

High Country West “E-NEWS”

Rancho Bernardo, California

July 2022

Club Hours

Open 8:00 AM to 10:00 PM. The restroom closes at 9:30, pool closes at 9:45, All to exit club by 10:00
Club closes at 6pm on the 4th.

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President's Message:

It was wonderful to see so many people at our annual picnic in June, and the weather was definitely cooperative. A big “thank you” to everyone that helped make this community event such a success! This could not have happened without all of the support and help that we received.

The Summer Campout is back! It's time to bring a tent and your family for an overnight campout at the Club. This event has been enjoyed by many for years, and we are excited that we are able to host the event again this year. Be sure to make a reservation for your family.

Another fiscal year at HCW has come to an end. Our Treasurer, Shannon Erdell, will be leaving the board as her term has ended. I would like to thank her for all of her help and support during her time on the board.

Also, don't forget that the monthly dues increase takes effect this month.

Take care,

Kent Stone
President



Join Our Annual Members Meeting July 13th MEETING IS IN PERSON

The HCW Board of Directors will host the meetings at the club in the meeting room. The date is on July 13th at 6:30 PM for the annual members meeting. You have 2 ways to access agenda:

1. Go to our website and under Property Owner Resources click on “Board Meeting Agenda”. The agenda will be posted by Monday prior to the meeting.
2. Stop by the club and see the posting on the bulletin board.

4th of July the club closes at 6 PM.

Fireworks at 9 PM at Bernardo Heights Middle School



HCW Annual Campout- Reserve your spot for the High Country West Club's Annual Campout from July 23-July 24. This fun family event features food, games, s'mores, and community bonding. Come out for a fun evening under the stars and meet your neighbors. Call or stop by the office for more details.

Architectural Column:



MAILBOX INFORMATION

Architectural Reminder:

The United States Postal Service (USPS) may inspect and tag any non-compliant mailboxes which means the post office will hold mail until boxes are in compliance. Here's a quick summary of the requirements on the USPS website on June 22, 2022.

Mailbox Size & Construction Standards

A mailbox with the Postmaster General's (PMG) seal of approval meets USPS size and construction standards. If you build your own mailbox or buy a custom-made one, it must meet the PMG standards. Show your local postmaster your mailbox plans or your custom-made box for approval.

Where to Place the Mailbox

Here are some helpful guidelines to follow when placing your mailbox:

1. Position your mailbox 41" to 45" from the road surface to the bottom of the mailbox or point of mail entry.
2. Place your mailbox 6" to 8" back from the curb. If you do not have a raised curb, contact your local postmaster for guidance.
3. Put your house or apartment number on the mailbox.
4. If your mailbox is on a different street from your house or apartment, put your full street address on the box.

Installing the Mailbox Post

The best mailbox supports are stable but bend or fall away if a car hits them. The Federal Highway Administration recommends:

1. A 4" x 4" wooden support or a 2"-diameter standard steel or aluminum pipe.
2. Avoid unyielding and potentially dangerous supports, like heavy metal pipes, concrete posts, and farm equipment (e.g., milk cans filled with concrete).
3. Bury your post no more than 24" deep.



Parking Lot Resurfacing

The Club parking lot will be closed for resurfacing on Thursday, July 14 and Friday, July 15. The club will be open as usual but parking will be on the street only and pedestrian access will have detours and/or limitations.



The 2022 Annual Picnic was a huge success

We would like to thank our picnic sponsors:
West Coast Pools and Dr. Larry Herring,
Chiropractor for their generous support this year.



And thank you to all the volunteers!