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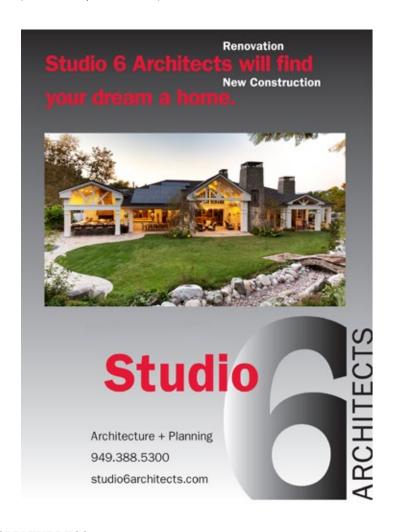
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Mission Statement

To take all reasonable and necessary steps to preserve and improve the unique value of living in Nellie Gail Ranch and to enhance the overall sense of community.

Board of Directors Meetings

The May Open Session Board Meeting and Homeowner Forum is currently scheduled for May 19th. Due to state and federal restrictions for meeting in groups we are considering options for some form of conference call that homeowners could potentially call in to. We will be sending call-in information to homeowners via our weekly e-mail in which we provide copies of posted notices and other important membership information and updates. If you are not currently receiving our weekly e-mail please scan the QR code on the cover of this issue and sign up for electronic distribution of Association documents. All agenda and support items must be submitted in writing to the Association Office at least two weeks in advance of the meeting to allow Board Members ample time to review all materials. The agenda will be posted in the Association Office and on the NGR website on the Friday prior to the meeting, or you may contact the Association Office to obtain agenda information. All homeowners are welcomed and encouraged to attend the meetings.

Architectural Review Committee

Architectural Review Committee meetings are generally held the second Tuesday of each month at 7:00 pm at the Association Office. Completed applications must be submitted to the Association Office at least 10 business days prior to the ARC meeting. Please check the calendar in each issue of the Pony Express for exact submittal deadlines and ARC meeting dates.

Association Committees

The Nellie Gail Ranch Owners Association has several committees comprised of Homeowners that provide support to the Board of Directors on selected Community topics. For more information or to join any of our Committees, please contact the Association Office at (949) 425-1477.

Architectural Review Committee
Emergency Preparedness Committee
Equestrian Committee
Events Committee
Landscape Committee
Security Committee
Trails & Safety Committee

Director's Message

By Loree Blough



Hi All,

These are unchartered waters that we find ourselves in.

I am not going to repeat all the things I have heard

from our government leaders. Instead, I would like to bring things into a Nellie Gail Ranch focus.

I have been heart warmed hearing stories of our neighbors helping each other! They have been shopping for each other, sharing supplies, and doing phone checks with each other.

One of our neighbors played Yahtzee with their grandchildren via Skype. What a Great idea! There have been Skype happy hours and thousands of phone hours being used!

These are great ways to stay connected and to share your love with your family and friends.

As Directors of Nellie Gail Ranch, we are working hard to find things that our employees can do from home, such as scan in historical documents for easy access later, cross-train, improve our systems and write desktop how-to manuals. In this way, we can keep our people employed and still benefit our Association.

I want to remind everyone the Nellie Gail

Ranch election will be taking place soon. As always, the ballots will be mailed to you with return self-addressed and stamped envelopes so that you can safely and quickly express your choices. Please note that there will be a Special Ballot Measure asking if you do or do not want to continue the roving security patrol.

This is your opportunity to control what happens in our future. The cost is \$217,723 per year.

Let us know your thoughts by voting.

Our Block Captains have been activated to check on their neighbors. But, for those that do not have Block Captains, please visit Nellie Gail Ranch's Website. We have set up a section on our website where neighbors can connect and offer help or request help from each other.

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Candidacy Statements



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Status: Incumbent

Current Occupation: Business Management in Assisted Living and Senior Support Services. Education and experience in Business Information Systems and Computer Programming

Nellie Gail Ranch & Civic Activities: I appreciate the opportunity to have served our community as a member of the board for the last four years. We have an incredible team of homeowners on the board that truly care about our community and are willing to make personal sacrifices and commitments in the interest of Nellie Gail Ranch.

Biographical Information & Statement: I initially moved to Nellie Gail Ranch with my family in 1980 at age five and grew up watching Nellie Gail Ranch evolve into the prestigious community that it now is. In 2012, my wife and I were blessed to have the opportunity to return to this beautiful community, purchasing the home to raise our two boys.

I hope to have the opportunity to continue to work together as neighbors to implement the desire of the community and maintain Nellie Gail Ranch's distinguishing character and prestige.

