Homeowner's Association

Quarterly Newsletter



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Board of Directors

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Board Meetings 2014

Monthly: Tuesdays @ 6:30 PM Bonaventure Town Center Club Aug 26 (Annual Meeting) Sept 23 Oct 28

Committees

Architectural Review

Debra Boles Scott Rassler

Landscaping/Facilities

Debra Boles Ron Jacobowitz Scott Rassler

Security

Ron Jacobowitz Jaime Ovadia Branch Walton

Finance

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Communications

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Gator Alert

If you spot a gator, call Nuisance Alligator Hotline

(866) 392-4286

Homeowners' Classifieds

Items to sell?
Services to provide?
Help wanted?

Email your listings to us at thelandingsatweston@gmail.com

Community Headlines

- New Quarterly Newsletter
- Comcast Update
- ❖ Annual Meeting is August 26, 2014
- Our New Website Address thelandingsatweston.com
- Community Maintenance

Tree Trimming
Light Poles
Street Signs
Gate Access System
Pressure Washing
Sidewalks and Gutters



We are looking for volunteers to help us with the newsletter and the website. Interested? Email us at thelandingsatweston@gmail.com

is 25 mph.

Drive Safely!

New Quarterly Newsletter

Welcome to the first of our new quarterly newsletters. Each newsletter will include updated community information, issues and communications from our neighbors and monthly Board meetings.

Future newsletters may also include:

- Promotional Discounts From Vendors
- Latest Financial Report
- Neighborhood Home Sales
- Letters To The Editor
- Classifieds
- Homeowners' Recipes
- Community Reminders and Guidelines

We welcome your comments and suggestions.

Interested in helping with the newsletter? Email us at thelandingsatweston@gmail.com

Annual Meeting August 26, 2014 at Bonaventure Town Center Club

The Annual meeting of The Landings Maintenance Association Inc. will be held on August 26, 2014 at 6:30 PM at the Bonaventure Town Center Club at 16690 Saddle Club Road, Weston, FL 33326 in conjunction with the monthly August Board meeting.

We encourage all homeowners to attend the meeting.

The purpose of this meeting is to elect Neighborhood Committees, Voting Members, The Board of Directors and Officers of the Landings Maintenance Association, Inc. and to conduct the annual meeting of the Members of the Association.

New Website Address

We have a new and easy to remember website address.

thelandingsatweston.com

We are in the process of updating our website and plan to have it completed in September.

The new website is designed to:

- Communicate easily and more frequently
- Advertise vendor discounts
- Share responses to homeowner questions
- Conduct online polls with our homeowners
- Promote The Landings for prospective homeowners

Comcast Update

We have received a number of inquiries from homeowners about the current status of the Comcast installation in The Landings.

Last month our initial 15 year Installation and Services agreement with Comcast was signed. It allows for the access, wiring and distribution of Comcast services.

We expect the installation will be completed at the end of this year based on similar agreements with other Weston communities.

All Comcast services will be optional for each Landings homeowner.

Community Maintenance

You may have noticed some changes in the past few months.

Tree Trimming

808 swale and community area hardwood trees have been trimmed and thinned. In the future, they will be trimmed every 2-3 years.

The 275 palm trees will be trimmed twice per year in the spring and fall.

Light Poles

105 light poles have been painted. The acorn globes have been replaced and new energy efficient LED bulbs have been installed.

Street Signs

57 new and refurbished signs have been installed throughout the community telling all: STOP, CHILDREN AT PLAY, SPEED LIMIT 25 and ALLOW GATE TO CYCLE.

Community Maintenance

<u>Gate Access Control - No More Clickers</u>

The new RFID gate access control system is now fully operational. Each homeowner received two free headlight tags. Additional tags for family and friends may be purchased for an annual fee of \$35. All visitors must show a photo ID at the gatehouse. The new system will provide increased security for the community as well as easier entry.

Pressure Washing - Avoid The Notice

It's that time of year. Avoid the dreaded notice reminding you to power wash your roof, driveway, sidewalk or valley gutter.

Need a reliable contractor?

Sunset Maintenance does the power washing for The Landings common areas. Call Bob at 954-557-3331 for a free estimate and mention The Landings Newsletter.

Community Maintenance

Sidewalks and Valley Gutters

The Board is developing a new multiyear plan to repair and replace sidewalks and valley gutters that continue to be damaged by the ever expanding tree roots.

Drainage has been impeded in certain gutters resulting in free standing water after rain storms and lawn watering. Certain sidewalks have become trip hazards due to tree root growth.

The process is expensive and requires that we obtain permits from the City of Weston before commencing work. We must repair the damaged sidewalks and valley gutters and trim the tree roots without destabilizing or killing the trees. So please be patient as we manage the improvements while managing our finances.

We are currently obtaining bids and expect to begin work in October.

