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Mt. Lemmon Echoes

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Suzanne Hensel will present a slide show on portions of her Mt. Lemmon History book. Saturday, June 23, 2001 at 7:00 p.m. Firehouse. Everyone is invited to attend and learn about mountain history of the area. Bring a dessert to share!

THE COMMITTEE FOR BUILDING A FIREWISE COMMUNITY

by Chief John Raods

The FIREWISE Community effort is underway. In the last month, a community committee was established to further the goals of the national FIREWISE Community effort on Mt. Lemmon. The committee consists of local community representatives and meets to further the FIREWISE education on the Mt. Lemmon. The committee is currently made up of representatives of the Fire District, the business community and interested homeowners. Efforts are underway to recruit

and include representation from every Mt. Lemmon organization. The committee has several goals ranging from short-term immediate educational goals, medium range educational goals and long range planning.

The first and most immediate goal was to develop a one-weekend do-it-yourself fire hazard reduction flier (included in this issue of the newsletter). The next range projects include furthering the efforts of the "Matter of Time" Video (available for free check-out at the General Store) and developing a shorter, CD version of the video; assisting the Fire District in the implementation of the awarded grants programs (see below); developing further hazard reduction test properties; developing a Mt. Lemmon FIREWISE web site (www.mtlemonfire.org); and developing further educational materials based on local conditions, including a basic fire safety brochure that will address fire extinguishers, smoke detectors, proper ash disposal, village evacuation tips and more. This committee is a community-based committee designed to benefit the entire Mt. Lemmon community. This committee is not limited to any specific mountain homeowner or business area

(private and leased properties are included). Your input is requested and encouraged. We especially want at least one representative from each Mt. Lemmon organization to insure that adequate communications is maintained for all members of the community. To learn more, or to join in on the committee activity, contact either the Committee Chair Person - Judy Epstein (760-2802) or the Mt. Lemmon Fire Chief - John Roads (576-1201).

FIRE GRANT AWARDS

Three fire grants have been awarded to the Mt. Lemmon area to aid in fire hazard reduction efforts. One grant was awarded to the Loma-Sabino Homeowners Association and the other two were awarded to the Mt. Lemmon Fire District. The LSHO grant was awarded for thinning projects. One Fire District grant was awarded to do a combination of a detailed hazard analysis of both natural and manmade fuel loading, and development of educational materials including a comprehensive homeowners guidebook that will be designed to educate all homeowners and residents of the Mt. Lemmon fire conditions. The second Fire District grant was also awarded for thinning projects in the Summerhaven area. All grants are awarded through the Arizona State Land Department and will be enacted in conjunction with each other. More information

will be forthcoming as the grant programs are initiated.

SUMMERTIME TIP

The mountaintop is quite busy with visitors and friends. We must be alert for any accidental fire starts including improper disposal of charcoal and fire place ashes as well as discarded smoking materials. The humidity is very low indicating that severe fire behavior is possible. Remember that Fireworks are illegal and extremely dangerous to our forests. Lets keep it safe and green.

FIREWISE FLIER is attached to front cover on back of Parade form.

A group viewing of *A Matter of Time* is also scheduled immediately following the June 30th Water Board meeting at the Fire Station.

BUILDING A FIREWISE COMMUNITY

By Committee Chairperson,
Judy Epstein

There is a book written about Mt. Lemmon called *Paradise Found*. For me, it is just that. I love being up at our cabin! I imagine it is the same for many of you as well -- that is why I am taking an active role in protecting my emotional and financial investment in our mountain community, and ask you to consider doing the same. Last summer I watched a fire educational video, *A Matter of Time*. Truthfully, the beginning

was very slow, yet fortunately I stayed with it and heard its powerful awakening message. It clearly depicted the risk our community faces. So early on this season, I chose to do what I could to help our community have a fighting chance against some of the odds it faces. I learned that my concerns and desire to make a difference are not unique. In the quake of the devastating fires around the country, the federal government has allocated grant monies for Wildland-Urban Interface areas -- areas where homes and communities are nestled next to or within forested areas, obviously our situation here on Mt. Lemmon.

