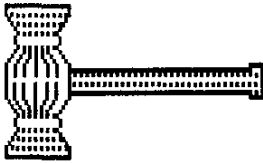


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A LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT

THEY SAID IT COULDN'T BE DONE!! But, on Mothers Day, for the first time since Eden Isles Corp. sold their interests to Landmark Development, all the medians in the subdivision were freshly cut the same time. I can only hope that those who said it couldn't be done, will pitch in and help continue to **DO IT**.

GREENFORCE is now at work for you. You may have seen the big orange lawn mower running around the subdivision cutting medians. Well, its really ours. It will be used from now on to cut all the common grounds. We also acquired a commercial gas edger, and weed eaters to trim. We will acquire additional equipment as funds become available.

Until our program is fully operational, those of you who have been cutting the neutral grounds, please continue to trim them after the big lawn mower passes. There are many tight spots that it cannot cut, and we don't have the program developed enough to do follow up trimming.

Maybe, by the time you read this, we will have most of the common grounds edged and trimmed, and the grass growing in the streets removed. The initial clean-up is back breaking work, but future maintenance will be easy.

Now that we have the equipment, we still are in need of more volunteers to spread the workload around more evenly. We are also in need of additional funding from those of you who haven't made your \$35 contribution for the year. Ultimately, if everyone would contribute their fair share, we would have enough funds to buy a workers compensation insurance policy and hire part time workers to do the work for us.

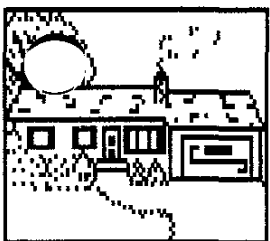
Our next meeting will be held **Tuesday May 26th** at the **Tammany Yacht Club**, above the Marina Cafe, at **7:30 PM**. I look forward to seeing you then.

Seel Menard

E.I.H.O.A. GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

Tues., May 26, 1992 7:30 pm

Tammany Yacht Club



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**General Membership Meeting
Tuesday, May 26, 1992
Tammany Yacht Club
7:30 P.M.**

AGENDA

- I. CALL TO ORDER - 7:30 p.m.**
- II. OFFICERS' REPORTS**
 - 1. Secretary - Reading of the Minutes from the March 1992 E.I.H.O.A. Meeting.
 - 2. Treasurer's Report
- III. COMMITTEE REPORTS**
 - 1. Rodeo Committee - Poker Run IV
 - 2. Security Committee
 - 3. GREENFORCE
 - 4. Welcoming Committee
 - 5. Architectural Control Committees Units 3 and 4
- IV. GUEST SPEAKER**

A representative from the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries will speak on the topic of "Having Fun and Staying within the Law".
- V. POLICE JUROR'S REPORT**
- VI. ADJOURNMENT**

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Please mark your calendars and plan to attend. We look forward to seeing you and working with you.

**A CALL FOR VOLUNTEERS
TO FILL BOARD VACANCIES**

Because of the resignation of two members of the Board of Directors, we must appoint two persons to replace them. It would be helpful if persons wishing to serve on the Board, would come forward and let us know, before we waste alot of time searching for volunteers.

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SECURITY UPDATE

by Marilyn Meier

During the second and third weeks of May we added some weekend guard service hours in order to facilitate traffic occasioned by the St. Tammany Parade of Homes event. Service was concentrated at the Marina Drive entrance to assist cars coming off the Interstate who were unfamiliar with the subdivision and needed directions. Wouldn't it be nice if ALL the builders and realtors who benefitted from this service made a contribution to Security?

We hope you parents out there have noticed the "No Diving" and "No Fishing" signs on all bridges in Eden Isles. Please make sure your daredevil children are aware that jumping off the bridges is now expressly prohibited by Parish ordinance, and that the law will be enforced by the Sheriff's Department.

The shrubbery on the Eden Isles Drive neutral ground near Marina Drive took a double "hit" this month. Once again, a reckless (and probably intoxicated) driver wiped out a good section of plants, and a short distance from that area, fire caused considerable damage to the landscape. Hard to imagine that some people are so careless and uncaring.

With the boating season upon us, it is a good time to remember those SOBER facts: over 1,000 people die in boating accidents every year, and about half of those deaths involve alcohol. Not only are you more likely to fall overboard when you're drinking, but alcohol reduces your body's ability to protect against cold water and, within minutes, you may not be able to call for help or swim to safety. Operating a vessel while intoxicated became a federal offense in 1988. And don't forget, under certain conditions and within specific time limits, the operator of a vessel is required by law to file a formal, written report of a boating accident with local authorities.

