuff around the neighborhood. We contemplated registering all dog's DNA so we could track the violators, but it never got off the ground. Too bad! My advice, just watch where you step!

2. Why can't we have a better selection of donuts? Man, I could never get this one right no matter how hard the entire board and staff tried. Never enough chocolate or strawberry stuffed stuff. Plus, some folks wanted two or three, not just one donut. Whatever!

3. Why can't the parking lots be better aligned? Huh? We tried 247 different combinations for cars, small cars, disability slots, golf carts, trucks, etc., etc. None worked! We still have people parking wherever they want, some even take two slots. And if they can't get within 15 feet of an entrance, holy heck is raised!

Keep Smiling!
See you around the neighborhood!

*During this time of sorrow, we realize how much the friends of Scenic Hills mean to us. Thank you so much for all the cards and calls expressing offers of sympathy and support. Most of all, thank you for your friendship. Knowing that you will miss Bob makes our burden easier. Our Scenic Hills family is why he liked going to the Lodge every day.
The family of Bob Simmons.*



*I would like to thank everyone for the support, kind words, cards and comforting calls that I have received during this difficult time. Scenic Hills is truly a caring community.
My sincerest thanks,
Jane Oman and Family*



*Eleanor Kiss has moved to the beautiful hills around Canyon Lake. As she packed to leave she donated a fortune in stained glass, equipment, and various supplies. We are so thankful for her generous donation to our group. Many of you may have wanted to learn how to do stained glass and found out how very expensive it can be. Eleanor has made it possible for any resident who would like to learn to do so at no expense. We would love for any of you to join us on Wednesday mornings at 9:00.
Thank you, Eleanor.
Maxie Bailey and the Stained-Glass Group.*

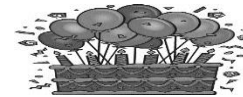


*Thank you for all the cards and phone calls,
Shirley Roberson*



MARCH ANNIVERSARIES

Frank & Liz Mendoza	1
Jack & Sue Rogers	5
Peter & Willie McNamee	6
Carl & Ann Gamble	7
Frank & Peggy Guttierrez	16
Terry & Niki Spicer	17
Jerald & Doris Sparenberg	27



MARCH BIRTHDAYS

Sam Garcia	3
O'Nice Hlavac	3
Ann Gamble	4
Jerry Mallams	4
Terry Ody	4
William Thomas	4
Carl Gamble	9
Betty Wheaton	14
Linda Lindsey	15
Pat Lelack	16
Charles Bell	16
David Tripp	17
Pat Blazek	17
Rodney Coleman	17
Jeanine Lambert	18
Paul Keith	19
Carole Gendolfe	21
Kathleen Kunz	22
David Shurtleff	22
Pat Braun	25
Steve McGaugh	27
Shirley Shepard	30
Irma Reyes	30
Jesse Reyes	31



MARCH SOCIAL

COME KISS THE BLARNEY STONE AT THE MARCH 17TH SOCIAL ON ST. PATRICK'S DAY.

Wear green and ensure good luck as the door prize is drawn.

Tobias Brothers will entertain for listening and dancing pleasure.

Irish stew, cornbread, salad, fruit, and dessert is the fare for the evening.

Time is 6:00 and tickets are \$10.00 per person.

Wear your name tag for extra ticket for drawing and bring a guest. It is always good friendly fun and conversation...

As always, BYOB...

We appreciate your continuing support.



MEET THE CANDIDATES

Please join us at the Resident Coffee Call, March 9th, at 10:00 a.m. to meet the Candidates for the upcoming Board of Director's Elections. The elections will be held on March 20th to elect 3 members to the Board of Directors. Please make sure you come so that you can ask the prospective candidates any questions you may have or discuss any concerns. Please see the enclosed resumes that have been turned in by prospective candidates.

ANNUAL MEETING

The Annual Meeting of Scenic Hills Community Associations will be held on March 20, 2018 at 4:00 PM in the Lodge Ballroom. The voting for the election of three new Board members will be held first and then the regular board meeting will be held.

