

Newsletter of the Kipling Villas Homeowners' Association

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4th of July Parade and Picnic

Tuesday, July 4th Marks Our 13th Annual Independence Day Celebration!

Our 4th of July Parade begins at the Colorow Elementary parking lot at 11:00am sharp. We will be joined by West Metro Fire Department for our bicycle parade through the neighborhood. Bikes, trikes, strollers, wagons, scooters and walkers welcome! Even if you won't be participating in the parade, please join our enthusiastic group of spectators who line the streets each year to cheer us on.

After the parade, we will host a free picnic beside Lilley Gulch Recreation Center, complete with hot dogs, chips and cookies, bounce houses, and potato sack races. Families are encouraged to set up shade structures, coolers or lawn chairs at the picnic area before the parade begins. We will have two jumping castles this year,

one is a bit smaller and will be for children 6 years and younger, with a larger one for the school-age kids. If your child will be jumping, please watch them. I count on parents to monitor the children inside so that we can offer these fun activities. All residents and their guests are invited to join the picnic. Our goal is to bring as many Kipling Villas families together as possible!

Thank you for your involvement. If you have questions about this event, want to volunteer, or have a business that would like to sponsor or donate a prize, please contact me at 303-514-7287. We rely on volunteers to serve food, set up games and help with prizes to make this event run smoothly, so please thank them! See you on the 4th!

— Janet Clark, Kipling Villas Event Planner

Newsletter Contributions

Neighbors, we want to hear from YOU! We welcome articles and ideas for the Kipling Villas Newsletter. Tap into your inner author and send us your thoughts, neighborhood news, pictures of the neighborhood, or something you would like to share with our neighbors. Note: the deadline for articles or photos in the August newsletter is July 15. Send articles and photos to the editor at kvnewsletter@gmail.com.

Clean Up Day
The Kipling Villas Annual Neighborhood Clean Up Day was a big success! We filled up two 30-cubic-yard dumpsters in four hours. Twenty-seven residents used this opportunity to rid themselves of old lumber, construction materials, landscaping waste, and unwanted household items.



In addition, four trailer loads of recyclable metals were hauled away. The metal items were sold to help fund a local church's scholarship fund. Thank you to all the volunteers who helped. After unloading their vehicles, residents Tim and Ahmed stayed to aid others. Multiple KVHA board members, including Heidi, Kenna, Janet, Ken, Gary, and George, were instrumental in getting this project completed. Thank you to everyone who joined in to help keep our neighborhood clean!

- Jerry Shin, Clean Up Day Coordinator

KVHA Events Coming Up

4th of July Neighborhood Celebration & Parade: July 4

HOA Quarterly Meeting: July 11, 7-8pm

HOA Quarterly Meeting: October 3, 7-8pm

Kipling Villas 5K: October 14, 2023



HOA Matters

Once again, we are looking forward to our annual 4th of July Parade and Picnic! We couldn't do these kinds of community events without your support. Thank you for choosing to pay your HOA dues each year. If you haven't been able to pay yet, please send your \$40 HOA fee to P.O. Box 620395, Littleton, CO 80162. Thank you!

— HOA Board

Membership Drive Update

Kipling Villas Homeowner's Association currently has 134 paid members out of roughly 900 households. Thanks to all of those who voluntarily pay their dues. For those who want to join, it is not too late! Mail a check for \$40 to KVHA PO Box 620395 Littleton, CO 80162. With the money collected from members each year, we have the means to pay for:

- Clean Up Day dumpsters
- 4th of July Celebration
- 5k Fun Run
- Family Movie Night
- PO Box for the Homeowners Association
- Caroling and Cocoa
- Community Pizza Night at the annual HOA election meeting
- Rental Storage Space Rental for equipment and supplies

In past years we have invested member dues in:

- Lighting on the entrance signs
- Entrance sign face improvements and updating
- · Banners for the annual events
- · Meeting signs
- Matching funds with Foothills Park and Recreation for landscaping
- Educational programs at Colorow Elementary
- The "Little Library" on Holland Way across from Lilley Gulch Rec Center

We keep a small reserve to pay for any unforeseen events as well as to explore new projects and community events. We welcome any resident to join us at our HOA quarterly meetings. Thank you again.



— Jerry Shin, Treasurer and District 7 Representative



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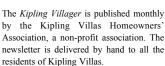
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News Articles

The deadline for news articles is the 15th of the month before the next month's issue, except for the Jan. issue which is Dec. 4th. All articles must be approved by the editor for publication, or as space permits. Please email **kvnewsletter@gmail.com** to submit an article for the newsletter.

Advertising:

The deadline for advertisements is the 15th of the month for the next month's issue, except for the Jan. issue which is Dec. 6th.

To place an ad, call Colorado Lasertype, 303-979-7499 Email: getinfo@coloradolasertype.com

To find ad rates and discounts, go to www.ColoradoLasertype.com and click on the "Advertising Rates" link.

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Moms Meetup

July 5th: 9-10am, Lilley Gulch Park
July 25th: 9-10am, Clement Park Splash Pad
This is a group for moms who live in Kipling
Villas and want to get connected. For inclement weather, please text me at 620-877-7631
for meetup status.

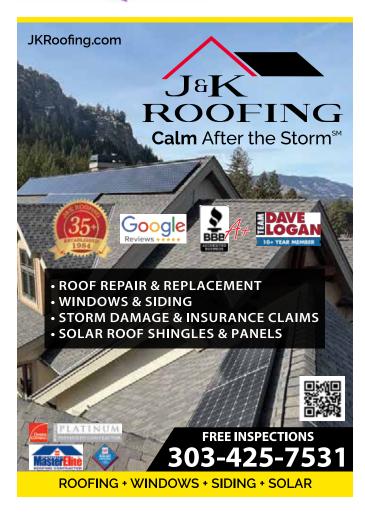
— Heidi Roesch

Pickleball Meetup

Come join me on Tuesdays for some pickleball fun! This is an older social group available to any skill level. Bring your own racket; balls are provided. Call me at 303-979-9454 for the time and location each week.

— Gary Messick

If you are interested in starting a meetup, please email us at kvnewsletter@gmail.com. We look forward to hearing from you!





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- **New Luxury Vinyl Flooring & Carpet**
- Fresh Designer Paint inside
- Cul-de-Sac w/ Large Shade Tree
- Walk to Lilly Gulch Rec Center
- Groceries, Restaurants & Shopping are all close by
- Xeriscaped yard for easy maintenance
- **RV Storage pad**
- 3rd Car Detached Garage (10x21)

Recent Kipling Villas Activity

<u>Address</u>	Beds	Baths	Total SF	<u>Style</u>	Price	Status
6022 S Garland Way	3	2	1,426	Tri-Level	\$540,000	Closed 5-30-2023
6443 S Holland Ct	3	2	2,001	Tri-Level	\$550,000	Closed 5-22-2023
8595 W Arbor Place	5	4	2,246	Tri-Level	\$560,000	Closed 6-12-2023
6303 S Johnson St	4	3	2,246	Tri-Level	\$605,500	Closed 5-19-2023
9023 W Arbor Ave	5	4	2,760	Two Story	\$635,000	Closed6-16-2023