

## Tell-E-Gram Text Only Version, June 5, 2015

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

- Golf Advisory Committee, 3 p.m. Thursday, June 11, POA Conference Room
- Finance Advisory Committee, 9 a.m. Friday, June 12, POA Conference Room
- Dock Captains, 3 p.m. Monday, June 15, POA Conference Room
- POA Board Meeting, 1:30 p.m. Wednesday, June 17, Yacht Club

There are changes proposed for the ACC Red Book. Those changes may be viewed at <http://www.tellicovillagepoa.org/images/tellico/BoardConsideration/redbookdraft.pdf>. Any feedback may be sent to [BoardConsideration@TVPOA.org](mailto:BoardConsideration@TVPOA.org). The Board plans to discuss and vote on these changes at their June 17 Board meeting.

## **You Should've Been in Pictures**

**By Joe Bogardus**

Almost 50 Tellico Villagers were in pictures this past Tuesday and Wednesday. In fact, they were in several thousand photos as the Tellico Village Property Owners Association (TVPOA) marketing team and the Tombras Group conducted a two-day photo shoot across the community.

The photos will be used in an upcoming refreshment of the Village marketing/communications program advertising, website and collateral pieces set to debut in the first quarter of 2016.

"We're fortunate to have so many Villagers willing to sacrifice part of their day to help with this project," said John Cherry, TVPOA public relations manager. "It's a unique form of community service. Villager participation as talent saved the community many thousands of dollars in modeling fees."

The Tombras team was led by Paul Szary, creative director on the TVPOA account. Making his third trip to Tellico Village to take the photos was Brent Cline, a professional photographer based in Aiken, SC. Rebekah Jennings, Tombras, account executive commented, "Villagers are all so nice, friendly and easy to work with. There's always a lot of laughter at every setup."

A range of TVPOA departments provided invaluable support for the two days of shooting. Jim West and the golf department made golf carts available at Toqua and Tanasi for all the golf course photography and allowed late afternoon and early morning access to the courses.

Holly Bryant and the recreation department facilitated the use of the new Wellness Center weight equipment and early morning use of the Wellness Center tennis courts. Working with the Pickleball Club, Holly organized a two-hour availability of pickleball courts 1 through 4 for the photo team and eight pickleballers.

Jeff Gagley opened the Yacht Club allowing the photo team to use it as a base of operations and provided access to the Yacht Club basin docks to accommodate kayak photography at the kayak launch and storage facility. The Public Works Department also completed some needed trail maintenance on the Coyatee Hiking Trail for the shoot.

The team is indebted to Ed and Emma Roeber for the use of their Coyatee Point Drive back patio and dock for the early Tuesday guitar playing and fishing setups.

Carl Orfitt and Martha Mathews brought their dogs Buddy and Katie to Rover Run to be photographed which was appreciated by the team. The same appreciation goes to Phil Geyer and his bicycling crew for roaring up and down Toqua Way in their brightly colored jerseys as Brent Cline clicked away.

Mel Fisher and his electric boat helped keep the Yacht Club Basin waters still, allowing the photo team to capture kayakers Sue and Dave Light and Cindy and Don Chalfant on a beautiful sunlight

early evening.

All the food for the dining photography was supplied by AWE Hospitality at the Yacht Club thanks to Andy Fox and Christian Barber and the kitchen crew.

Holly Bryant enlisted her sons Lucas and Micah to pose as grandchildren. Cris Carter, POA human resources assistant, enrolled her 13-year-old daughter Olivia to help with a Toqua golf setup. Some of the younger Villager talent took personal days or rearranged their work commitments to accommodate the shooting schedule.

"A photo shoot of this magnitude could not be successfully completed without the involvement of dozens of Villagers and the various organizations that make up this great community," noted Cherry. "It's terrific so many people stepped forward to help. I think the entire community will be proud of the results when they are launched early next year."

*Joe Bogardus is a retired marketing communications professional and Tellico Village resident that has acted as an unpaid volunteer consultant to the TVPOA in the re-launch of the Tellico Village brand and the accompanying marketing/communications program.*

## **In other news...**

### **LUB Sub-Station Plans Make Progress**

During the brutal two weeks of severe winter at the end of February, Villagers had numerous power outages. Due to that, there was a lot of conversation about the possibility of a new Loudon Utilities Board (LUB) sub-station for the northern end of the Village.

We have good news. There has been significant progress in recent weeks on that project.

The TVPOA has facilitated the transfer of some land from the Tellico Reservoir Development Agency to LUB. A 3.1 acre tract of land near the intersection of Highway 444 (Tellico Parkway) and Davis Ferry Road will be the home to a new electrical sub-station.

This new sub-station should help improve the reliability of power in the northern end of Tellico Village. LUB estimates it will take approximately 18 months to complete the project once construction begins. Construction is expected to begin in the next few weeks.

