

## Pillar at Fountain Hills

Pillar at Fountain Hills single-family detached home community is full of features that are sure to please. Enjoy the low-maintenance lifestyle, resort-style amenities, easy walking paths and private yards of this new gated community.

The beautiful vistas and rolling hills of Fountain Hills, AZ surround this community with natural beauty. A short walk down the street and you're at the town's namesake, Fountain Park, a 64-acre recreation space with a fountain that displays every hour on the hour for 15 minutes, sending a snow-white jet stream of water 330 feet into the sky.

Summer 2024



## **Your Community Staff**

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Be sure to check out our RentCafe app and download on your Smartphone or Tablet. You can also opt in for text messaging to view your account balance and pay your rent.

See office for the details

## **Office Hours**

# **Monday thru Friday**

9:00 am—6:00 pm

## Saturday/Sunday 10:00—5:00 pm

**We are Online** 

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# Paris and the Summer Olympics



# The 2024 Summer Olympics Are Right Around the Corner - Here's What We Know (So Far)

## Where Are the 2024 Summer Olympics?

Paris - otherwise known as the city of love and the capital of France - is set to host the 2024 Summer Olympics. Expect coverage to feature Parisian history with landmarks like the Seine River, Grand Palais, and Eiffel Tower. Most of the Games will take place in the official host city with 35 different venues across the entire Île-de-France region. Among these locations, the park at the foot of the Eiffel Tower will serve as a temporary outdoor arena, the Trocadéro will offer views of the triathlon and swimming events, and the iconic Bercy Arena will hold events like artistic gymnastics and basketball. Just outside city limits, the Château de Versailles will host equestrian events like show jumping, dressage and cross-country. The five modern pentathlon events (fencing, swimming, riding, shooting, and running) will also take place in Versailles.

## When will the 2024 Paris Olympics Take Place?

The Paris Games will begin on Friday, July 26, 2024, and conclude on Sunday, Aug. 11, 2024. Olympic Trials are taking place throughout April, May, and June. Notably, the Olympic Swimming Trials are set for June 15-23 at the Indianapolis Colts's Lucas Oil Stadium, marking the return of record-breaking athletes like Katie Ledecky. The Olympic Gymnastics Trials will take place on June 27-30 in Minneapolis, Minnesota, with Suni Lee, Simone Biles and Gabby Douglas all competing to make the five-person team. While the Olympic Wrestling Trials are scheduled for April 19-20, the Olympic Diving Trials will take place on June 16-23, and the Track and Field Trials will follow on June 21-30.

#### Has Paris Ever Hosted the Olympics Before?

Yes! In fact, the 2024 Olympics will mark Paris's third time hosting the Summer Games - an impressive milestone only London has conquered thus far. Additionally, France will be returning as the host nation for the sixth time. Previously, France hosted the Summer Games in 1904 and 1924, both of which were set in Paris, as well as the Winter Games in 1924 (Chamonix), 1968 (Grenoble), and 1992 (Albertville). Needless to say, France knows a thing or two about hosting the Olympics.



#### Will There Be Any New Sports at the Paris 2024 Olympics?

In addition to the usual summer sports like gymnastics and swimming, breakdancing has been added to the Olympic lineup for the 2024 Summer Olympics. Similar to skateboarding and surfing, which made their Olympic debut in Tokyo, breakdancing is expanding the definition of Olympic sports, and has quickly become one of the most talked about events. Fans will also be happy to see Paris include newer sports like sport climbing, karate, and - yes - skateboarding and surfing, in the 2024 Games, too. According to the Paris Olympics site, the city added these sports to their initial IOC proposal because they "are closely associated with youth and reward creativity and athletic performance." This also speaks to the IOC's continued effort to integrate more inclusive and youth-focused sports into the Olympics.

# Let's Get Together — June, July & August



**Ice Cream Fundae:** Join us Friday, June 7<sup>th</sup> in the clubhouse from 4pm - 5:30pm for cool ice cream treats. Ice Cream, Toppings, and extras will be available for you to build your custom ice cream treat.

**It's a Pizza Party:** Put it on the calendar....Friday, July 12<sup>th</sup> Pillar Pizza-licious Party! Join us in the clubhouse from 4pm - 6pm; Pizza and refreshments will be served with our compliments.

**Paint & Sip with Pillar!** Join us in the clubhouse Thursday, August 22nd from 3pm - 5pm. Create your masterpiece, enjoy a refreshment, and vote on the best painting. The winner will receive \$100 gift card!! RSVP is required to attend. Thank you!

