

## Tell-E-Gram Text Only Version, June 3, 2014

### **POA Meetings and Events:**

- Architectural Control Committee, 9 a.m. Thursday, June 5, POA Conference Room
- Recreation Advisory Committee, 9 a.m. Thursday, June 5, Wellness Center
- *Golf Advisory Committee, 3 p.m. Thursday, June 5, POA Conference Room (irregular date)*
- Communications & Marketing Advisory Committee, 9 a.m. Friday, June 6, POA Conference Room

## **Pickleball Ribbon Cutting June 4**

It's the Grand Opening of the new Pickleball courts and the Recreation Department is celebrating! The ribbon cutting for the new courts will be 11 a.m. Wednesday, June 4, near the Wellness Center.

Join us during this momentous occasion for Open House, demos of land and water classes, door prizes, music, food, breaking in the new courts with exhibition games and beginner instruction. We are also offering an incentive of \$100 off any membership to property owners who are not currently active members for purchase on June 4.

It's the Grand Opening of Tellico Village Pickleball Courts and TVPOA Recreation Department is celebrating with an Open House! Come mark this momentous occasion with the Recreation Department on Wednesday, June 4! All Recreation facilities will be open to any property owners who wish to check out what all we have to offer for FREE! Please come check out demos of both land and water classes beginning at 8:30 a.m. inside the Wellness Center. The Ribbon Cutting on the new Pickleball courts will take place at 11 a.m. Be sure to put those tennis shoes on and join the Pickleball Club while they break in the new courts with exhibition games and beginner instruction. The festivities will be topped off with food, door prizes and music by our very own Lou Robitaille.

We encourage property owners who do not have a current, active membership to take advantage of \$100 off the purchase of any membership. This incentive can only be applied to membership purchases made by property owners without current, active accounts with the Recreation Department and who are in good standing with the POA. These discounts are only applicable to memberships purchased on June 4 before 9 p.m. \*\*Memberships that are currently active, may not participate in the discount offer.

### **Fitness Class Demos:**

8:30 a.m. Fit & Tone with Norma Ray

8:45 a.m.- Water Boot Camp with Barbara Callan

9 a.m. Aerobics with Norma Ray

9:30 a.m. Zumba with Marcia Stewart & Tai Chi with Gail Eades

9:30 a.m. Co-ed Water Fitness with Nelda Newburn

10 a.m. Intermediate Yoga with Virginia Zorovich and Linda Crawford

10:15 a.m. Water Exercise & Water Arthritis with Marilyn Kulesa

10:30 a.m. Yoga with Shirley Fischer

### **11 a.m. RIBBON CUTTING CEREMONY**

Hot Dogs, Ice Cream and Popcorn following the ribbon cutting.

11:30 a.m. Pilates-Yoga with Rose Howard

11:30 a.m. Aqua Zumba with Jodi Smith

Noon Line Dancing with Toni

If you have any questions regarding any of the activities for the Grand Opening of the Pickleball Courts and Open House, please contact either the Chota Rec Center at 865-458-6779 or the Wellness Center at 865-458-7070.

## **The Blue Heron at the Yacht Club Offerings and Upcoming Special Events**

- Tickets are now on sale for the Saturday, July 5, celebration—fireworks, BBQ, vintage cars, The Chessmen and DJ Lou. Your \$10 ticket gets you in the door and your first drink is on us. This event will sellout, so don't wait until the last minute. Purchase your tickets before June 8 and receive ONE FREE when you buy four.
- Thirsty Thursdays begin June 12—get half-price bottles from our wine list.

Questions? Contact Info for the management team:

Christian Barber: Email: [cbarber.awehospitality@gmail.com](mailto:cbarber.awehospitality@gmail.com)

Jackie Newton: Email: [jnewton.awehospitality@gmail.com](mailto:jnewton.awehospitality@gmail.com)

**For reservations and information, call 865-458-4363.**

### **How are we doing?**

We appreciate your business and are committed to providing you and your family and friends with quality services. Please take a moment to complete a short survey online: [YachtClubSurvey.com](http://YachtClubSurvey.com).

### **2014 Reciprocal Courtesy Cards for Yachting Clubs of America Now Available**

Property owners can purchase Reciprocal Courtesy Cards for the Yachting Clubs of America in the POA office for \$20. The card will allow you to frequent the more than 700 yachting clubs which, like TVYCC, are members of the association. There are YCA affiliated yacht clubs throughout the USA and its territories. For more information about YCOA, go to [www.ycaol.com](http://www.ycaol.com); the website that tells about the Association and all the yacht clubs that are members. Stop by the POA office to learn where member clubs are. For other questions about the program, call Mitzi Lane, 865-458-5408, extension 4116.

