



**PINECREST VILLAGE
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A Covenant Controlled Community
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Homeowners, Denver, CO



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All entries are subject to the approval by the President of PVIA.

PVIA Meetings: Regular Monthly meetings - Sabin Elementary School, Dartmouth & Vrain
First Tues. of the month at 6:30 pm

PVIA 2018 Social Events
August 11th – Denver Municipal Band, Picnic, Movie in the Park

Trash Schedule 2018
August

- 8-1 Trash & Recycle
- 8-8 Trash
- 8-15 Trash & Recycle
- 8-22 Trash & Extra Trash
- 8-29 Trash & Recycle

NEXT PVIA HOMEOWNERS MEETING

Tuesday, August 7, 2018 at 6:30 p.m.
in Pinecrest Park

FROM THE PRESIDENT Greetings, Neighbors! I hope you all have been enjoying a beautiful summer and are getting good use out of the warm weather. These hot days mixed with intense rain/hail have made upkeep of lawns and flowers a challenge (not to mention the beetles!), but I think our neighborhood is looking great!

After a brief summer break, your PVIA board will be reconvening this August to discuss the goings-on of Pinecrest Village. If you have anything you want to address, questions to ask, or just want to come hang out, please feel free to attend our August board meeting or email any board member with your comments. Don't forget to bring a chair to sit on.

School Alert - School starts soon, watch out for the kids who are walking to their bus stops and/or just crossing our streets.

SOCIAL COMMITTEE Last Chance for Summer Fun! Neighborhood Event August 11th. The kids are headed back to school soon; the summer can't last forever, so join us for one last hoorah before Fall. Join us at **Pinecrest Park on August 11th** for fun, games, and music! We're so excited to have the Denver Municipal Brass Band back this year for a free performance. We'll cap the evening with a **movie in the park**.



Feel free to bring a picnic supper

5:00 Gather for games (volleyball and corn hole, maybe a tournament if we're feeling competitive!)

7:00 Denver Municipal Brass Ensemble Plays!

8:00 ish Movie in the Park

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MEMBERSHIP – Reminder -- if you haven't already, please send your PVIA membership dues to John Polak at **5769 W. Milan Place**. Your dues support community events, island upkeep, and more. We thank you for your payment.

ISLAND COMMITTEE Thanks to members of our PVIA board, Mike Barela (who continues to help on the island) as well as our neighborhood volunteers for their hard work restoring water and electric lines to the neighborhood island so we can enjoy flowers and plants at the entrance to our community. Job well done!

COYOTE HAZING from (Katrina Reed)

There have been several wildlife encounters recently in the neighborhood. Remember, they are wild animals and it is dangerous to the animal **and** to the community to feed them or make them welcome. You can find additional information on the website about dealing with wildlife in our residential area at:

http://m.humanesociety.org/animals/coyotes/tips/hazing_guidelines.html

COYOTE HAZING: GUIDELINES FOR DISCOURAGING NEIGHBORHOOD COYOTES:

How to effectively change coyote behavior

The coyote has lost its fear of humans. Hazing works to reestablish the natural fear of

Denver Street Sweeping

April thru November
Times will be posted by the
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people back into habituated coyotes such as this one -- Dawn Macheca.
Generally, coyotes are reclusive animals who avoid human contact.

Coyotes who have adapted to urban and suburban environments, however, may realize there are few real threats and may approach people or feel safe visiting yards even when people are present.

These coyotes have become habituated (lost their fear of humans), probably owing to the bounty of food that they have become accustomed to feeding upon in your neighborhood. These bold coyotes should not be tolerated or enticed but instead given the clear message that they should not be so brazen.

Hazing - Hazing is a method that makes use of deterrents to move an animal out of an area or discourage an undesirable behavior or activity. Hazing can help maintain a coyote's fear of humans and deter them from backyards and play spaces.

Methods of hazing - Using a variety of different hazing tools is critical so that coyotes don't get used to redundant or single stimulus devices, sounds, and actions.

- Yelling and waving your arms while approaching the coyote
- Noisemakers: Voice, whistles, air horns, bells, "shaker" cans full of marbles or pennies, pots, lid or pie pans banged together
- Projectiles: sticks, small rocks, cans, tennis balls or rubber balls
- Other: hoses, water guns with vinegar water, spray bottles with vinegar water, pepper spray or bear repellent

Security Whistles on Amazon.com - "Go away coyote!"

The simplest method of hazing a coyote involves being loud and large:

- Stand tall, wave your arms, and yell at the coyote, approaching them if necessary, until they run away as demonstrated in this coyote hazing video.
- If a coyote has not been hazed before, they may not immediately run away when you yell at them. If this happens, you may need to walk towards the coyote and increase the intensity of your hazing.
- The coyote may run away, but then stop after a distance and look at you. It is important to continue to go after the coyote until they completely leaves the area. You may need to use different tactics, such as noisemakers, stomping your feet, or spraying the coyote with a hose, to get them to leave.

Dog-walking tools -There are several tools that you can carry with you while walking your dog that can be used to repel coyotes. These include:

- Homemade noisemakers
- Whistle or small air horn (you can purchase small air horn "necklaces")
- Squirt guns
- Pepper spray
- Sticks or other objects to throw towards (but not at) the coyote

In your yard - Remember, keeping pets and pet food inside is the best way to keep coyotes out of your yard. If you do encounter coyotes, all of the above methods can be used in your yard at home. First, try the "Go away coyote!" method (yell and wave your arms as you approach the coyote). Here are some additional methods you can also use:

- Squirt the coyote with your garden hose
- Spray the coyote with vinegar water
- Bang pots and pans together

Important things to remember

- **Never** run away from a coyote!
- The coyote may not leave at first, but if you approach them closer and/or increase the intensity of your hazing, they will run away.
- If the coyote runs away a short distance and then stops and looks at you, continue hazing until he leaves the area entirely.
- After you have successfully hazed a coyote, they may return. Continue to haze the coyote as you did before; it usually takes only one or two times to haze a coyote away for good.

