

Stonegate E-Mail News of 7-13-06

Stonegate Parade of Homes for Sale

This Sunday, July 16, at least 18 homes for sale in Stonegate will offer open houses from 1PM until 4PM.

Expect to see a bit more traffic than an average Sunday afternoon – and Realtors' signs in driveways. Normally, Stonegate does not allow Realtors to use their own signs. But because of the size of this event, a one-time exception has been made.

We will hold the Community Center open during the event. Other than that, all recreational facilities will operate as usual.

A False Sense of Security

The most important fact about Stonegate security is that there's no such thing. No kidding, that's a fact. The Safeguard people at our gate handle *vehicle access control*, not security.

This goes far beyond matters of terminology. This can never be a *secured community* because public trails run through it. We'd like to believe that hikers and bike riders from outside Stonegate never leave the trails, but there's nothing to stop them.

Stonegate does not maintain a security force to come out when something suspicious happens. The City of Scottsdale, however, has a police station just down the road. Call (480) 312-5000 to report a problem, or 911 if it's an emergency.

Brush Collection

Our next brush and bulk collection will be the week of August 14. The city will pick up your trimmings and other items, curbside in front of your home. The visitor parking areas in Tamarack, Belcourt and Saddleback must not be used as storage for clippings and debris.