

The Lyon's Share

Welcome to the first issue of *The Lyon's Share*, our new Lyon Village Apartments Newsletter!

We hope to use this publication as a way to keep our residents up to date on the projects we're working on, as well as to keep you all connected to the greater LVA community.

New Residents

We are happy to introduce the following new residents, who will be moving to LVA in July:

- Katie and Colleen, B106
- Amy, D432
- Kristen, C522
- Ken and Andrew, D422
- Lee and Margaret, D351
- Dan and Courtney, C743
- Read, C323
- and
- Scott and Andrew, C111

Departing Residents

Sadly, we are also saying goodbye and good fortune to the following LVA tenants:

- Allison and Brendan, B202
- Gabrielle, D351
- Lara, C722
- Michelle, D352
- and
- Meredith and Kyle, D422

Reminders

Don't forget! **Friday, July 1, is the LAST DAY to tag your bikes!**

Laundry Tip: To prevent flooding, when using more than one washing machine, PLEASE be sure to wait a minute or so between starting consecutive loads. Each machine holds **30 gallons** of water, which means that when all five washers are emptying at once, **150 gallons** of water empties into the drainpipe!

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Please note that we are going to be more alert to **parking violations** — all the more reason to get a parking tag if you don't have one, and to return your Parking Permit Update Form (as well as your Water Damage Form!) as soon as possible! Parking violations include blocking access to the buildings, parking in two spaces, and so on.

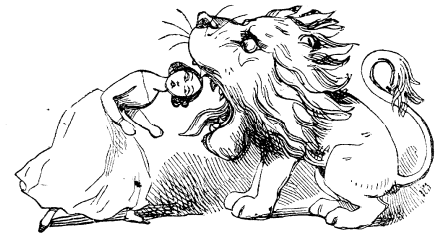
The **laundry rooms** are getting a facelift! Hatton Painting will be in to scrape and repaint the floors (and hallways), and we'll be installing mats in front of the washers and driers. We'll also have a new, more comfy, bench! In addition, in D building, Comcast will fix the cable box and the wall behind it.

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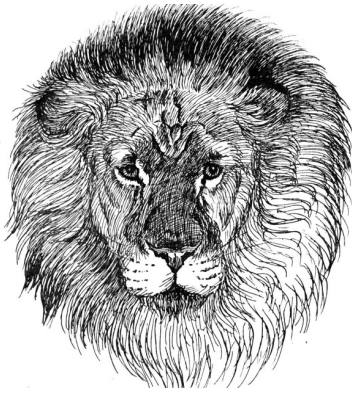
Straight From the Lyon's Mouth

All the hydrangeas on the property were actually holiday gifts from the residents of LVA to Mrs. Markovic, who was the resident manager here for 26 years. We are almost certain that most of these plants were bought at the Giant across the street. Over the years, they were planted higgledy-piggledy around the property — our Property Manager, Barbara Barracato, has since managed to successfully transplant many of them to the west end of the quad, where you enter the complex from the parking lot.

What is so interesting about these plants is that one plant can have blooms of many different colors. In addition, once a bloom has been plucked, it doesn't grow again — what you see today is what you'll get for the rest of the plant's life.

This is why we don't pick them until toward the end of the growing season — late fall — when it is possible to pick the blooms and dry them without damaging the plant. If you're interested in trying this experiment, come see Anne in the rental office.

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