

Stonegate Email News of 2009-11-03

An Affair of the Arts. It's this Saturday, November 7, 11AM to 3PM.

The final count is an impressive 31 Stonegate artists. They range from very serious fine artists represented in prestigious galleries to crafters who delight in creating unique fashions, decor and jewelry. Sponsor/organizer Ann Fitzpatrick says there will be many excellent door prizes, as well as a fun atmosphere and lots of terrific buys in all price ranges, just in time for the holidays. So plan to come. Bring friends. You'll enjoy seeing what your talented neighbors have created.

Artists represented:

Barbara Teich
Betty Leonelli, Windemere
Bob Okinow, Windcrest
Celeste Colloca, Regent
Deena Goldstein, Staff
Elaine Lazinsk, Regent
Ellie Aronow, Belcourt
Esther Cirilo, Regent
Gordon Guss, Belcourt
Harvey Bream, Regal
Ilene Kornblue, Retreat
Jeanette Ptacek, Tamarack
Kali Higgins, Saddleback
Kate Secrest, Regent
Kay Frances, Saddleback

Lois Zuckerman, Tradewinds
Linda Robbins, Regent
Marcie Murphy, Regent
Mary Daley, Tamarack
Nancy Stone, Tamarack
Natalie Ahearn, Reserve
Nora Perry, Tradewinds
Sandy LaBauve, Retreat
Sharon Grodnick, Staff
Sheila Bryton, Windcrest
Sherrie Bak, Windemere
Tanya Goldenberg, Belcourt
Terry Lehman, Retreat
Victoria Heegaard, Tamarack
Wendy Mesaros, Vintage

Stonegate requires over-seeding for front yard turf.

If you haven't started your winter lawn yet, you've hit a lucky break. The weather is still warm enough. But every day you wait increases the possibility that you'll face several long months of ugly, brown grass in front of your house, neighbors who aren't thinking kind thoughts about you and, of course, a fine which could've been avoided.

Green Tips: Green math – winter edition.

- If you're just establishing your winter lawn, you can do it on much less water than you would've needed a month ago. Two waterings a day, five minutes each should do it if there's no slope.
- Once the lawn is established, you can set the clock back to one five-minute cycle per day. A slope may require two cycles of three minutes each.

- Your well-established winter lawn needs feeding every month with a 21-7-14 fertilizer. Extra watering cycles are helpful right after feeding.
- To avoid the fungal problem called rust, avoid watering at night or late in the day.
- By mid-November, you should be able to greatly reduce the amount of water you supply to your desert plants. You may even be able to shut the water off entirely for several months.

Movie of the week: The Movie Discussion Group will meet again next Monday, November 10 at 4PM. They'll talk about *Yoo-Hoo*, *Mrs. Goldberg*, playing this weekend at the Camelview.