



AUGUST 2009

Neighborhood Vandalism Update

As you may already know, Autumn Ridge neighbors have experienced several incidents of vandalism recently. If you are not aware, several car windows were shot out of people's cars parked around the neighborhood.

You also may be aware that the police have determined that the culprit or culprits are neighborhood teens. This is very disturbing to us as a board and as Autumn Ridge residents. Vandalism is foolish, and it is expensive for the victims, our neighbors. We as a neighborhood cannot and should not tolerate property damage.

We are asking all Autumn Ridge parents who have teens to talk to them about recent incidents and also enforce the curfew law set by Kansas City, Mo. The law mandates a curfew for teens of 11 p.m. on weeknights and midnight on weekends. Please make sure your kids are home safe by these times and are not out in the neighborhood causing trouble.

We also want to stress to neighbors that if you see a group of teens – or anyone else suspicious – outside late at night wandering around, please call the police. Also, please report any incidents promptly. North Patrol's number is 437-6200. If, however, you see a crime taking place, call 911. It is important that we work together to keep our kids and our property safe.

You may also want to get to know your neighborhood watch captain, if you haven't already. Please keep them informed of anything that is going on around your home. They will send out an email to other neighbors to let them know.

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Extended Pool Hours!!!

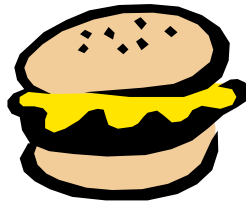
You've been asking for it – well, some of you have been begging! Beginning August 17, when the Park Hill district is back in session, the pool will stay open! The pool will be open Monday, August 17 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. without lifeguards. The lifeguards will arrive at 4 p.m. and will stay until 9 p.m. closing.

To get into the pool, you will need your pool card. Please do not prop open the gate, as we've had some problems with non-Autumn Ridge residents being let in to swim. (You pay for the pool privilege – please don't let someone who doesn't take advantage!) Remember, lifeguards will NOT be on duty until 4 p.m., so it will truly be "swim at your own risk." Parents are supposed to supervise children younger than 12 at the pool at any time, but when the lifeguards are not there, DO NOT drop off your children to swim without supervision. Also, please remember there should be NO SMOKING inside the gated area surrounding the pool. You may smoke in the parking lot.

The new, extended hours will continue on a trial basis and may end at any time if the board hears complaints about abuse of the policy. If all goes well, we can do it again next year!

Join us for Cheeseburgers in Paradise, August 8!

Join us poolside at 11 a.m., Saturday, August 8 for "Heaven on Earth with an Onion Slice!" The 2009 Autumn Ridge summer party will include Dr. DJ, a raffle, giveaways and prizes, and fun games and activities. The social cheeseburgers and non-alcoholic theme-related side dish or dessert to themed raffles, and we still need prize advertise your business! Your name the DJ during the party. If you'd like to Katie Barges at 436-6716 or tickets will be sold at the party for \$1 each, or 6 for \$5. The money raised goes toward Autumn Ridge events held throughout the year.



committee will provide drinks. Neighbors should bring a share. There will be adult- and kid-donations. This is a great way to and business will be announced by donate a raffle prize, please contact kattdominique@yahoo.com. Raffle

Autumn Ridge HOA Board, 2009-2010

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For bylaws & covenants violations, permission for architectural/landscaping changes, or annual dues information, contact our property manager at Curry Management, Shannon McCant (smccant@curryre.com, 414-5306), or Jennifer Simonetti (jsimonetti@curryre.com).

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS & REMINDERS

- **Playground Update:** The board is in the process of finalizing bids for concrete, fencing, and installation for a new neighborhood playground. The next step is creating a budget plan for the project. Once we have a plan, we'll share all the details via a future newsletter and the website.
- **Fall Garage Sales:** Saturday, September 19
- **Property Changes & Additions:** If you are planning to repaint your house, landscape your yard, build a new deck, or any other significant home improvement project, please remember to fill out and submit an Architectural Control Committee request form. You can obtain a form from Shannon or Jennifer at Curry Management (smccant@curryre.com or jsimonetti@curryre.com).
- **Covenants & Bylaws:** If you do not have a copy of the Autumn Ridge Covenants & Bylaws, visit www.autumnridge.ws/covenants/covenants.htm