### **Some Other Stuff You Need to Know...**

#### **Gas Dock Closed June 3-5**

The gas dock will be shut down June 3-5 to replace the fuel pump and credit card machine.

#### **Computer Users Club Social June 3**

The Tellico Village Computers Users Group will have a social gathering 5 p.m. Tuesday, June 3, at the Family Beach and Pavilion (located on Tugaloo). The club will provide meat, buns, condiments, paper plates, and napkins. Bring your table service and drinks. No glass containers in the beach area please. For more information and reservations, go to [www.TVCUC.org](http://www.TVCUC.org).

#### **Tellico Vintage Vehicles Meets June 4**

The Tellico Village Vintage Vehicles club will meet 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, June 4, in the Yacht Club. The car club meets on the first Wednesday every month. For more information, go to [www.TVVintageVehicles.org](http://www.TVVintageVehicles.org) or contact Steve West, [swest3@charter.net](mailto:swest3@charter.net).

#### **Mah Jongg - Open Play**

- June 5 and 19, first and third Thursday of each month, 1-4 p.m., Chota Rec Center,
- June 10 and 24, second and fourth Tuesday of each month, 1-4 p.m., Chota Rec Center
- June 23, fourth Monday of each month, 1-4 p.m., Chota Rec Center

Please wear your name tag!

If you have any questions, please call Carolyn Neely, 865-458-1323, [carolynneely@charter.net](mailto:carolynneely@charter.net).

### **D-Day Display in Library June 6—Items Sought**

June 6 is the 70th anniversary of D-Day. The Public Library at Tellico Village is planning a memorabilia display from World War II on June 6 with items loaned from proud individuals. The Library needs your help for our D-Day Memorabilia Display. If you have any souvenirs from World War II, please loan them to the Library and help us honor our veterans. You can drop off your items on Thursday, June 5, between 1 and 5 p.m. We promise to take extreme care with the items you graciously loan us, we understand how important and meaningful they are to you. The loaned items will be displayed 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Friday, June 6. You can pick them up 9-11 a.m. Saturday, June 7.

On June 6, John Thomson, author of “Fifty Years of Flying” will be present for conversation in the morning 10 a.m.-noon. Don Burgett, a WWII veteran of the Battle of the Bulge, will be present in the afternoon 1-3 p.m. “Okay, we'll go,” were the words spoken by Supreme Commander Dwight D Eisenhower as he launched the greatest military amphibious invasion in world history. June 6, 1944, should be remembered as the day that brought about the beginning of the end of Hitler's Nazi-styled totalitarian, stranglehold on much of Europe. Nearly 160,000 allied troops crossed the English Channel to France that day. That day the casualties on the beaches were around 7,500 wounded and 2,500 dead. Seventy years later, let's look at the artifacts, learn about the landing, and thank the men who gave or altered their lives for freedom. Please call 865-458-5199 or go to [www.tvlibrary.org](http://www.tvlibrary.org) for details.

### **Registration for Summer Reading Programs June 7**

The Public Library at Tellico Village is presenting a Summer Reading Program for children ages 5-11 on six consecutive Saturdays, beginning June 14, 9:30-10:30 a.m. The program is sponsored by the Good Neighbor Shoppe. The theme is Fizz, Boom, Read and great fun should be had by all. The science themes will be Goop, Life of a Tree, Robots, Earth Care, Butterflies, Passenger Pigeons, Tangrams, The Senses, Sparks, In Flight, and Repurposing. The child with the most points, earned by attending the programs and reading for the most hours, will win a restored Dell notebook. Registration must be done 9:30-10:30 a.m. Saturday, June 7, in person at the Library by the child's parent or guardian. Preregistration can be done over the internet at [www.tvlibrary.org](http://www.tvlibrary.org) or by mailing the registration form to The Public Library at Tellico Village, 300 Irene Lane, Loudon TN 37774. The preregistered parents go to the front of the line on June 7.

Summer Reading is not only for children. The library is presenting history teacher David Flanagan speaking on Charles Lindbergh: the Rise and Fall of an American Hero, 9:30-10:30 Tuesday, July 15, in the conference room. He has a suggested a reading list which is optional and can be found at the Public Library at Tellico Village along with multiple copies of the recommended books generously supplied by the Good Neighbor Shoppe. In addition, on Aug. 19, Andy Houck from Stay at Home is speaking 9:30-10:30 a.m. on Neurobics, exercises for the brain. Only 35 seats are available for each presentation.

