

Tell-E-Gram Text Only Version, May 12, 2015

POA Meetings and Events:

- Golf Advisory Committee, 3 p.m. Thursday, May 14, POA Conference Room
- Finance Advisory Committee, 9 a.m. Friday, May 15, POA Conference Room
- Dock Captains, 3 p.m. Monday, May 18, POA Conference Room
- POA Board Meeting, 1:30 p.m. Wednesday, May 20, Yacht Club

Public Works to Upgrade Electrical Service on Boat Docks

By Bud Murray, POA Staff Engineer

The Tellico Village Public Works Department will be upgrading the electrical service on the boat docks over the next few months. These upgrades are part of the POA's response to the "Noah Dean and Nate Act," which Governor Haslam signed last year to increase electrical safety at boat docks and marinas.

POA Public Works will be upgrading the 30-Amp, 120V twist-lock shore power receptacles to include ground-fault equipment protection. These new circuit breakers measure the electrical current flowing into the boat and compare it to the current returning from the boat. Any difference between these two currents is due to electrical leaks, which can cause shocks as well as electrolysis and damage to underwater metal, especially boat hulls and engine lower units. The new circuit breakers will automatically open, or "trip" when the electrical leakage is greater than 30 milliamps to protect the boat and boaters from electrical shocks. These breakers have been selected to minimize nuisance trips, while still providing protection.

TVPOA performs regular inspection and maintenance of our electrical systems. If you experience the ground-fault breaker tripping when you plug in your boat, or when you turn on certain appliances, you should perform the following checks:

- Verify the shore power cable is clean, dry, and in good condition.
- Turn off the main breaker in the boat, and unplug the shore power cable.
- Reset the breaker in the shore-power pedestal by moving the handle to "off", then to "on"
- Plug the shore power cable back in.
- Re-energize the boat's electrical system.

If the breaker trips again, the problem is in your boat and not the dock. A qualified marine electrician needs to check and repair the boat's electrical system.

If you feel that the problem is in the dock's electrical system, the POA will check the system for proper functioning. We cannot inspect or diagnose your boat's electrical system.

We hope that this information is helpful for our boating members. Any questions or concerns about dock issues, please call Public Works at (865) 458-4522.

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

- **Tiki Bar** Friday night. Join us May 15 for dinner and dancing! Featuring a the ever popular DJ Lou. Come check them out—it's free! Entertainment starts at 7 p.m. Call today to make your dinner reservations!
- Don't miss **Whiskey Wednesdays**—explore some of the more unusual brands, or better yet, order a flight!
- Join us for the next **Farmers Market** 9 a.m.-noon Wednesday, May 20, in the Yacht Club parking lot.

Questions? Contact Info for the management team:

Christian Barber: Email: cbarber.awehospitality@gmail.com

Jackie Newton: Email: 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.

2015 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; 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 4100.

Fore the Love of the Game—Golf News and Events

Now on the Golf Page

- **2015 Tellico Village Golf Schedule**
- **Golf Rule Book**
- **Golf Advisory Committee Minutes**

Explore the Golf page on www.TellicoVillagePOA.org by going to: <http://www.tellicovillagepoa.org/golf>

Sign Up the Kids for Junior Golf Camp

Here's the perfect reason to have those grandkids in for a week: Tellico Village Junior Golf Camp will run July 6-10 at the Toqua Golf Course. Our 7:30-9 a.m. and 11:30-1 p.m. sessions have plenty of spots available. Stop by Toqua and sign up today before the spots will up!

Kahite - 423-884-6108

Toqua - 865-458-6546

Tanasi - 865-458-4707

Volunteers, Charitable Events, Fundraisers

Spring Craft and Bake Sale May 16

The Crafters at the Community Church at Tellico Village are holding their craft and bake sale on Saturday, May 16, 9 a.m.-noon, in the Christian Life Center. Local charities, scholarships and non-profit organizations benefit from the proceeds.

Memorial Day Beautification Tournament May 25

Get your teams ready for the Memorial Day Beautification Tournament, Monday, May 25, at Toqua, shot gun start at 10 a.m. This tournament is a fundraiser for all three Beautification teams representing each Tellico Village golf course.

The format is a four- person team event called the Tennessee Scramble and each team must have at least one man and one woman. The fee is \$25 per person, which excludes green fees and carts. This is always a fun event and you can sign your team up at any of the three pro shops.

United Way Golf Tourney June 6

The United Way of Loudon County and United Way of Monroe County have partnered to have a golf tournament to benefit both United Ways on **Saturday, June 6, at Rarity Bay Golf Course.**

United Way of Monroe and Loudon County needs your help in getting the word out. They still need sponsors and teams. The registration form can be found at www.tellicovillagepoa.org/images/tellico/pdfs/golf2013/uw-golf.pdf. Please share with your contacts. Find a team and participate. Please Contact Caylen Gibson (UW Monroe County) at (423) 836-1486 or caylengibson@gmail.com or Judy Fenton (UW Loudon County) at (865) 582-4082 or fentonj@unitedwayknox.org if you have any questions.

Proceeds to Benefit

33 Agencies in Loudon County • 21 Agencies in Monroe

These agencies provide critical social services to our community.

Opportunity to Win

- PGA TOUR Championship by Coca-Cola, four weekly ticket books, East Lake Golf Club, Atlanta
- One Round of Golf for a foursome, including lunch from Tennessee National
- Attraction Tickets: Tennessee Smokies Baseball, Titanic, Biltmore, Ripley Aquarium, and Others

Play Against

- Farmer Charlie, Farm Bureau
- Gene Patterson

Please Consider Being a Sponsor! Bring Teams and Have Fun Supporting United Way!

