

Monthly Newsletter

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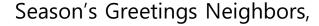
















I hope you all had a fabulous Thanksgiving.





Just a brief update on our speeding issue: The Marietta City Council has approved changes to the requirements for qualifying streets for speed tables. There will be more to come on this as we go into 2013.





The Lee's Crossing 5yr budget is included in this newsletter and I am pleased to let you know there will not be an increase in the 2013 HOA Assessment.





The Board wishes everyone a Merry Christmas/Holiday season and a Happy New Year!



Please don't hesitate to contact me or any Board member for concerns or questions. You can also send a note to Leescrossing@comcast.net for questions you may have.





Brad Herr LCHA President





















2013 - 201	16 LCF	IA Pro	posed	Budget

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Annual Assessment	\$360	\$360	\$360	\$360	\$360
Revenues	147,125	147,125	147,125	147,125	147,125
Expenses					
Landscaping	25260	25,765	26,281	26,806	27,342
Architectural Control Services	14400	14,688	14,982	15,281	15,587
Administration	6049	6,170	6,293	6,419	6,548
Insurance	6011	6,131	6,254	6,379	6,506
Mailboxes and sign posts	530	541	551	562	574
Interest Expense on Loans	5000	3,943	3,023	2,318	1,668
Legal	7,500	7,500	7,500	7,500	7,500
Utilities	17850	18,386	18,937	19,505	20,090
Social	8000	8,160	8,323	8,490	8,659
Repairs	10000	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000
Pool Management	20500	20,910	21,328	21,755	22,190
Swim Team	2550	2,601	2,653	2,706	2,760
Total Expenses	123,650	124,795	126,125	127,722	129,425
Available for Capital Improvements					
and Reserves	23,475	22,330	21,000	19,403	17,700
Reserves & Capital Expenditures					
	60.664	5 0.406	44.466	44.466	40.050
Reserves beginning of year	60,661	58,136	41,466	41,466	40,869
Increase	23,475	22,330	21,000	19,403	17,700
other capital expenditures	-6,000	-6,000	-6,000	-6,000	-6,000
loan principal payments	-10,000	-10,000	-10,000	-10,000	-10,000
additional loan payment	-10,000		-5,000	4.000	
resurface tennis courts				-4,000	
paint clubhouse		22.000			
resurface pool		-23,000			
Reserves end of year	58,136	41,466	41,466	40,869	42,569
Loan Balances					
loan balance beginning of year	89,000	69,000	59,000	44,000	34,000
principal payment consolidated loan	-20,000	-10,000	-15,000	-10,000	-10,000
loan balance end of the year	69,000	59,000	44,000	34,000	24,000

Around the Neighborhood



Dollar on Your Door

Lee's Crossing's annual "Dollar on Your Door" fundraiser will take place on the weekend of December 15-16. This is our neighborhood's way to say "Thank You" to our sanitation workers during the holidays. These gentlemen help us out more than we realize throughout the year, and are very generous in what they collect! Last year we collected over \$1,300 for them, so let's try and top that this year! Please leave your contribution in an envelope taped to your front door on either Saturday, December 15 or Sunday, December 16 by 3 p.m. Volunteers will collect your gifts between 3 and 5 p.m. each day. If you would like to volunteer (great service project for IB students), please contact the Eckfords at 404-226-0088. Thanks in advance for your help!

Clubhouse Rentals

If you have any questions or need to book the clubhouse, please call or e-mail Tricia Wilson at 770-428-8144 or **triciaww@mindspring.com**. In an effort to keep our Clubhouse clean and in the best condition, the rental deposit has increased to \$250. However, if you return the clubhouse after rental in its best condition, the entire deposit will be returned.

Holiday Trash Schedule

Holidays are December 24th and 25th.

Regular services for Monday and Thursday will be on Wednesday only Regular services for Tuesday and Friday will be on Thursday only Yard waste services and Christmas Trees will be on Friday

Neighborhood Notaries

Greg Amaden	Lee's Trace	770-429-9264
James Belrose	Lees Trace	770-794-9897
Melissa Drehs	Lee's Trace	216-392-1424
Brenda Fairbanks	Trailwood Lane	678-290-4810
Angela G. Ford	Lee's Trace	678-234-7430
David Hardy	Harrowgrove Court	770-427-6319
Carolyn Richardson	Cedar Branch Court	770-427-9900
Cecilia E. White	Trailwood Lane	678-797-6209

If you are a Notary and are willing to help out your neighbors, please send your name and phone number to leescrossing@comcast.net.



