

Golden Spike Estates — September 2020

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Every Week: 6:45 am Women's Weight Workout 8:30 am Water Aerobics 9:00 am Pickleball 9:30 am Low Impact Aerobics 2:00 pm Water Aerobics 3:00 pm Line Dancing BAL BAL = Ballroom BR = Billiards Room LIB = Library MR = Media Room	6:45 am Women's Weight Workout 8:30 am Water Aerobics 9:00 am Pickleball 9:30 am Low Impact Aerobics 2:00 pm Water Aerobics 3:00 pm Line Dancing BAL	7:30 am Men's Weight Workout 8:00 am Bocce Ball 8:30 am Water Aerobics 9:00 am Pickleball 5:00 pm Water Volleyball	6:45 am Women's Weight Workout 8:30 am Water Aerobics 9:00 am Pickleball 9:30 am Low Impact Aerobics 10:00 am Horseshoes 2:00 pm Water Aerobics 2:00 pm Line Dancing 101 BAL 3:00 pm Line Dancing BAL 4:00 pm Social Hour BR	7:30 am Men's Weight Workout 8:30 am Water Aerobics 9:00 am Pickleball 4:00 pm Tai Chi	6:45 am Women's Weight Workout 8:30 am Water Aerobics 9:00 am Pickleball 9:30 am Low Impact Aerobics 2:00 pm Water Aerobics 2:00 pm Line Dancing 101 BAL 3:00 pm Line Dancing BAL	7:30 am Men's Weight Workout
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6	7	8	9	10 2:00 pm Book Club BAL <i>Citizen Vince</i> by Jess Walter	11	12
13	14 2:00 pm Discussion Group BR Topic: How will COVID affect your life even after it is managed? <i>All are welcome!</i>	15 10:10 am Needle Nuts BR 4:00 pm Activities Committee BAL	16	17 FLU SHOT CLINIC 6:00 pm Ice Cream and 6:30 Bingo	18	19
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27	28	29 10:10 am Needle Nuts BR	30			

Needle Nuts!

What are Needle Nuts? We are an informal group of stitchers, including knitters and folks who crochet, embroider, or rug hook. And, of course, the quilters, who do piecing, appliqué, and hand sewing. We strive to have fun, share, teach, and encourage needle arts of all types and skill levels.

We meet on the **first and last Tuesday** of each month, and the **third Tuesday** if there are five weeks, in the Clubhouse Billiards Room from 10:10am to 4pm. Be sure to check out the newest addition to the Billiards Room: a changing quilt display provided by members of GSE Needle Nuts.

All GSE residents are welcome to join in our group. There are no dues or meetings. For more information, call Joyce Bissell at (208) 687-4563 or Paula Atwood at (208) 446-6293.



Newsletter & Calendar

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Household Information

The GSE Management team greatly appreciates everyone's cooperation and patience during the seal coating last month. We had some trouble locating the owners of several vehicles, and had to request assistance from the Rathdrum Police Department. This is an example of why the GSE office needs to be kept informed of any changes to your **contact information, vehicle information** (especially license plates), and **people living in your home**. If you're not sure if your information is accurate, feel free to stop by the office and request a copy of what is currently on file. Resident Information Sheets are available on the sign-up sheet table in the Clubhouse.

If you'd like to be kept better informed about happenings here at Golden Spike, make sure you have a current email address on file with us. If you have unsubscribed from the mailing list because you don't want to get the daily activity emails, please let the office know that you want to re-subscribe. You have the option now of only receiving announcements and general information. If you are on the mailing list but have not been receiving messages, check your junk or spam folder. Your email software should allow you to mark messages as "not junk" or add gsefrontdesk@outlook.com to your "safe senders" list.

Please welcome these new neighbors!

Jack & Rachel Beck 13723 N. Grand Canyon Street
Marvin & Tricia Blubaugh 13692 N. Kings Canyon Road
Bev Chapman 8735 W. Yosemite Street
Jill Ettner..... 13478 N. Big Horn Canyon Street
Donna Fritzsche 8641 W. Sawtooth Street
Garnet Prety 8552 W. Bryce Canyon Street
Jerry & Debbie Sherer..... 8505 W. Rushmore Street
Jack & Marilyn Sullivan 8472 W. Sawtooth Street
Carol Townley..... 8513 W. Sawtooth Street

From the Front Desk

Extra Trash Fees are Down!

Thank you for keeping your extra trash to a minimum. Our fees are down significantly. We understand that there are times when it can't be avoided, but we appreciate your help in reducing costs. Keep up the good work!

Please Include Your Lot Number on Rent Payments

Just a reminder that it's very helpful to us when you include your lot number on your rent checks. This is your "account number" with Golden Spike, and it saves a lot of time if we don't have to look it up. We appreciate it!

Contractor Hours

Just a reminder that any contractor work at your home must be done Monday through Saturday between 7:00 am at 7:00 pm, as stated in the Community Guidelines.

Recycling Increase - Re-Revised

In July, we reported that the fee for recycling service was increasing from \$3.00 per month to \$10.00 per month. We were then notified that the new fee would be \$12.00 per month. And now, CDA Garbage has informed us that the "final rate" has been set at \$12.65 per month.

If you have already told the office that you will continue your recycling service at the \$12.00 per month rate, we will assume that you will be keeping it at \$12.65 unless you notify us otherwise.

As a reminder, because GSE is the account holder for the garbage and recycling services, **any changes to your service must go through the GSE office**. Please do not contact CDA Garbage directly.

Flu Shot Clinic

Walgreens will be on site **Thursday, September 17th**, for the flu shot clinic. They will be administering the high-dose "senior" influenza immunization. If you'd prefer the regular immunization or are under 65 and therefore not eligible, indicate this on the sign-up sheet at the Clubhouse. You will be required to wear a mask prior to and during your immunization.

To facilitate social distancing, sign up for a time slot and do not enter the immunization area before that time. Please take an authorization form when you sign up and bring the completed form to your visit to help keep the line moving quickly.

Walgreens will let us know if they are able to provide an on-site clinic for the COVID immunization. It will depend on the availability of the vaccine.

Activities Committee Meeting

The Activities Committee will be meeting this month on **Tuesday, September 15th**, at 4:00 pm in the Clubhouse main ballroom. All residents are welcome at these meetings. If you have ideas for new activities or would like to make changes to existing activities, this is the venue for it!

Keep GSE Pedestrian-Friendly

Golden Spike was developed to be an active adult community. Many residents walk around the neighborhood for exercise, to visit neighbors, or to visit the Clubhouse. Please do your part to maintain a safe, pedestrian-friendly environment at GSE.

- Do not park your vehicle so that it overhangs the sidewalk, whether in your driveway or in the overflow parking areas.
- If you have a trailer hitch, back into your driveway or parking space so that it doesn't hang over the sidewalk.
- Adhere to the 10 mph speed limit at all times and remind your visitors and contractors to do the same.
- Keep trees and shrubs trimmed so that they don't hang over the sidewalk or block a driver's view of pedestrians approaching an intersection.