



The Apollo Shores Line

March 2021

Hello 2021! We are so glad to see you! Last year was a challenge for most. The virus was not something we expected when we rang in the new year for 2020. Who would have known there would be a toilet paper shortage and Walmart would be an essential business. Wearing a mask everywhere you went, restaurants closed, churches closed! Let's hope this year is better for everyone.

Last year we had to cancel quite a bit for the community. We did not have the spring cleanup and lunch after. The yard sales were cancelled due to Covid. We did have the golf cart parade which is always a fun time! This year we hope to get back on schedule and be able to get together as a community once again.





Even with Covid still lingering in the fall, we did manage to get in a workday and have the Besty Henley fish fry. For the workday lots of jobs were done to make some improvements as well as just cleaning up the area. Ricky Boyd built some steps going into the storage unit at Caron Park as well as some sturdy shelves inside to make more room. The gutters were cleaned out and sticks picked up. A few trees were cut down that were in bad shape and a new swing set was installed. The cemetery was a big project. A large pine tree went down in the cemetery spring of 2019. The tree damaged the fencing, but it did not harm any of the tombstones in the cemetery. The new fencing was suggested by Paul Booth and it looks great! A BIG thanks to everyone who came out to help and Pumpkin too.





After all the work was done it was time to eat, and we did! The food was great and so was the company. Finally, nice to get together with our neighbors. We missed y'all!



The Apollo Shores Board would also like to mention that we are looking to do some improvements to the pavilion at Caron Park. I believe at the annual meeting last year it was brought up to make the pavilion larger. The board is considering adding to the pavilion by extending the concrete out to make a seating area with a firepit. The concrete picnic table will be relocated, and that area will extend out with the firepit at the end and enough room for seating around it. A handicap ramp will also be added for access to anyone who may need to use it. If you have any questions or suggestions, contact any board member. This will be voted on at the annual meeting in August.

2021 Calendar of Events

Spring workday – March 27th 9am at Caron Park (Coffee and donuts)

Community Yard Sale – May 14th and 15th from 9am- 4pm

July 4th Golf Cart Parade and Picnic – Caron Park at 11am is the start of the parade with a picnic to follow. Hamburgers and hotdogs served, bring a dish to share.

Annual Meeting – August 21st Caron Park. Meeting at 11am with lunch to follow. Hamburgers and hot dogs will be served. Please bring a dish to pass.

Fall Workday/Fish Fry – October 23rd at 9am at Caron Park.

Coffee and donuts in the morning and fish fry around 12pm, please bring a dish to share.

These dates may change due to weather or other issues. If you have not attended any of these functions, please join us. It's a great way to meet your neighbors and enjoy the park.

Hope to see you all there!



If you are on [Facebook](#), Apollos Shores has a page just for our community. Residents share pictures and information that you might find interesting. If you need a cup of sugar or information in the neighborhood, it's a great place to ask.

The community also has a website. If you visit the website <https://apolloshores.org>, you will find the Event Calendar, current Board Member with pictures so you can recognize them, Information and newsletters, plus photos of the community.

Check it out!!

GET ON BOARD

The Apollo Shores Board will have 2 positions open this year. Elections are at the annual meeting scheduled for August 21st. If you are interested in becoming a board member please contact a current board member or send an email to apolloshores@gmail.com.

Duties of a board member include:

1. Plan and conduct gathering & neighborhood cleanup days.
2. Communicating new and information to the board and community.
3. Making improvements within the community.
4. Support compliance with the covenants and bylaws of the community.
5. Managing annual dues assessments and responsible use of the association treasury.
6. Support to property owners, if necessary.

Current board members are:

President – Trese Lee (tresalee@bellsouth.net)

1st Vice President – John Birkel (birkel2000@gmail.com)

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Janie May (janierose07@yahoo.com) **Tim Koons** (landsurveyor2004@bellsouth.net)

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Please contact any board member if you are interested in a board position or if you have any questions or concerns.

Best Regards,

Apollo Shores Board