

Lake Hondah Happenings

Brevard, North Carolina

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Welcome to the new edition of Lake Hondah Happenings! Our pleasant little neighborhood has some exciting things going on including new folks, newly paved roads, apples, and BEARS!

Bear Sightings



This little guy showed up at Marty and Jill Whalen's house in mid-August to sample their peaches. He is probably a displaced adolescent male, out on his own for the first time. There have been additional sightings of bears in the neighborhood as well, including one that is more than likely a full-grown male. As a reminder, please do not leave trash, food scraps, or anything smelly to attract the bears. We want to protect the bears, as well as all wildlife, in our neighborhood.

Road Work

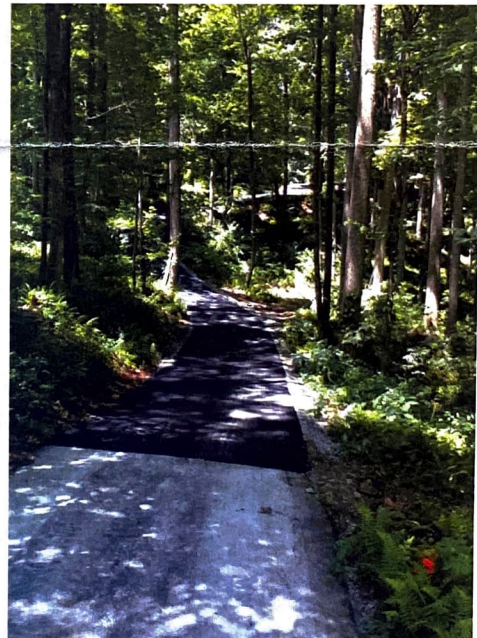
Driving through Lake Hondah has become a lot smoother thanks to Pisgah Asphalt! The local company repaired approximately 40 potholes and patches, and completed around 900 linear feet of paving on our roads. After saving for three years, we were finally able to afford the \$30,560 cost for the repairs. A big thank you to Gordon Roberts for overseeing the project!

Farewell to Some Mighty Keen Friends . . .

After eighteen years loving life in our beautiful neighborhood, Jo Jo and Woody Keen have said goodbye to Lake Hondah and hello to Bend, Oregon. We wish them every happiness in their new home, and hope they are able to come back to see us once in a while.

. . . And Welcome New Neighbors!

We are pleased to introduce Kit and Joe Lemaire, our new "halfback" neighbors from Massachusetts! The Lemaire's moved from New England to Florida before coming to Brevard, where they barely survived the heat for 1 1/2 years. After discovering Brevard, they haven't looked back. Kit and Joe both work from home; Joe as a computer programmer, and Kit as a retired piano instructor who now owns an eBay store. So glad to have you here Joe and Kit!



Pisgah Asphalt's Handy Work