The term "Firewise Community" describes a community that takes the necessary steps to protect against and reduce losses caused by Wildland fires. To this aim, a growing number of concerned residents people have formed the Committee for Building a Firewise Community, and I have been designated Chairperson. Those involved to date include: Fire Chief John

Roads, Bob Zimmerman, DeAnna Barnella, Kelly Shanahan, Steve Hensel, Karen Brewer, Larry Waldron, Ross Quigley, Kathy Shields and a special guest, Ed Brunson from the Nature Conservancy.

A FireWISE (Will It Survive Embers?) Flyer was created, a copy of which is contained within this issue and other copies will also be available at local business locations. This checklist identifies projects that better safeguard you and your family, your property, and our Mt. Lemmon community. A shorter version of the video, *A Matter of Time*, was edited to highlight key points pertinent to us. This version has been

previewed by several people who said they found it informative, extremely helpful, and motivating. Afterwards they were especially eager to go through the FireWise Flyer checklist and see what improvements they could make! This edited version will be viewable on a CD-ROM soon. Copies will be available to checkout for your free individual viewing at the Mt. Lemmon General Store. A group viewing is also scheduled immediately following the June 30th Water Board meeting at the Fire Station. Hopefully soon, we will also have it back in the VHS format for individual viewing as well.

I spoke with Robert Hooker, someone very involved in making the video originally. He will look over my editing and, if approved with Ron Moody, will make the same edited copy from the master digital copy for free, and provide us with a video tape and CD ROM copy that we can make copies from..

Other non-grant-funded projects include:

The formation of a list of people who would be interested in having their property assessed for a nominal fee, learning how to make their lot healthier and preserve their healthy trees. To add your name to this voluntary list, please call or e-mail Judy Epstein at 760-2802 or nRichLife@aol.com.

1. Community Participation
2. Educational Outreach

If you would like to help in Building a Firewise Community, please contact Judy Epstein, 760-2820 or nRichLife@aol.com. Your involvement is encouraged and welcomed! This is our community and we are addressing our needs in Building a Firewise Community.

BUNKO June30th

6:00 pm Alpine Lodge patio
BBQ Chicken or Beef ribs \$12.15
includes tax and gratuity.

Please RSVP Linda Mulay by
Sunday June 24th

Bring sweater or jacket as we are outside
I scheduled this event on the same
day as the Annual Water Co op
meeting hoping that a lot of you
would want to go out to dinner and
visit with your Mt. Lemmon friends
that evening.

RSVP Linda Mulay 327-4615 or 576
1417 by June 24th and let me know
if you want Chicken or Ribs, so I can
let Don know what to order.

Fire District Update

by DeAnna Barnella

Mt. Lemmon Fire District has had a lot of activity at the station in the past couple of months. We are happy to announce the promotion of Joe Gunia to the position of "Full-Time" FireFighter. We have also brought in new Trainees/Reserves into the department. Again, thanks go out to our Resident Volunteers that have been recruited.

We can always use the support and experience we have within the community.

Donations! Donations! Donations! The FireFighters can't thank you enough: Chestnut Construction, Thomas and Wendy Chestnut, Phil Kislak, Cabins & Cookies, Vic Zimmerman, Mrs. Dorothy Crawford, Mrs. Carrie Reitz, Chet Goldberg, Bonnie Bell, Joan Klinger and our "Anonymous" Family. Special thanks go out to Samantha Ingalls. One of our reserves who donated her time and knowledge to install 3 new phones for the station.

Thank you! Thank you!
Thank you!

The SLASH DUMPSTER is back!! After several attempts, we finally got delivery on Saturday, June 2nd. Please, come on by and dump your slash. It is as last season, placed behind Fire Station #2.

BlueGrass Thank You

By Bonnie Lohman

HOME PAGE

*Fertile Pickens

*<http://home.att.net/~fertilpickens/fertilepickens.htm>

TUCSON BLUEGRASS FESTIVAL

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DESERT BLUEGRASS ASSOCIATION

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A great big thank you to all the participants of the Bluegrass Week End, June 9. Raw Deal Bluegrass Band from Sierra Vista made an appearance at the Alpine Inn and members of the Desert Bluegrass Band played at Ski Valley. Musicians from the Raw Deal Bluegrass included Lance Gray, Marlene Bassett and Jon Messinger. It was Raw Deal "Lite" as the banjo picker got ill the night before and couldn't make it. Cabell Breckenridge filled in and me, Bonnie Lohman! At Ski Valley, we had Bill & Lynn Breen, Ray Peterson, Erv Wright, all from Tucson and Doug Wallis, from Tempe. Mike Masters, Jr helped out with the jam in the evening at the Alpine. Marlene Bassett, Lance Gray, Jon Messinger, Doug Wallis, Bill & Lynn Breen, Ray Peterson, Erv Wright, Cabell Breckenridge & Bonnie Lohman. And thanks to the groupies Bev Wright, Marilyn Wallis, Susan Tanner &

Jim Lohman for helping things to run smoothly.

