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# FALL NEWSLETTER

## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

*By Louise Yenovkian*

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Dear Friends & Neighbors:

Autumn is almost upon us throughout Fresno and it is apparent in Old Fig. Soon the leaves will be turning their vibrant colors and many of us will be out in force trying to stay ahead of the "raking game". I do believe the trees usually win.

We are happy to welcome new families and homeowners to Old Fig. If you know of such families, please inform me so that I may properly welcome them into our fine neighborhood. No doubt many of you have seen a revival of remodeling taking place on almost every street in Old Fig. It is a treat to pass by these homes and watch the progress and transformation.

Old Fig has a lot going on.

- We are actively supporting and working with the County on the overall Neighborhood Beautification plan. This plan is intended to assist in protecting and preserving the integrity of Fresno County's unincorporated urban neighborhoods located with the Fresno/Clovis areas. Poorly maintained properties are contributing factors toward declining property values and trigger criminal acts. Please contact the Department of Public Works and Planning (262.4078) for information.
- The Police Protection Assessment Ballots and informational mailers will be sent to the registered voters in the area to be annexed (east of Maroa). Watch your mailbox for this important information.
- Remember the Annual Fig Garden Homeowners Association Dinner will be held on Sunday, September 23. Barry and Becky Barisic have graciously offered to host this event again at their beautiful home on the northwest corner of Ashlan and Van Ness. It is important to RSVP as soon as you receive the invitation.
- Christmas Tree Lane – This year we will celebrate the 85th season of the Lane. The 2007 walk nights are Saturday, December 1 and Tuesday, December 11. Mark your calendars.

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## Fig Garden Woman's Club

The Fig Garden Woman's Club is gearing up for their Fall Card Party which is open to the public. The event will be held at the clubhouse on October 24 at noon with a cost of \$15.00 per person. You can gather your bridge playing friends to make a table of four or eight. The more the merrier. The \$15.00 covers the luncheon, dessert, tea and coffee. Any profits will go toward various charities including nursing scholarships at City College. Please contact Coline Halbert (439.6852) for information and reservations.

As in the past, the ladies will be serving cocoa, coffee and home made cookies for the Christmas Tree Lane Walk Nights. This is a gracious community outreach project and there is no charge or donations. The refreshment booth will be set up in the parking lot of the clubhouse. The Fig Garden Woman's Club is located at 4550 N. Van Ness Blvd.



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