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IMPORTANT DATES DURING

<u>JULY</u>

7/4/15 - COMMUNITY CENTER CLOSES AT NOON

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7/8/15 - BOARD MEETING

7/11/15 - 5:00-7:30 Concert AND BBQ

\*\* Please Remember that there are no "summer hours" for 2015. Community Center closes at 8pm, pools close at 7:30pm.\*\*

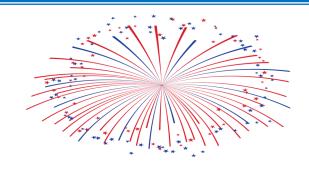
\* HAPPY BIRTHDAY AMERICA





It's Weed Season Please Remember That Homes Which Back Up To Alleys Are responsible For the Weeds Between The Wall And The Alley Too!!

Reminder The Community Center Will be closing at NOON ON JULY 4TH



Prescott Valley 4th Of July

LOCATED AT

MOUNTAIN VALLEY PARK

SATURDAY JULY 4 FROM 1:30-8:30









## at the Community Center

Live music by local band <u>Joyride</u> (featuring StoneRidge resident Mike Jimenez)!

Bring your lawn chair (and feel free to BYOB!)

## <u>Saturday, July 11th ,</u> <u>5:00pm-7:30pm</u>

Saturday, August 8th

Saturday September 5th

\* There is no charge for this event, but space is limited! Please come to the Community Center to sign up by July 8th and get your ticket for complimentary BBQ!

Community Activities



Bee Safety Tips

This time of year generates numerous 911 calls for bees. Please see the following safety tips regarding bee hives or swarms.

-If you see bees don't go near them.

Do not disrupt a bee hive or swarm.

-If you are allergic to bees, carry the proper medication.

If you encounter a swarm, cover your face, run away and take shelter.

-If you get stung by a honeybee, immediately remove the stinger by scraping the area with a fingernail, credit card or other sharp-edged tool (the honeybee's stinger has little hooks on it to keep it in your skin!). Avoid using tweezers, since squeezing the stinger can actually pump more irritating venom (poison from the attached venom sac at the end of the stinger) into the skin. Get the stinger out as quickly as possible to lessen the amount of venom that gets into the skin and to lessen the reaction, which usually includes swelling, redness, pain and itch. Apply ice to reduce the swelling and apply a topical anesthetic, such as Lanacane® Anti-Itch Creme, to quickly reduce the pain and itch. The swelling will go away if the area is left alone- so don't scratch it!

-If bees are aggressive or pose a threat to people or pets call a local bee keeper or 911.



Fourth of July Trivia

- 1.What city hosts the nation's largest 4th of July fireworks display?
- 2.When did the Nathan's 4th of July Hot Dog Contest Begin?
- 3.Who is Kilroy?
- 4.How many people signed the Declaration of Independence?
- **5.Who approved the Declaration of Independence**
- 6.In what city was the Declaration of Independence signed?
- 7.When did the Liberty Bell crack?
- 8.When did the 4th of July become a national holiday?
- 9.Three presidents died on July 4th. Can you name them?
- 10.What is the meaning behind the red, white and blue colors of the American flag?



- 1. New York City
- 2. It started after a disagreement among a group of immigrants over who was the most patriotic
- 3. Kilroy is an American popular culture expression that was popular during WW2
- 4.56 people signed the Declaration of Independence.
- 5. The Second Continental Congress approved the Declaration of Independence.
- 6. The Declaration of Independence was signed in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.
- 7. The first Liberty Bell cracked when it was being tested. It and the second bell were re-melted and forged again. The third Liberty Bell cracked in 1835
- 8.1938
- 9. John Adams, Thomas Jefferson, and James Monroe all died on July 4th
- **10.Red stands for hardiness and valor. White symbolizes purity** and innocence. Blue represents vigilance, perseverance and justice.



New To the Library....

