



TELL-E-GRAM

APRIL 3, 2018



BOARD WORKSHOP HIGHLIGHTS

Kahite Internet – Winston Blazer gave an update on the Internet in Kahite. The POA has taken into consideration several ideas presented to the Board. Due to a recently passed state legislature, Ft. Loudon Electric Cooperative (FLEC) is currently looking to partner with local Internet companies to provide broadband access. An evaluation will be conducted in May and FLEC will reach a go/no go decision at that point. Fiberstream is still a possible option as well. No decision was made at this time.

Long Range Strategic Plan Update – Bart Margoshes presented the Long Range Strategic Plan Update, as well as the LRPAC Roadmap. Data has been collected since January and the final report will be presented in February 2019. A status report will be provided every two months. He also presented the communications concept – keep an eye out in upcoming Tell-E-Gram’s for more information. Property owner participation is crucial.

Golf – Jim West presented the Golf Operations update. All courses have completed the spring aeration process. Women’s golf continues to grow – the weekly beginning ladies clinics are full with waiting lists. Lady Linksters Golf continues to be popular with 70 women participating. New Villagers Golf also continues to grow, it is now at the point where two courses will be needed for league nights in the Loudon County portion of Tellico Village. There are a lot of fun and new activities currently being offered for New Villagers Golf. On June 20-23,

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POA MEETINGS AND EVENTS (RED DENOTES IRREGULARITY OF TIME, DAY, AND/OR LOCATION):

- April 4, 9 a.m., Public Services, POA Conference Room
- April 5, 9 a.m., ACC, POA Conference Room
- April 6, 9 a.m., Communication Advisory Committee, POA Conference Room
- April 12, 10 a.m., Recreation Advisory Committee, Wellness Center

Toqua Golf Course will host the largest amateur event in Tennessee. Top amateur players from all over the state will compete in a four-ball championship. This is an excellent opportunity to highlight Tellico Village's Toqua Golf Course to an influential group of golfers.

Food Service – Andy Fox gave the marketing update for the Yacht Club, Tanasi, Toqua, and Kahite. Tiki Friday's are very popular at the Yacht Club. The Yacht Club will host several upcoming events, including a Cinco de Mayo fiesta and Parrot Head party. The Farmer's Market will start on May 9th and will occur every Wednesday from 9 a.m. – Noon in the Yacht Club parking lot. Toqua Clubhouse will offer Music on the Fairway on Thursdays this year. There are several events booked in the Pavilion (including two weddings and five rehearsal dinners). Tanasi has something happening every day of the week. There are several food specials and Music Mondays. The Easter brunch at Kahite was well attended with 140 people. Happy Hour Fridays, Wednesday Socials, and Music Mondays are also occurring at Kahite.

To view the slides from the Board Workshop, please visit the POA website at www.tellicovillagepoa.org - the slides are located under the "Board of Directors" page.

CORRECTION

The Yacht Club calendar was sent out with the incorrect dates for the April POA Board meeting and Solo's Club meeting. They will both be taking place at the Yacht Club on April 18th, not April 25th as previously noted. The Board meeting will begin at 1:30 p.m. and the Solo's Club meeting will begin at 5 p.m.

UPCOMING EVENTS AND MEETINGS

ASTRONOMY CLUB

The Tellico Village Astronomy Club will meet Wednesday April 4 at 7 p.m. in Chota Recreation Center. The meeting will include a talk by Roger Lane, president of the Knoxville Observers astronomy Club titled "Astronomy 101 Finding Your Way Around the Night Sky". Every one interested in learning the constellations and the bright stars is welcome to attend. For more information contact Roy Morrow at 865 293 2860 or rmorrowb44@gmail.com

TELLICO VILLAGE WOODWORKERS MEETING

The Tellico Village Woodworkers Club will be holding their monthly General Meeting on April 5, 2018 at 7:15 pm. The meeting will be held on the top floor of the Yacht Club. This month's program will feature Joe Cafferata from the Woodworkers Guild who will discuss "block front chest construction". The public is welcome to attend. For more information, go to tvwoodworkers.com.