Also, thank you to Dani Hayhurst, to Don Underhill of the Alpine Lodge and to Ski Valley for food and lodging for the musicians. Special thanks for all the help from the MLCECs,



MT. LEMMON WOMAN'S NEWS

by President Luann Waldron

Our Woman's Club Membership Tea was held June 9th at B. J. Singh's cabin. We had 35 members and 10 guests in attendance. A "Blue Grass Band", featuring Bonnie Lohman (a club member), provided lively entertainment. The hour of fun-filled music even encouraged some impromptu dancing. Thanks again to B. J. for allowing us the use of her cabin in such a wonderful setting. (See photo above by L. Waldron.)

Please remember and help participate in our club's July 4th parade entry. (See front cover)

Our next meeting is July 7th at Judy Epsteins cabin at 12:30 PM. Later that evening we will be having a "potluck" at Inspiration Rock at 5:30 PM.

"FROG MOUNTAIN" "TEE SHIRTS" are available to members for \$8.00 (non-members \$10.00). Please call Fran Zimmerman or Luann Waldron for information.

Our August meeting will be held at Rachel Crawford's cabin on August

4th. We plan on having a speaker from either the Arizona Game & Fish or US Forest Service.

Lastly, by popular demand our hikes have

been returned to Sunday mornings. We will meet at the post office at 8:30 AM. The first hikes will be moderately difficult. Later hikes may be longer and more difficult. Please remember to wear hiking shoes and bring water.

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restricted to only those gifted persons who could simultaneously make a whirring noise while flapping their arms while walking in circles. (there are photos available taken by a Carter Canyon resident) Membership fees to be determined.

The group immediately launched headlong into several community projects. The first is to dam Carter Canyon - and please note that is not damn Carter Canyon. The many virtues of such a project were extolled - water front property for those who reside in Carter, water skiing, fishing and, most important, a landing lake for the MLSAPS. Yachting and, of course, submarines would be introduced when the lake reaches a sufficient level. The subversive element who voted to re-introduce alligators were driven from the club. Hopefully, they will disband, however their assertions that alligators were an indigenous species to Carter Canyon during the late Triassic Era were not refuted. Their demands that all activities must cease during the mating season were met with vigorous opposition. They are taking their case to Fish and Wildlife.

The second project that received enthusiastic support was a fund raiser to send Patty Thomas to a Evelyn Woods speed speaking course and interpreter school for her friends.

Septic Systems

Update by Bob Zimmerman

After writing to all political persons in the state regarding the

dire consequences of the Septic System Rules that was passed by our Governor, I was asked to serve on committee formed by Pima County Department of Environmental Quality. One of the purposes is to determine the affect of the new rules on Mt. Lemmon. In my letter, I claimed that the new septic rules would shut down Mt. Lemmon.

The original draft of the proposed rules included changes to the installation of septic systems (making old rules tougher) and introduced a new concept which involves control of nitrogen in the effluent. Nitrogen control will require filters and/or other techniques to reduce nitrogen in the effluent and the process will be expensive and ongoing. The nitrogen control concept was stripped from the rules adopted in January, 2000.

However, at the last meeting we learned from the state that the nitrogen rules are coming back and are expected to be adopted around January, 2001.

I still feel that the combined affect of the adopted rules and new nitrogen rules will 1.) eliminate many lots on Mt. Lemmon from qualifying for septic systems and 2.) prove to be too expensive for those that can squeak by the new rules.

The county has agreed to conduct several test installations on Mt. Lemmon which are in the process of being arranged. In my opinion, if you own a lot, I would attempt to get a septic system installed before January.