The Latest Scam: Microsoft Calling...NOT!

A family member of an employee began receiving calls this week from a man purporting to represent Microsoft. He claimed that he was calling because the Chinese were trying to hack the family member's computer—and to stop the hacking, the caller asked the family member to get on his computer and log into a website. This is a bogus call and an excellent attempt to victimize anyone who goes to the website.

Remember, Microsoft will NOT call you. The IRS will NOT call you (the IRS uses certified mail). Do not fall for these and other phone scams.

Recent Events and Bragging Rights

Kiwanis Celebrate Club and Results of Breakfast

First, the Kiwanis Club of Tellico Village now has a membership of over 100 members. "Not bad for a club started 16 years ago with 30 members," said John Holmes, president of the club. "And, this is the 100th year of Kiwanis International."

Second, the 15th annual Spring Kiwanis Pancake Breakfast was the most successful in our

history. “We served over 800 guests and netted over \$7,000 for charity,” said Wayne Williams, Kiwanis breakfast chairman. “I want to thank all the Kiwanis volunteers who made this event possible” said Wayne “and particularly the Tellico Villagers who came to share pancakes, quiche, sausages and talk with their neighbors.” “In fact, the Kiwanis Club of Tellico contributed over \$70,000 to charity in 2014,” said Mike Cottle, treasurer.

Third, the date has been set for the 15th annual Kiwanis Charity Golf Tournament, which will be Saturday, Sept. 5, 2015. “The annual Kiwanis golf tournament is our major fund raiser” said Rick Bailey, chairman of the tournament. You can email to me any questions you have regarding the tournament at rickbailey1246@gmail.com.

Submitted by Ray Scott

Art Guild of Tellico Village Spring Show Nets People’s Choice Awards

The Tellico Village Art Guild presented 238 new pieces of artwork to a record breaking attendance of over 930 people during the three days of the 2015 spring show. This year, 56 member artists exhibited their work, including 11 artists showing for the first time. The Art Guild would like to thank the community for their continued support of the visual arts and for selecting the following works for the People’s Choice awards:

- John Ball—Siena Skyline, oil
- Kathie Fox—Just Quackin’ Jokes, clay
Linda Johnson—Redeemed, watercolor
- Jim Martin—Regal Blue, acrylic
- Dennis Sabo—Wonderland, photograph

For more information on the 2015 Juror’s Awards and the AGTV please visit www.tellicoartguild.org.

Submitted by Robin Richards

Some Other Stuff You Need to Know...

Tellico Top Notes Rehearsal Schedule

The Tellico Top Notes hold practice/rehearsal 7 p.m. on the second and fourth Tuesdays (May 13 and 27) each month in the Yacht Club, Dale Polewach, 248-790-8962. We are always looking for more musicians!

HOA Social May 12

The next HOA Social is Tuesday, May 12, at 4:45 p.m., in the Yacht Club. The HOA is open to all Villagers. If you are not a member of the HOA, you may join at the HOA Social or at The Public Library at Tellico Village. The cost is only \$10 per family/person per year. All HOA events are open to singles and are priced per person, so please don’t let that deter you from joining in the fun! Remember to bring your calendars and checkbook to the HOA Social so you don't miss out on any of the fun! In case you did not know, you can belong to both New Villagers and HOA, you can never have too many friends—remember, your best friends are waiting for you—you just haven't met them yet! Just as a reminder: we have some great coupons to give away at each HOA Social!

Alzheimer’s/Dementia Program May 13

Alzheimer’s Tennessee will present a Alzheimer’s/Dementia program 11 a.m.-3 p.m. Wednesday, May 13, at Christ Our Savior Church (260 Wade Road—half mile west of Highway 444 on 72). Alzheimer’s, a brain disease, affects us all. Each case is different. Come and learn

about Alzheimer's and different dementias: warning signs, managing behaviors, communication, caregiver's support, practical suggestions, and tips. Call the church office at 865-458-9407 to register. A light lunch will be served.

Cruising Club Meets May 13

The Tellico Cruising Club will hold its monthly meeting on Wednesday, May 13, at 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. Any questions should be directed to Commander Errol Keith 865-458-4277.

Fishing Club Meets May 13

The Tellico Village Fishing Club monthly meeting will be 7-8:30 p.m. Wednesday, May 13, at the Tellico Village Yacht Club. This month's speaker is Dave Carlson from Orvis Tackle Company. He will be discussing stream and river fly fishing. Visitors are welcome.

For additional information, contact Club President Dale Weidinger at 865-458-1460.

New Beginning Tai Chi Class Begins May 14

The Taoist Tai Chi Society will offer a beginning Tai Chi class 10:30 a.m.-noon beginning Thursday, May 14, in the Wellness Center. (You do not need to be a member of the Wellness Center to attend these classes.) This three-month session will teach you the 108-movement exercise set. For more information, contact Gail Eades, 865-599-6785.

Taoist Tai Chi is a slow movement "internal" form of the ancient Chinese martial art. It is widely known for its health benefits, for increased flexibility and strength, for improved balance, and for taming the "busy mind." It can be practiced by people of all ages and physical conditions.

The Taoist Tai Chi Society is a tax-exempt, charitable and all-volunteer organization. Their qualified instructors donate their time in order to share the health-giving benefits of Tai Chi.

Ladies Book Club Meets May 14

The Tellico Village Ladies Book Club will meet 11:15 a.m. for lunch followed by a 12:15 p.m. discussion Thursday, May 14, in the Tanasi Clubhouse. The book for May is "The Story Teller," by Jody Picoult, Connie Eichenauer will lead the discussion. For more information, call Bette Purvis, 865-458-8070.