

# ROSSLAND RIDGE REVIEW



2021

# Rossland Ridge Review Editorial Policy

- I. All submissions to the newsletter must be signed by the writer when submitted but do not necessarily have to be published in the newsletter
- II. Opinions expressed in the newsletter reflect the point of view of the writer only and do not necessarily represent the opinion of the newsletter committee or Rossland Ridge Cooperative Homes Inc.
- III. Submissions will not be published which are critical of individual Cooperative members or staff, libellous, racist, sexist or discriminatory.
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- V. The newsletter will not accept paid advertising.
- VI. All material submitted to the newsletter committee becomes the property of the newsletter committee with the exception of photographs.

For more information and inquiries about submission to the Rossland Ridge Review, please contact Sarah in Unit 18

# WE ARE DIGITAL!

The newsletter is finally available online!

Submissions for the newsletter for the following month are to be emailed to

[sarahrmg.sg@gmail.com](mailto:sarahrmg.sg@gmail.com) before the last week of the month!

This is the link to view the newsletter:

<http://www.rosslandridge.org/newsletter/>

Simply type the link into your browser and it will take you to where you can view the newsletter.

The newsletter will also be posted on our co-op Facebook page. Search “Rossland Ridge Co-operative” on Facebook to join. If you need help, don’t hesitate to ask :)

To protect the members privacy, the phone and birthday list will not be included in the digital newsletter. If you require an updated phone list, please contact Shirley Smith in apartment 207.

# Board Report

## **Fall elections:**

We are in need of volunteers to create an election committee; Fall is not far and we will need 3-4 new directors on the board.

As a community we have been very inactive, and we can attribute some of that to the pandemic. However there are opportunities to still participate while still staying safe.

The Board has a group of 7 that have discussed the lack of participation in our community while concerning we also know the hesitancy of volunteering during the last year and a half and moving forward with the new variant. However, most of the committee meetings are done using the internet through online meetings and many of the initiatives can be done outside, with physical distance.

Having just the 7 Board Members to deal with most of the issues without the help of volunteers becomes draining for the Board.

We would like to thank our Committee Chair's and our Committee Liaisons for all their hard work and their dedication. Our committee liaisons and chairpersons are left with the bulk of work. We are asking members to remember that the Co-Op runs smoothly when we are all working together and supporting one another.

We as a board are asking members that instead of complaining to other members about what they feel is not getting done, join us, if we join forces and help out in our committees, our community will thrive..

## **GENERAL MEMBERS MEETING**

We will be hosting our GMM in October along with the elections. At that time, we hope all members join us as we will be going over a year in review, the audited statements etc. Depending on where we are with the pandemic and the rules implemented by the government we will either be hosting it in-person, virtually or perhaps a combination of both.

# *Landscape*

**Hello Neighbours:**

**Fall has officially arrived! We are grateful for those who have helped over this Summer to keep the Co-op looking decent. Please be on the lookout this month for the Fall Clean-up flyer. It is a great way to get your hours for the month.**

**We all have an obligation to Rossland Ridge as members of this fabulous community. You don't have to wait for the Fall clean-up to help contribute. There are a few ways to do this.**

- **Yard and common areas, clean up.**
- **Sweep the streets and clean up curbs**
- **Rake leaves**
- **Pick up garbage**
- **Help a neighbour with their lawn**

**When you complete a task be sure to document and submit your hours.**

**This all helps keep the costs of running the Co-op low, which benefits all of us. Shed keys are available at units 18, 21, and 56.**

**Thanks for your continued cooperation.**



**ED'S**  
**FREE METAL & ELECTRONICS**  
**PICK UP**

 **We Recycle** 

Cars • Trucks • Vans  
B.B.Q.'s • Motorcycles  
Tools • Filing Cabinets  
Wire • Batteries  
Bikes • Pots & Pans  
Exercise Equipment  
Bed Frames • Appliances  
Aluminum • Brass • Copper  
Faucets • Motors  
Electronics & TV's  
Computers • Guns • Ammo  
Knives • Swords  
Lawn Mowers

 **Nothing Too Big  
or Too Small.**   
**We'll Get it All.**

Place items outside,  
close to your home  
or in your garage.  
"Not Near Curb."

**For Pick Up Call**  
**ED**  
**289-928-8706**  
**1 855-346-8706**



# *October Events!*

*All month long: Breast Cancer Awareness  
Month*

*October 11th: Thanksgiving*

*October 11th: Indigenous People's Day*

*October 31th: Halloween*

# Care Committee Is here to help...

- in need of a drive
- appointments
- shop for groceries
- just a visit -
- coffee/tea/chat
- help with a personal emergency

Contact Nicole  
Unit 8  
905-244-0545

Judy from unit 58 says:

"I would like to recognize and thank Bruce & Joanna, Unit 56 for all their help. In addition to cutting grass in the common area, they cut the grass for 3 of their neighbours. Recently they spent 2 days cutting down and digging up the roots of overgrown weeds which had become a real eyesore. Their help continues in the winter when they shovel the sidewalks and parking spots. Thank you for all your help. It is very much appreciated."