

# **NEWSLETTER I OCTOBER 2022**

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President: Sudheera Vemula Vice President: Deepak Dhar Secretary: Scott Conway Treasurer: Tulip Shah

Member-at-large: Nicole Davies-Penke

## SCHEDULE OF HOA OPEN MEETINGS:

OCT 13, DEC 13 (qtr)

Link to previous board meeting minutes:

https://nabrnetwork.com/myhoadocuments.php

## QUESTIONS & COMMENTS? Please email:

lakecastleberry-BOD@grandchestermeadows.com

Do you have news or content to share? We'd love to hear all about it! Please email: LCB-newsletter@grandchestermeadows.com



#### What's available on NABR?

- ARC submissions & workflow
- Clubhouse rental form
- Committee of Interest form
- Key fob assistance form
- Pool Rules & Regulations
- Community project ideas form
- Newsletters

# October is... Fall Planting, Corn Mazes & Spooktacular Fun!

- Get outside and enjoy the cool temperatures and crisp air
- Use the All Trails app to find a nearby hiking trail
- Check out RAL today, Triangle on the Cheap, and Facebook to find local events
- Autumn is the best time to enhance your landscaping because plants can get established before winter. You can also plant cool weather vegetables.
  - NC Arboretum
  - o NC State Garden Planting Calendar & Fall is the Best Time to Plant Trees and Shrubs
  - o Lawn or Garden questions? Contact a Master Gardener.
  - Make sure that you DO NOT prune plants that bloom on old wood. If you do, then you won't have blooms next year

## **Lake Castleberry BOD Nominations & Elections**

- Support our community by nominating yourself or a neighbor by October 19 for the 2 open positions on the Board of Directors. Email nominations using this link or on the HOA website linked here.
- At the annual HOA Meeting will on 11/16At there will be a candidate forum. Once the annual meeting closes, voting will be open Nov 16-23.
- Please refer to the post on NABR and the email sent September 21 for additional details.

#### Diwali

- We have our neighborhood Diwali celebrations coming up on Oct 15 (rain date 16th). Let's all participate and make it a grand success!
- Please RSVP for the event and volunteer for food item(s) at the link below. If you already RSVP'd but didn't sign up for a food item, please "Edit" your response, add food item, and rsvp again. https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0E4EACAA2EA5FCC25-lake

# **Ladies' Wine Night**

• October 7, 7-9pm at Cloer Vineyards. There will be wine, non-alcoholic beverages, and light snacks provided by the Social Committee and then a cash bar for additional wine purchases.

## **October Events**

- October Fridays & Saturdays, Phillips Farm Haunted Farm
- October Fri/Sat/Sun, Phillips Farm Corn Maze
- Oct 1 & 15, SuperFun Saturday
- Oct 4, Apex Night Out & Touch-a-Truck
- Oct 6, Apex Charity Fashion Show
- Oct 6, Explore S'more, Apex Nature Park
- Oct 7-26, Downtown Apex Autumn Adventure
- Oct 8, Public Landfill Tour
- Oct 8, Apex Octoberfest & American Legion Fall Car Show
- Oct 11, Christmas Musical & Play Auditions
- Oct 13, Beginner's Henna Workshop
- Oct13-23, NC State Fair
- Oct 23, Peak Lab Rescue Adoption Event at Bottle Theory
- Oct 28, Goblin's Groove Family Dance
- Oct 29, Finally Friday Witches' Night Out
- Oct 29, Skate Night Spooktacular
- Oct 31, Halloween trick-or-treating in the neighborhood

# Halloween Decorating Contest

Let the annual LCB Halloween decorating contest begin! Show us your pumpkins and skeletons, bats and spiders. Will you go scary, funny, or creepy?

The social committee will select two winners:

Kids' Favorite & Spookiest



# Pet of the Month: Trudy

Trudy aka Troodles is a 6 pound, 6-year-old Poma-Poo mix on Bellamy Ridge. She is very independent and practices good hygiene habits, due to her OCD owner. She may be small in size, but her bark is loud and piercing. Don't acknowledge her when she is out strolling unless you want to hear her yap! She loves to chill on the patio on sunny days with her sister, Evie.



Want your pet or kids to be featured? Please email us.

#### **Apex General Info:**

- Apex Township Events at apexnc.org
- Garbage and Recycling are picked up on Thursdays and Yard waste is picked up on Fridays. If day falls on a holiday, then it will be next day.
   Report pick-up failures by calling Apex Utilities.
- GRANDCHESTER MEADOWS (919) 757-1718
- APEX UTILITIES (919) 362-8676
- DOMINION ENERGY 1-877-776-2427
- GARBAGE, RECYCLE & YARD WASTE (919) 362-8676