

"Neighbors Serving Neighbors"

# The Trails



at Rancho Bernardo Newsletter

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## Homeowners Meeting

7:00 PM, Monthly 2nd Thursday

## ARC Committee Meeting

7:00 PM, 2nd & 4th Tuesday of the Month

## Moving Forward!

Look around and you are beginning to see promising signs of the rebuilding effort as our community moves beyond the tragedy of October 2007. The Board would like to recognize and thank all our neighbors but especially the homeowners who lost their homes.



Our CC&Rs and Bylaws give us specific guidelines on how to manage and maintain our beautiful community. However, nothing can prepare us for the enormity and scope of issues and challenges we all faced. Over the last several months, we've been able to quickly approve architectural and landscaping plans. Building a new home is a very complicated process and we do want to help by keeping our design review procedures as streamlined as possible. For those who lost their homes and are temporarily living outside the Trails, we are looking forward to the day when we can welcome you back home!



## A Thought For The Day...

"The older you get the more you realize that kindness is synonymous with happiness."

--Lionel Barrymore

## Quote of The Month...

"You cannot bring about prosperity by discouraging thrift. You cannot strengthen the weak by weakening the strong. You cannot help the wage earner by pulling down the wage payer. You cannot further the brotherhood of man by encouraging class hatred. You cannot keep out of trouble by spending more than you earn. You cannot build character and courage by taking away man's initiative and independence. You cannot help men permanently by doing what they could and should do for themselves."

-- Abraham Lincoln

## Interesting Facts

Motorists who talk on cell phones are more impaired than drunk drivers with blood-alcohol levels exceeding .08!

A baby eel is called an elver, a baby oyster is called a spat.

The creator of the NIKE Swoosh symbol was paid only \$35 for the design.

If a Lobster loses an eye, it will grow another one.

Yahoo! was originally called 'Jerry's Guide to the World Wide Web'.

Of the six men who made up the Three Stooges, three of them were real brothers (Moe, Curly, and Shemp).

## Items Of Interest

**Wildfire Recovery Project:** Is a local group sponsoring a variety of events and meetings for anyone affected by the fires. They meet at Starbucks every Tuesday morning at 9am and also have a weekly walking group. They even had a "Men's Night Out" with free pizza at Round Table Pizza on March 12. Call Erika: (858) 213-7690 or Carrie: (858) 213-5648 for more information.

**Fire-Resistant and Low Water Landscaping:** A series of workshops are planned for the next several weeks by the water agencies of North San Diego County. They will help you identify combustible plants that you may already own and how to choose fire resistant and water-efficient plants. There are 3 meetings in March and 2 in April. There will be one on April 2nd at the Poway City Hall from 6pm to 9pm. Call (858) 668-4415 for more information.

**Rebates for Washers:** If you lost your washer in the fires, the Metropolitan Water District is offering a \$175 rebate on a new one. Call 1-800-986-4538 extension 1726.

**Museum Ground Breaking :** Last month, the Rancho Bernardo Historical Society held a ground breaking for the new History Museum at the Bernardo Winery. Visit their temporary museum at the Winery for more information or go to the society's website at <http://www.rbhistoricalsociety.org>.

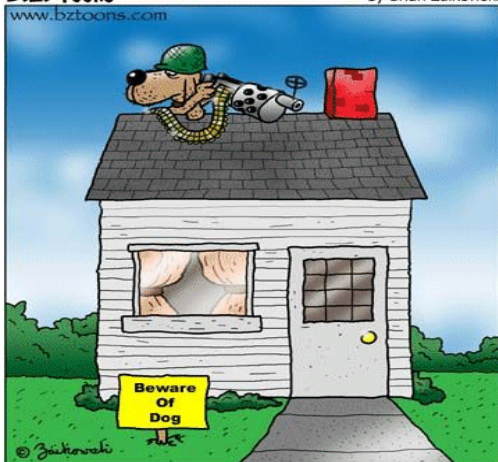
**Snakes:** A homeowner reported seeing a small rattlesnake in their backyard. Please be aware that they are out there!