Walking with the giants
Into thin air
Brides
Deception point
Final justice
The lost island
Ttherapy
Jack & Jill
The amber room
Until the end of time
Going home
Last of the breed

Elmer Towns Jon Krakauer Nora Roberts Dan Brown W.E.B Griffin Preston & Child Jonathan Kellerman James Paterson Steve Berry Danielle Steel Danielle Steel Louis Lamour

Our movie collection is getting stale. Do you have DVD's that you would like to donate? Please drop them off at the Community Center



Community Activities

Ladies' Tea is the 2nd Friday of each month at the Community Center. Please bring finger foods or desserts to share - it will be appreciated. Bring your favorite tea cup! No need to RSVP, just come. Any questions, please call Dorothy at 928-925-7628.

Ladies' Cards - Texas Hold'em meets every Tuesday at 1:00 pm. Come to the Community Center and join the fun!

*The Ladies' Luncheon* is the 3rd Wednesday of each month. For more information, contact Kate Rozeboom at 949-295-2427

The crafters meet on the 1st, 3rd & 5th Fridays of each month at 10am. Ladies' Bunco is a game of dice, luck, and prizes and is played once a month at the Community Center. Newcomers are welcome and no experience is needed! You must pre-register to play. Call Cheryl Cameron at 928-379-5624.

**Genealogy** on hold for the summer and will resume September 14th

**Yoga** is held every Monday, Thursday and Friday from 9:00am - 10:00am at the Community Center. The first class is free, then \$5 drop-in and \$4 per class for a prepaid 10 class pass. For more information, please contact Sue at 928-499-8209

**Tapestry** is the 4th Wednesday of the month.

**Pickleball** is played on our multi-sports court. If you would like to get acquainted with the game, sign the interest sheet at the front desk of the Community Center.

Water Aerobics Class every Tuesday and Thursday from 9:00am -10:00am. If you are not participating in the aerobics class, the pool and spa will be closed during these hours.

Game Night is held every Tuesday evening from 4:00 -7:30 pm at the Community Center. Please come join us for an evening of games. Bring your favorite game, the more the merrier! Any questions, please call the Community Center 775-7550.

## **July 2015**

Monday	Tuesday	Weds	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2	3	4
			9am-Water Aero 9am-Yoga 12pm-Mahjong	9am-Yoga 10am-Crafters	8am-Cardio Kick- boxing <b>Canceled</b> Community center open 6am-noon
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Important Phone Numbers:				
StoneRidge Community Center:	775-7550			
Hoamco:	776-4479			
StoneRidge Grille:	775-9140			
StoneRidge Pro Shop:	772-6500			
Town of Prescott Valley:	759-3100			
Animal Control:	772-9261			







#### Ingredients:

- 1 roll sugar cookie dough, frozen
- 4 oz light cream cheese
- 1/2 tub of frozen whipped topping (like coolwhip), thawed
- Assorted fruit: Strawberries, blueberries, raspberries and blackberries are what are used here, but you can also add kiwi, mango, peach, pineapple, or anything else you can think of!

#### Directions:

Cut frozen roll of cookie dough into quarter inch rounds and create the cookie cake by starting with one cookie in the center and overlap each cookie slightly, creating a spiral. This part doesn't have to be perfect, it will spread out and create a nice even cookie. Bake in the oven for about 18 minutes, or until cookie is lightly browned but not too well done (we like a nice soft, almost underdone center).

While cookie cools, make the topping. Soften the cream-cheese by microwaving for 10-15 seconds. Stir the cream -cheese and then add the cool whip and stir until combined. Top the cooled cookie with the topping. Decorate cookie with fruit and chill until you're ready to serve and enjoy.



Lawn and Garden

## Life (Lawn & Garden) Style

By Alexandria Masters A garden is the best alternative therapy ~ Germaine Greer

Well, it turns out that Prince Charles was right; talking to our plants is scientifically good for them! An American naturalist named Luther Burbank claimed that plants tended with love grow faster and more luxuriantly than others. Plants are unselfish. If we treat them right, feed, and water them, they provide us with many months, sometimes years, of pleasure. We should treat our plants as honored guests because of the sunshine they bring into our homes and our lives.

