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Thomas Sims

Modernism Co-Chair –
Mark Gold



Indian Canyons Neighborhood Organization (ICNO) Newsletter

Hot Topic!!

Indian Canyons Neighborhood Mixer

April 9, 2022

March 3, 2022

Dear Neighbors,

Our Spring ICNO Cocktail Party will be held on Saturday, April 9, from 4:30pm - 7:30pm. It has again been extended for half an hour due to overwhelming requests. The party hosts will be our generous neighbors, Jack Steinheimer and Chad Bennett, who have graciously opened their beautiful home at 2364 S. Yosemite Drive, also known as "Mi Sueno." This home has an enormous backyard/entertaining space that can easily accommodate large groups of people.

Communication/Social
Media – Jack Johnson

Web-Site – OPEN

Historian – Arlene
Young

*Board Members at
Large*

Kenny Cohen

Mike Dixon

Please join us for this semi-annual Indian Canyons Neighborhood Organization (ICNO) mixer, which includes cocktails, beer, wine and catered bites provided by Lynn Hammond Catering, owned and operated by a former Indian Canyons resident. This is a terrific way to get to know and stay connected with many of our fantastic, diverse and interesting neighbors.

There is a \$20 fee for each attendee, homeowners, and guests (as discussed in the January annual business meeting). Due to the overwhelming success of the last two parties prior to COVID (>200 attendees), we strongly recommend that you purchase your tickets in advance to avoid any long lines:

1. Go to the HOME page on our website at <http://psicno.org/>
2. Click on the registration link at the top of the page and register ALL attendees & your guests
3. Click the Paypal link to pay via Paypal or Credit Card OR bring a check with you to the party.

Note that you do not need a PayPal account – the link provides an option to pay via credit card. If you would prefer to pay via check, please RSVP by replying to this email indicating the number of guests, and bring the check with you to the event. Do not mail your check as it may result in a delay in processing and an incomplete guest list.

Please Register/Pay/ by Friday, April 1, so we can get an accurate head count for catering. The last four parties were our most well attended events ever and if the number of attendees remains the same, we will again have THREE bartenders.

If you are not already a member or sponsor of ICNO and would like to contribute to our efforts, there will be membership forms available at the event.

Many thanks to all the great people who support this wonderful neighborhood, and we look forward to seeing you there.

Steve Bryan
Social Event Chairman
steve@desertluxuryconcierge.com

Last Month's Board Meeting Summary

Monthly Board Meeting. Saturday, February 12, 2022

Location: via Zoom

Board Members Present: Steve Villa, Doug Patterson, Carolyn Lumber, George Doomany, Arlene Young, Dee Ann McCoy, Mark Gold, Jerry Nies, Kenny Cohen, Steve Bryan

Board Members absent: Bruce Moccia, Mike Dixon

Also, present: Committee Chairs Thomas Simms Modernism Co-Chair, Michael Alcenius

George Doomany - Treasurer's Report

George presented a proposed 2022 budget for board review. Membership signup and sponsorships continue to be received. We are approaching last year's total members/sponsors; however, we are still short. Average sponsor donation is close to last year. Additional revenue includes a donation from Apple TV for \$1000.00 to impacting the neighborhood during filming. Modernism ticket sale revenue continues to build and will finalize after "at the door" and last-minute ticket sales are counted. Final budget will be presented at the March board meeting.

Steve Villa, ONEPS update 2/08/22

The ONEPS picnic will be held on March 11 from 11-2 in Ruth Hardy Park. ONEPS is still looking for additional neighborhood involvement and restated the cost of \$35.00 which includes the table costs. Additional volunteers are needed for the event. Any homeowner can volunteer. Lisa Middleton spoke on the upcoming city council meeting would be critical for several issues including the College of the Desert, Covid restrictions moving forward, and current redistricting efforts underway. City Manager Justin Clifton spoke on the new Navigation Center, which was approved with Martha's Kitchen chosen as the provider. The council is sensitive to the neighborhoods impact and will be working closely with those neighborhoods for input. Riverside county has uncovered additional discrepancies in the reporting of covid cases and will be adjusting some of the numbers missing back thru Dec 2021. Police Chief Mills then spoke on the importance of the upcoming community meetings the police department would be holding by district in the upcoming weeks. These meetings are critical in two ways. First to layout the mission statement for the Palm Springs police department, and second to define crime fighting priorities by district. The city will be divided into three Police districts with a manager for each area. North, Central and South. The Police department will be providing data on crime in each district to assist in the setting of these priorities. Palm Springs Disposal spoke on the upcoming food waste disposal requirement. The new date for implementation is Oct 1, 2022. Residences will be contacted for the ordering of the new containers required. Three sizes will be available. Additional information will be sent to each homeowner to clarify what goes in each of the now three disposal containers. More to come on this subject.

Steve Bryan, Party Update

Final discussion and go ahead was given for a Spring Party to take place on April 9th.

Mark Gold, Modernism Update

As of this date 322 tickets had been sold and we now anticipate we may reach our 400-sellout total. Last minute guests can pay onsite the day of the tour using either cash, paypal, check or on the Modernism website. This year's price increase to \$120.00 per ticket has proved no issue. Three classic cars will be on hand to be stationed at three of the houses. The docent thankyou party has been moved into March and details to follow.

