

How can one communicate with neighbors in the midst of the Covid-19 shutdown?
Ann Peddicord had a bright idea for contacting her neighbors on the cul-de-sac where they have been living since the pandemic caused a major delay to her and Clark's return to Germany. Here is a copy of the note she wrote and taped on their neighbors' doors!

Dear Neighbors,

About a month ago, my husband, Clark, and I moved into the Circle. When Clark is not teaching at BSU, we work with a non-profit student group in Berlin, Germany. (We're both over the official "retirement" age, though!)

We've enjoyed meeting some of you and being greeted with friendly "Hello" waves by many more!

We got to thinking that in this new corona "normal" way of life, it might be good to have a small Circle/Neighborhood Watch-Community. By having a simple list with names of neighbors and cell phone numbers and e-mail addresses (and pets), we would have a way to help each other.

If we noticed anything strange happening (flood, smoke, thieves, whatever...) or if a pet got lost, we could let the each other know.

I also realized that I am interested in indirectly "meeting" you, our new neighbors. Having a directory might be an easy way to introduce ourselves and perhaps open a communication channel.

If you are interested, would you please send the information on the second page to me by email or put it into our mail box. I'll consolidate the information and email you the list for any eventual corrections. (My email is: ann@peddicord.com)

"Yesterday is history. The future is a mystery.
Today is a gift! That is why it is called the present!"
Quote from Kung Fu Panda

Cordially and with Appreciation,
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(Both of our children are grown and married and we have no pets.)