AMERICAN LEGION POST 256 MEETING

American Legion Post 256, extends an invitation to all Veterans to join us at our meetings on the 1st Thursday of each month. The next meeting will be Thursday, April 5. The meeting begins at 9 a.m. and includes a breakfast buffet for \$12.00. Reservations are required by noon on the Monday prior to the meeting. Please call Commander Vic Vickery, (423) 884-6476 or Adjutant Jim McNeece, (865) 233-5664. Breakfast is followed by an informative guest speaker and updates on community and veteran's services projects. Join us in the Fellowship Hall at The First Baptist Church of Tellico Village. For directions and more information visit www.TellicoLakePost256.org.

NEW VILLAGERS SOCIAL

The New Villagers Club holds a Social 5-6:30 p.m. on the first Thursday of every month at Tellico Yacht Club. The next Social will be 5 p.m., Thursday, April 5th at the Yacht Club. New members should arrive at 4:30 p.m. Visit the New Villagers Club website for more information. www.telliconewvillagers.com

TELLICO VILLAGE GARDEN CLUB

The Tellico Village Garden Club will meet Thursday, April 5 at 12:30 p.m. at The Yacht Club. Our speaker is Julian Cosner, UT Public Horticulture grad and Market Manager of Pope's Plant Farm. His topic is "What's Wrong with My Plants?" assessing and managing fertilization, fungus, environmental stress and common pests.

TELICO VILLAGE NATURALISTS CLUB

The Tellico Village Naturalists Club's monthly meeting will be on Tuesday, April 10th in Room D, Chota Recreation Center. Members' social starts at 6pm and the Program meeting starts at 6:30pm. This month's topic is " Rooms with a View, Part I " (East Tennessee Habitats) and there will also be a nature profile of a mystery mammal. Non-members are welcome to come to the Program meeting to learn more about the club. For more information, visit us at www.sites.google.com/view/tvnaturalists-public

MUDDY BOOTS HIKE

Join us on Monday, April 9th as we hike the Ace Gap Trail. The Ace Gap trail is considered one of the easier hikes in the Smoky Mountain National Park, without much altitude gain or loss. The trail head is located near Cades Cove and is a relatively short distance from home. The trail runs along the western border of the park and offers a peaceful hike in the woods along the ridges of Rich Mountain in a lightly traveled area of the park. This is an in and out hike to campsite no. 4. After the hike, we will head over to Apple Valley Café in Townsend for lunch. We will meet at 8 a.m. at Chota Center (across from Marathon gas station & in parking lot of Lakeside Realty). Hike leader is Tom Gibbons (thomasagibbons@gmail.com or 312-316-6929). Bring water and a trail snack and \$6.00 to reimburse the driver for gas. Hiking poles are recommended, but not essential. Also, experienced hikers bring an extra pair of shoes and place their hiking boots, if dirty, in a trash bag to try to keep the driver's car floor clean. In the event of a situation requiring medical intervention during a hike, we suggest that each participant wear their Name Tag and bring a Photo ID (generally driver's license) and Medical Information cards (Health Insurance Card or Medicare + supplemental Health Insurance Cards).

HOA SOCIAL

The HOA Social is Tuesday, April 10th, 5:00 – 6:30 PM at the Yacht Club. Sign up for community events. Stay for dinner with the group at the Yacht Club, if you choose. For more information visit: www.hoatv.org

TELICO CRUISING CLUB

The Tellico Cruising Club will hold its monthly meeting on Wednesday, April 11 at the Tellico Village Yacht Club. The social hour begins at 5 PM with the meeting starting promptly at 6 PM. All Tellico Lake boaters are welcome. Newcomers are welcome. Any questions should be directed to Commander Casey Kelly, 865-458-1928.