At the last meeting I asked the question what is to happen if a good portion of the remaining lots cannot accept septic system or it is too expensive under the new rules. I suggest that this would constitute a "taking" in which the responsible agency would be called upon to

A Thank You

from Dorothy Crawford

Just want to thank all the Mt. Lemmon residents who helped us since my husband's big stroke almost a year ago. We have so many of the Locals to thank for keeping the cabins full, plowing snow, giving medical care for my husband, helping in cabin emergencies, and just being there for us.

You're great mountain people and we appreciate your kindness. Thank you and God bless you all.

The Village View

by Trudley (a.k.a. Bob Zimmerman)

The newly formed Mt. Lemmon Special Air Patrol Squadron (MLSAPS) had a first meeting with some members wearing their "Wings" rakishly embroidered on their coats. After a careful review of stringent membership requirements (one member opined that the common riffraff must keep out), the group decided that membership would be exclusively

reimburse the owner at fair market value before the rules went into effect. This would require a successful class action lawsuit.

I asked that they be prepared to offer alternatives to the many tax payers who own lots on Mt. Lemmon on which ever increasing real property taxes have been paid for the past 60 years.

**Judging for Light
Festival will be
June 30th - the
Sat just before the
4th of July - to
win one of 3 globe
shaped musical
trophies, be sure
to have your lights
on that night!!!**

ACROBATS IN THE FOREST

by Barbara Welsh

As I sat on my deck last weekend, pretending to read, I thought how lucky we are to have such a beautiful forest to share with the animals and birds that live here. The broadtail hummingbirds were buzzing around the feeders and flashing their red throats and diving with a whirring of their wings. Before the next ECHO'S is out the Rufous will be back for their short stay on their way to points South. There have only been a few Blackheaded

Grossbeaks and Pine siskins around so far. Someone told me they had found several Junco nests under their decks.

What I was most intrigued with were the antics of several squirrels that were visiting my feeders. One would run across the railing and grab a sunflower seed and scurry back up the tree to eat. As they got used to me they became bolder, and would sit on the feeder while they ate. One had a beautiful tail and had lost all the ear tufts, but there was one that was so skinny and had a very thin tail and still had the ear tassels. He would run up on the roof and peer down over the edge to make sure nothing was a danger to him then dash to the feeder to eat.

These are the Abert squirrels and are considered the most beautiful of all squirrels. They are also known as Tassel-eared squirrels. They are very specialized as they only build their nests in the Ponderosa pines that are their main food supply. You remember they eat the pine cones just like an ear of corn. There have been several studies of them done in Colorado. They have found the nests are built of twigs and are near the trunk on the southeast side of the tree. I wonder if this direction holds true in Arizona. The nests are in the upper one-third of the canopy. They breed from February to June and have two or three babies depending on the availability of food at the time of breeding. This means the survival is dependent on the food supply after the babies leave the nest and may not be the same as during the period when they were breeding.

Have you ever seen the squirrels hanging by their back legs and drinking from the hummingbird feeder? The way they jump from

tree to tree through the canopy is amazing. They truly are little acrobats.

Just a reminder, humans and cabins and the village are not the only ones to suffer if ever we had a fire in the forest.

Renaissance Day Events - Revisited

by Dani Hayhurst

Awards of specially made medallions were given by the MLCECs and presented by the King to the SCA fighters, the lovely Queen Lemmonade (Maria), and to the King of Lemmon Heart, Shane Johnson, owner of Crystal Auto Glass. Shane and his fair Queen, Maria, were willing to step in at the last minute to help out when Jonas Hunter of KLPX got a call to L.A.. The wise and honorable "King Shane of Lemmon Heart" and his lovely "Queen Maria of Lemmonade" rewarded many a traveler and tourist during the afternoon for "TALES OF GOOD DEEDS" with royal jewels. They thanked some of the kings smaller members of the court for their help with the sharing of good deeds.

The evil "warrior of darkness" Duke Bigalow and his ruthless henchmen kidnapped the enchanting Queen and a deadly armored combat of blade and sword between the Kings Crusaders and the sinister Duke Bigalow and his evil warriors for the Queen and the Kingdom. ensued. Luckily, the good guys won! There was many a large drumstick eaten that day, although I'm not sure how many tried the "beans of old".

Channel 13 KOLD taped some of the festivities and aired it on the 5:30 news that same day.