Notable accomplishments thus far:

- Incorporated technology to maintain efficient management and improve communication with homeowners
- Supported committees of vested homeowners to implement security, aesthetics and amenities that benefit us all.
- Utilization of allocated reserve funds to refresh aspects of the clubhouse to a respectable standard so that it can be used with pride by the homeowners.
- Supported efforts to sustain the long term integrity of our landscape
- Maintained exceptionally reasonable dues in spite of added vendor expenses in response to increasing costs of labor

Objectives moving forward:

- Continue to evaluate and act to ensure the most effective and efficient use of resources to maintain a safe community.
- Maintain a friendly HOA that is easy to approach and fosters an environment that promotes property improvement.
- Keep our Equestrian Center, Pool and Tennis Facilities both world class and financially self-sufficient.
- Use our resources wisely to maintain our community to the highest standard, while keeping our HOA dues the best value in South Orange County.



Homeowner Since: 1984

Status: Incumbent

Current Occupation: President - Aerospace-Space-Defense

Company

Civic Activities, Organizations, Positions, Etc.: Member of the Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, member of the Orange County Pilots Association and member of JEDEC Solid State Technology Association

Nellie Gail Ranch Activities, Organizations, Positions, Etc.: Member of the Nellie Gail Ranch Emergency Preparedness Committee

Biographical Information: I am a corporate level executive having been involved with Fortune 500 companies and served on corporate boards and advisory committees for start-up and emerging companies. I am currently serving on the NGROA Board.

Statement: I look forward to continuing my service to our great community keeping Nellie Gail Ranch a safe place where our neighbors can enjoy our equestrian, aquatic, tennis and most recently pickleball activities. I also would like to have the opportunity to oversee the final completion of our Clubhouse which will enhance the appeal of our community and homeowner property values. I support by use of sound fiscal responsibility and oversight, maintaining Nellie Gail Ranch as a unique and attractive environment in which to live whether raising a family or enjoying the retired life. Keeping our community safe in an event of an emergency is key and I support the "neighbor helping neighbor" concept in preparation for emergencies that might effect our entire community.

Special Ballot Measure



Homeowner Since: 1995

Status: Incumbent

Current Occupation: Electrical Engineer, Mixed Signal and RF

ASIC Designer

Civic Activities, Organizations, Positions, Etc.: Served as a volunteer for many of my kids activities including elementary school room mom, church youth groups, LHHS Grad Nite, and in many roles in support of their swim teams, most notably our neighborhood team, the Gators.

Nellie Gail Ranch Activities, Organizations, Positions, Etc.: Frequent contributor to Nellie Gail's Pony Express for the Swim Center. Currently serving as a NGROA board director.

Biographical Information: I am a wife and mother of four great kids, one currently attending UCSD, one a freshman at Saddleback and two that have graduated from UCSB. I moved here from the Midwest at 21 and attended both CSUF for my BSEE and UCI for my masters in semiconductor physics. I worked in aerospace for 30 years and currently work remotely for an ASIC design house in Massachusetts. My husband also works in the semiconductor industry and is hoping to retire later this year. We both look forward to spending our retirement right here in beautiful Nellie Gail.

Statement: Since moving here 25 years ago, we've loved this neighborhood and wonderful neighbors we've had the pleasure to know. With my kids grown and largely gone, I am free to contribute my time, talents and treasures to preserving and improving this space we so love. I've enjoyed participating in the clubhouse remodel and adding pickleball to our club. I'm excited to see everyone enjoy the fruits of our labor and watch the community come together to rediscover our facilities. For equestrian, swim, and tennis, the centers offered here are top notch. I am all about caring for, maintaining and promoting them for the benefit of our residents and membership alike. My kids flourished in the pool as Gators, attended tennis and swim camps in the summers, and loved the concerts in the park. I want to preserve the essence of what Nellie Gail is for residents of all ages.

Special Ballot Measure – 24-Hour Mobile Patrol Services

Should Nellie Gail Ranch continue to contract for 24-Hour Mobile Patrol services?

After evaluating homeowner requests to implement patrol services in the Nellie Gail Ranch community, the Board of Directors approved a contract with Securitas Security Services who began providing mobile patrol services in March 2017. After competitively re-bidding, Allied Universal Security Services was selected as the service provider effective April 11, 2020. The scope of work includes providing dedicated 24-hour, 7 days per week, mobile patrol services for the Nellie Gail Ranch Owners Association streets and recreational facilities including Clubhouse, Swim, Tennis, Park and Equestrian facilities to provide an observational presence and to act as a deterrent to criminal activity.

The services were re-bid with six companies which were reviewed by the Nellie Gail Ranch Security Committee. Proposals ranged from \$17,755 to \$21,772 monthly with Allied Universal selected at \$18,144 per month. The current cost for this service is \$12.90 per home per month equating to \$154.80 per year, an increase of 12.2% over last year. It is anticipated that the current contract will increase a minimum of 5% effective April 2021 due to January 1, 2021 minimum wage increases. This anticipated increase will result in a future per home per month cost of a minimum of \$13.55 (\$162.60 annually).

