# **December Newsletter**

## **AHHA Board Update**

The AHHA Board held its last meeting for the year on November 15th and minutes for the meeting can be found below. The meeting included the passage of the 2019 budget that kept dues at the same level as 2018. It also included the election of Wayne Trucke, David Ortega, and Todd Ferrell to serve as Board members for the next three years.

As the year is almost over the Board would like to thank all the members of the community for their cooperation and patience with the work and projects in the Commons this year. The Board is pleased to note that during 2018, picnic tables were added to the Commons, the Little Library was developed, an area in the Commons was made safer for play, plants were added around the dam, pathways were upgraded, and recently the community sign was lighted and power established in new areas of the Commons.

### **Tree Decorating**

To celebrate all that has been done the AHHA will be hosting a tree decorating party to celebrate the holiday season. The tree decorating will be done Saturday, December 8th at 2:00 PM. Friends of Abiqua Heights will provide ornaments and lights to help with the decorating effort. You are welcome to bring anything with which you would like to decorate the tree. Hopefully there will be refreshments.

#### **Lost and Found**

A car mat for a RAM truck was found on Shelokum near the intersection of Kloshe. If you have lost such an item please contact the Board and we will get you in touch with the party that found the mat.

#### **Words for Consideration**

The Board has received an email from a member regarding the safety of the sidewalks in the community. Each member of the community is responsible for the sidewalk in front of their home. Uneven sidewalks are becoming an issue especially in those parts of the community that have landscape areas between the sidewalk and the roadway. The Board will be walking the community to find such areas and inform the homeowners of safety concerns. The city of Silverton has a policy of paying for 50% of any repairs needed for sidewalk safety. Please contact the Board if you would like more information

Please send your comments or suggestions to board@abiquaheights.com.