# ROSEMARY GARDENS

#### **Neighborly Newsletter**

#### Winter 2023

## **Upcoming Events**

Neighborhood Annual Meeting, Bachrodt Library, March 15, 6-8pm

Spring Cheer, Rosemary Gardens Park, April 2, 11am-2pm

Rosemary Gardens Yard Sales, May & October

Chalk Art Week, June

National Night Out, August 1

### Neighborhood Annual Meeting

The Board of Directors of Rosemary Gardens Neighborhood Association (RGNA) is pleased to invite all Rosemary Gardens residents to our Neighborhood Annual Meeting.

Representatives from City Council District 6 and the San Jose Police Department will give short presentations followed by question and answer periods.

You will have the opportunity to become acquainted with the current RGNA Board of Directors and meet neighbors

## Celebrating the Holidays in Rosemary Gardens

Rosemary Gardens had another successful Holiday season with our annual Holiday Celebration Drawing and Christmas Tree Lane events.

Even with the slight price increase from the vendor, we sold every tree! It warms our



hearts to see our neighbors, new and old, participating in this annual Rosemary Gardens tradition and we are excited to see the tradition continue to grow more and more each year!

Thank you to all who decorated their home and participated in the 2022 Holiday Celebration Drawing. Much like Christmas Tree Lane, we had another successful year in participation with lots of entries!

# Message from the President

I hope you and your family are enjoying the new year. As the RGNA board looks forward to a number of upcoming activities to inspire community and show why Rosemary Gardens is the best neighborhood in San Jose, we also take a look back at a successful 2022.

Last year, amongst several events, we maintained our longstanding tradition of hosting two community yard sales. Attendees noted that they come from all over the Bay Area to visit & shop with us, and we are looking forward to welcoming

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who are interested in joining the Board.

RGNA Board elections will also take place at the meeting. All current RGNA members are eligible to vote and to serve on the Board. Send an email to contact@rosemarygardens.org if you'd like information on joining the Board or if you're unsure of your member status. Nonmembers who join RGNA at the meeting will be able to vote. Annual dues are \$20.

Here are the details:

WHAT: Rosemary Gardens Neighborhood Annual Meeting

WHEN: Wednesday March 15 at 6:30 pm (arrive at 6 for light snacks and coffee)

WHERE: Bachrodt School library

them back to our neighborhood, starting in May. In April, for the first time ever, we hosted a Spring Cheer event in the playground behind Bachrodt Elementary as a great way to shake off Winter, meet neighbors and families, and welcome the lovely California weather we've come to enjoy. I'm pleased to announce that we plan on continuing this event for a second year, and I hope to see you there.

During the Summer, we again hosted National Night Out at Rosemary Gardens Park, a lively gathering with ice cream, music, and games. In partnership with Councilmember Dev Davis' office, we hosted our first RGNA Summer Movie Night, featuring Luca by Pixar. Closing out the year, we again worked to spread holiday cheer via holiday tree sales, and our holiday lights giveaway drawing.

For those of you who I've not yet met, I've made Rosemary Gardens my home since 2011, and have been involved with the neighborhood association and board in varying capacities since then. I can often be found on afternoon walks through the neighborhood, viewing first-hand how our community continues to evolve and change. I'm looking forward to representing the association as president for another year, and advocating for our residents in communications with other neighborhoods, as well as city & county agencies.

All the best for 2023,

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| Rosemary Gardens Neighborhood Association<br>2022/2023 Membership Form (Aug 2022 - July 2023)       |   |                                  |
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