TELICO VILLAGE FISHING CLUB

The Tellico Village Fishing Club monthly meeting will be on Wednesday, April 11, 2018 from 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. at the Village Yacht Club (top floor). Club meetings feature fishing related guest speakers and discussions about various Club fishing activities and events. Visitors are welcome. For additional information, contact Club President Pete Young at 865 - 458 -1527.

COMING UP AT TELICO VILLAGE UNIVERSITY IN APRIL...

Please read the complete course description for these classes at www.tvuniversity.org Classes are under the "Spring Classes" tab. Register on the website. Classes incur a fee or prepayment or have other requirements and preparation.

- April 4 - DreamSpeak, Chota Rec Center from 1:00 – 3:00 p.m. Learn how to understand your dreams, with Dr. Karol Bouse.
- April 16, 23, 20 - Music as a Second Language. Learn how to read music in the Yacht Club Gallery from 9:00 – 11:00 a.m. Ken McGarvey and Dennis Loy are teaching this fun class for wannabe singers.
- April 19 - iCloud Fundamentals at the Kahite Annex from 1:00 – 3:00 p.m. Get with it and get on the iCloud. Larry McJunkin is our expert!
- Technology Classes offered by Social Media 4 Seniors at Tellico Village University at Chota Rec Center Room D: April 6, Windows Basics (9 - 11 a.m.), April 9 and 10, NEW iPad/iPhone Basics Workshop (8:30 - 10:30 a.m.), April 9 and 10, NEW Android Basics (10:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.)

TELICO VILLAGE LADIES BOOK CLUB

Join the Tellico Village Ladies Book Club on April 12 at the Tanasi Clubhouse. Lunch will begin at 11:30 a.m. and discussion will follow at 12:15 p.m. We will discuss the fictional book "The Memory Keeper's Daughter" by Kim Edwards. Virginia Zorovich will lead the discussion.

TELLICO RIDERS MEETING

Thursday April 12, 2018, the Tellico Riders will conduct their monthly meeting at the Tellico Village Yacht Club. The club social starts at 5pm in the Yacht Club Bar. Followed by a meeting on the 3rd floor at 6pm. If you own a motorcycle, ride in East Tennessee, or would like to meet those that do, come join us. At 7pm after the meeting, it's optional to join many of the Tellico Riders for dinner in the Yacht Club Dining Room. If you desire to have dinner, we recommend you place your dinner meal order during the Club Social Hour... tell them you are with the Tellico Riders. For additional information, please contact Dave Johnson, Director Tellico Riders at ae0e@hotmail.com.

LEARN BRIDGE

Bridge is a game that can bring a lifetime of enjoyment. It is the perfect combination of mental challenge and social interaction. It's a game for all ages! The following events will be held at the Everett Park Senior Center, 702 Burchfield Street, Maryville. To register for either event, contact Pat at (865) 982-8801 or pj5651@chartertn.net.

Can you Learn Bridge in a Day? Absolutely!

Boost your brain power and have fun while learning the world's most popular card game. Join Kevin Wilson, a nationally recognized bridge teacher and professional player, as he teaches you the basics of bridge. Learn how to evaluate and bid a bridge hand, how to play the hand, and how to score the results. Refreshments and course materials will be provided. \$25. Saturday April 28, from 1-5:30 p.m.

Want to Refresh or Update your Bridge Skills?

Janet Mobley will teach you the fundamentals of the game using all of today's modern techniques. This is a 10-week course on Tuesday evenings from 6-8 p.m. beginning May 1. Refreshments will be provided and course materials will be available. Classes are free for the first two weeks and \$5 per class after that.



... Join One of America's Fastest Growing Sports!

Pickleball is a fun, active, social paddle sport for all ages and skill levels and you can find out for yourself throughout the month of April.

During National Pickleball Month, the Tellico Village Pickleball Club and the Recreation Department are offering free, "drop-in" times all month where you can see what all the excitement is about. We'll provide everything, and we'll have players on hand to help you get introduced to the game as well. So stop by and give it a try!