LUB will be working closely with TVA on the project due to the location and the tie into power the location provides. There should be no significant impact to traffic in the area as LUB will access the site via Davis Ferry Road.

Watch POA communication channels for updates as we receive them.

### **Natural Gas Line Work to Begin Soon**

Work will begin soon on expanding a natural gas line that traverses a small part of Tellico Village in the Mialaquo neighborhood area. The 12-inch line will be installed alongside the existing line that cuts across Highway 72 and Mialaquo Road.

Once work begins, it will take approximately 18 months to complete, but there will be minimal impact to Village operations and roads. The company plans to bore underneath roads to install the line minimizing traffic impacts.

The easement where the lines are located pre-date the development of Tellico Village.

As always, watch POA communication channels for updates as we receive them.

### **Loudon County Clerk's TV Satellite Office Open Thursdays**

The Loudon County Clerk's office is assisting customers with the following services: Vehicle registrations, vehicle renewals, duplicate titles, handicap applications. The office space is

located at: 100 Chota Center, courtesy of Lakeside Real Estate Group. Hours are: 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Thursdays to serve Loudon County residents. Services offered include vehicle registrations, vehicle renewals, duplicate titles, and handicap applications.

## **Channel 3 Website and New Channel**

### **Currently, a video highlighting WATeR's work concerning the Madisonville Wastewater Plant.**

Go to <http://www.tellicoVillagechan3.org/>. The Channel 3 website allows Villagers access to all the bulletins produced by Channel 3, the Wellness Center, the Yacht Club and the POA office as well as all the videos produced by Channel 3.

### **Channel 3 is now on Channel 193 on Charter Cable.**

Channel 3 bulletins rotate through just like they do on the TV. Click on Other Bulletins and you will be able to see bulletins being shown at the Wellness Center, the Yacht Club and the POA office. Click on Videos to see current as well as past videos shown on Channel 3.

For those who submit bulletin requests to Channel 3 it is now a two click process to submit your bulletin. Just go to the website, click on the green bar at the bottom of the screen, fill out the form and hit submit. You will get an immediate response telling you that your request was sent followed by an email response showing the information you provided to us. Now you have a reminder that says, "yes you did that."

If you have any questions, give the volunteers at Channel 3 a call at 865-458-9917.

### **Tennessee Leash Law**

Did you know Tennessee has a state leash law? Dog owners must keep their dogs on a leash when not otherwise confined. The law is for the safety of your dog and for your neighbors. Even friendly dogs can pose a health hazard to some of our more frail residents or may frighten others. Responsible pet owners make for good neighbors!

### **Tanasi Bar and Grill**

- Wednesday is Meatloaf – good ole home cooking
  - Friday is BBQ night – join us for a tasty rack of ribs in our own special sauce
  - Saturday is pasta night - come give it a try!
  - Sunday and Monday – sit at the bar with Peyton and get a free appetizer with your adult beverage
- Tonight – Friday – Come and listen to the sounds of the Steve Rutledge Band at the Yacht Club. Good "Free" music, dancing, cheap drinks and friends is the making of a great time.....

Festivities start at 7 p.m.

Toqua Café: 865-458-1330

Tanasi Bar and Grill: 865-458-9392

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

### **Muddy Boots to Hike the East Lakeshore Trail June 8**

The Muddy Boots Hiking Club will hike the East Lakeshore Trail Monday, June 8, with 7 different hikes at 7 different start times, for a total of 28.3 total miles. All hikers will meet at Poplar Spring boat ramp on the parkway beginning at 5:30 a.m.

- Distance ranges from 2.8 miles to 5 miles
- Rating: easy unless you attempt all 28.3 miles
- Leader: George Zola

The East Lakeshore Trail is a true gem. Muddy boots will hike the entire trail broken down into 7 separate segments. Hikers may choose which segment they wish to hike and a start time throughout the day. A shuttle will be provided from the end of the hike back to start point. Also plan to greet the last group when they arrive at Wildcat Pointe trailhead at approximately 7:30 p.m.

Contact George Zola at [zola1029@gmail.com](mailto:zola1029@gmail.com), 614-937-0767, or [nvmuddyboots@gmail.com](mailto:nvmuddyboots@gmail.com) for more information.

### **Players Announce Auditions for Melodramas**

The Tellico Community Players are proud to announce the audition dates for An Evening of Laughter. The auditions will be held at the Tellico Community Playhouse 6 p.m. Monday, June 8; 10 a.m. Tuesday, June 9; and 6 p.m. Wednesday, June 10. There are a large number of cast positions for this production. A melodrama is defined as "a sensational dramatic piece with exaggerated characters and exciting events intended to appeal to the emotion." The two melodramas being produced are "The Lost Samantha Treasure" and "The Plague on Madison Avenue." Scripts are available at the Public Library at Tellico Village. Len Willis will be the director. Call him at (423) 519-9807 if you have any questions. Mark your calendar and come join us for a lot of fun.