Ballots will be mailed to each resident from Spectrum. Each resident will have two votes—one for the property and one for the home. Bring your ballots with you to the Annual Meeting if you can attend, OR, if you cannot attend, please vote ahead of time by either:

- Placing your ballot in the Ballot Box at the Lodge office
- Stamp it and Mail it to Spectrum in envelope provided, no later than **March 12, 2018**
- Fax it to 210-494-0887
- Fill it out, Scan it and email it to contact@spectrumAM.com

If you plan to attend the meeting, please arrive 30 minutes early to sign in and receive your materials. The meeting will begin promptly at 4:00 PM.

♥ CARING FRIENDS ♥

ROSE GRAUMANN	THINKING OF YOU
JIM HALL	THINKING OF YOU
JOHN NAJARIAN	THINKING OF YOU
JACK LADDS	THINKING OF YOU
CAROL KEMP	THINKING OF YOU
JOHN SCHAECHER	THINKING OF YOU
JOSIE GALINDO	THINKING OF YOU
ANNIE FRISENHAHN	THINKING OF YOU
O'NICE HLAVAC	THINKING OF YOU
MARY WALLS FAMILY	SYMPATHY
SHIRLEY ROBERSON FAMILY (C.A.)	SYMPATHY

Cheer cards are sent to anyone in Scenic Hills who is ill or hospitalized. Sympathy cards are sent to the family of a deceased resident. In order to do this – please let me, or the Management Team, know of anyone in this situation. I would love your help. Becky Bird 830-606-1026.

Norms thoughts...

If at first you don't succeed, then skydiving definitely isn't for you!

Thanks go to Kathy Landeck for the Valentine's Day display. For March we will be able to enjoy a display of Maxie Bailey's Doll Collection. Enjoy!

TOUR GUIDE MEETING

How would you like to be a Tour Guide? The rewards are great, the work is easy, and you get to meet some really nifty people. Tour guides are usually asked to conduct a tour about 1 to 3 times per month. A tour usually takes about 30 minutes and requires you to show off the Lodge, answer some basic questions and give a drive through tour of our community. We will train you! It's really easy and fun! INTERESTED? We will have a meeting on March 27th at 11:00. Come and join us!



AUTHOR'S CORNER

Four new, great books for your reading pleasure. Keep Reading!!

The Wedding Bees by Sarah-Kate Lynch. A novel about finding sweetness where you least expect it and learning to love on your way home. One for the tender of heart.

The Saboteur by Andrew Gross. Thrilling story based on the destruction of the German atom bomb factory in WWII Norway. A must read! Hard to put the book down.

The Great Alone by Kristin Hannah. The latest and greatest for you Kristin Hannah fans. Unpredictable, Unforgiving, Untamed. For a family in crisis, the ultimate test.

War Cry by Wilbur Smith. The legendary Courtney family saga continues. A tale of espionage, adventure and danger set in Africa. Don't miss this one!

FMBA MEETINGS

Meetings will resume March 13th at 1:00 pm in the Lodge conference room. All Committee Budget Chairs are required to attend.

FACILITIES COMMITTEE

We have a need to add new members to the Facilities Committee. We as members do not actually do any work but what we do is to make decisions as to what needs repair or replacement. Our committee covers several areas including the lodge, the pool house, gate house, streets and sidewalks. We meet once a month on the third Wednesday of the month at 1:00.

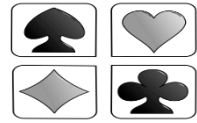
For more information contact Rod Woods 210-213-8657



EASTER POT LUCK

Mark your calendar for April 1st, We will be having an Easter Pot Luck. Sign-up sheet at the Lodge.

SCENIC HILLS ACTIVITIES



BRIDGE

Have you always wanted to learn to play bridge? Are you a former bridge player, but haven't played in decades? Do you have good card sense? The Wednesday bridge players meet at 9:30 a.m. and the Duplicate Bridge meets on Tuesday nights at 7:00p.m.



CHICKEN FOOT

March 8 @ 6:30 pm Come play and Have fun! You might get to take home the chicken to hang on your lamp post!



