

# High Country West

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## September 2023 newsletter

**September CLUB HOURS: 8:00 AM to 10:00 PM.** The restrooms close at 9:45, pool and spa close at 9:55PM, Court lights off at 9:55PM. All to exit the club by 10:00PM.

*Club hours are subject to change.* Club Manager: Wayne Blum, [manager@highcountrywest.com](mailto:manager@highcountrywest.com)



### President's Message

Dan Herrera, Board President

Is it me or did the summer break go by too quickly? The kids have started school again, so this means summer is almost over. You'd never know it from the heat!

I hope you were able to enjoy the warm summer weather at the club as much as I have. We have been fortunate to have some great pool days this summer. Both the summer picnic and the family camp out were a success. I cannot wait until we get to do them again next year. The root beer float days and other activities coordinated by the awesome club management and staff were also great fun for our friends and neighbors in the community.

As we wind down and head towards fall, the club will be ending lifeguarding service for the year. Lifeguarding will be provided and concluded on Labor Day weekend.

The days are still long and the evenings still warm, so I plan to enjoy our pool and park as much as possible while weather permits. I hope to see you there!

I am excited to share that we have finally received the City Permits for our Solar Panel Installation at the Club. Installation is scheduled for the first week of October.

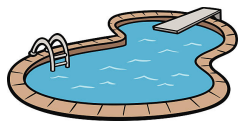
I want to encourage homeowners to attend our monthly Board of Directors meetings. It is a great way to better understand what goes into running our property owners association.

**Join our September Board of Directors Meeting Wednesday, September 13 at 6:30pm at the club. The agenda will be posted several days before the meeting on the website and on the bulletin board.**

### FOUR PICKLEBALL COURTS NOW AVAILABLE ON COURT 3



**End of Lifeguard Season**  
**September 2,3,4 - last days - 11am - 8pm**  
**Starting September 5, No Lifeguard on Duty**



**PET REMINDER > DOG OWNERS**  
**Please be courteous and pick up after your dog**



# High Country West September 2023

## High Country West Live Music Day - Saturday October 21

**Attention Neighborhood Musicians!** We are planning on hosting a live music day on Saturday, October 21. This will be an afternoon of neighborhood musicians and their bands performing brief sets for each other and for the community members to enjoy.

If you are a musician or in a band and would like to participate in this event please contact the Manager via email for more information, [manager@highcountrywest.com](mailto:manager@highcountrywest.com).



### REMINDERS FOR THE END OF LIFEGUARD SEASON - PLEASE READ & FOLLOW ALL DECK SIGNAGE

- Kids must be 14 yrs. old and strong swimmers to swim without adult supervision
- Kids must be 10 yrs. to come to the club house alone to use play areas
- Parents are responsible for their kids while the kids are at the club.
- Please make sure your kids know the rules before they come.
- Everyone must stay off the lane line ropes
- Lap Lanes are for lap swimmers only, please respect this separate area
- Diving Board use, please read the posted diving board rules



### Architectural Committee: Maintaining a Weed-Free Yard

As a homeowner, you take great pride in your property, and a well-maintained yard is a reflection of that pride. However, one common issue that can detract from the beauty of your outdoor space is the presence of weeds. For those with rock yards, keeping weeds at bay can be a challenge, but with the right strategies, you can maintain a weed-free and stunning landscape.

~ Install a sturdy barrier beneath the rocks. Landscape fabric or weed-blocking membranes are excellent options to create a physical barrier that prevents weed seeds from taking root. Ensure the barrier covers the entire area of the rock yard and cut openings for plants.

~ Regular maintenance is key to a weed-free yard. Routinely inspect your rock yard, especially around the edges and gaps, for any signs of weeds attempting to invade.

~ Regularly pulling out any emerging weeds is far easier than dealing with an overgrown mess later. If you encounter persistent weed growth, opt for natural weed killers to spot-treat the problem areas. Vinegar, boiling water, or a mixture of salt and water can be effective in killing weeds without harming surrounding plants or the environment. Always apply these treatments with caution and in small quantities.

REMINDER - Architectural Guidelines for the community as well as the Application for Approval of Exterior Improvements can be found on our website, [www.highcountrywest.com](http://www.highcountrywest.com).



September 2023  
September 1  
September 30

SUNRISE  
6:23 am  
6:42 am



SUNSET  
7:13 pm  
6:34 pm

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