

Indian Creek Newsletter-January 2003

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The Start of a New Year

With the beginning of 2003, there will be a few changes in regard to the Indian Creek Newsletter. All information for the newsletter must be submitted in writing to Vicky Hogan at vickyhogan@yahoo.com or by either mailing or dropping in the black mailbox at 3 Fox Creek Road NO LATER THAN the last day of each month. I feel this will be easier to remember than a specific date. I must have all information in writing for accuracy's sake. Phone messages will NOT be published! Newsletters will then be organized, typed and printed by the 5th of each month and delivered the following week (by the 10th of each month). Any information received after the last day of the month will be placed in the following month's newsletter should dates allow.

Effective with the February newsletter, any business wishing to advertise in the newsletter will be charged a small fee to help defray printing costs.

Advertising Costs: Basic, words only, ad: \$5.00 per month or \$50.00 per year (2 months free!)

Words plus graphics: \$7.00 per month or \$70.00 per year (2 months free!)

The price of the ink and copies has grown beyond what I wish to charge the homeowners' association so advertising will be a charged item effective immediately. (This does not include any informational material such as Garden Club, Babysitting, School news, subdivision information, etc...) Any questions may be directed to Vicky Hogan at 728-2863.

Spring Garage Sales

Gail Briggs would like to know the community's preference for the dates of the Towanda-area Spring 2003 Garage Sales. Would you prefer April 10 & 11 or April 25 & 26 this year? Phone Gail at 728-2187 or email her at rgbriggs@frontiernet.net ASAP with your preference. (Submitted by Gail Briggs)

Former Towanda Junior Woman's Club

Towanda Ladies Night Out is the new name, effective January 1, 2003, for the former Towanda Junior Woman's Club. It is a social club dedicated to improving the quality of life in the Towanda area. Anyone interested in becoming involved may contact Carol Myers at 728-2749 or any former member of the TJWC. The first dinner meeting is planned for Biaggi's on Thursday, January 9 at 6:00p.m. Reservations for the evening should be made by Tuesday, January 7 with Amy Larkin at 728-2616. (Submitted by Gail Briggs)

Indian Creek Garden Club

The Garden Club will not have a January meeting. The next meeting will be Thursday, Feb. 13 at 7:00 p.m. at John & Mary Boyd's home, 17 Bent Tree Lane: 728-2217. We will prepare plaques for labeling trees on the nature trail and plan a perennial garden for the Towanda Public Library. (Submitted by Helen Mogill.)

Garden Club's site: <http://www.frontiernet.net/~tmogill/GardenClub/Homepage.htm>

Library News

The library appreciates a gift subscription to the Wall Street Journal from our volunteer, Shirley Herman. Please take the opportunity to read this informative paper.

The library also received a generous donation from residents Jim & Vicky Hogan. We now have the well-known and well-respected "Hooked On Phonics" reading programs. The two sets we have are available for checkout for 2 week periods.

Are you interested on being on the library board? We have 3 openings for the May 2003-2007 term. Preparations for your election for this position must begin soon, so please act now! Contact Diane Mueller at 728-2704 or Mary Williams at 728-2176 if you are interested or know of anyone who may want to become a part of the exciting public library process.

A Friends of the Library group is being formed. We had our first meeting on Tuesday, Dec. 10th at 5:00. The goal of this library support organization is to help the people of the library community to become more familiar with the library and to offer programs and information to broaden the community's cultural and informational opportunities. Some suggestions include a craft night at the library, a book club, a "Towanda District Reads" project, programs and seminars on financial planning and local history (Towanda area and Cooksville area). Please let us know if you are interested in joining. Kay Liebenow is the contact person; a message may be left at the library for her. Our next meeting will be Tuesday, January 14 at 5:00 p.m. at the library. Please feel free to join us.

The library is excited to announce that it will begin publication of its own quarterly newsletter! Look for the first edition in your mailboxes in January or February of 2003!

We will offer Internet classes in the month of February. Dates and times will be announced at a later date.

Notice to Towanda residents: As was promised, your tax rate will not change as a result of the successful referendum to include Blue Mound Township in our library district. The Truth-In-Taxation notice, published in the Normalite newspaper on Nov. 21, 2002 is a legal notice stating that we will request more money from the county next year as a result of the new library taxes that will be collected from Blue Mound Township residents. Any questions may be directed to Mary Williams at the library at 728-2176 or to the library board president, Diane Mueller.

submitted by Mary Williams, Librarian

'The Complete Fitness Experience'

Weight to Health: 8 week weight management for women, starting 1/22.

Women's Toning Classes: Weight training for fat loss/toning on Mon/Thur. 5:30 p.m. & Tues. 6:30 p.m.

Aerobic Kickboxing Classes: Aerobics Wed/Fri at 6 a.m. in Hudson

Yoga Classes: Beginning Yoga on Sat. mornings at 7:15 a.m.

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