The library is a Public Library and you are welcome to come and enjoy the programs. All of the above programs are free. Call Billie Whitney, 865-458-6002, or the Library, 865-458-5199, or visit the Library's website at [www.tvlibrary.org](http://www.tvlibrary.org) to sign up.

### **Hike Benton Falls June 9**

Muddy Boots Hiking Club will depart 8 a.m. Monday, June 9, from Chota Center, to hike:

- Benton Falls in the Cherokee National Forest
- Rating: easy with a moderate walk to the base of the falls
- Distance: 4.0 miles
- Elevation gain: minimal
- Drive time: 90 minutes

The highlight of the hike is Benton Falls, a beautiful and unique waterfall over a multiple tier of rocks.

Wear hiking boots; bring hiking poles, water and a trail lunch; bring a camera. Restrooms will be available at the trail head. Carpooling is recommended; passengers are asked to contribute \$5 to the driver for gas.

### **Boating Class June 10**

The U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary presents a new boating class: Boating Fun and Family Safety, 2-5 p.m. Tuesday, June 10, in the Rarity Bay Community Center.

Boating fun is all about being on and in the water with family and friends, enjoying every moment and doing it safely. This class takes you through the process of planning, preparing the boat, getting under way, where to go and fun things to do and ending with bringing everyone back home safely.

Boating Fun and Family Safety is tailored to Tellico Lake with charts and satellite images, quiet anchorages, scenic locations and places to visit. There is a lot of history around Tellico and boating is a great way to see and do it all. Class fee is \$25. Go to <http://www.flotilla-12-2-tellico-village.blogspot.com> for more details.

Call Tom Murphy at 865-320-3788 to register.

### **Tellico Top Notes Rehearsal Schedule**

The Tellico Top Notes hold practice/rehearsal 7 p.m. on the second and fourth Tuesdays (June 10 and June 24) each month in the Yacht Club. Nick Azelborn, 865-408-0256. We are always looking for more musicians!

### **Tellico Cruising Club Meets June 11**

The Tellico Cruising Club will hold its monthly meeting on Wednesday, June 11, in the Tellico Village Yacht Club. The social hour begins at 5 p.m. with the meeting starting promptly at 6 p.m. All Tellico Lake boaters are welcome. For more information, please contact Commander Kenn Genge at 865-458-5710.

### **Fishing Club Meets June 11**

The Tellico Village Fishing Club monthly meeting will be held 7-8:30 p.m., Wed., June 11 at the Tellico Village Yacht Club. Members will discuss fishing results and upcoming tournaments. This month's rescheduled speaker will be club member Ken McKay who will educate us about using crankbaits. Visitors are welcome. For additional information, contact Club President Jim Goyert at 441-2770.

### **Ladies Book Club Meets June 12**

The Tellico Village Ladies Book Club will meet 11:30 a.m. Thursday, June 12, in the Tanasi Clubhouse for lunch followed by a 12:15 p.m. discussion of “the Unlikely Pilgrimage of Harold Fry,” by Rachel Jones, led by Mary Vaughan. For more information, call Bette Purvis, 865-458-8070.

### **Hike Middle Prong Trail June 13**

The Tellico Village Hiking Club will depart 8 a.m. Friday, June 13, from Chota Center, to hike:

- MIDDLE PRONG TRAIL TO INDIAN FLATS FALLS
- Distance: 8.2 miles
- Elevation Gain: 1,000 feet (gradual)
- Rating: Moderate
- Driving Time: 1.25 hours
- Leader: Curt Sheldon, 865-458-8510 or [curtssheldon@gmail.com](mailto:curtssheldon@gmail.com)

The trail is one of the most beautiful sections of the Great Smoky National Park near Townsend and Tremont. The trail follows the rushing Middle Prong of the Little River, and features overlooks of waterfalls, cascades and rapids cut through a narrow gorge. This hike follows a wide old logging railroad bed up a gentle slope with 1,000 feet of gain. Indian Flats Falls are a strand of four falls on Indian Flats Prong. Since the hike is between 2,000 and 3,000 feet elevation, the temperature will be lower than in Tellico Village.

Hiking boots and hiking sticks are recommended. Driving directions will be provided the morning of the hike. Bring water and a trail lunch. Carpooling is recommended, passengers are asked to contribute \$6 to the driver to help cover gas, etc. Check out our website at [www.tvhikers.com](http://www.tvhikers.com).

### **Village Quilters Guild Meets June 13**

The general meeting of the Village Quilters Guild will be held 9:45 a.m. Friday, June 13 (second Friday), at Christ Our Savior Lutheran Church, located on Highway 72. Social time will be held 9:15-9:45 a.m.