We are grateful to Committee members, **Ina Graff, Mary Lou Koch,**

Edna Mae LeBlanc, Betty Evans, Irene Ersek, and Dolly Wortman, as well as pinch-hitter, **Pam White,** for their invaluable assistance in getting out the second quarter invoices and helping with the processing of payments. This is always a BIG JOB and, without these community-spirited volunteers, would be impossible to accomplish. I personally log approximately 100 hours per quarter in service on this committee.

I want to take this opportunity to publicly and personally thank **Mary Lou and Ray Koch** for their generous contribution of time and spirit while they have been part of our subdivision. We have been considerably enriched by their presence among us, and their unflagging commitment to leave Eden Isles a better place than they found it is evident throughout the community...in the work with the Homeowners' Association, specifically, with the Welcoming Committee, Security and Fishing Rodeo, not to mention the beautification of Moonraker Drive. Louisiana's loss is Colorado's gain. You have been good neighbors and wonderful friends, and we wish you good luck, good health and much happiness in your new retirement home.

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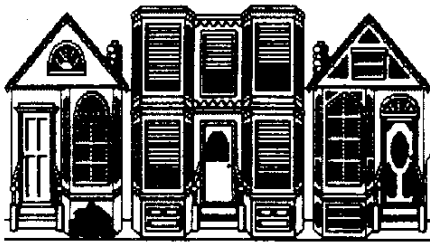
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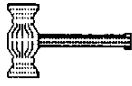

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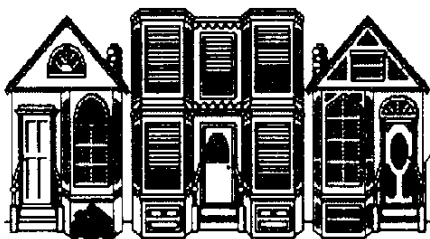


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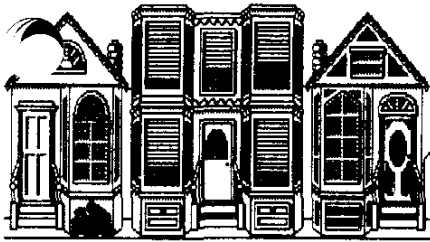
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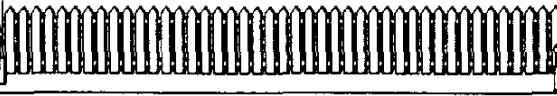


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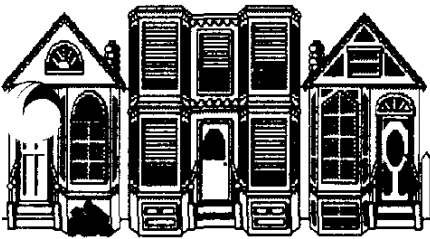


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by Ginny Moore

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The Welcoming Committee hosted its fifth get-together for our most recent arrivals on April 11th. Sixteen people attended, including many board members. The Forstall's boat house, for which we are most grateful, provided a perfect venue. The plans for our next party will be announced in the July issue of the "Eden Islander."

In the meantime, the Eden Isles Homeowners' Association wishes to welcome the following families who have recently moved into our community:

ROBERT & PEGGY STEWART
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THE EDEN ISLES DIRECTORY; HAVE YOU RECEIVED YOURS?

by Mike Sims

By now every resident homeowner should have received an Eden Isles directory. If you haven't received yours, please feel free to contact myself, **Mike Sims** at 649-4286 or **Sid Menard** at 649-3555.

We are pleased to receive your comments, both good and bad. Of course, nothing is perfect, but with your thoughts and suggestions, the "product" will improve.

Funding for the directory, as well as the legwork for advertising was provided by the Fishing Rodeo Committee. **Bill Roberts**, of NorthShore Marine, and his committee deserve our thanks.

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GARDEN CLUB NEWS
by Brenda Castiglione

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The April meeting of the Eden Isles Garden Club was held at the home of Joy Leto, co-hosted by Ruby Bass.

The ladies held a group flower arranging session. Materials brought by the members were assembled, arranged and critiqued by the more experienced members. This was a good hands-on learning experience.