Neighborhood Home Sales

Presented By Ruth Bettini Realty Associates

Cell: 954-260-6504 Email: ruthbettini@gmail.com

Current Homes For Sale in The Landings

		Price	Sq Ft
1	144 Dockside Circle	\$1,249,000	5,468
2	154 Dockside Circle	\$1,109,999	6,484
3	122 Dockside Circle	\$1,059,900	5,520
4	309 Egret Lane	\$874,000	4,417
5	249 Landings Blvd	\$865,900	4,219
6	359 Mallard Road	\$849,000	4,452
7	354 Mallard Road	\$749,000	3,961
8	251 Landings Blvd.	\$725,000	3,793
9	218 Egret Ct.	\$703,000	3,263
10	220 Egret Ct.	\$690,000	2,846
11	276 Landings Blvd.	\$686,000	2,683

Recent Homes Sold in The Landings

		Price	Sq Ft
1	157 Dockside Circle	\$1,175,000	4,250
2	169 Dockside Circle	\$880,000	3,850
3	264 Egret Way	\$815,000	4,516
4	262 Egret Way	\$725,000	3,074

Financial Report

ncome Statement Summary			
<u>, </u>	June	June 2014	
	YTD	Budget	Budget
Operating Fund			
<u>Income</u>			
Assessments	\$236,900	\$236,900	\$473,800
Other/(Bad Debt)	7,480	(6,000)	(12,000
	244,380	230,900	461,800
<u>Expenses</u>			
Administrative	27,086	31,233	62,466
Utilities	9,344	12,226	24,452
Landscaping	73,956	91,009	182,019
Gate Access Control	69,506	72,600	145,200
Holiday	0	3,842	7,683
Maintenance	1,327	19,990	39,980
	181,219	230,900	461,800
Net Profit (Loss)	\$63,161	\$0	\$0
Replacement Fund			
<u>Income</u>	440.050	440.250	426 500
Assessments	\$18,250	\$18,250	\$36,500
Interest	762 19,012	18.250	36,500
<u>Expenses</u>	19,012	18,230	30,300
Street Signs	4,198		
Street Lights	9,351		
Gate Access System	4,802		
date Access System	18,351	0	
Net Profit (Loss)	\$661	\$18,250	\$36,500
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Cash Balances	4407.000		
Operating Fund	\$187,900		
Replacement Fund	\$221,800		

Reminders and Guidelines

Architectural Review Board

Guidelines & Request Form

Please be reminded that you must receive Architectural approval for any exterior changes PRIOR to doing the work.

Failure to do so may result in fines or the need to remove or change any improvements. Both of these options can prove costly so please, fill out and submit the Architectural Request form.

Website: Forms are available on the website:

thelandingsatweston.com

Allow 45 days for review and final approval.

If anyone is interested in serving on the Architectural Review Board, please email us at thelandingsatweston@gmail.com.

Park Usage & Reservations

The Park is available for homeowners to use for events, but you need to reserve it with the management company.

We will need the following:

- Park Reservation Application
- Release and Indemnification Agreement
- \$250 deposit at the time of reservation

The forms are available for download on the website.

Contact: Mai Rossman
Phone: (305) 255-0900 ext. 1
Email: mai@tgms.com

Please remove all trash from the park and do not drive or park any vehicles on the grass.

Reminders

Trash

- Trash pickup is on Monday and Thursday
- Store trash bins and containers out of sight

Street Lights

Report street light outages to our property management company.

Phone: (954) 384-4009

Maintenance Fee

- Quarterly fees are due on the 1st day of each quarter (January, April, July, October)
- ❖ Avoid late fees pay by the 15th of the month

Important Phone Numbers

Property Management

T&G Management Services

Phone: (954) 384-4009 Fax: (305) 255-0808

Address: 18001 Old Cutler Road, Suite 643

Palmetto Bay, FL 33157

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The Landings' Gate House (954) 349-0722 Lake Maintenance (954) 385-2600 Nuisance Alligator Hotline (866) 392-4286

City of Weston (954) 385-2000 Police/Rescue (Non-Emergency) (954) 765-4321

Advanced Cable (954) 753-0100 All Service (Trash Services) (954) 583-1830 City of Sunrise (Water/ Sewer) (954) 746-3232 Florida Power and Light (954) 797-5000

Recycling Bins (954) 765-4202, Ext. 221

Commercial Vehicle Delivery Hours

In order to maintain the safety and tranquility of the community, The Landings restricts contractor activity and deliveries primarily to daytime hours.

All Commercial traffic (moving vans, vendors, service trucks, etc.) will not be allowed in the community outside of these hours:

- ❖ WEEKDAYS 8 AM − 6 PM
- ❖ SATURDAYS 9 AM − 6 PM
- No Deliveries on Sundays or Holidays