We're located across the parking lot from the Wellness Center, and we'll have players ready to meet you and get you started **every Thursday during April and every day during the week of April 23 - 27 between 1:00 and 3:00.**

See You On The Courts!

LIBRARY CORNER

Below, you will find information about upcoming events at the Public Library of Tellico Village. If you are interested in learning more about upcoming events at the Library, contact them directly at 865-458-5199.

Tellico Village Knoxville Symphony League Members and Friends: Now is the time to sign up to serve as a hostess/host for the 2018 KSL Designer ShowHouse. Look over the dates/times and sign up. You will not need to register an account or keep a password. More information is available by calling either Peggy Wilson, 865-789-3332 or Ann Hitch at 865-659-0703, Monday-Friday between the hours of 9am & 4pm. Sign up on line - <http://signup.com/go/BSWZMuR>

Friday, April 6, 2018 - First Friday Author Series, 10 a.m. - noon. Joan McIntee, master needle artist who has taught crocheting, Teneriffe embroidery, candle wicking among other hand crafts will be presenting. You can view her original works and watch her demonstrations of Teneriffe needlepoint. This will be held in the Conference Room of the Public Library at Tellico Village. There is no charge to attend this event.

April 10, 2018 - National Library Workers' Day. Thank your library workers on their special day! The Public Library at Tellico Village.

April 10, 2018 - 9:30-10:30a.m. Part II: "Trail of Tears, The Actual Removal". No charge, please pre-register by calling 865-458-5199. Session will meet in the Conference Room of The Public Library at Tellico Village.

April 17, 2018 - 9:30-10:30a.m. Barb Gothard, "Latest Trends in Appetizers". Samples available. Please pre-register at 865-458-5199. No charge. Session will be held in the Conference Room of The Public Library at Tellico Village.

April 17, 2018 - 7-8p.m. "How to Maximize Your Social Security Benefit" with Bruce Landis from Providence Advisors. Pre-register by calling 865-458-5199. There is no charge for this event to be held in the Conference Room of The Public Library at Tellico Village.

April 17, 2018 - 1-5 p.m. Genealogy for Beginners, Introduction to Family History, presented by Sam Maner, author of several genealogical publications and instructor at Pellissippi and Roane State Community Colleges. Bring laptops with research and records collected. A genealogy program, if you do not have one, will be provided at no charge. There is a \$25 fee for the four hour session that is limited to 20 participants. The session will be held at The Public Library at Tellico Village. You must go to the library to pre-register and pay. Make checks payable to Sam Maner. Please do not respond to Next Door.

April 18, 2018 - 1-2p.m. "Tennis Elbow: Prevention and Treatment", presented by Dr. Mag Abdu, P.T., of Advanced Physiotherapy Associates, Lenoir City. Please pre-register at 865-458-5199. There is no charge for this session to be held in the Conference Room of The Public Library at Tellico Village.

Book Sale Donations Needed



Donation Bins Now Available at:

- Welcome Center
- Chota Rec Center
- The Public Library at Tellico Village

Book Sale (open to public)
Friday, April 27th -- 9 to 6
Saturday, April 28th -- 9 to 1
Friends Preview Thursday
April 26th -- 6:30 to 8:30 pm
TV Community Church (CLC)

**Hardcover & Softcover Books,
DVDs, Books on CDs, Music CDs,
Cookbooks, Children's Books,
Puzzles & Games (intact)**



NO Textbooks
NO Encyclopedias



11th Annual Beautification Tournament

Superintendent's Revenge

Saturday, April 14th, 2018

(Entry Deadline April 10th)

Toqua - Shotgun @ 9AM

Regular Scramble Format

Entry Fee - \$35 per person

Includes Lunch & Range Balls

(excludes Green & Cart Fees)

Surprises from our "Supers" on
the course and lunch in the
Pavilion
following play!