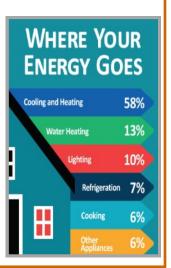
# Summer energy saving tips from APS

## Laundry energy saving tips:

- Wash only full loads of laundry. For small loads, adjust the water level.
- Wash clothes in cold water. About 90% of the energy needed to run a washing machine is used to heat the water.
- Before putting your clothes in the dryer, run an extra spin cycle to remove more water.
- Clean the lint filter in your dryer after every load. This increases air flow.
- Dry loads of laundry back-to-back. This keeps the dryer warm.

## Cooling energy saving tips:

- Raise your thermostat 1 degree and save 2-3% on cooling costs.
- Program your thermostat to adjust the temperature when you're not home.
- Change your air filters monthly. Dirty filters make your AC work harder, costing you money.
- When your AC is running, keep the doors inside your home open. This improves air flow, helping your AC run more efficiently.
- Instead of turning up the AC, try using a ceiling fan for a cool breeze. Be sure to turn the fan off when you leave the room. Remember: Fans cool people, not rooms.
- Using the oven heats up your home. When you can, use a microwave, air fryer or slow cooker instead. You might also consider grilling outside.
- Turn off any lights or appliances you aren't using; they create heat.



# **Recycling 101**

As a member of our community, we ask that you participate in our recycling program. Recycling is a great way to conserve resources, energy and expense, creating a healthier planet for ourselves and future generations.

There are three Basic Rules:

Rule #1: Recycle bottles, cans, paper and cardboard.Rule #2: Keep Food and Liquid out of your recycling.

Rule #3: No loose plastic bags and no bagged recyclables.

Stick to these three rules to recycle more efficiently and help ensure that everything in your recycling bin finds a second life.

## **Accepted in Your Bin**

Plastic Bottles & Containers Food & Beverage Cans

**Paper** 

Flattened Cardboard

Food & Beverage Containers

**Glass Bottles and Containers** 

## **Not Accepted in Your Bin**

No Bagged Recyclables

No Plastic Bags

No Plastic Wrap & Film

No Flexible Packaging

No Cups with Wax or Plastic Coating

No Polystyrene Foam/Plastic

## **Other Materials**

No Tangling Items
No Dirty Diapers
No Household items
No Medical Waste
No Garage Waste



Waste Management

# **Community Notices**

# **Pest Control**—We offer weekly pest control services every Tuesday. Please stop by or call the office to put in a request for service.

**Concierge Services**—To assist your busy lifestyle, we offer concierge services! Contact us for local dinner recommendations and other area conveniences. We also have some household items available for your use — Battery charger, first aide kit, sewing kit, step ladder etc. Contact the office for more details.

#### **Free Rent**

\*\*Could you use some extra cash to help pay your rent next month? Just refer someone to live in your community and once they move in, we'll give you a referral fee toward your next month's rent. It's as simple as that. Referral fees increase from time to time so contact the management office for the latest details.\*\*

### **Online Payment Option**

Please register your email with the front office and we will email you registration information to get setup!

#### **Renewing Your Lease**

Are you looking ahead and noticing that your lease is up soon? We would love to have you continue your residence here! Contact the office to renew your lease today. Please remember, the day after your lease expires your lease turns into a month -to-month lease which usually means higher rent and a month-to-month fee., so come in today and sign your new lease before the current one expires.

Don't forget if you decide not to renew with us you need to bring us a 60 day notice to vacate in writing. We will miss you as residents and wish you good luck in the future.

**Trash Pickup**— This is a reminder about your door to door trash removal service. Trash must be in the designated trash container for pickup service between 5:00 - 7:00pm and container must be back in your apartment by 9am the following morning. We hope you enjoy this service!

#### **Friendly Reminder**

Quiet time hours are from 10:00pm to 8:00am daily. During this time we ask that you turn down the bass on your stereo, keep the volume on the stereos and TV's at a very low setting, keep conversations in your backyard to a whisper (sounds echo on the backyards). Please lower the volume on your car stereo when driving through the property. Thank you for your continued cooperation.

Pets— Pillar at Fountain Hills is a pet friendly community, but pets must be added to the lease before bringing them onto the property. Contact the office for pet fees and deposit requirements. Residents are reminded that they must pick up after their pet and dispose of waste in the proper receptacles. Please do not let your pets urinate on the corners of our buildings. Thank you.

#### **Satellite Dish Policies**

If you are considering satellite services, please keep in mind we do have specific policies in regards to this. For additional details please review your lease or contact the leasing office. Thank you!