

August 4, 2020



Tuesday: Lifestyle Edition

Upcoming Committee Meetings

The Communications Committee will meet virtually **August 10**, at **5:30 p.m.**

[Register via Zoom](#)

The Trails Committee will meet virtually **August 14**, at **5:00 p.m.**

[Register via Zoom](#)

The Art Gallery Committee will meet virtually **August 19**, at **3:00 p.m.**

[Register via Zoom](#)

The Landscape Committee will meet virtually **August 20**, at **12:30 p.m.**

[Register via Zoom](#)



The Countdown to the Annual Meeting Starts Now!

The **Estrella Annual Meetings** will be held virtually on **Tuesday, September 22, at 6:30 p.m.** Stay tuned for the link to join the meeting!

If you would like to **submit a question** for the Question & Answer pages in the Annual Meeting booklet (please know that only eight-10 questions will be included), you are welcome to do so.

Please send your questions to Communications Manager Karen Angelo at kangelo@ccmcnet.com no later than 5:00 p.m. Monday, August 10.

#MyLifeInEstrella

Thank you to everyone who submitted photos for the Annual Meeting booklet cover!

We've narrowed it down to two photos, so be sure to log on to our [Life In Estrella Facebook Page](#) and choose your favorite...



The winner (and winning photo!) will be announced in our Friday newsletter!

New Events...



We Will Rock (Garden) You!

We are in a friendly competition with CCMC sister community Mulberry, located in Mesa, to see whose residents can create the biggest (and best) rock garden. Details below:

- Both communities have begun with around the same amount of painted rocks.
- In the next 30 days, residents can join the fun (and help Estrella win) by painting a rock and adding it to the garden in front of the Starpointe Residents Club.
- Rocks are available in a pail in the garden. *Please only take a rock if you are going to paint and return it.*
- A limited supply of **FREE** brushes and paints are



Estrella, Estrella, How Does Your (Herb) Garden Grow?

It's hard to grow herbs in the desert. Why not try growing them on your window sill instead?

Registration is now open for this free, guided Zoom Event with step-by-step instructions on how to make your window sill garden a success.

Even better, you'll have some fresh herbs to season the meals you make at home!

All items will be supplied (and will need to be picked up) starting the week of August 24. The event takes place on **Thursday, September 3, at 6:30 p.m.**

[I've Got a Green Thumb!](#)

available at Starpointe starting August 5 (one kit per competitive household, please).

- The winning community will receive a garden gnome to grace its rock garden from the community that came close - but didn't win - the competition.

C'mon, Estrella, let's rock and win this competition!

Upcoming August Events...

Pick-Up-And-Go Food Truck Night

- **5:00-8:00 p.m.**
- **Thursday, August 13**
- Starpointe West Parking Lot
- Trucks and menus announced soon!



Virtual Facebook 101 Webinar

- **11:00 a.m.**
- **Tuesday, August 25**
- One-hour session
- Basic tips and tricks for using Facebook
- Click on the following link to [sign up](#)!

Virtual Home Protection Presentation

- **6:00-7:30 p.m.**
- **Thursday, August 20**
- Situational awareness, perimeter and interior safety, technology, and the importance of a family plan
- \$10/household; no refunds or exchanges
- [Register here!](#)

Blood Drive

- **10:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.**
 - **Saturday, August 29**
 - Starpointe Gallery Rooms
 - Schedule your appointment [here!](#)
 - Use "commestrella" as your sponsor code
 - All donors will be tested for COVID-19 antibodies
 - Results will be provided
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We're Celebrating Pets in August!

Did you know that August 1 is known as "Dogust" 1? It's the **Universal Birthday for Shelter Dogs**. This month, we are paying tribute to our four-legged friends in Estrella, both in the August issue of *Life in Estrella* magazine and in our weekly newsletters.

Today, we're celebrating **Mae and Mowes**. These two rescue pups are loved by Estrella Community Manager Lane Powell. Mowes was adopted at age 13 when his former owner passed away. He's 17 now and enjoys napping in the sun and spending time with his soulmate,

Lane's partner, Ryan. Mae was adopted three years ago from the euthanasia list at the shelter. She loves treats, giving kisses, and going for car rides.

Socialize with Us!



We are regularly updating our Life In Estrella website, Facebook and Instagram pages with information about community events, news, happenings and other fun facts. If you haven't [signed up](#), [followed us](#) or [liked us](#) yet, feel free to go online, check us out, and join the conversation.

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