

Shakertown Newsletter

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10-5pm
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12-5pm
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Closed

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The Posted Speed Limit On Shakertown Drive Is **20 MPH**. The Weather Is Getting Nicer More People Will Be Walking & Kids Are Out Playing

GIVE THEM A BRAKE! GO 20



If you have bird feeders on your balcony you MUST put something down under them to catch the seeds from our messy little friends so that your neighbors below don't have to clean up the fallen seeds. We love the wildlife but not the mess.

Thank you for your consideration.

DAISY and the sweet pea are the flowers of the month.

- Diamond is the birthstone for April
- The Revolutionary War in America began on April 19, 1775, when British soldiers and
- American revolutionaries clashed in Massachusetts.
- William Shakespeare, the playwright, was born on April 23, 1564. He also died in England in 1616.

April 1, [Monday]
April fool's Day

April 15 [Monday]
Tax Return Due,
Tax Day,
Tax Extension Requests

April 22 [Wednesday]
Earth Day



Titanic Remembrance Day

When : Always April 15th
Titanic Remembrance Day is dedicated to the memory of the Titanic, and over 1500 people who died. On this day in 1912, the Titanic sank in the icy waters of the North Atlantic Ocean.

The Titanic was called "unsinkable" and the "safest ship afloat" by her builder and designer. However, on her maiden voyage from England to New York City, the cruise ship Titanic hit an iceberg in the Atlantic Ocean. This occurred on April 14, 1912 at 11:40p.m. Two hours later, with a gaping gash in her side, the ship quickly sank in icy waters. 1522 passengers and crew died.

Cigarette Butts

Since The Snow Has Melted, Cigarette Butts Have Bloomed Discard Cigarettes In Their Proper Containers.

DO NOT THROW CIGARETTE BUTTS ON THE GROUND

In Front Of the Buildings, Laundry Areas Or Any Common Areas!

Please Respect the Home Where You and Others Live

HELP KEEP YOUR AREA CLEAN!

Tips for Smokers:

Keep an Ash Tray on Your Balcony or Patio And Empty Them Often!

Remind Your Guests Not To Discard Used Cigarettes In Front of **OUR** Homes!

We **LOVE** OUR Residents

March's Winner is Erica L.

We continue to give away a \$25 gift card each month to a different restaurant. This month the gift card will be to Red Lobster.



We will announce the winner in our next newsletter. The entry forms are in the office or you can drop this one in the night drop box.

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Resident Name _____

Apt# _____

Phone# _____



8 Weather Lore Sayings You May Not Know

by Sandi Duncan | From: Weather To celebrate April's crazy weather, here are some spring weather sayings you may not have heard of and one you most definitely have:

1. If it thunders on All Fool's Day, it brings good crops of corn and hay.
2. A cold May and a windy April, a full barn.
3. The louder the frog, the more the rain.
4. If the oak is out before the ash then we are in for a splash, But if the ash is out before the oak we are in for a soak.
5. March'll search ye, April try ye; May'll tell, whether live or die ye.
6. Rain before seven, fine before eleven.
7. Sounds traveling far and wide, A rainy day will betide.
8. A cow with its tail to the west, makes weather the best; A cow with its tail to the east, makes weather the least. And then the one we all know: April Showers Make May flowers.



"April hath put a spirit of youth in everything." ~William Shakespeare

Don't Forget About Our Resident Referral Program!* If You Refer A Qualified New Resident To Shakertown You Will Receive a \$150 Gift Certificate



To Giant Eagle

*Any Referral must qualify to live at Shakertown apartments with a credit and background check, in



MAINTENANCE TIPS

Know When to Seek Help



Sometimes it's best to leave the work to the pros. Report malfunctioning appliances, water you can't turn off and clogs that don't respond to plunging.

How to Keep Your Garbage Disposal Fresh

First turn on a moderate amount flow of cold water the turn on disposer. Continue running cold water for a few seconds.

Grind peelings from citrus fruits to freshen drain smells.

Use a disposer cleaner, degreaser, or deodorizer as necessary to relieve odors caused by grease build up.

Emergency After-Hours Telephone Number 330-244.7569 please program this number into your phones!!

Tip for new Tenants....

The first purchase you should make for your new home is a plunger....every resident should own one! We receive frequent "emergency" calls for clogged toilets and unfortunately that is not considered an emergency by our office, it's definitely something that residents can handle for themselves!

Garage Doors

We would like to ask people who have garages to please close their garage doors when leaving. Not only does it make appearances look better but it also keeps out unwanted critters that are looking for a warm place to sleep. The same thing is true with the dumpster lids; they need to be closed to keep out animals.

CHANGES

Please notify our office if you have changed your telephone number, job, car etc. It is important that we have a phone number to contact you in case of an emergency. Also if you would like your emergency contact changed please let us know this information as well.

Life on the Balcony

Container Gardening Tips for Apartment Dwellers



Container Plants – Ideal Plants for Patio Gardening

While you can grow a lot of plants in containers, a few vegetables like peppers, potatoes, tomatoes, squash, green onions, cucumber, eggplants, radishes, lettuce, leafy vegetables, and herbs like oregano, lavender, fennel, basil, anise, thyme, do well as **container plants**.

A few annual plants that can be container grown are marigold, lobelia, begonia, impatiens, snapdragon, and zinnia. Container gardening supplies are available at nurseries and garden centers. The containers are usually made of fiber glass, ceramic or metal, and the width or the container mouth decides which plant can be grown.

Those with wider mouth can facilitate evaporation, and those with narrow mouth can retain water. Brown eyed susans and petunias are great container plants that can be excellent patio decors.

IN SEARCH OF.....

Do You Find Normal Things Funny or Terribly Serious? Have Some Really Great Ideas? Do You Have A Flair For Writing?



The Shakertown Newsletter is looking for an inspiring or amateur writer (s) to scribe a monthly column in our newsletter.

This is a volunteer position

Spring is nature's way of saying, "Let's party!"
Robin Williams