Melody Ranch Homeowners Association

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TREE TRIMMING

Thank you to those homeowners that live at intersections and throughout Melody Ranch. Please keep in mind that the first 12-15' of your road front landscaping is in fact part of the road lot and the HOA/ISD may need to use that to improve road safety. If you planted trees or shrubbery along the roadway we have an obligation to make sure they do not overhang the roads or block driver visibility. From time to time, it may be necessary for those to be trimmed back to improve visibility on the roads. If you have been keeping up with this job your efforts are much appreciated. There may be an occasion when it is necessary for our landscaping crew to come in and be more aggressive in pruning. We will contact you if there is a problem and work with you to either perform the needed trimming yourself or have our landscape crew do it.

HELP WANTED

If you are interested in helping Melody Ranch and have skills related to building, architecture, or construction you may be the perfect fit for the Landscape Review or Design Review Committees. These groups meet to review the plans of homeowners that want to either build a new home, add on to their existing home or make a change to their exterior and to have any landscaping approved on new construction. If you are interested in lending your expertise, please contact Demerie at GTPM. We appreciate your willingness to help keep Melody Ranch the desirable community that it is.

RV STORAGE

Just a quick reminder to those of you with a storage space in the Melody RV lot that there are quite a few homeowners who are still on the waiting list for a spot. If you do not need your space anymore, please notify GTPM so we can pass it to the next family. Please only park the space you have been assigned. If you don't remember, please contact GTPM as parking in the wrong spot causes multiple issues for numerous parties. Additionally, please keep in mind that the storage area is intended for recreational vehicles and trailers; it is not to be used to store trash, construction equipment, yard gear etc. Please see the storage rules & regulations for a more comprehensive list.



Upcoming Events

BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

TUESDAY, AUGUST 20, 2019 @ 8:45 AM GRAND TETON PROPERTY MANAGEMENT

THE MINUTES FOR THESE MEETINGS CAN BE SEEN ON OUR WEBSITE: WWW.MELODYRANCHHOA.COM

DESIGN REVIEW COMMITTEE

THURSDAY, AUGUST 15, 2019 @ 10:30 GRAND TETON PROPERTY MANAGEMENT

PLEASE SUBMIT YOUR ITEMS FOR REVIEW TO GRAND TETON PROPERTY MANAGEMENT BY NOON ON THE FRIDAY PRIOR TO THE DRC MEETING.

ISD BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 28, 2019 @ 1:30 GRAND TETON PROPERTY MANAGEMENT

MINUTES AND OTHER IMPORTANT ISD DOCUMENTS ARE POSTED TO THE MELODY RANCH WEBSITE FOR YOUR INFORMATION.

Email

Do you want your statements to be emailed to you? Would you like to be placed on the internal Melody Ranch email list? If so, please be sure to contact Grand Teton Property Management with your current email address. This will be used for Melody Ranch informational purposes only and will not be shared with other persons or third parties. Please add GTPM to your safe sender list to ensure delivery of our emails to you.

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NO SWIMMING

We would like to remind all homeowners and their guests that the ponds located within Melody Ranch are not to be used for swimming, boating or fishing. This is a requirement by the insurance company to reduce your fees and reduce the HOA's liability exposure to possible accidents. Additionally, please be mindful of the wildlife including birds that make these ponds their homes. Be mindful of their habitats when out and around the ponds and with your dogs as well.

HOA PAYMENTS

All correspondence and payments should be made payable and mailed to:

The Meadows of Melody Ranch PO Box 4337 Jackson, WY 83001

Or, you can also opt to pay online at: https://www.paymentservicenetwork.com/login.asp?accrt15968

Keep in mind that your payment to the ISD must be made separately from your HOA dues and made payable to Melody Ranch ISD. This is for your home's water usage each month. Please contact Tina Korpi or Demerie Northrop at Grand Teton Property Management with any questions: 307-733-0205 or send your email to: info@melodyranchhoa.com

DID YOU KNOW?

Did you know that many cultures call this month the "harvest month" or the time of harvest. Speaking of which, why shouldn't you tell secrets on the farm? Because the corn has ears, the potatoes have eyes and the beanstalks. August was named in honor of Augustus Caesar. It has 31 days because Augustus wanted as many days as Julius Caesar's month of July had. The extra day was taken from February. The month of August is often referred to as the "dog days of summer" but not because of pet pooches. Many people think this phrase stems from the fact that dogs tend to be on the lazy side during these hottest days of summer. However, it has to do with the star Sirius, also known as the dog star, which rose at the same time as sunrise during the month of August in ancient Roman times. It is said that if the first week in August is unusually warm, the coming winter will be snowy and long, and that for every fog in August there will be a snowfall. While I prefer not to speak of the "S-word" in the midst of such a beautiful summer that seems to have only just begun, the hint of autumn's cool mornings are near. Have a wonderful month!



Social Media

In addition to the Melody Ranch HOA website, there are two additional options to find out about your neighborhood on the internet. In addition to the NextDoor website which is a private online network available to owners and residents of Melody Ranch, there is also a Facebook page devoted to Melody Ranch:

www.facebook.com/Melody-Ranch-Jackson-WY-569874716390530/

If you would like any information about accessing either of these outlets, please contact Demerie at Grand Teton Property Management.

Covenant Corner

- ~ Vehicle Parking. All vehicles shall be parked in designated parking spaces on the lot or the spaces provided therefore on multiple dwelling lots. No more than two vehicles may be parked in driveways for extended periods of time. No vehicle may be parked on any street within Melody Ranch or on any yard or common area on individual or multiple dwelling unit lots. This is Tier Two Violation, \$100 fine.
- ~ There shall be no exterior fires whatsoever except barbecue fires contained within designated receptacles, i.e.: grills. This is Tier Four Violation, \$300 fine plus applicable legal fees.