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Foxridge Improvement Association Board of Directors meets on the 2nd Wednesday of every month.

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Holiday Horse Carriage Ride!

Come enjoy a unique experience in our community with Foxridge Improvement Association's Annual Holiday Horse Carriage Ride and Santa visit! You don't want to miss the last and most magical social event of 2024. We hope to see you there for a MERRY good time!

When: Sunday, December 15, from 5 to 7 pm

Where: The Club at Foxridge parking lot, 7070 E. Mineral Ave.

This event will include complimentary:

- Horse carriage rides around the neighborhood. (We suggest a \$1 tip per rider. Sign up at the FIA table when you arrive to get a time slot.)
- Santa visit
- Holiday refreshments and treats
- Fire pits for staying warm



Meet the 2025 FIA Board of Directors

Congratulations to all six candidates who were elected unanimously by the 50 voters who returned their ballots. Special welcome to Mark Trocinski who joins eight returning Board members. Officers will be elected at the January Board meeting on Wednesday, January 8th.

The Board is complete with nine members, shown in the photo below from left to right:

Tudi Arneill, Alex Martinez, Cheryl Gass, Sandra Williams, Mark Trocinski, Martha Riley, Andrew Yon, Bryon Bhagwandin, and Gurdeep Sandhu.



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Secretary: Bryon Bhagwandin

Treasurer Gurdeep Sandhu

[term thru 12/31/24]

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Cheryl Gass (term thru 12/31/25)
Sandra Williams (term thru 12/31/25)
Andrew Yon (term thru 12/31/24)

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Representative Cheryl Gass

Covenants of the 11 filings comprising Foxridge can be found on our website: www.foxridgecommunity.com under FIA Board, Covenants

Did You Know.... In Arapahoe County...

- The *Neighborhood Watch* program has been replaced by *Dog Walker Watch*.
- It is not limited to dog walkers; anyone noticing suspicious behavior is asked to report it.
- Learn more about it and how to participate to help keep our community safe.
- Go to: https://www.arapahoeco.gov/your_county/county_departments/sheriffs_office/programs/dog_walker_watch.php for more information.

Community Resources:

There are some community needs that are not necessarily handled by the FIA Board. For questions or concerns, contact the following agencies:

Mayor: Stephanie Piko

www.centennialco.gov | 303-754-3350

District 3 Rep: Rik Holt

E-mail: rholt@centennialCO.gov

District 3 Rep: Mike Sutherland

E-mail: Msutherland@CentennialCo.gov

Phone: 303-754-3407

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www.arapahoextension.org

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Building Inspection Hot Line:

303-708-1430

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Code Enforcement:

303-325-8000

Homeless Outreach Liaison:

Vanessa Gates

homelessoutreach@centennialco.gov

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Law Enforcement & Arapahoe Co. Sheriff:

Sheriff@arapahoesherriff.org | Emergency: 911

Non-Emergency Issues & Questions:

303-795-4711

Crime Prevention & Neighborhood Watch:

303-795-4711

Graffiti Removal: 303-795-4711

Arapahoe Co. Government:

www.co.arapahoe.co.us

District 2 Commissioner:

Jessica Campbell-Swanson

JCampbell-Swanson@arapahoegov.com

303-795-4630

Clerk & Recorder: 303-795-4200

Arapahoe County Health

6162 S. Willow Dr., Suite 100

Greenwood Village, CO 80111

Phone: 303-795-4584

South Metro Fire Rescue Authority

www.southmetro.org | Emergency: 911

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After Hours Dispatch:

720-258-8911

SE Metro Stormwater Authority

www.semswa.org

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Leaf Drop/Yard Waste Composting Event a Success!



On Saturday, November 16, Eden Tree Care generously sponsored the FIA's third annual Leaf Drop/Yard Waste Composting Event for FIA members in the Foxridge neighborhood. Thanks to their efforts and the incredible participation of our community, we collected four trailers full of leaves and other yard waste! Not only is the neighborhood looking fantastic, but we also contributed to a healthier environment by keeping yard waste out of the landfill.

A special shoutout goes to the remarkable teens who volunteered their time and energy to clean up leaves in the pool area and along the street — what an impressive and hardworking group of young people!

Finally, a big thank you to FIA Board members and other volunteers who came out on Saturday to ensure the event ran smoothly. Your hard work and dedication are truly appreciated!