Some of the participants qualified as the kings crusaders and received the medallion including Don Underhill,

Judy (Cubby) Epstein, Ross Quigley, Mike Stanley, the Roll family, the Platt family, the Thomas family, and the Greth family also received the special Crusader medallions. The mold was broken after these were created exclusively by Tucson Trophy.

Debbie Fagan, of the Living Rainbow, had wonderful gifts for best costumes from 2 categories - 6 gifts were awarded for best dressed children, and 6 for best dressed adults. Thank You Debbie Fagan! And, special thanks to all the young members of the King's court who helped make the day special for all young people. One of the special medallions will be sent to a "Very Special Friend" of the mountain, who has been under the weather.

Country Square Dance Planned on July the 28th

Kick up your heels - the date for the Square Dance is set for July 28th at 7PM at the Fire Station. Fred Field will be the caller again this year, and the live music will be Bonnie Lohman at the bass violin, Rachel Crawford on the fiddle, Leber Schlesinger guitar and Ray Blumenstetter for second fiddle.

This is all brought to you compliments of Dorothy Crawford - who loves the square dances. The MLCECs will help with the decorations. Bring cookies to share if you'd like. The

Fire Department Morale fund will be helped with the sale of sodas.

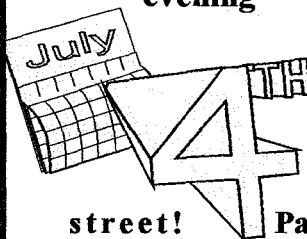
More Hiking!

Barbara Welsh sent a copy of the hikes scheduled for the Mt Lemmon Volunteer Interpreters. All hikes are on Fridays and start at 9 AM. Plan to bring plenty of water and your lunch. No pets and no smoking. The shortest walk is approximately 3.5 miles, the longest is about 6.6 miles and hikes may be changed or cancelled due to rain. For more information, phone 749-8700.

Upcoming Events :

June 26-27 All Gates Closed in Loma Sabino Assoc. (see next articles)

June 30th Water Coop annual Meeting Bunko Game @ Alpine later that evening



Parade at high noon down the main street! Parade entry forms on cover page.

KIDS CLUB EVERY SATURDAY 10 AM - 12 noon THROUGH JULY
phone Olga Pace 577-1993/ 576-1420 or Luann Waldron 743-3034

July 7th Arts & Psychic Fair

There will be lots of artists and psychics. For more information, contact Karen Shunk, 576-1664.

July 14th ZIDACO Music Fest contact Don Underhill for more information

July 28th Square Dance at the Fire Station @ 7PM -

And, we will be changing the date of the Hot Cars Hot Chili Cook-off to Sunday, October 7th - more of our Chili contestants could show on Sunday

Happy Birthday to
Beth Platt (July 7th), Amber Greth & Adam Roads (June 18th), Jim Lohman, Larry Waldron (June 25th), Red Greth (July 3rd) Sonni Wendt (July 18th), Bill Brown (July 25th), Kenton Greth (July 28th), Fred Pace (August 5th) Joann Eader (August 13th)!

Loma Sabino Homeowners Association

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To: All Association Member, Associate Members, Mount Lemmon Fire Department, Pima County Sheriff Department, Mt. Lemmon Realty, Summit Realty, Mt. Lemmon Water Co-Op, Trico Electric, US West Communications, and Mt. Lemmon Post Office

From: Lyrn Man's, Stratford Management

Re: Loma Sabino Pines Gate Closure

To Whom It May Concern:
The Loma Sabino Homeowners Association will be closing and locking all of the gates to our roads for a 24-hour period beginning at 10:00 a.m. on June 26, 2001, and concluding at 10:00 a.m. on June 27, 2001.

Should you need to enter the

community, please come prepared to show identification to the sheriff's deputies at the gates. If you are renting your cabin or someone has your authority to use your cabin, the Association and Stratford Management must be informed, in writins, of the people authorized to use your cabins~ prior to the gate closure.

If you need to gain access to the community, there will be two deputy sheriffs located at the Loma Linda turnoff who will allow authorized persons to enter the community. All other gates will be locked and not attended for the 24-hour closure period. Provisions will also be made for access by emergency vehicles.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation with this procedure. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call me at 795-6500. Thank you.