Summer is such a great time to be one with nature. I am finding myself spending so much more time outside lately. What do you love about your landscape? And what to you wish you could change? Make a list, and then get to work. Make sure to take the time to walk through your yards and make sure they are living up to your expectations. It takes dedication to finish projects in your landscape, but when you can sit back with your glass of icy cold lemonade, and admire the beauty of what your two hands have created, it will be so worth the effort.

#### Seasonal Suggestions for the month of July

Home: Watering your plants first thing in the morning will actually promote growth. Plants start to metabolize with the sunrise, therefore they best utilize their water intake at this time of day. Houseplants are no exception. Plants ought to be watered before 11am. Plants that are watered at night are more susceptible to fungus and diseases. I guess the doctors are right when they say that breakfast is the most important meal of the day, that includes your beloved plants.

✤ Lawn: Your lawn will be able to better fight the effects of heat and drought if you cut it no lower than 3" during the hot months. Be sure to water deeply and as infrequently as you can. Put down a minimum of 1" per week. It might take 3 waterings per week, or you might get it down to one. Grass type, soil type, and the lay of your lawn all take part in how you need to water.

Garden: Container-grown plants, especially those in a sunny location, have a limited area from which to absorb water. These may require watering several times a week, or even daily in some cases. Check your plants often to avoid water stress. Also keep an eye on any hanging baskets. The wind will dry them out faster.

And... If you are lacking in yard space for landscaping, have you considered using dwarf plants? These plants have slower growth and they stay small, so there will be little pruning maintenance. There are several evergreens, flowering trees, and shrubs to choose from.

WHAT DO YOU WANT TO ACCOMPLISH IN 2015??? EACH MONTH WE'LL GIVE YOU TIPS, TRICKS, AND TRENDS TO MAKE YOUR DREAMS A REALITY RIGHT HERE IN YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD NEWSLETTER!

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All Around the Ridge



## SCHOOL SUPPLY DRIVE 2015-2016





Many of the children that come to the food bank for food are also in need of school supplies. If you would like to help children with these needed school supplies, you can drop them off through the end of August.

## **Supply List**

### \*\* Most Needed

- Sturdy Pocket Folders
- Single Subject Notebooks
- 3 or 5 Subject Notebooks (w/ Pocket Dividers)
- Wide/College Ruled Paper \*\*
- Graph Paper
- 1.5" and 3" Binders \*\*
- Divider Tabs (8 set) \*\*
- Divider Tabs (5 set) \*\*
- # 2 Pencils (10-12 ct) \*\*
- Pink Erasers (Large) \*\*
- Pencil Sharpener w/ Lid
- Pencil Box (Plastic)/Pouch
- Red/Blue/Black Ink Pens

- 24 ct. Crayons
- Colored Pencils \*\*
- 8 ct. Washable Markers
- Highlighters
- Glue Sticks \*\*
- (Disappearing Purple)
- Bottle White Glue
- Scissors
- (blunt tip/plastic handles)
- Flexible Ruler
- 3x5 & 4x6 Index Cards
- 4 GB Flash Drive
- Backpack (no wheels) \*\*

School supplies may be dropped off at:

StoneRidge Community Center – 1300 StoneRidge Dr., Prescott Valley, AZ Yavapai County Food Bank – 8866 E. Long Mesa Drive, Prescott Valley, AZ

Thank you in advance for your generous donation!

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## July, 2015 Beautiful Homes & Custom Lots For Sale and For Lease!



Amazing StoneRidge Everything is Gorgeous Remodeled "Primrose" Plan! New Carpet, New Tile, New Hardwood Floors, New 4" Baseboards, New 2 Tone Interior Paint, New Exterior Paint & New Granite Counters. 7273 E Woolsey Ranch, PV \$ 349,900.