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add a pear slice or some cranberries

Aperol Spritz

fill a wine glass half with ice
1-3 tablespoons of Aperol
top with Prosecco
add an orange slice

Lemon whip

2 ounces prosecco
1/2 ounce vodka
1 scoop lemon sorbet
Mix until foamy

Boozy Dessert

2 large scoops vanilla ice cream
1 12-ounce bottle root beer
1/4 cup (2 ounces) bourbon cream liquor



Happy Holidays

I love stocking ahead for the holiday season. I usually buy a case of Guinness and have some cider and lager on hand for snake bites. (half cider half lager/stout). Below are some ideas for drinks during the holidays! I recently bought a case of the mini Prosecco from Costco and love the cocktails you can make without wasting a whole bottle!

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Chateau De Camarsac Bordeaux Superieur, 2020

Samuel Robert Pinot Noir Willamette Vineyard Reserve

1858 Red Blend

Drouhin Roserock Pinot Noir Eola Amity Hills, 2022

Faust Cabernet Napa, 2020

Brandy Alexander

1 1/2 ounces cognac

1 ounce dark creme de cacao

1 ounce cream

Garnish: grated nutmeg
shake with ice

HOLIDAY BEERS



Harp Lager

Guinness Draft

Delirium Noel

Left Hand Milk Stout

Breckenridge Christmas beer

St Bernardus Abt 12

Boulevard Nutcracker Ale



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8930729	8/30/24	6491 E Otero Place	\$999,000.00	\$1,020,000.00	4	4	3,641
6512634	6/6/24	6015 E Mineral Place	\$995,000.00	\$1,000,000.00	5	4	3,519
7984718	7/20/24	7905 S Jasmine Circle	\$985,000.00	\$980,000.00	5	4	3,633
7033897	7/30/24	6787 E Phillips Place	\$907,000.00	\$907,000.00	4	5	3,471
3541686	6/17/24	6297 E Mineral Place	\$900,000.00	\$900,000.00	5	4	3,184
4750392	6/17/24	7985 S Niagara Court	\$789,000.00	\$880,000.00	5	4	3,097
4819425	6/26/24	7733 S Oneida Court	\$875,000.00	\$875,000.00	5	5	3,291
2067758	8/15/24	8279 S Kearney Street	\$850,000.00	\$850,000.00	5	4	3,271
6387811	7/22/24	7562 S Newport Court	\$825,000.00	\$821,500.00	4	3	3,462
6398773	6/25/24	7917 S Niagara Way S	\$789,000.00	\$789,000.00	4	4	3,065
8241801	10/18/24	7979 S Jasmine Circle	\$840,000.00	\$775,000.00	4	4	3,636
4977872	10/30/24	7817 S Poplar Way	\$755,000.00	\$770,000.00	4	3	2,953
9145809	8/22/24	7847 S Oneida Way	\$770,000.00	\$769,000.00	5	3	2,878