Since implementing this service homeowners have provided input both in favor of and opposed to the ongoing budgeting for this service. Crime statistics vary based on a number of factors including the Sherriff's apprehension of active criminals in our area. This makes it difficult to know specifically if the mobile patrol is playing a role as a deterrent for criminals since there is no way to calculate statistics for crimes not committed.

This matter is submitted on the ballot to provide the Nellie Gail Ranch Membership the opportunity to decide whether or not to continue to budget and contract for this service. The current contract has a 30-day termination clause which means the service may be discontinued approximately the middle of August 2020 if the vote is opposed to continuing the service. Discontinuing the service will not result in a direct reduction in assessments for this fiscal year that ends September 30, 2020. The 2020-21 budget will be evaluated in July and August evaluating all anticipated expenses and services under contract and the budget will either include or not include the mobile patrol services based on the membership vote. A "Yes" vote does not obligate the Association to remain with the current service provider as that decision can be altered at any time subject to evaluation of the vendors post orders and performance. The vote for this ballot measure is related to the service ("Yes" or "No"). not the vendor. However, as stated above, the current service provider is on the lower side cost of the security firms that provided proposals.

Nellie Gail Ranch June 3, 2020 Annual Meeting / Ballot

This year it is doubly important for each homeowner to participate in the annual meeting by casting your vote for directors and the special ballot measure related to 24 hour mobile patrol services. Ballots for the annual meeting were mailed to all homeowners of record the beginning of May.

If you haven't already, please help us achieve quorum by promptly returning you ballot.
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How to complete your ballot:

- 1. Follow the ballot instructions as to how to vote.
- 2. Each return envelope lists the homeowner of record.
- The homeowner of record must sign the envelope in which the ballot and ballot envelope will be returned.
- 4. Mail the ballot at your earliest opportunity.





Architectural Reviews

The following properties submitted plans to be reviewed by the Architectural Review Committee on April 14, 2020.

The Next Deadline for ARC Submittal is May 26, 2020.

ADDRESS	PROJECT	RESULTS	
25811 Prairiestone	Resubmittal Hardscape/Landscape	Denied	
25811 Prairiestone	Solar	Approved with Conditions	
25771 Highplains	Painting	Denied	
27711 Deputy	Tree Planting	Approved with Conditions	
26152 Hitching Rail	Solar/Roof/Fencing	Denied	
26155 Oroville	Resubmittal Windows/Painting	Denied	
27602 Hidden Trail	Resubmittal Hardscape/Patio	Denied	
25231 Rockridge	Deck/Tree Removal	Denied	
26232 Glen Canyon	Landscape	Approved with Conditions	
27201 Lost Colt	Addition to home >300 sq ft, Landscape, Hardscape, Solar	Denied	



Any exterior change to your home or property requires approval. Please consult the Architectural Guidelines available at www.NellieGailRanch.org. Submissions for approval are due by 5:00 PM ten business days prior to the meeting date. Please see the calendar at the back of the Pony Express or contact the Association Office at (949) 425-1477 for specific meeting dates and deadlines or with any questions pertaining to your proposed project.



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Clubhouse Interior Update

They say a picture is worth a thousand words, and we hope you enjoy the cover photos and those on this page of the completed Nellie Gail Ranch Clubhouse interior. However, it is also said that seeing is believing, and while at the time of this writing, we are closed, compliant with the state order, we are hopeful we will be close to opening by the time you read this article. When we re-open, we invite you to come down and see the improvements up close and personal. We are really looking forward to the return of our tennis and pickleball members and the swim team. Our members bring positive energy when the courts and pool are in full use that will be great to experience again in our refreshed clubhouse surroundings. While there may be some initial "physical distancing" standards in place when we first re-open, our homeowners, swim and tennis center members can look forward to relaxing in the lounge area in front of the new fireplace, socializing with friends in the main clubhouse and bringing a bottle of wine or favorite beverage to share at the bar with friends while watching a sporting event. The Nellie Gail Ranch Events Committee is planning an event to commemorate the re-opening, and we will hope to see you here soon!!



Clubhouse Exterior Update

While the Clubhouse has been closed to members, we have been able to take advantage of the reduced foot and vehicle traffic to move exterior work forward to protect our Clubhouse infrastructure and prepare for re-opening. Extensive demo and grading has been completed, and as of this writing, concrete forms are being constructed in preparation for the new sidewalks, curbing and asphalt. By the time you are reading this, we anticipate being even further along. We have a targeted completion date of June 30th for exterior work.