**Trails Website:** Don't forget to visit our official Trails website. We do post important messages from the BOD and Property Management Consultants directly on the site.



## B.Z. Toons

by Brian Zaikowski



[www.rbtrails.com](http://www.rbtrails.com)

## CC&R Quickies

No tent, shack, trailer, basement, garage, or outbuilding shall be used on any lot as a residence either temporarily or permanently.



# Recipe Of The Month



**HAPPY ST. PATRICK'S DAY!**

## Lime Sherbet Punch



### *Ingredients*

2 quarts lime sherbet  
2 liters ginger ale  
1 (46-ounce) can pineapple juice  
Lemon slices  
Lime slices  
Maraschino cherries



### *Instructions*

In a punch bowl, add 2 quarts of lime sherbet. Then add ginger ale and pineapple juice. Decorate with lemon and lime slices and some maraschino cherries.

Steve says: If the kids are away, you could add some good Irish Whiskey for authenticity!

Recipe courtesy Paula Deen

## Contractors Who Work in The Trails

### Important Phone Numbers

Police, RB Storefront

858-538-8146

Police Dispatch

858-484-3154

Fire

911

Trails Sewer Emergency

858-454-1686 (new)

Knight Security

760-745-3604

Palomar Hospital

760-739-3000

Pomerado Hospital

858-613-4000

Poison Control Center

800-876-4766

Child Abuse Hotline

800-344-6000

Crisis Line (Personal)

800-479-3339

Library

858-538-8163

PUSD

858-748-0010

Swim & Tennis Club

858-487-5002

Post Office, RB

800-275-8777

Better Business Bureau

858-496-2131

RB Chamber of Commerce

858-487-1767

RB Senior Services

858-487-2640

SDG&E, Cust Service

800-411-7343

Street Light Maintenance

619-527-7500

Trash Collection Info

858-492-5060

Recycling/Refuse Center

858-694-7000

Time of Day

858-853-1212

Weather Service (select opt #1)

858-675-8706

ALL EMERGENCIES

POLICE / FIRE / PARAMEDICS

**DIAL 911**



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### Electrical Services

Ralph Hollis Electric, CA#: 598686

858-442-6904 ralphholliselectric@hotmail.com

### Electronic Recycling

U-Call We-Haul, Property Clean-Ups and Electronic Recycling

858-525-4213 u-callwe-haul@live.com

### Errand Service and Personal Assistant

Rancho Bernardo Errand Service 858-385-7878

### Driveway Interlocking Pavers

Signature Paving, Jerry Larimore

760-975-4870

### Health Coaching and Fitness Training

In-home fitness consultations and sports therapy by Tim and Sharon Kearin, four year residents of the Trails (858) 485-5021

### Mortgages

Tom Kimball Mortgage Company, Tom Kimball

16776 Bernardo Center Drive 858-675-9805

### Real Estate

Prudential California Realty, Arleen Gimbel

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See [www.thetrailsnews.com](http://www.thetrailsnews.com) for neighborhood news

RE/MAX Of Rancho Bernardo, Libby Saleh -[www.libbysaleh.com](http://www.libbysaleh.com)

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### Roofing and Repair

Strafford Roofing, Pat Strafford, CA#: C-39 649662

619-258-7621

### Security

Knight Security, Special Prices for Trails Homeowners

Ca. Licence #C-7, C-10, C-61-306628, ACO 574, PPO-11254

760-745-3604

### Travel Agent / Cruises

Joiner Travel

16935 W. Bernardo Dr., Ste. 107, San Diego, Ca 92127-1635

joinertravel@sbcglobal.net, 858 673-5700 / Fax: 858 673-5727

### Tree Trimming

Parker Tree Service, Trimming and Removal

Certified Arborist #5975, #5976 / Contractor License #763675

Parkertreesvc@aol.com, 858-538-3785

### Window Washers

Final Touch Window Cleaning & Screen Repair

Paul Robinson, Owner

Licensed and Insured, 760-751-7018

To place an ad, contact Steve Arnold at 858-518-2002

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