LOMA SABINO GATE CLOSURES ANNOUNCED

At the Loma Sabino Homeowners Association Annual Meeting held October 1, 2000, the membership voted to authorize the Board of Directors to implement the following regarding the subdivision's gates. For a 21 hour period beginning June 26, 2001 at 10:00 A.M., until June 27, 2001, at 10:00 A.M.

ALL gates into the Loma Sabino subdivision will be closed and locked. The only access to the area will be

available at the main entrance of Loma Sabino at the Catalina Highway and Loma Linda Picnic area where a Pima County sheriff's deputy will be available for assistance.

Please be aware that the following gates will REMAIN CLOSED as of June 27, 2001, at 10:00 A.M on a continuous basis:

GATE AT ENTRANCE OF LOMA SABINO AT LOMA LINDA EXTENTION RD.

GATE AT ENTRANCE OF LOMA SABINO AT AJO AVENUE

GATE AT ENTRANCE OF LOMA SABINO AT TUCSON AVE.

The Tucson Avenue gate will be closed on a continuous basis with the proviso that it be opened for snowplowing for reasonable access to the Retreat Subdivision area.

If you have questions, please contact Stratford Management, Lyrm Marrs, at 795-6500.

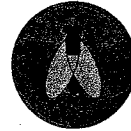
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From the Desk of the President

by Ross Quigley

It has been quite a number of years since I was on the Board, and am happy to be back! Your Board has done an excellent job for you in the past and I hope we can repeat this in the years to come.

The first task we have been given is to try to work with G.S.. McCrossan to minimize the impact of their construction on this community and the general public. As of this printing, I have had many meetings with McCrosan, Kaneen Advertising and the Federal Highway Department (John Carver). All would like us to believe that the other is responsible for our construction delays and commuting problems, but I believe this is a joint problem. We have been left out of the loop until now. Through these meetings I have obtained an agreement which will allow our community to count on a "set" schedule and let our businesses return to a seven day work week..

I can't guarantee that McCrossan will honor this schedule or that the Feds will not throw more "roadblocks" into the work schedule, but both have assured me they are committed to abide by it. See below

On another note, I would like to inform you that your Board has expanded to 15. After our last general membership meeting on April 17th, the results of the election were tallied, however, it was decided at the May Board meeting that all nominees would become Board members. Our Articles allow for up to 15 Board members and we certainly do not want to discourage anyone from participating in a positive manner on behalf of our community. Please welcome Chet Goldberg and Tom Thomas to the Board and note that Pete Krauss has agreed to return. Our past president, Larry Waldron, has decided to resign so he can pursue an active part in the Loma Sabino Pines Homeowners Association. He is also working very hard on creating a "Firewise Community" here on Mt Lemmon.

I would like to thank him for all his hard work in the past and wish him the best of luck with his future projects.

As this year progresses, I'm sure many of you will have concerns you wish this board to address. Please bring them to my attention and I will do my best to resolve any problems.

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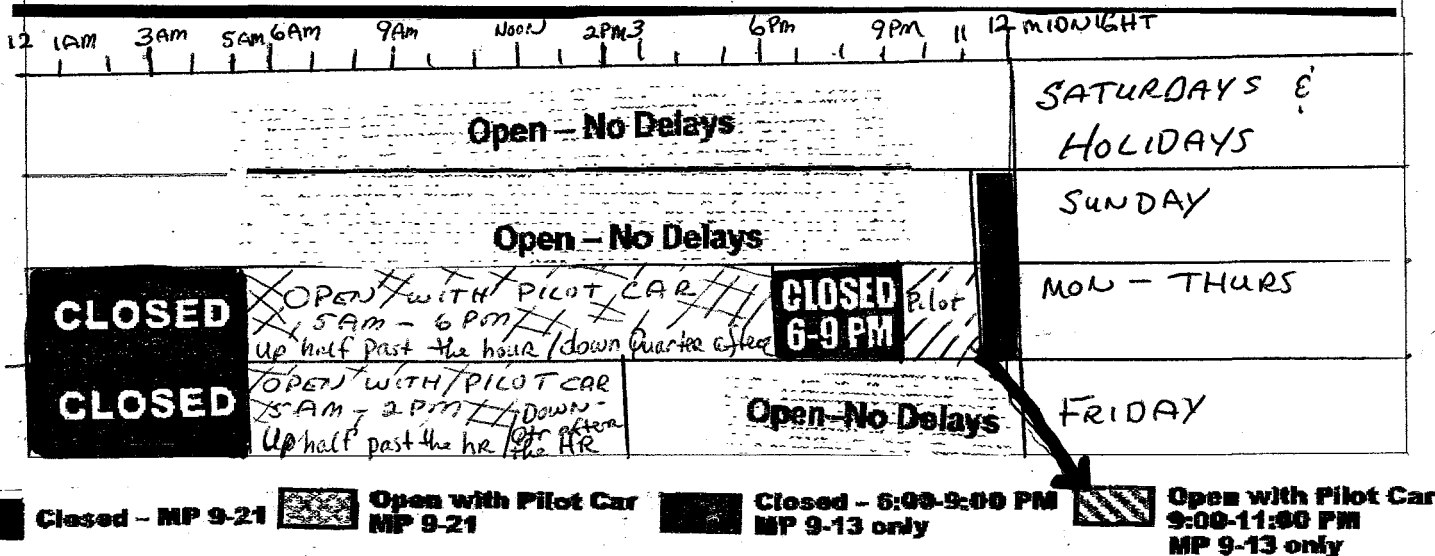
The Mt. Lemmon Homeowners' Association (MLHO) was formed in 1969 to protect the welfare of the Mt. Lemmon community and to be involved in all aspects of its improvement. The concerns of the organization are not limited to private property owners. Full membership, with voting rights, is accorded to private owners and leased land holders upon payment of yearly dues.

