

Tollgate Fare

November, 2003

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Annual Meeting

Please mark your calendars and plan to attend the 2003 Tollgate Annual Meeting. This year the meeting will be held at the home of Bob and Cindy Donaldson (118) at 5:00 pm. It is important for everyone to either attend or to give a proxy to someone who is attending so that we can ensure a quorum and be able to conduct the Association's business. Proxy forms can be found at www.tollgateway.org under the News heading.

Holiday Decorating

The annual Tollgate Holiday Decorating will be held on December 6th immediately following the Board meeting, which starts at 9am. Activities will probably begin around 10:30 to 11:00am.

Holiday Party



The annual Tollgate Holiday Party will be held on December 14, 2003 starting at 5 pm. Paul and Anki Ehmer (109) have graciously agreed to host the party this year. Please bring an appetizer or other tasty munchies.

Farewell Party

Come one, come all: Come say "Good Luck" to two originals at Tollgate. Come thank "Ye Olde Lamplighter - Tom, and His Lovely Lass - Lorraine". The Nasiatkas are two of the few ORIGINALS to be found at Tollgate. Wanted - all the originals and all newcomers and those in-between, immediately following the annual meeting, at Tom and Edie Smolinski's, 135 Tollgate Way.

Driveways and Walkways

The Board has signed a contract with Schneider Contracting Corp for the resurfacing of the driveways and walkways. Due to the weather, work will probably not start until next spring.

Trees

The board has also signed a contract with SavATree to do the annual pruning. A full report on this will be given at the annual meeting. The work will probably not start until sometime in December.

The board is also considering a recommendation by the Tree Subcommittee to conduct a Tree Inventory, Health Assessment and Long Range Plan for the care and management of our most valuable resource. A full report will also be given at the annual meeting.

Brickwork

The board is planning on contracting with The King's Masons again to do some additional re-pointing of the front wall of Tollgate as well as the front walk at 100 Tollgate. If anyone needs brick pointing of their properties at the same time, let Tom Smolinski know and we will have The King's Masons contact you. Their rate for re-pointing is \$60.00 hr.

Winter is coming



Remember the snow we had last year? Please remember to not use any salt or other snow melting chemicals on your driveways, walkways or brick steps. Salt and other chemicals do tremendous damage to the concrete and mortar. Be prepared – go out and buy a bag of sand or kitty litter to spread on the ice.

For more information go to Tollgate website at: www.tollgateway.org