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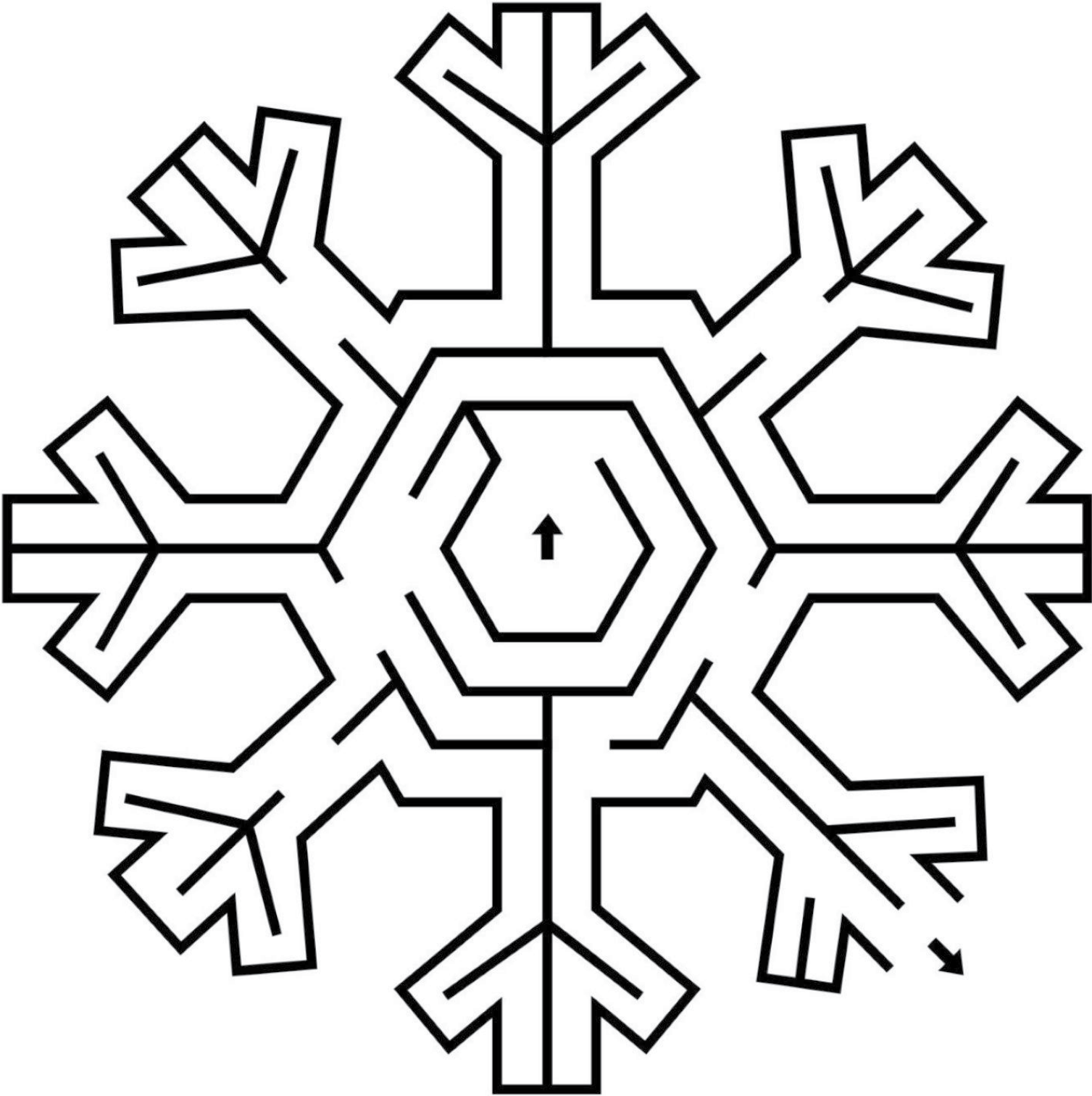


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The Farm	1,500	\$10
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Note: There are no FIA Board of Directors' Meeting Minutes this month, as the annual Members Meeting was held instead of a regular Board meeting.

Foxridge Improvement Association 2024 Annual Members Meeting

By: Bryon Bhagwandin

Every November the Foxridge Improvement Association (FIA) has its annual members meeting. This year the meeting was fun, informative and delicious – thank you Tudi Arneill for the delicious treats at the meeting. The annual meeting is open to all FIA members and is also the time when election results for the Board of Directors are tabulated. The 2024 meeting was attended by all FIA board members, several members of the community, and three guest speakers. Because attendance did not reach the 10% membership threshold for a quorum, no resolution decisions requiring an official vote were made. This was an informal community meeting and discussion. Before highlighting the honored guests, let me share the results of the election. This year's ballot included five incumbent board members and one new candidate (Mark Trocinski). There were six open board seats and six candidates running. Each candidate was unanimously elected to the FIA board for a two-year term. Please join me in congratulating:

- Tudi Arneill
- Bryon Bhagwandin
- Alex Martinez
- Gurdeep Sandhu
- Mark Trocinski
- Andrew Yon

Now, turning attention to the guest speakers, attendees at the meeting heard presentations from Rick Holt, Centennial City Council Member, Deputy Dennis Meyer, Arapahoe County Sheriff's Department, and Chad Clifford, Colorado House of Representatives. What a great group to hear from and discuss community concerns!

Deputy Dennis Meyer presented tips for neighborhood safety, automobile safety, and ID theft. The sheriff's office sponsors a neighborhood safety program entitled, Dog Walker Watch Program. If you are interested in getting involved, contact the FIA board or the Arapahoe County Sheriff's Department.

Below are some suggestions from the Department's Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design Program:

- Cut branches off trees near the house so 5 to 6 feet of trunk is visible.
- Trim bushes and shrubs near the house down to 2 to 3 feet.
- Place motion sensor lights in areas of your property where strangers might hide.
- Light walkways on your property to identify where people should be on your property.
- Have good locks on your doors.
- Use three-inch screws on your door strike plates.

For more information, see the Arapahoe County Sheriff's Department website.