Sign Up Sheets and more
tournament information
available at each Pro Shop.



Kiwanis Pancake Breakfast



All you can eat for 10 bucks*

*\$12 at the door

TV Community Church, CLC

Date: **Saturday, April 7, 2018**

Time: **7:30 - 11:00 am**

Pancakes, sausages, quiche, juice,
yogurt, coffee, fruit cup and very
friendly service. Come and meet
all your neighbors.

Tickets available at the Village
Salon, Salon Anew, United
Community Bank or any
Kiwanian. See you there!

CALLAWAY DEMO DAY

It can be tough these days knowing what golf clubs are best for you. No need to worry because Callaway Golf has made it easy for everyone with the **NEW** Rogue line of clubs. The jail break technology that made EPIC the number one driver in golf is now improved in the Rogue driver and is in the fairway woods and hybrids. Golf Digest has named all the Rogue clubs to its Hot List GOLD medal winners. The fairway woods are so good they received a perfect score. **Demo Day will be Friday, April 20th at Toqua from 12:00 - 4:00pm.** Hope you can come out and try the best clubs in golf. If you can't wait till the 20th, demos are available at the Toqua golf shop. Stop by today!!

ROTARY TO HOLD CHARITY DINNER

Evening will Showcase Hiwassee College's Mobile Dental Unit

Tellico Lake Rotary Club is pleased to announce its annual Charity Dinner and Silent Auction. This year's dinner will be held Friday, April 27, 6 PM in Fellowship Hall at First Baptist Church of Tellico Village and catered by Chef by Request. Harvey Phillips, the club's current president noted, "Our big feature of the evening will highlight Hiwassee College's new Mobile Dental Unit. It's a beautiful, fully equipped dental office on wheels that can go to the rural areas of East Tennessee where many residents have never sat in a dentist chair."



The keynote speaker for the evening will be the distinguished president of Hiwassee College, Dr. Robin Tricoli. Dr. Tricoli has a passion to help her students be the best they can be by instilling values of faith, excellence, tradition, and community. Being a small, intimate Liberal Arts and Applied Science learning institution, Hiwassee prepares students for academic and vocational success. Hiwassee's Dental Hygiene program will have their Mobile Dental Unit on hand for touring as an example of their commitment to give back to the underserved residents of our area as well as teach our school children the importance of dental hygiene early on.



Talbott Paynter, Director of Business Development for Provision CARES Proton Therapy Center, will update us on recent technological advances in cancer treatment options.

Come and be part of this exciting evening where we honor our charities and scholarship winners. Tickets are \$20 and go on sale March 29th. Tickets must be purchased in advance and may be purchased from any Rotarian, at the First Baptist Church office 865-408-0110, or call John & Sue Everson at 423-884-3369. Make checks payable: "Tellico Lake Rotary Foundation."

NEW CAREGIVER SUPPORT GROUP STARTED

There is a new Caregiver's Support Group being started. The purpose of the group is to provide support and information to caregivers of all types: caring for spouses, parents, special needs children, and grandchildren. The group will begin on Tuesday, April 10 from 1-2:30 and meet monthly on the 2nd Monday of each month from 1-2:30. The Group will meet at the white house building at the Community Church at Tellico Village offices, 130 Chota Circle, Tellico Village. There will be occasional speakers on topics of interest chosen by the attendees. If anyone has questions regarding the meeting or purpose of the group, please call Lynne at 865-657-9988.



Volunteer Wanted



As you can see by this ad, TVB is in need of an experienced graphic artist.

Ideal candidate knows Photoshop, Premiere Pro, and Microsoft.

Salary includes: some to all of the satisfaction you can handle.

You will work with a great team who enjoys what they're doing.

Are you interested?