Doug Patterson Business Update

Doug requested a \$2000.00 budget approval for ICNO website improvements. It was seconded and approved. \$5000.00 was requested for 3 mailouts for the following. Affiliate program and 2 for the ICNO membership annual drive. It was moved and approved.

Carolyn Lumber

Discussion on the possibility for use of funds to assist the tribe in the improvement of the cart path entrances to the golf course. After discussions with the tribe management, Phil and Gene responded they were open to our involvement and support to improve the entrances.

Doug Patterson Board Elections/various

A new vote confirming board members was held. All board members will retain their current positions. After the vote it was determined that Arlene Young was stepping down from the board, and a new board member Michael Alcenius was elected to fill the open position. A new committee of Historian was created to improve the history information on the neighborhood, and course. Arlene Young was elected to head this new committee. Also, a committee on Communication/marketing was also formed and will include Michael Alcenius and DeeAnn McCoy.

City Council Speed Reduction Initiative

Mayor Lisa Middleton announced passage of a city ordinance that permits the reduction of speed limits for some streets. Currently, there are 36 streets slated for consideration – a few are in our neighborhood. A public relations event unveiling the new speed signs will be announced soon.

Other Topics

Upcoming Board Meetings (Zoom meeting links and/or instructions will be sent out prior. All ICNO members are invited to attend) All meetings are on Saturdays, 9:00 AM – 10:00 AM PST unless otherwise noted.

April 16

May 14

June 18

August 13

September 17

October 15

November 12

December 17th

Recent Mailer from the City of Palm Springs



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Palm Springs, CA 92262



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DEPARTMENT OF SPECIAL PROGRAM COMPLIANCE - 2022 REMINDER

Vacation Rental Warning - Certificate Required!

Dear Palm Springs Homeowner:

An owner who desires to rent, exchange, trade, gift, or grant a guest stay for a period of 28 consecutive days (27 consecutive nights) or less must obtain an annual registration certificate for a Vacation Rental or a Homeshare property issued by the City of Palm Springs plus a Transient Occupancy Tax Permit.

Any homeowner who advertises or operates a Vacation Rental without a Vacation Rental Registration Certificate shall be fined in the amount of \$5,000 and will be permanently ineligible to operate a Vacation Rental in the City.

Back payment of transient occupancy tax, including without limitation penalties and interest, will also be applicable. No courtesy notices or warnings are given.

You can learn more about the Vacation Rental Ordinance, access department reports, and important communication by visiting our website at www.psvacationrentalcompliance.com

Feel free to contact us directly at (760) 322-8382 or by email at vacation.rentals@palmspringsca.gov

IF YOU ARE EXPERIENCING PROBLEMS WITH A VACATION RENTAL, PLEASE CALL OUR HOTLINE AT (760) 322-8383 FOR ASSISTANCE.

- You may call the Vacation Rental Hotline 24/7 to report disturbances. The City will investigate, dispatch an officer, and issue a citation if warranted.
- Call during the disturbance.
- Please do not call the Police in a non-emergency situation.
- Provide Vacation Rental property address.
- Describe the disturbance.
- Allowing access to your yard will help us witness any violation.

COMMON QUESTIONS AND CONCERNS:

- Amplified MUSIC is not allowed outside of a Vacation Rental unit. Music may not be heard at the property lines at any time of the day (that includes music coming from inside the home).
- Only one car is allowed per bedroom. Vehicles may be parked in the garage, driveway, or on the street.



Recent Article on Short Term Rentals in The Palm Springs Post:

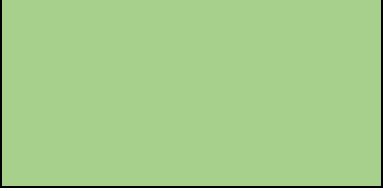
<https://thepalmspringspost.com/city-leaders-preparing-to-wade-back-into-issue-of-short-term-vacation-rentals/>

Palm Springs Art Museum News

- Online timed slot reservations no longer required.
- Entrance fees can be paid at the door.
- Evidence of vaccination is not required but you will be asked to attest to the fact that you have been fully vaccinated. Masks are still required.
- Thursday evenings from 5:00 PM – 7:00 PM are still free. Sponsored by the City of Palm Springs.
- **Spring** Exhibition Opening Dinner on April 20, Opening Reception on April 21. Information and tickets and sponsorship can be purchased online at <https://www.psmuseum.org/events/programs-events>
- Diane Schuur and the Coachella Valley Symphony will preform “It’s a Schuur Thing” at the Annenberg Theatre on May 1, 2022 at 3:00-5:00 PM. Purchased tickets at <https://www.psmuseum.org/events/cv-symphony-may22?date=2022-05-01>.

Palm Springs Animal Shelter News

- Faux Fur Ball – annual dinner/dance will be held at the Palm Springs Air Museum on April 2, 2022. More information at <https://www.fauxfurball.org/>. This signature fundraising event brings animal lovers together for a festive evening celebrating a world where all animals are treated with kindness, compassion and respect
- Are you ready for a little Spring cleaning? Is your garage full of items you no longer need? Are you moving and have some things you’d like to get rid of? Well, then we have the PERFECT solution for you! Donate your items to our Yard Sale, benefiting the Palm Springs



Animal Shelter. Saturday and Sunday, April 30 and May 1, 2022 Palm Springs Animal Shelter Parking Lot, 4575 E. Mesquite Ave., Palm Springs 92262. To donate items, please send an email to yardsale@psanimalshelter.org