

Spring 2014

# Summerlane Village Newsletter

## Welcoming Spring into Summer

Happy Spring/Summer 2014. We hope your enjoying the re-entry of the green grass, blossoming trees and chirping birds. We are excited to announce and welcome our new Landscape Management Company, **Keesen**, to the neighborhood. Please continue to submit all exterior changes to the Architectural **Review Committee** for approval before beginning your new project.

Finally, thank you to all the volunteers for all their hard work and help to finalize the changes in the policies and guidelines.

Sincerely,

The Summerlane Village Board of Directors

## Spring Landscaping Recommendations

The time of year this should be done varies based on the type of plant, bush, or flower. Here are a few specific guidelines to take into account:

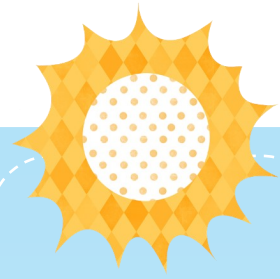
- Cut back summer-flowering plants in early fall (late September to early October) before they go dormant.
- Spring flowering bushes (such as lilacs and honeysuckles) should be trimmed right after flowering. You could accidentally remove next year's flower buds if you prune at other times.
- Conifer plants (such as pine, fir, and spruce trees) should be pruned back in late spring (May). Avoid cutting beyond new foliage, because new growth may not develop on the older wood.
- Evergreen plants can be pruned at any time during the growing season.
- Maple, birch, dogwood, or elm trees should be pruned in the summer or fall. While it won't harm them, these plants produce sap or "bleed" if pruned during the spring.
- Wild grasses should be trimmed in the late winter or early spring (March).
- Pre-annual flowers should be cut back in late fall (October).

## Look for NEW items:

⇒ New Architectural Guidelines and Standards

⇒ New Updated Policies

Check our website: [www.summerlanevillage.com](http://www.summerlanevillage.com)



## Important Dates

06/15 thru 06/29

Spring Walk Through,  
(The Board of Directors  
and the Architectural  
Review Committee)

## Summer FUN!

07/19 Ice Cream Social and  
Face Painting

TIME: 1:00 PM

TILL: 3:00 PM

WHERE: Gazebo

08/16 Summer Neighborhood  
Get Together, Catered  
by: **Qdoba**

TIME: 12:00 PM

TILL: 3:00 PM

WHERE: Gazebo

Gathering together with your  
neighbors new and old, enjoy-  
ing the summer at Summerlane  
Village.