Our June meeting is the spring luncheon. The business meeting will be conducted in the sanctuary of Christ Our Savior Lutheran Church and followed immediately by the luncheon in the church hall. Our caterer is "Chef by Request."

For your viewing enjoyment, we will display the quilts from the "Keepsake Quilting Challenge." Each year Keepsake Quilting sponsors a fabric challenge and this year we are privileged to be able to show you about 30 of the first and second place winners. Browse and enjoy!

Still need to reserve your place at the luncheon? Contact Christine Glazar and get her your check for \$16.50.

### **Worn Flag Collection Through June 13**

American Legion Post 256 will host the annual Flag Retirement Ceremony on June 14 in conjunction with local Boys Scouts and Tellico Village Fire Department personnel. It will start at 10 a.m. The public is invited to attend and watch this event.

The collection timeframe for this event runs through June 13 at the named locations. The locations to drop flags that need to be retired are: Tellico Village Volunteer Fire Department's Fire Hall, POA Administrative Offices, Tanasi Clubhouse, Toqua Clubhouse, Kahite Clubhouse, and Chota Recreation Center.

Any questions about this event can be handled by Vic Vickery at 423-884-6476.

## **Hike East Lakeshore Trail June 17**

Join us on June 17 as we hike the southern part of the Sinking Creek Trail, which is part of the East Lakeshore Trails. We will gather at the Poplar Springs Boat Ramp parking lot at 9 a.m. and carpool to the trail head. Hikers coming from Kahite can meet us at the Sinking Creek Trailhead around 9:20 a.m. The East Lakeshore Trails are just across the lake and are one of the most beautiful and accessible hiking trails in East Tennessee. Recently they were designated as National Recreation Trails by the Department of the Interior. If you would like to become more familiar with these trails and/or would just like to take a short 2-2.5 mile hike, then come join us on the third Tuesday of every month. All of the monthly hikes should finish no later than 11:15 a.m. Your hike leaders will be Larry Elder, Jim Jeswald, and Jon Foreman. For additional information, feel free to contact: Larry: [lelder49@gmail.com](mailto:lelder49@gmail.com) or 865-657-9722; Jim: [jmjes711@gmail.com](mailto:jmjes711@gmail.com) or 724-612-2166; or Jon: [for4man@charter.net](mailto:for4man@charter.net) or 412-337-5500.

## **Thyme for Herbs Meets June 19**

The Thyme for Herbs study group will meet in the Herb Garden behind the Yacht Club at 9:30 a.m., June 19, for a hands-on learning session on herbs and companion planting. Bring your gloves, bucket, and weeders. Call Mary (865-408-0337) if you would like to stay for lunch.

## **Hike Gregory Bald June 24**

The Tellico Village Hiking Club will depart 8 a.m. Tuesday, June 24 (note date change), from Chota Center, to hike:

- GREGORY BALD
- Distance: 11.4 miles
- Elevation Gain: 2,300 feet
- Rating: Strenuous
- Driving Time: Approximately 1.5 hours
- Leader: Terry Nyenhuis, 865-206-9476 or [terrynyenhuis@gmail.com](mailto:terrynyenhuis@gmail.com)

This out-and-back hike turns around at one of the prettiest destinations in the park. Gregory Bald is famous for its flame azaleas, large shrubs with beautiful orange-red clusters of flowers. We hope the hike coincides with maximum bloom, when the Bald is alive with flame.

The trail to the Bald begins in the back of Cades Cove (we must drive the loop). It climbs steadily and unrelievedly uphill, with the last quarter mile being as steep as any trail in the park. The Bald is on the main spine of the Smokies, and you can feel the change in climate, so even on a warm day, bring a light jacket. You will need it after the exertion of the climb. As with any spectacular reward, this one takes effort. On the way down, you can congratulate yourself for seeing a special part of the park that only a hearty few can experience.

Hiking boots and hiking sticks are recommended. Driving directions will be provided the morning of the hike. Bring water and a trail lunch. Carpooling is recommended, passengers are asked to contribute \$6 to the driver to help cover gas, etc. Check out our website at [www.tvhikers.com](http://www.tvhikers.com).

## **Villagers in the News**

Have you seen all the Villagers and activities in the news? If you missed anything, go to [TellicoVillage.org](http://TellicoVillage.org) and click on the News button at the bottom of the page.

Know of any news stories WE may have missed? Email us and let us know at [gram@tvpoa.org](mailto:gram@tvpoa.org).