Welcome New Neighbors

Anthony & Katie Green Warren & Natalie Hirons Michael & Sandra Patch 1146 Cedar Branch Court 977 Laurel Field Lane 1048 Chestnut Hill Circle

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Classifieds

CLASSIFIED SUBMISSIONS: When submitting a classified ad, please use the format being used for the ads listed below. Pictures will not be printed. Please make sure to include contact information and state how long you wish the article to run. **All submissions will run ONE MONTH unless otherwise requested.**

Babysitter/Petsitter for the Holidays!!!

I am looking to babysit or pet sit over my holiday break from college. I am a full time nursing student so I am CPR/first aid certified and I am a licensed EMT. I have over 10 years' experience babysitting and pet sitting! I will be available Dec.10th- Jan. 3rd! If you are interested please call my cell-770-596-9806 or send me an email at jjbramlett@comcast.net. Jennifer Bramlett, 1162 Harrowgrove Court

Kittens FREE to a good home

I have 4 adorable kittens that need a **good home**. I wish I could keep them all, however I cannot. Please send me an email (jjbramlett@comcast.net) if you would like pictures of these cuties! They will be 9 weeks old on December 14, 2012. I will not take them away from their mother until they are weaned and litter box trained. They would make an excellent Christmas present!

Looking for Home to Purchase

We have friends that are looking for a home to purchase in our neighborhood. If you are considering selling your home, please contact me and I will put them in contact with you. Cyndi McIntosh - 770-425-2451.

Spanish Tutoring

Is your child struggling in Spanish class? Do they need a little extra one-on-one teacher time to boost their confidence or improve their grade? Let me help! I am a Spanish 1,2, and 3 tutor with 8 years of classroom experience and 10 years of tutoring experience. I have reasonable rates and am conveniently located right here in Lee's Crossing. Call Diane Edwards at 770-575-0445 to reserve your time slot! You may also contact me by e-mail at edwardsdiane@yahoo.com.

For Sale

Trundle bed (disassembled) in light wood and Scandinavian design--with top mattress in great condition. \$50. **Lobster 401 Tournament model ball machine**--\$400. This model has a vast array of features, such as, variable speed, shot height, both one - spot and random ball placement (distributes the ball in nine spots randomly on the court), and spin control. Call: Diane at 770-422-0781



Lees Crossing Calendar of Neighborhood Events



New Year's Eve Party - Adults Only December 31

See page 4 of this Newsletter for details.

Around Town Calendar of Events – December

Day	Name
1, 8, 15, 22	Marietta Square Farmers Market
1, 2	Marietta Pilgrimage Christmas Home Tour
1	Helicopter rides over Marietta
1-2, 8-9, 15-16, 22-23	Santa on the Square
1	Author Jeff Clemmons book lecture
8	12th Annual Sleighbells on the Square 5K
31	Jagged Stones Rolling Stones Tribute Concert

These events are from the City of Marietta calendar. For more information on any of these events, go to www.mariettaga.gov, click on the city calendar and follow the link to the desired event.

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Neighborhood Business Spotlight

If you would like to tell your neighbors about your business or recommend someone else's -business, please send us a BRIEF paragraph giving pertinent information along with contact information. Submissions will printed first come – first serve each month, based on space. Send your information to leescrossing@comcast.net. Note: Please keep descriptions to ONE
SHORT paragraph in WORD format. Do not send brochures, flyers or pictures as they will not be published. ALL SUBMISSIONS MUST BE SENT TO EITHER leescrossing@comcast.net or to trevathan.angelia@gmail.com. NO SUCCESSIVE MONTHS.

Business Spotlight:

I Recommend:

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DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSIONS for the January 2013 Newsletter is December 28. <u>Any submissions after this date cannot be guaranteed inclusion.</u>

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Mailbox Repair: If you need a new post call Bob Schoonover at 770-422-8774. Contact Cindi Filer at 404-518-5809 for mailbox post paint.

Clubhouse Rental: Call Tricia Wilson at 770-428-8144 or e-mail triciaww@mindspring.com

Neighborhood Directories: Soft copies of the Neighborhood Directory are available in PDF format. Send request to leescrossing@comcast.net

Clubhouse WiFi network Name/Password: lcswimtennis

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