

Stonegate Email News of 12/15/06

More Shipping News

AIM Mail Service (a resident-owned business) will be at the Stonegate Community Center again **this Saturday, December 16, 10AM until 2PM**. They can answer your questions about deliver and ship air or ground, UPS, Fed Ex or USPS. No lines. And they're giving 10% to 20% discounts on UPS and Fed Ex.

Party, Party!

Two great parties last week. Most of what Nora took is posted on our website, www.stonegate-scottsdale.com

Go to the SCA Today page. Choose events. At the top of the page, give it a click where it says "Click Here." That will bring up the Main Gallery. Pictures of the grown-ups first, then the kids. If Peggy Murphy photographed your kids, you should already have received them by email. If you did not, contact Peggy at (480) 205-6285 or email her at peggymurphy@kw.com

If the Grass is Always Greener . . .

Winter rye is supposed to be very, very green. If yours isn't, there are three possible problems:

(1) Fertilizer. The grass needs nourishment to make all that chlorophyll. Feed it every 2 – 4 weeks.

(2) Overwatering. Water washes the nutrients down where the grass can't reach them. You needed a lot of water to make the grass come in. If you didn't change the clock, you may still be watering more than once a day, which is counterproductive.

(3) Bugs. They love the roots. Take a trowel and check a couple of places in the lawn. If you find bugs, take 'em to the guru at the garden shop, who will happily sell you just the right stuff to get rid of them.

Trash Containers

The black cans go out on Wednesdays. The pink ones on Fridays. They should not be visible from the front of the house on other days. Trash containers should be kept out of public view on non-collection days, stored in your garage or behind your side-yard gates. It really makes a difference in how the community looks.

News Flash!

The Verizon design review hearing yesterday was continued at the request of City Manager Jan Dolan, prior to the meeting, to allow city staff to research the original park uses, and conditions placed on the power corridor property.

Assistant City Manager Neal Shearer told Larry Paprocki, Stonegate's Executive Director, that city senior staff will review the matter next week. Since this has been in the city's hands for the past several months, we can't help wondering why the public process is being delayed.

We will give you a more complete update soon.