Deputy Meyer also informed us that Centennial is the third safest city in Colorado and is in the top ten safest cities in the country with more than 100,000 residents. We live in a great city!

Many of you already know our City Council member, Rik Holt. Rik has lived in Foxridge since 2001 and is a former FIA board member. Rik has been a member of the city council for three years and has a passion for public and community service. The City Council meets on the second

and fourth Tuesday of each month. On the off-weeks, they get together to study and educate themselves on the issues facing our community. A big shout-out to Rik for all the time, work, and energy he gives to make our city such a great place to live.

Did you know that Foxridge is home to one of our state representatives? Chad Clifford has been a Foxridge resident since 2013. He was first elected to the State House of Representatives a year ago and has already co-sponsored 140 bills! Chad has no particular agenda and tries to be as transparent as possible. At the meeting, he reported that his top priority right now is housing. Chad has invited anyone in the district to shadow him for a day at the capitol. He and his staff are equipped to provide such a service, and he wants you to know/see what he's doing for you. If this is something you are interested in, please reach out to his office – Chad Clifford, Colorado State Representative – District 37.

The Foxridge Improvement Association's Annual Members Meeting was a great success. We had a terrific line-up of speakers and a good group of attendees. It was a delightful time, coming together to learn about our community and the outstanding people who serve to make it all that it is. If you were unable to attend, know you were missed. Remember we have a members meeting every year on the second Wednesday of November; see you next year!



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Chocolate Peppermint Bark (Dessert)

A festive holiday treat with layers of dark and white chocolate, topped with crushed peppermint candies.

Courtesy of Michelle Fox - Nutritionist and Foxridge Resident

Ingredients:

- 1 cup dark chocolate chips
- 1 cup white chocolate chips
- 1/2 teaspoon peppermint extract
- 1/2 cup crushed peppermint candies

Instructions:

1. Melt dark chocolate in a double boiler and spread onto a lined baking sheet. Cool in the refrigerator.
2. Melt white chocolate and stir in peppermint extract. Spread it over dark chocolate layer.
3. Sprinkle with crushed peppermint candies and refrigerate until set. Break into pieces.

Do you have a favorite recipe you'd like to share?

Let us know at foxridge.board@gmail.com



Happy Holidays from the Foxridge Community Garden!!
This time of year is full of joy and wonder.
Hope you find these jokes and activities joyful!



What cover crop do they use in the North Pole?
Elf-alfa!!

What kind of headphones did the farmer want for Christmas?
Beets by Dre!



What's 90 degrees but covered in ice?
The North and South Poles

What do vegetables wish for, more than anything else in the whole world?
Peas on Earth!



What do you get when you divide the circumference of a pumpkin by its diameter?
Pumpkin pi!

Why is the Grinch such an excellent gardener? He has a *green thumb!*

How do you fix a broken pumpkin?
Pumpkin patch!



Who is the Christmas tree's favorite singer?
Spruce Springsteen!



What is a snowman's favorite seasoning?
Chilly flakes!

Why did the scarecrow get a big holiday bonus?
He was outstanding in his field!





2024 FIA Membership Form

January 1, through December 31, 2024

Membership in the FIA requires a \$60 annual fee.

To join electronically, simply go to www.foxridgecommunity.com and click on 'Membership'.

You will be able to pay by Zelle or PayPal.

If you prefer to send a check, please complete the form below and send with your check made out to FIA to:

Foxridge Improvement Association | PO Box 4985 | Englewood, CO 80155-4985

Name:

Address:

Phone Number:

Email Address:

Check here if you do not want to be on our email list. It is used to inform about upcoming events and is not shared.

\$60.00 Make check payable to FIA (please do not send cash)

Are you interested in being actively involved? We welcome volunteers!
Opportunities are available for the following:

Welcome Committee	<input type="checkbox"/>	Foxridge Fair	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Sarah Smith
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Welcome to Linda Schley, new tennis pro!

We are thrilled to announce that Linda Schley has accepted the position of Club at Foxridge Tennis Pro, effective now. As our on-court Head Pro, Linda will be leading the charge in developing and enhancing our tennis programs for both adults and juniors.



With extensive experience coaching and developing tennis programs in the Denver area, Linda brings a wealth of knowledge and expertise to our team. Her passion for the game and commitment to player development make her the perfect fit to help elevate our tennis offerings here at Foxridge.

We look forward to seeing the positive impact Linda will have on our members and the broader tennis community!

