# Greenbrier Neighborhood Association (GNA) Rules of Use: Newsletter, and Web Page

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### **Newsletter Rules**

The newsletter is generally created and distributed twice a year (Fall and Spring) and distributed by hand to all 900+ homes.

- A. Neighborhood residents under the age of 18 may place offers of personal and professional services in our newsletter, space permitting, at no cost. For residents over 18, the cost is \$1.00 per word space permitting (excluding name, phone number, email address, and Web Page address.)
- B. Appropriate Topics: Subject to the approval of the Executive Committee on a case-by-case basis, the following may be listed in our newsletter, space permitting:
  - 1. Commentary/editorials from residents regarding neighborhood issues
  - 2. Help Wanted requests
  - 3. Offers of professional services (see above for cost information)
  - 4. Notices about neighborhood-specific groups and activities
  - 5. Notices of lost/found pets or items of significance
  - 6. Other advertising the Executive Committee deems appropriate (To submit a proposed listing for consideration, contact Ned Michie at <a href="NedMichie@aol.com">NedMichie@aol.com</a>.)

## Web Page

Over the years, our GNA web page presence has waxed and waned, and at some unknown time, maybe around 2015, the page fell off the Internet altogether. We launched a new one in May of 2017. It can be found at:

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The "Webmaster" and Executive Committee are open to suggestions on improvements and features. It will be a work in progress that we'll try to keep current, so please check back to see what's new. The page has a picture gallery, so if you have any pictures of the neighborhood you would like to have posted (from any time frame), please email them to our "Webmaster" - NedMichie@aol.com

The goal is to make the website a useful resource for our residents. To that end, all web listing are **FREE** – but only available to neighborhood residents. To add a listing, contact Ned Michie, at NedMichie@aol.com.

#### Permissible Web Page Listings by Residents:

Advertising Personal Services. There will be a page on the website dedicated to listing Greenbrier Residents who offer any personal face-to-face type professional services (e.g., lawn care, pet care, babysitting; services of an accountant, barber, electrician, plumber, construction contractor, doctor, lawyer, housekeeper, chef . . .). The idea behind allowing this advertising is that some people might like the notion of hiring a neighbor for these personal service jobs. We also will allow listing of a business you own, even if it is not a personal service, so that neighbors can choose to support a fellow neighbor's business if they want (i.e., buying very local).

Parents who want to list their teens for services should keep in mind that this is a public website, even though it is aimed only at Greenbrier residents (e.g. the parent should likely be at least the initial contact). Remember another option is having your or your child's service offer listed on our Group email website Groups.io (<a href="https://gna.groups.io/g/mail">https://gna.groups.io/g/mail</a>) devoted to that purpose. Those pages are only viewable by neighborhood members who are signed up for our group email (over 400 as of 1/1/2021)

The listing will just be a short description of your service or business or a listing under a category, along with contact information and a link to a web page.

So, remember to check our website when you are in need of services. Of course, the GNA does not guarantee our neighbors' work – but, you are buying local and, "you know where they live":)

**Neighborhood-Based Clubs and Groups.** Groups such as Scouts, book clubs, political interest clubs, and athletic teams/groups can be listed with contact information.