

SPRING GARAGE SALE – APRIL 29TH



Advertising

The HOA will

- place this ad on Craig's List, NextDoor, FB page, and Neighborhood Email Group,
- place garage sale signs at entrances to the neighborhood.

Participants can

- share this email with other groups (church, Moms' Groups, etc.),
- add garage sale signs from main street to their home,
- tie balloons to their mailbox.

Useful Ideas

- Children can have own area to sell outgrown toys - good motivation.
- Don't have much to sell? Check with neighbors to see if they are interested. In this case, bigger is better.
- You can ask more for items that are clean and in good shape.
- Easier to sell items with prices marked.
- Clothes on hangers sell better.
- Jewelry easier to manage if attached to index cards.
- Include manuals with appliances and electronics.
- Collect bags, boxes, tissue paper (to wrap fragile items).
- Set out a bin marked "Free" for extra items.

Helpful Hints

Before the Sale

- Buy pricing stickers, balloons for mailbox, supplies to make signs.
- Clear yard of tripping hazards.
- Have extra chairs for those waiting on a shopper.

Sale Day

- Place biggest and best items at curb.
- Place full-length mirror near clothes (inexpensive ones at Target / Walmart).
- Place bin marked "Hangers" near clothes.
- Place smaller and/or high-value items where always visible.
- Set out extension cord for checking appliances.
- Set up check-out area with notepad, pens, calculator, measuring tape (to check on size of large items).
- If you use a cash box, then someone always must be there.



- ONLY accept cash, Venmo, or similar payment. NO checks.

Bulk pick-up came in February. So, we included a freebie pick-up on Sunday, which may help some of the items find a new home.

Do you want a sales map to share with shoppers?

Respond to this email with your address, we'll make a map, and email to you. Print and hand out at your sale.

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