

# POLO RUN CONNECTION



October/November 2007

## From the Board

This years Annual Meeting was held on Sept. 15 and over 40 households were represented.

The election results for board members are as follows:

Pam Hallowell Re-elected

Sally Tichota Re-elected

Paul Howald Elected

Thank you to Gary England for serving the past 2 years.

Newly elected to the ARC—Nancy van Hall

Thank you Karma Dingman for the many years you have served on the ARC.

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The minutes from the annual meeting have been posted on our website at: [www.polurunrec.org](http://www.polurunrec.org)

The next board meeting will take place on October 23<sup>rd</sup>, 7 p.m. at Pam Hallowells.

# Happy Thanksgiving

## Volunteer Opportunities---Please Consider Getting Involved!

We are in search of a group of homeowners to take over the "Luminary" ordering and distribution for our 2<sup>nd</sup> annual Luminary Lighting on Dec. 24<sup>th</sup>.

Last year we were a bit handicapped since the snow, wind and cold temperatures kept many from even setting theirs out. While we contemplated shelving the project for this year, many of you have asked us to keep it going...so, if we can find someone to chair this event, and a few others that would assist the chair, we can carry on

with the 2<sup>nd</sup> annual lighting of the luminaries' on Christmas Eve. The few that did get lit last year made their streets magical...We would love to see our entire neighborhood lit this year! Contact Becky Newman if you are interested: 303.796.7755

# Luminaries Luminaries

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## Board Member Directory

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### Your Current Board Members:

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Nancy Van hall 720.489.8824  
[vanhall@hotmail.com](mailto:vanhall@hotmail.com)

## Holiday Neighborhood Party

Get ready; it is time for the 2<sup>nd</sup> annual Polo Run Neighborhood Party complete with a Horse and wagon ride!

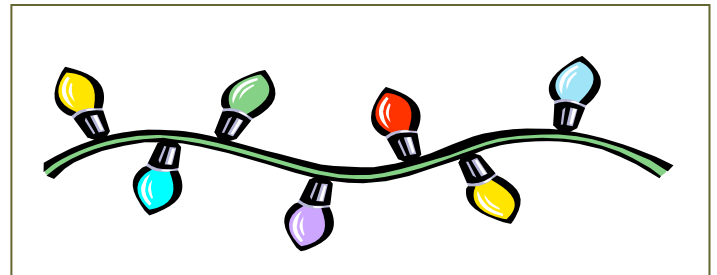
Mark your calendars:

DATE: December 9<sup>th</sup>, Time T B A

Because many of you requested friends and family be allowed to attend, we heard you and agree that it would be an asset to have friends and family join in this celebration of the season! So invite them and let's have some fun!

The committee asks that everyone plan to bring a snack, cookie or other munchies. Hot Chocolate and Hot Cider will be served.

More details forthcoming! Watch



for emails from "PoloRunConnection"

**THE LIGHTING CONTEST** will also take place during the Horse and Wagon ride, so get those lights up and lets really light up the neighborhood this year! Prizes will be awarded again this

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## Cookie Exchange



Guys and Gals, it is time to get ready for the annual Polo Run Cookie Exchange.

This year it will be held at the home of Bob and Sue Mitchell, 7994 S. Clayton Circle on December 10<sup>th</sup>—7 p.m.

This year we are reducing the number of cookies for you to bake to 5 dozen instead of the 7 dozen we usually do. Many mom's and dad's work outside the home and 7 dozen can be too much, so let's do 5 dozen and maybe an extra dozen to bring to the Holiday Party on the 9th. In return,

"A balanced diet is a cookie in each hand"

*Unknown*

you will take home a wonderful assortment to share with your family and friends. Make sure you bring empty trays or containers to take your cookies home in.

Please RSVP to Sue @ 303.771.6603

This is a great project to do with your kids or grandkids....have fun and we will see you there!

## Dinner Club



October 27<sup>th</sup>---Our kick off and Halloween Party!

For those of you who have participated in the Dinner Club in the past you all know this not a gourmet dinner club but a social dinner club with the emphasis on getting to know neighbors and have some fun while enjoying dinner together. The Dinner Club meets about six times a year. Each time we gather there is a "theme" for the gathering/dinner. This year some neighbors volunteered to come up with the 2007-2008 "themes". They determined it would be fun to do a mix on "in-home" dinners and dinners where everyone gets together at a specific location with dinner served.

So, if you have not yet signed up to be involved with the Polo Run Dinner Club, contact Nancy van Hall @ 720-489-8824 or by email @ [vanhaul@hotmail.com](mailto:vanhaul@hotmail.com) and get signed up!