Interested in some private lessons or tennis drills this fall and winter, weather and court conditions permitting? See below for more information. Let Linda know at tennispro@foxridgeclub.com.

Happy Holidays from The Club at Foxridge!

Still looking for the perfect gift for yourself or someone else?

Fill the summer with fun at the Foxridge pool and tennis courts! Our half-off initiation fee discount voucher is good until the end of 2024. Simply let us know your interest at contact@foxridgeclub.com.

In the works!

Hiring a Club Manager for 2025

Know anyone who might be interested?

Let us know at contact@foxridgeclub.com.

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TENNIS**

Off Season Tennis by Linda Schley, Foxridge Tennis Pro
- Weather and Court Conditions Permitting -

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Live Ball Drills
Ready to see your game improve rapidly? Live Ball is a unique, high-energy tennis experience that keeps you moving with non-stop action, leaving little time to pause or recover. Each session includes 6-8 players on a court, making every moment and every player essential to the game.
Please note: this is an intense class, so participants can expect a vigorous cardiovascular workout.

Cardio Tennis
... an exciting, high-energy fitness class that combines tennis drills and games with a full-body cardiovascular workout. Set to lively music, this class is designed for all skill levels and focuses on keeping players constantly moving through a variety of fast-paced tennis activities. Participants engage in short drills, agility exercises, and match-style play with minimal downtime, making it a fun, social way to improve both tennis skills and overall fitness. With the emphasis on endurance, coordination, and quick movements, Cardio Tennis is ideal for anyone looking to get fit while enjoying the game!

Learn to Play Tennis
... a beginner-friendly class designed to introduce new players to the fundamentals of tennis in a fun, supportive environment. This class covers essential skills like proper grip, footwork, basic strokes, and game rules, ensuring participants build a solid foundation from the start. With hands-on guidance from experienced coaches, players will learn through engaging drills and easy-to-follow instructions, gaining confidence on the court as they progress. Perfect for those new to the game or anyone looking to brush up on basics, this class makes learning tennis accessible and enjoyable for everyone!

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... fast-paced, engaging challenges designed to build tennis skills while keeping kids excited and active. Each game lasts only one minute, pushing kids to perform their best in a short time frame. These games focus on developing essential skills, hand-eye coordination, and footwork, all while fostering a fun, competitive atmosphere. Perfect for ages 8-12, the games use creative drills and targets to turn skill-building into exciting mini-competitions, making tennis practice feel like playtime!

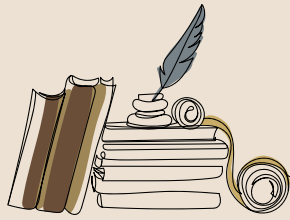
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By Wayne McDonald

WHO AM I?

*In tropical waters not many feet down
Some beautiful, colorful critters abound
They dig so neat
Into a coral reef
And live in a shiny "sea town"*

*To build, secretes fluid, no lumber to lug
Down there to the tunnel it dug
Forms tunnel wall
With secretions, that's all
Home fits the worm nice and snug*

*Each worm, two trees, one color so bright
Not deep in the water so gets the sunlight
Sun makes'm shine
In colors divine
Tis truly a diver's delight*

*At least seven colors so vibrant and fine
For all you swimmers who take the time
To 30 feet go
Down there below
And swim in the so salty brine*

*Orange and red and pink and white
And yellow and brown and blue and striped
You can see all
If your port of call
Takes you to a Florida Key sight*

*The "tree arms," so pretty, are helpful, too
They capture and then they funnel the food
So worm can feed
Take care of its needs
Without them, what would worm do?*

*In order to breathe under water, needs gills
And this role the tree arms fulfill
So they are its feeder
And also its breather
Do both jobs with wonderful skill (and never send
worm a bill)*

*If preds come along, its trees do retract
In less than a second this worm does react
Cause crabs and fish
Surely do wish*

*To eat it for mid-morning snack
Home has a trap door, a special arm
That protects the worm from any alarm
When it does close
To preds it does show
Spikes that would cause the pred harm*

*Doesn't stay closed very long, you see
Cause it can't eat with retracted trees
So peaks its trees out
To serve as its scouts
If clear, they climb back out to feed
Tis a marvelous sea animal, indeed!*

DO YOU KNOW THE NAME OF THIS TINY BUT BEAUTIFUL WORM?



IT IS CALLED A CHRISTMAS TREE WORM (SPIROBRANCHUS GIGANTEUS)

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Saturday, December 07, 2024

1:00 PM to 3:00 PM

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