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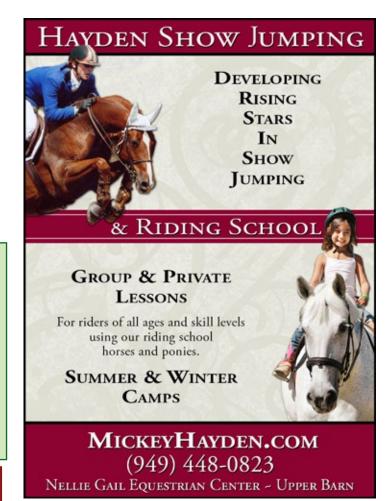
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BABYSITTER: Being a parent is hard work. Whether you need a date night, to get in a few extra hours at work, or just want a break from your kids (whom you love infinitely), you can hire CPR and First Aid certified high school student Emily to babysit. Available on short-notice or in advance.

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CARIBBEAN ISLAND VACATION RENTALS

On the beautiful Island of Roatan we have two incredible properties. Roatan is very safe, English speaking, easy to get to (approximately 6 hours of flight time and you can fly directly into Roatan). Flights range from \$475 to \$850 round trip. The water is turquoise crystal clear and warm all year round. The scuba diving and snorkeling is first class. The two properties are 15 and 30 minutes from the airport. One property is a 3 bedroom, 3 bath, two story, 2500 square foot Villa right on the sand located on the BEST beach on the Island, West Bay Beach. It sleeps 8 comfortably. The second property is a beautiful 3 bedroom, 3 bath Casa (sleeps 6) with a Casita (large studio apartment that sleeps 2), pool and 400 foot dock on 1.5 acres of green lush landscape. It is not right on the water but you can see the water and it is only a 3 minute walk to our 400 foot two story dock that you can swim, snorkel, scuba, fish or just sit and watch the sunsets. You can rent one or both, Casa or Casita, depending on your group size. Please check out our website at www.roatanislandvacationrentals.com for more information, pictures, and pricing or call Debbie at 714-801-4257. Discount given to our Nellie Gail neighbors.

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Special rate to Nellie Gail Residents on our lovely VRBO! It is an Olive Grove Villa located perfectly about a 1/2 mile south (and in view of!) the famous South Coast and Ponte Wineries in the heart of Temecula Wine County. The Villa is perfect for groups of friends and family seeking beautiful sunsets, views of hot air balloons at dawn, privacy, and panoramic views of vineyards. Take a stroll through the endless rows of Olive Trees or variety of numerous fruit trees, and watch the sunset over the mountains as you roast marshmallows by the fire or make dinner on the BBQ. This arpx 2400sf home has what you need to enjoy a short or extended stay. This home comfortably sleeps 8 people, with 4 lovely bedrooms, a fold down sofa bed in the family room, and 3 bathrooms. This Olive Grove Oasis home is the ultimate vacation destination for anyone looking to absorb the beauty and culture of Temecula Wine County. No pets. Please see our ad on VRBO (https://www.vrbo. com/9119837ha) and contact us with any questions and special rate (rachel.mihai@gmail.com) We look forward to welcoming you to our loving oasis in the vines for some much needed relaxation!

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You're Invited

Virtual Mother's Day Champagne Toast Saturday, May 9, 2020 at 11 am



Nellie Gail Ranch residents interested in participating in a virtual champagne toast via Zoom may RSVP to Melody Smith at melody@melodyandassociates.com

Participants must provide their email to receive Zoom log in information and home address to receive delivery of a champagne toast care package.

RSVP Deadline: Wednesday, May 6, 2020



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Strawberry Avocado Salad

Ingredients

For the Dressing

2 tbsp lime juice

1 tbsp olive oil

1/2 tsp micoplaned fresh ginger

1/2 tsp light raw honey

Zest of one lime

Salt and pepper to taste

For the Salad

3 cups chopped strawberries

2 large, ripe avocados, depitted, peeled and cut into chunks

1/3 cup chopped fresh mint

Directions

For the Dressing

In a small mason jar combine all of the ingredients. Add the lid and shake.

For the Salad

Lightly mix together all of the salad ingredients. Pour the dressing over and lightly mix again.



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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10 Mother's Day	11	ARC Meeting 7:00 PM	13	14	15	16
17	18	Board of Directors Meeting 7:30 PM Location TBD	20	21	22	23
24	25 Memorial Day	ARC Submittal Deadline for June 9 th Meeting	27	28	29	30
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A MESSAGE FROM THE BRAD FELDMAN GROUP

During these unprecedented times, we hope that you and your families are safe and healthy.

We realize that you may continue to have real estate questions or property needs.

We are still operating and here to help if you need anything.

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