The most visible product of the MLHO is the ECHOES; a newsletter published eight times a year consisting of approximately seven pages.

The Annual Dinner and Meeting is held each year on the first Tuesday after taxes.

Dues are \$25 per year. Renters and friends of the mountain may obtain membership for \$20 a year. Membership fees are prorated quarterly. Checks payable to Mt. Lemmon Homeowner's Assoc., PO Box 699, Mt. Lemmon, AZ 85619-

Current board members are Ross Quigley, president, Dani Hayhurst, vice president & editor of Echoes, Kathy Shields, secretary, Carrie Reitz, treasurer, Florence Wilhoite, Red Greth, Fran Crowe, Fran Zimmerman, Chuck Autrey, Olga Pace, Pete Krauss, Tom Thomas, Chet Goldberg, John Mulay, and Red Greth.



Building A ***FIREWISE*** Community On Mt. Lemmon

Are You Fire***WISE***... Will It Survive ***E***mbers?

YOU CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE IN ONE WEEKEND...

Your Cabin

Does your chimney have a Spark Arrester?	Yes	<i>No</i>
Have you made sure that no portion of any tree is within 10 feet of the flue opening of any stove or chimney?	Yes	<i>No</i>
Are your roof surfaces and gutters clear of pine needles and flammable debris?	Yes	<i>No</i>
Are your undereaves and attic vents fully enclosed or protected with wire mesh?	Yes	<i>No</i>
Are tree branches removed to a height of 15 feet within 30 feet of your deck and cabin?	Yes	<i>No</i>
Are your pine needles removed to a distance of 30 feet from your cabin?	Yes	<i>No</i>
Are all power lines free and clear of any tree limbs?	Yes	<i>No</i>
Are all combustibles such as firewood, picnic tables, etc. stored 30 feet away from your structure?	Yes	<i>No</i>
Is your LPG tank clear of flammable materials and vegetation?	Yes	<i>No</i>

Your Family


Is your road name and house number clearly visible from the road?	Yes	<i>No</i>
Is there a smoke detector installed at each sleeping area in your cabin?	Yes	<i>No</i>
Do you check and/or replace the batteries in your smoke detectors 2 times per year?	Yes	<i>No</i>
Do you have a fire extinguisher in your home and know how to use it?	Yes	<i>No</i>
Do you have 2 safety exits from your cabin?	Yes	<i>No</i>
Do you have an escape route and meeting place for your family?	Yes	<i>No</i>

Brought to you by the Committee for Building A FireWise Community

Call the **Mt. Lemmon Fire District** at **576-1201** for any questions and/or concerns



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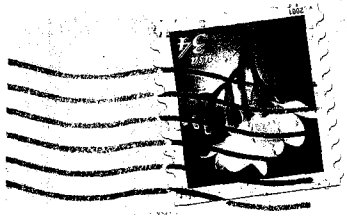


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