The Garden Clubbers went off to St. Francisville on April 8th to visit Rosedown Plantation and Gardens and the Afton Villa Gardens. The weather was cooperative and the house and gardens were lovely. Rosedown is a plantation home, built in the early 1800's and beautifully restored. It is surrounded by acres of lovely formal gardens.

The Afton Villa burned to the ground in 1963, but the property's elaborate gardens still flourish with plants and statues creatively incorporated into the ruined foundation itself. The trip was very enjoyable.

Spring gardens and front yards were judged on May 4th. Judging was very difficult and our congratulations go to the following residents:

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Because of the great number of beautifully landscaped yards, several homes deserve **Honorable Mention:**

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Doug's Restaurant was the setting for the May meeting and installation of officers. Officers were installed during a traditional candlelight ceremony. Monthly meetings of the Garden Club will resume in September.

Yard of the month judgments will continue through the summer. Backyards will be judged on Monday, June 1st.

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For additional information on the Eden Isles Garden Club, membership and activities, contact Dianne Saucier at 649-1138.

GREENFORCE REPORT
by Pam White

I hope you have all noticed the progress being made around the subdivision! The lawnmower has been received and paid for. Several volunteers have been trained in its operation (even I can ride it!) and have been busy mowing the common grounds throughout the subdivision. To date, all grounds have been mowed once and we're working on round two. We're also working on a schedule to ensure that all grounds will be cut once every two weeks.

Right now, what we need most is **volunteers!** Volunteers willing to take an occasional shift on the mower; volunteers to walk a neutral ground after it has been mowed, pushing an edger or carrying a weed-whacker; volunteers to adopt and maintain a flowerbed on the boulevard after our initial shape-up. We can accomplish great things around here, if we all work together!

If you are unable to volunteer your time but would like to support us through a

GREENFORCE, continued

monetary contribution, it would be very much appreciated. Checks should be made payable to the **Eden Isles Homeowners' Association-Greenforce Committee**, and forwarded to P.O. Box 2746, Slidell, LA 70459.

I appreciate the support we've received so far and look forward to working with you to help make Eden Isles a neighborhood that we can be proud of. If you have any questions or would like to be a volunteer, please feel free to give me a call: **Pam White** at 649-7214. I would be glad to hear from you.

POLICE JURY NEWS

by Marilyn Meier

Gary F. Rinck, newly elected Police Juror for District 13, was sworn into office on Friday, May 1, 1992, along with all other elected members of the Jury. With the appointment of a full-time person to serve as coordinator/editor, his Police Jury District 13 Newsletter will be swinging into high gear next month. No public funds have been or will be used to publish and/or circulate this newsletter; it will be entirely funded by sponsors and advertisers. It is hoped that the next issue will be out before the end of June.

With respect to Lighting District #7 (Eden Isles, Oak Harbor, and some other areas of the North Shore), you may or may not be aware that the person who administered the District for the Parish (Department of Public Works) had his position eliminated, as it is the Jury's intention to consolidate some jobs in an effort to reduce expenses. The proposed plan for additional street lights has been held up by the Parish, and will be reviewed by Mr. Rinck and some interested citizens before being finalized.

POKER RUN IV

by Bill Roberts

On Saturday, April 4th, at **Phil's Marina Cafe**, the Eden Isles Fishing Rodeo Committee staged its fourth poker run. The great weather helped provide a good time for all of the 88 entrants. A live band performed at the Marina Cafe until approximately 9:30 pm and plenty of dancing took toll on the crowd. Door prizes were in abundance and almost everyone who stayed was a winner.

The winning hand, was incidently the first hand brought in, was a full house belonging to George VanGeffen. George graciously accepted his prize and placed the ten \$100 bills in his wallet. Second place and \$250 was awarded to Donna Leach and third prize of \$100 went to Bob Johnson. A.J. Woniger won \$60 for the worst hand.

Special thanks to all who helped to make this another successful event. The Committee, consisting of myself, Bill Roberts as Chairman, Mike and Mitzie Dooley, Mike Sims, Bob Nelson, Evelyn Appelt, George Kendrick, Cathy Drolla and niece Kristine Fant, Mark and Ginny Moore, Judy Gibney, Mary Anne Roberts, Dave Farrar, Roger and Pam White, Betty Cole, Henry and Irene Eike, Betty Moore, Paul Bourg, Joe and Carmen Nicoletti and John Schluter, have added another credit to their name.

Again, we especially thank Lilac of Bayou View Lounge who put up with us each week during our meetings and who also donated a great Sony portable AM/FM cassette with two speakers, as a door prize.

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