

Dear Neighbors

A quick thank you to everyone who attended this years Home Owners Association Annual General Meeting on April 20, 2021.

An architectural review committee was formed consisting of the following members:

**Ken Napier - Chair, John Hardy, Clare Steinbook**

I am most grateful to them for offering to lead the ARC. The minutes can be found on our website.

I hope everyone has a peaceful fall and Christmas.

**Mark Westguard - President**  
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## Christmas Party

We are extremely grateful to Dr. Sam and Sheryl Rice for, again, offering to host this year's neighborhood Christmas party!

All Gaines Creek residents are invited to attend 6819 Gaines Creek Rd on December 3rd, 6:30pm - 9pm.



## New Neighbors

Please welcome our new neighbors!

Kimble & Matthew Keller  
at 6900 Gaines Ridge Rd

## Crime in Green Island

Green Island was the victim of car and mail theft in September.

### Monday, September 27

At least 4 unlocked vehicles in our neighborhood were ransacked in the early hours.

### Wednesday, September 29

All mailboxes in the neighborhood were opened and mail was stolen. We suspect the vehicle was a red/maroon Nissan 370Z convertible with broken rear lights.

CCTV footage from our entrance and cameras located around Gaines Creek was provided to the local police. Sadly such crime in Columbus is becoming more frequent.

***Please ensure mail is collected regularly and vehicles are kept locked at all times.***



## Stepping Up Security

Due to the recent crime in and around Green Island and upon police advice, the board has unanimously approved the installation of a third, high resolution license plate tracking camera at the front entrance.

The system will keep a log of license plates plus photo evidence of any vehicles entering and leaving our neighborhood. We hope to have this work completed by the end of October.

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