



**PINECREST VILLAGE
IMPROVEMENT ASSOCIATION**
A Covenant Controlled Community
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All entries are subject to the approval by the Pres. of PVIA.

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

PVIA 2017 Social Events
TBA

Trash Schedule 2016:

3-1-17 – Trash, Recycling
3-8-18 – Trash, Overload
3-15-17 – Trash, Recycling
3-22-17 – Trash
3-30-17 – Trash, Recycling

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NEXT PVIA HOA MEETING
Tuesday, MARCH 7, 2017 at 6:30 PM at
Sabin Elementary Grade School

ANNUAL EASTER EGG HUNTSAVE THE DATE



It's that time of year again for the Pinecrest Village Annual Easter Egg Hunt! The Hunt will be held on **Saturday, April 8th starting at 10:00 am.** If weather is not permitting, we will have the Easter Egg Hunt on **Saturday, April 15th at 10:00 am.**

If the weather is like last year and the 15th does not work, we will try again on **Saturday, April 29th at 10:00 am.**

Plan on getting more details in the **April Newsletter!**

BLOCK REP VOLUNTEERS NEEDED We are in need of a few more block reps to deliver newsletters once a month for the areas of:

- South Golden Ct (south of Lehigh)
- South Chase St. (south of Lehigh)
- South Depew St. (north of Lehigh)

Please consider helping us out with the above as it is important that the newsletters get out to our community. Contact Jane Brown at 303-988-7608 or jubdenver@earthlink.net.

COMMUNITY At our last homeowners meeting, the District 4 police officer gave us some stats on burglaries in our community especially to the concern of motor vehicle theft. He said that there were 14 vehicles broken into, and 13 vehicles stolen. He emphasized that most of these were running vehicles and advised us to:

- Lock car doors at all times
- Do not leave valuables in car, or visible in car
- Do not leave cars running at any time
- Add additional lighting. Leave porch lights on all night. Cost for a 60-watt bulb only costs about \$1.75 a month and a 14-watt bulb costs \$.42 a month to keep on at night. This small investment could possibly prevent you from becoming a crime victim and incurring hundreds of dollars in cost for repairs and replacement.

He also told the audience that the Cop Shop has available steering wheel lock bars. Stop by and pick one up.

Also, if you see anything suspicious, call District 4 Police at 411. Your call-concern is then recorded and (based on the number of calls received from our neighborhood) will generate a report for immediate attention to be directed to our neighborhood. It's that simple. If the police don't hear from us, they can't assist us or keep us informed.

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Did You Know

**MARCH IS
WOMEN'S
HISTORY MONTH**

Women involved in War

1942 - Congress approves the bill to create the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps.

1944 - More than 5,000 women serve in the Southwest Pacific region from 1944 - 1955.

1963 - Women began weapon training

1965 - The first WAC officers are assigned to HQ, US Army, Vietnam.

1970 - President Nixon selects two women for promotion to brigadier general.

1973 - Army Chief of Staff approves Army flight training for WAC officers - both helicopter and fixed wing aircraft.

1974 - Sergeant Major **Mildred C. Kelly** is appointed Command Sergeant Major at HQ U.S. Army Proving Ground. She is the first black command sergeant major in the WAC.

1976 - Congress reduces the minimum enlistment age of women to the same as men - age 17 with parental consent, age 18 without consent. Twenty enlisted women enter the US Military Academy

Check out the new website for information that you might find interesting about our community.

Pocketgov denver

Making city living a whole lot easier – Get information about your property, neighborhood, government and upcoming events.

HOA SURVEY

Your Words - Neighbor to Neighbor

We'll be addressing topics brought up in our recent neighborhood survey each month and throughout the year - Survey Team Leader, Cara Meeker.

In our 2016 Neighborhood Survey, some of you mentioned:

- *"I'd like to be more involved but can't make the meeting time and day."*
- *"Let people know how to help others in the community."*
- *"Would be great to get more involved – how?"*

We hear ya! Meetings are just one way to participate in neighborhood activities. If you can't make it to a meeting, there are other opportunities to volunteer. In fact, we are looking for volunteers to join our crew of block reps. Block reps distribute our monthly PVIA newsletters to assigned blocks in our neighborhood. The time commitment is minimal and it's a great way to help others in the community, chat up your neighbors, and get out for a pleasant walk. Please contact Jane Brown at 303-988-7608 or jubdenver@earthlink.net if this is something you would like to do.

ARCHITECTURAL CONTROL

It's never too early to start thinking and planning for those upcoming summer projects. The Architectural Control Committee can help you with your planning to comply with the local zoning laws and our Covenants. If your project requires digging please dial 811 to find out where the utilities are located on your property to avoid problems down the road.

NOTE TO NEWSLETTER BLOCK REP'S

Please remember to let the PVIA editor know (call or email) of the passing away of any one of our residents in your assigned block area.

FYI..... Also, the US Post Office is reminding us that our newsletters cannot be put in a US Post Office mail box at our homes. The mailboxes are specifically for US Mail.

1980 - Women now make up 9.1 percent of the Army.

1981 - The Army freezes end-strength of enlisted women at 65,000 and officers at 7,200.

1990 - Approximately 26, 000 women were deployed to the Persian Gulf.

1994 - Army Chief of Staff orders combined male-female basic training.

2003 - Total percentage of females in the Army is 15.2%, up from 9.8% in 1983.

2005 - **Sergeant Leigh Ann Hester**, Kentucky Army National Guard becomes the first woman to earn the Silver Star for direct combat action.

2008 - **Gen. Ann E. Dunwoody** became the first female four-star general in military history

Limitations & The Necessities of War

The military has opened thousands of jobs to women in units that are closer to the front lines than ever before. But the rules still ban women from serving in the most dangerous combat jobs: **infantry – armor - special operations forces.**

In the past decade, the necessities of war propelled women into jobs such as:

Medics - military police - intelligence officers

Female suicide rates in the Iraq war have been less than male suicide rates, undermining the notion that women aren't mentally strong enough for war:

Female suicide rate in Iraq is 15 per 100,000

Male suicide rates in Iraq is 21 per 100,000