The themes are as follows:

October 27<sup>th</sup>, 2007—Halloween  
 January 26<sup>th</sup>, 2008—Bunko night with chili  
 March 15<sup>th</sup>, 2008—Italian Night  
 May 18<sup>th</sup>, 2008—Brunch  
 August 16<sup>th</sup>, 2008—South American Night  
 October 4<sup>th</sup>, 2008—Oktoberfest

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The following homeowners signed up at the annual meeting to be on a committee as follows:

**Holiday Party:** Christina Mellott; Helene Schmidt and Pam Hallowell.

**Garage Sale:** Bill & Nancy Haas; Mike Rauschkolb

**Newsletter Editor:** Nancy Van hall

**4<sup>th</sup> of July Celebration:** Howalds; Nudelman's and Cary's

If you would like to serve on one of these committee's, please contact someone on the committee to get your name added. Each committee will be responsible for appointing a chairperson. 4<sup>th</sup> of July and Garage Sale both have binders with past years information. Please contact Becky Newman at 303.796.7755 to obtain those binders.

*"Volunteers are not paid -- not because they are worthless, but because they are priceless."*

## Trash and Recycle Schedule



Trash—**Oct.**—26<sup>th</sup>

Trash—**November**-- 2<sup>nd</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup>, 16<sup>th</sup>, 24<sup>th</sup>—Sat. due to Thanksgiving, 30<sup>th</sup>

Recycle—**November**—2<sup>nd</sup>, 16<sup>th</sup>, 30<sup>th</sup>

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year. The categories are: Best Illuminated, Most Creative and Most Fun! Let's see some competition this year!



## Polo Run Garden Club

Polo Run residents,

Have more than a passing interest in landscaping and/or gardening? Want to share your enthusiasm with friends and neighbors?

If you answered yes, then please join us for the first meeting of the **Polo Run Landscape and Garden Club!**

Where: 8032 S Clayton Circle  
 When: November 7, 2007  
 Time: 7 p.m.

You need not be a master gardener or even an avid one to get involved. You might simply like to get your hands dirty, learn more about nature's beauty, or perhaps just get tips on how to improve the look of your landscape. The exact focus of the club is awaiting your input. Here, however, are some suggested ideas on club activities, goals, etc.:

- Encourage interests in all aspects of home landscaping and gardening
- share knowledge on Colorado horticulture, including plant selection/care and landscaping techniques
- plan/oversee a semi-annual plant & seed swap.
- involvement (on some level) with the maintenance/design/installation of landscaping in Polo Run common areas.
- advice/consultation on landscaping/gardening projects and issues for Polo Run residents.
- organize/administer annual Polo Run garden tour
- be a source/clearing house for resources relating to Colorado gardening and landscaping
- negotiate with local garden centers for Polo Run group discounts
- group tours of Colorado area gardens
- arrange contractor discounts for common landscape needs (e.g., aerating, sprinkler blow-outs, etc.)

If you're interested in attending, please RSVP by Oct 31st. Also, please respond with or bring your ideas and comments on club focus and activities. If you are unable to attend, let us know and we'll include you in future mailings.

Hope to see you then!

Michael Jones  
 8035 S Clayton Circle  
 303-325-7625

Nancy Haas  
 8032 S Clayton Circle  
 303-973-1639

# Go Rockies!!!!



## Snow Shoveling.....

The PRRA Board is looking for someone to shovel or snow blow the sidewalk in front of the pool property.

WE are looking for someone who can do the snow shoveling in the morning prior to school or work, and if the snow continued through out the day, shoveling would need to be done again after school or work. This person must be reliable and self motivated so that a phone call to get shoveling done **does not** need to be made each time it snows.

If you are interested in this job opportunity, please submit your “bid” for shoveling, calculated as a per shovel amount by Nov. 1 to Becky Newman @ 7993 S. Clayton Circle, or [www.polorunconnection@yahoo.com](mailto:www.polorunconnection@yahoo.com). If you have any questions you can contact Becky.



**Reminder: If you need someone to shovel your walks this year, the following persons in our neighborhood are available:**

Tim Chilton	303.779.6174
Austin Goerke	303.779.5862
Robbie Greenberg	303.221.5306
Carly Sloboth	303.694.6487
Tyler Sloboth	303.694.6487
Matt Wood	303.794.0487

If you would like to be added to this list, please contact [www.polorunconnection@yahoo.com](mailto:www.polorunconnection@yahoo.com)