Contact TVB Station Manager Keith Sanderson at keith@maxapooch.com, or call 847-452-1891

TVB is Tellico Village Broadcasting



5-7PM
Wednesday
April 18th

Tanasi & Noble Vines
Wine Dinner

1ST COURSE Pinot Grigio	<i>Pork & Mushroom Dumplings</i>
2ND COURSE Pinot Noir	<i>Mint Infused Rose Sorbet</i>
3RD COURSE	<i>"Playtime" Cheese, Fruit & Nut Plate</i>
4TH COURSE Cabernet	<i>Steak Oscar Over Grilled Asparagus</i>
5TH COURSE The One Blend	<i>Panna Cotta With Berries</i>

\$60 Reservation Only
TAX & GRAT NOT INCLUDED Please Make Reservations
By April 14th

TANASI BAR & GRILL PRESENTS Sippin' Sunday

- 3 Onion Rings Drizzled With Chipotle
- 1 Eggroll
- 2 Rib Bones
- Small Chips & Salsa

One FREE Individual Appetizer of Choice Above With Purchase of Any Bar Drink Starting at 4pm

MUSIC MONDAY

LIVE MUSIC STARTING AT 6:30PM

\$16 Prime Rib Starting at 4PM

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| APRIL 2ND | KENNY DYKES |
| APRIL 9TH | AM STATION |
| APRIL 16TH | PAIR OF JOKERS |
| APRIL 23RD | 45 RPM |
| APRIL 30TH | SOUTHERN STAR |

BRING A LAWN CHAIR OR BLANKET FOR A FRONT ROW SEAT & BEAUTIFUL VIEW AT TANASI BAR & GRILL
ENJOY A COCKTAIL FROM THE BAR & TO-GO ORDER INSTEAD OF WAITING FOR A TABLE

TICKETS AVAILABLE FOR "TALK IS CHEAP" MCFA FUNDRAISER

Tickets are now on sale for the upcoming fundraising benefit "Talk is Cheap." Proceeds from this event will support Monroe County Friends of Animals in their continued efforts of helping stray and homeless Monroe County animals.

"Talk is Cheap" is a hilarious and entertaining evening that features two-time Emmy Award winner Bill Landry, Elizabeth Rose, Sam Venerable and Jim Claborn. Tickets are available at United Community Bank locations in Tellico Village and Madisonville, and Volunteer Federal Savings locations in Madisonville, Sweetwater, Vonore and Tellico Plains. It is recommended that those planning on attending "Talk is Cheap" should purchase their tickets well in advance, as it is expected this will be a sold-out performance. The event will be at 4:00 pm on April 21, 2018 at the Hiwassee College Butcher Auditorium. Ticket prices are: adults \$20, Hiwassee Students \$10, and Children under 12 are free. If you can't attend the event you can still make a donation to MCFA either online at www.monroecountyfriendsofanimals.org, or by sending a check to Monroe County Friends of Animals P.O. Box 106 Vonroe, TN 37855.

MCFA (Monroe County Friends of Animals) is a not-for-profit volunteer organization with 501(c) (3) status located in Monroe County, Tennessee. MCFA was created in 2004 by concerned citizens who recognized a need throughout the county for animal welfare.

They consulted with the County's governing body and entered into negotiations with the Monroe County government. This led to the formation of a county-run animal shelter, which was approved by a narrow commission vote at the end of 2004. Since then, MCFA has helped save more than 24,000 cats and dogs.

UPCOMING ART GUILD EVENTS

Below are some important upcoming events for the Art Guild of Tellico Village:

Art Guild of Tellico Village meeting

April 19 at 9:30 a.m. Social time & refreshments
Meeting begins at 10 a.m., Tellico Yacht Club, 5th floor
Program - Apples, Style, and the Creative Process
Presenter - Artist Kate Aubrey, guests Welcome!

Acrylic Mixed Media Workshop

Art Instructor - Sandra Washburn
April 5, 6, 7 from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Chota Recreation Center - Room A
For more information see www.tellicoartguild.org or contact vermeerschci@gmail.com

Fundamentals of Digital Photography

April 17, 20, 27 from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m., Wellness Center
Contact Dennis Sabo at dsabo.photo@gmail.com for more information.