POKER

Tuesdays @ 1:00 pm, we'll be playing Nickel/Dime/Quarter Poker. Bring your change and have a good time playing Poker with your neighbors. Nothing crazy, nothing weird (we try to keep our clothes on!!!), and nothing too expensive to worry you. Come on out and play a few hands. Minimum 5 players per table.

CAREGIVER SUPPORT GROUP

Many of us in the Scenic Hills Community are either currently a caregiver or have been one! Please join our group to offer advice, support, information or just a hug to others in our community dealing with caring for their loved ones. For more information contact Linda Ward 361-215-1163.

We are meeting on the third Friday at 11 AM (after Coffee Call) in the card room.



March 6th @ 4:00 pm



We gather between 6:15 – 6:45 every Wednesday night, depending on when the 'out to eat' group returns.



QUILTERS

Heartfelt thanks to all the helpers who came to the Grandmas' Christmas Stocking Workshop in February. The number of kits assembled totaled over 50 that will be ready for the next step of adding embellishments ("bling") to the front of each stocking before it is sewn together. Special thanks and recognition to Lynda Oatman who has sewn on embellishments to over 20 stockings and continues to enjoy this special activity. The number of foster children, as well as those residing in various group homes continues to rise. Having a special stocking with their name embroidered on it brings great joy to them and to us to provide them. Quilters will be meeting on Wed., March 14 at 1:00 p.m. in the Craft Room with a sewing day on Monday, March 26 at 10:00 a.m. Please come for a visit to see what we are planning for 2018! Questions—call Jeanette Woods (210-745-8374)

HOLISTIC CLASS

Thursdays 3:00 p.m.
Poker Room
March topics:
ADHD and Autism
A Holistic Perspective
March 1st and 8th
Free Book to All Attendees

Spring Has Sprung
Remove the Cobwebs of
Negative Thinking
Replace with Positive
Thoughts
By Playing
Positive Card Games
Thursday March 15, 22, 29
3:00 p.m. Poker Room

PRAYER GROUP AND BIBLE STUDY

We will continue meeting on Tuesday mornings at 10:00 until 11:30 at the home of Jeanette Brockhaus, 3625 Fox Run. Fellowship will be at 11:30 for anyone wishing to stay. Sally Moore will lead the Bible Study. Come join us for a wonderful time together! For more information, please call Jeanette at 830-214-0056 or 830-305-3679 or Sally at 830-609-1317 or 210-410-5395.

Bible study at the Lodge – Hi, join us in studying God's Word Thursday, March 8th in the card room at 3pm. Everybody Welcome!
Hosted by Jim & Sally Moore



POT LUCK

March 28th at 5:00
Sign-up sheet at Lodge.



CANASTA

Mondays at 1:00 p.m.
Poker Room



LINE DANCING

Thursdays at 10:00 a.m.



BINGO

March 30th at 7:00 p.m.



ADULT COLORING

Come up to the Lodge every Thursday at 1:00 and join us for some old fashion coloring!



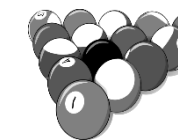
BUNCO

3rd Thursday – 7:00
BUNCO Players or "wanna be" Bunco players. We are always on the lookout for new players. Jan Cubberly (830-606-3608) or Caroline Dunda (512 557-1226) You really will have fun. Keep Sane.



A NOTE FROM THE SCENIC HILLS COMMUNITY CHORUS

Chorus practice every Monday at 3:00 pm. Performance is every 3rd Wednesday of the month at 1:30 pm for those who would like to come and enjoy the music. After this, we drive over to Brackin to sing at Sodalis Assisted Living. This month of March, we will be singing some Irish tunes which are always fun! Also, we have some favorite Spring songs in the program. If you love to sing, come and join us! We have a lot of fun in our chorus family and we need you!



BILLIARDS

Every Tuesday and Thursday at 12:00 pm.

If you ever thought about playing pool, we would like to have you join us. We have 2 nice tables and need more players



STAINED GLASS

Meets every Wednesday at 9:00am to work on stained glass. If anyone would like to learn how to do stained glass, contact Maxie at 830-620-5794 or 210-861-7624.