### **Cruising Club Meets June 10**

The Tellico Cruising Club will hold its monthly meeting on Wednesday, June 10, 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 June 10**

The Tellico Village Fishing Club monthly meeting will be 7-8:30 p.m. Wednesday, June 10, at the Tellico Village Yacht Club. Members discuss recent catches and upcoming tournaments. This month's returning speaker is Billy Davis who will talk about catfish and muskie fishing. Visitors are welcome. For additional information, contact Club President Dale Weidinger at 865-458-1460.

### **Ladies Book Club Meets June 11**

The Tellico Village Ladies Book Club will meet Thursday, June 11, in the Tanasi Clubhouse, for 11:15 a.m. lunch followed by a 12:15 p.m. discussion led by Virginia Zorovich on The Burgess Boys by Elizabeth Strout.

### **HOA General Meeting June 11**

There will be an HOA General Meeting 7 p.m. Thursday, June 11, in the Yacht Club. Topic: "All those pesky details of life and death." Also, updates by the POA and our County Commissioner.

### **Worn Flag Collection Through June 14**

American Legion Post 256 collect unserviceable flags again this year. The collection timeframe began May 14 and will go through June 14 at the named locations.

The locations to drop flags which need to be retired are: The Public Library at Tellico Village, POA Administrative Offices, Tanasi Clubhouse, Toqua Clubhouse, Kahite Clubhouse, and Chota Recreation Center. Note: The Tellico Village Volunteer Fire Department is no longer a drop-off point for retired flags.

### **Christian Men's Fellowship Breakfast Thursdays**

Christian Men's Fellowship Breakfast meets weekly on Thursday mornings from 8 a.m. to 9 a.m. in the Tanasi Clubhouse. This is a non-denominational group of men from all walks of life who meet for breakfast, a time to fellowship around tables, share prayer requests and hear a devotional, personal testimony or enter into a discussion about spiritual issues. All are welcome. For more information, call Larry Denney at 865-408-9725 or Bob Ericson at 865-458-9877.

## **AEROBICS INSTRUCTOR Tellico Village, Loudon, TN**

Experienced aerobics instructor needed in Tellico Village. Must be able to determine abilities and needs of participants, help participants establish and achieve physical fitness goals, and plan and conduct classes to meet needs of participants. Current CPR certification and recognized instructional certification required.

Pay is \$18 per hour long class.

Qualified applicants should apply at Tellico Village POA, Human Resources Dept., 112 Chota Center, Loudon, TN 37774. Directions: In Tellico Village turn onto Chota Road at the traffic light on TN 444 and then turn left across from United Community Bank. We are in the building on the left in the rear with the drive-thru. May also send resume to [hr@tvpoa.org](mailto:hr@tvpoa.org).

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## **Fore the Love of the Game—Golf News and Events**

### **New Clock at The Links at Kahite**

Wondering how close it is to your tee time? Wonder no more at The Links at Kahite. A new clock was erected this week. Paid for primarily through donations to the golf course beautification fund, this clock will help golfers tee it up right on time.

### **Par 3 Challenge June 23**

Last month's Par 3 Challenge was a big hit at Toqua. We had all types of skill levels play and each type had their own challenges. Our next event will be June 23 at the Kahite Golf Course. Play will begin at 4 p.m. followed by dinner. There will be two formats available. You can play in the competitive division with a 2-low ball format, or play in the non-competitive division and play a scramble.

You can create your own foursome, sign up as a couple or sign up as an individual (golf staff will pair-up couples and individuals). Drinks, dinner and awards presentation will follow play. The entry fee is just \$20.00 per player which excludes cart & green fees (see below).

There will be a special 9-hole rate for these events:

- \$12 Per Person
- \$11 Per Person (Private Cart)
- \$10.60 Per Person (Prepaid)
- \$9.60 Per Person (Prepaid Private Cart)

To enter simply stop by the Tanasi Pro shop, call 865-458-4707 or email to [ajacob@tvpoa.org](mailto:ajacob@tvpoa.org).

Don't miss out on this one of a kind golfing event.

Sincerely, Adam Jacob, PGA, Head Golf Professional, Tanasi Golf Club

### **After 2 p.m. Golf Rates**

Want to know how to save money and get in a round of golf? Play any of the three courses after 2 p.m. Don't waste any time and book your round today!

- Daily fee members - \$24 -18 holes \$12 - 9 holes
- Prepaid members - \$21.20 - 18 holes \$10.60 - 9 holes
- Guest of a member - \$28 - 18 holes \$14 - 9 holes

(Fees include a cart)

For more details please call any of the pro shops.

**Kahite - 423-884-6108**

**Toqua - 865-458-6546**

**Tanasi - 865-458-4707**