Realistic Oil Painting Workshop

Art Instructor - Laurie Szilvagy
May 3, 4, 5 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., Chota Recreation Center - Room A
For more information see www.tellicoartguild.org or contact vermeerschci@gmail.com

20th Annual Spring Art Show

presented by the Art Guild of Tellico Village
May 11 5 to 8 p.m.
May 12 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.
May 13 8 a.m. to 2 p.m.
Tellico Village Community Church - Free admission

Creating Dramatic Landscapes in Watercolor

Art Instructor - Kate Aubrey
June 7, 8, 9 from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Chota Recreation Center - Room A
For more information see www.tellicoartguild.org or contact vermeerschci@gmail.com

PET OF THE WEEK: MEET BOOTS, SHIVERS, AND BRITCHES!

Anyone who has ever had a cat will confirm that you do not own your cat - cats own themselves. This somewhat funny expression might actually have some scientific accuracy. Some scientists have reason to believe that cats weren't domesticated by humans back in the day, rather that they are so smart that they domesticated themselves realizing how their lives would benefit by sneaking into our hearts and homes.

Three spectacular, indoor only, young senior cats are ready to go home with you right meow! Boots and Shivers are a tightly bonded pair of girls that really should stay together for their own well-being; separation may create an unhealthy grieving situation for both. Shivers is a 9-year-old, bobtail, white tabby and Boots is a 7-year-old Snowshoe-Siamese Mix. We suspect that they are purrfect lap and/or couch cats that will, once comfortable, will seek you attention, and return your affection-any time and any place! Britches is also from the same home and once he knows you are OK, he is over-the-top affectionate! He is a 9-year-old, Blue Lynx Point Siamese Mix who is awaiting your arrival to take him home. All three were surrendered from an owner who realized that they were not getting the attention that they were used to, and needed. All 3 have perfect litter box manners, have been altered, tested Negative for FeLV/FIV, have all vaccinations and are microchipped. Bring a carrier, or two and come and get them.

SNAP (Spay Neuter Assistance for Pets) offers free vouchers to qualifying families for a spay or neuter procedure at participating local veterinarians. The next voucher session will be held Saturday, April 7th, at the Cora Veal Senior Center in Madisonville, 10-11am. Vouchers are available to qualified Monroe County residents. PPAW in Greenback also offers low cost altering at their clinic for anyone who does not meet the voucher income or county qualifications. Be proud to be a part of the solution!

Do you need to add to your spring wardrobe? Check out the MCFA Thrift Store run entirely by volunteers. Clean, gently used items at great prices. Spring cleaning? Donate to the store (and the animals). Donations are greatly appreciated and are accepted Wednesday-Saturday from 10 am-3:30 pm. All proceeds go to help the homeless animals of Monroe County. It's located at 884 Englewood St. in Madisonville (next to Douglas Cherokee). Like us on Facebook for up to date sale information.

The Shelter is located at 170 Kefauver Lane in Madisonville (behind Wal-Mart). Open Tuesday-Friday from 11-4:30 and Saturdays from 11-2. The shelter is closed to the public on Sunday and Monday. Call 423-442-1015 for more information. "TN Monroe County Animal Shelter" is the official Facebook page. Check out all available pets on our web site at www.monroecountyfriendsofanimals.org



Our Mission

The American Red Cross prevents and alleviates human suffering in the face of emergencies by mobilizing the power of volunteers and the generosity of donors.



The American Red Cross of East Tennessee Chapter

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Knoxville, TN 37909
865-584-2999

Toll Free: 866-458-2999

www.redcross.org/tn/knoxville

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[Twitter.com/RedCrossEastTN](https://twitter.com/RedCrossEastTN)



**American
Red Cross**

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!



Volunteer Orientation

**1st Thursday of
each month @**

5:30pm

6921 Middlebrook Pike