



# South Cirby Neighborhood Association

October 2021 SCNA Newsletter – Member of RCONA

## SCNA General Meeting and Election

Guest Speaker – Suzanne Jones

Placer County District 4 Supervisor

Tuesday, October 12th, 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Crestmont Park Pavilion



Meet your neighbors and your Placer County Supervisor at this meeting. In addition to her presentation, she will welcome your comments or concerns. Roseville Police and Fire will provide a neighborhood update unless they are on a call for service. **Please bring lawn chairs for your comfort!**

## SCNA Bylaws and Election of Board Members

SCNA board members have been reviewing the bylaws dated July 2013 and have determined that an update is needed. The current bylaws are available at [www.scna.rcona.com](http://www.scna.rcona.com). The proposed amendment (using the RCONA bylaws template) will be available for review at the October 12<sup>th</sup> General Meeting and Election. If you would prefer to review the proposed amendment prior to this meeting, email [southcirbyneighborhoodwatch@gmail.com](mailto:southcirbyneighborhoodwatch@gmail.com) to request a copy.

All residents are encouraged to review the Slate of Candidates at [www.scna.rcona.com](http://www.scna.rcona.com) by clicking on Slate of Candidates at the top of the home page. Only one vote per developed lot or business will be allowed and the voter must be present at the October 12<sup>th</sup> General Meeting and Election. We hope to see you; we need your vote!

Don't forget SCNA meets the  
2nd Tuesday of every month  
(except December)  
7:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.  
Crestmont Park (until further notice)  
\*For comfort, please bring lawn chairs.

## Fall Home Improvement Tips

Autumn is the key time to evaluate your home exterior and prepare it for the harsh winter months ahead. To get your house ready, start by giving your exterior a thorough review. Everything should be checked, cleaned up and made ready to handle Mother Nature when she comes blowing in within the next few months.

1. Evaluate your roof. Look for missing or loose shingles, deterioration of asphalt shingles along with mold, algae or splitting of real wood shingles.
2. Clean your gutters. Get leaves and gunk out now so that gutters won't get backed up and make sure all downspouts are clean and connected.
3. Check your siding and trim. Make sure there are no rotting boards or insect infestations in any wood exterior products. Determine if a new paint job is needed.
4. Seal up windows and doors. Make sure your windows and doors have strong weather-stripping in place with energy-efficient glass that is still working.
5. Check chimney and fireplace. Make sure chimney is clear of branches and debris with spark arrestor installed – consider having flue professionally cleaned.
6. Spend time with your landscaping. Remove dead leaves and underbrush around the house and garden area. Trim back trees and bushes away from the house.

## The Password Paradox and Your Identity Security

A little-known fact: October is **Cybersecurity Awareness Month**

Do all your passwords contain special numbers and characters? Do you change them every 90 days? Chances are they don't, and you haven't and yet the chances are too that you have been following this password advice for many years— but yet it still may not be keeping your accounts safe anymore.

How do you create them? How do you store them? Are they easy to find between devices such as your computer and your phone?

To protect your passwords, many cybersecurity experts recommend that you use a "Password Manager". There are several you can find on the internet. A short list to name a few is **LastPass, Keeper, and 1Password.**

A mismanaged or weak password system is not only vulnerable to accessing accounts you want private, or the potential loss of money but also *identity theft*. The easiest and most secure way to help in protecting your identity is to "Freeze" your credit. This can easily be (and needs to be) completed at each credit bureau – **Transunion, Equifax and Experian.** At a minimum, search the internet for further information.

Since it is **Cybersecurity Awareness Month**, the SCNA would like you to be aware of securing your digital assets (passwords) and your personal identity like maintaining a safe neighborhood.

## SCNA's Fifth Annual Neighborhood Garage Sale

**Saturday, October 2nd, 8 a.m.- 1 p.m.**

Mark your calendar for this neighborhood event. We are excited to be able to hold it this year. Thank you for your past participation whether you were a registrant, shopper, volunteer or donor! If you have something you'd like to donate to represent your business, we would love to include it in the raffle the day of the sale. Email us for additional information.

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## Board Members:

President, Marilyn Floyd  
Vice President, Reid Allen  
Secretary, Colleen Cole  
Treasurer, Nick Castle  
Member At Large, LaRon Golden  
RCONA Rep., Marilyn Floyd  
RCONA Alt. Rep., Nick Castle  
RCONA Alt. Rep., Colleen Cole

## Phone Numbers:

**Roseville Emergency**  
911 or 916-786-6444  
**Police Non-Emergency**  
916-774-5000 Ext.1  
**Fire Non-Emergency**  
916-774-5800  
**Crime Stoppers**  
916-783-7867  
**Animal Control**  
916-774-5090  
**Water Waste**  
916-774-5761  
**Call Before You Dig**  
811



**Halloween Safety Tips**

- S**tay in groups
- C**ostumes should be well fitting and flame resistant
- A**lways test makeup
- R**emember to look both ways when crossing streets
- E**xamine all treats before eating
- S**tay on sidewalks when possible
- A**void dark houses
- F**lashlights + glowsticks for visibility
- E**njoy with caution!

American Safety Council

We would love to hear from YOU! Have a great idea, project or event you would like your neighborhood association to work on? Email [southcirbyneighborhoodwatch@gmail.com](mailto:southcirbyneighborhoodwatch@gmail.com).



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