



LINDA VISTA-ANNANDALE ASSOCIATION

## NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

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### Coyote Warning!

The following is extracted from an e-mail received from a local resident who just had a harrowing experience with an aggressive coyote:

"This morning, July 28th, when I walked up El Mirador to Wellington, a coyote began following us. He was so bold he was stalking us. I scooped up my dog and continually yelled at the coyote in a very loud voice, but he was not afraid of me what so ever. He began circling us coming closer and closer. Needless to say, I was carrying my dog, but the coyote was so aggressive and coming closer and closer. I was yelling and stamping my feet but to no avail.

We came to the "jog" in the road and there is an older dog in a side yard. When the coyote saw him he crept closer and was going to jump the low fence. I knocked on the door and finally got the owner to take his dog inside. The coyote followed me for several more blocks.

All over Lida and Linda Vista there are notices for a "lost" cat. I fear that the coyote is so fat and aggressive because he has eaten many small animals in the neighborhood. Please pass this on to the Linda Vista area residents."

If you have neighbors who may not have received this email, please pass along the information.

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