Move In Ready Spanish StoneRidge "Acacia" Plan! Nice Corner Lot w/Mountain Views & Designer Upgrades! Great Room w/Tiled Corner Fireplace w/Art/TV Niche and Media Niche. Don't Miss This One! 7754 E Bravo Ln., PV \$ 329,500.



StoneRidge English "Monterra" Plan with Beautiful Park View just outside Front Door. 1536 SqFt, 3BD/2BA/2GAR, Open Kitchen w/Maple Cabinetry, Island, Laminate Counters, Closet Pantry and Wood Laminate Flooring. 7912 E Crimsonfire, PV \$ 230,000.



StoneRidge Golf Community Dream Home with Breathtaking Panoramic Views! Serene Golf Course & Mountain Views! 4BD/2.5BA/3GAR, 2741 SqFt. Spacious Gourmet Kitchen w/Quartz Counters. 6461 E Slow Cattle Dr., PV \$ 649,500.



Rare & Spacious StoneRidge "Bradshaw" Plan with Upgrades Throughout on Nice Corner Location! 2585 SqFt., 4BD/3BA/2GAR + Formal Living Rm+ Family Rm + Private Outside Entrance Bedroom Casita. 7180 E Slow Draw Dr., PV \$383,000.



Rare StoneRidge "Rosemary" Plan! 1508 SqFt, Single Level Home w/Beautiful Hand Scraped Tongue & Groove Wood Flooring Throughout! 2BD + Den + Formal Dining Rm/2BA/2GAR. Open Kitchen/GreatRoom. 7259 E Night Watch Way, PV \$ 240,000.



Happy 4th of July!!!





# Quailwood

Pretty as a Picture! Beautiful Model Home has never been Lived In & Is now Available for Quick Move In! Gorgeous Custom Upgrades Throughout w/Panoramic Views! 2363 SqFt, 3BD/2.5BA/2GAR + Spacious Loft + Entry Level Den. 766 N Villa St., Dewey \$ 325,000.



 Stoneridge Bungalow Laguna Plan w/Designer Upgrades Throughout! Beautiful

 Open Concept Granite Kitchen & Granite Island w/Jenn Aire Stainless Appliances +

 Jenn Appliances. Move In Ready!
 1017 N Cloud Cliff Pass, PV
 \$300,000.



Great Premier Prescott Lakes Golf Course Frontage Location with Fairway & Green Views! Your Custom Home in the Gated Prescott Lakes "Estates" Golf Community. Great Prescott Lakes Amenities! .70 Acre. 1461 Northridge, Prescott \$ 305,000.



Beautiful StoneRidge Custom Home Location on Custom Home only Street. (Only 5Home Sites) Raised Building Site Area with Great Views of Glassford Hill, Mountains,StoneRidge Golf Course & Valley.1860 N Fitzmaurice View Ct., PV\$ 112,500.



Big and Beautiful Prescott Valley Custom Home with Panoramic Mingus MountainViews! 3307 SqFt, 5BD/2.5BA/4Car Garage. Spacious Granite Kitchen with LargeGranite Island and Black Appliances.4884 N Reavis Drive, PV\$ 360,000.



Enjoy your Morning Cup of Coffee on the Spacious Deck of this 4BR/3BA/2GAR, 3553 SqFt. Home in Prescott's Premier Eagle Ridge Community. Entrance Leads to a Large, Open Great Room w/Cozy Tiled Fireplace. 1437 Eagle Ridge, Prescott \$425,000



Gorgeous Panoramic Golf Course, Mountain, Valley, Sunrise and Sunset Views fromthis Premium Unique Custom Lot! It's Breathtaking! From this Level HilltopLocation You Can See Four Fairways!7420 E Reinsf Court, PV\$ 275,000



Breathtaking Morning Sunrise, Panoramic Mountain Views, Great Cul-De-Sac Location. Large .53 Acre View Lot inside The Ranch, Prestigious Prescott Location near Shopping and Near Lynx Lake. 548 Lark Haven Circle, Prescott \$69,000.