

Tell-E-Gram Text Only Version, August 25, 2015

POA Meetings and Events:

- Long Range Planning, 10 a.m. Thursday, Aug. 27, POA Conference Room
- Recreation 101, 12:30 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 27, Wellness Center
- Public Services Advisory Committee, 1 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 27, POA Conference Room
- POA Board Workshop, 10 a.m. Tuesday, Sept. 1, POA Conference Room

General Manager's Report for August

By Winston Blazer, General Manager

Budget Season is Upon Us

This time of year brings us our budget season. It's time for the POA staff, committees and Board to roll up our collective sleeves and work our way toward a 2016 Budget and Five-Year Plan. The process has already begun at the management level, and I know several committees have had excellent discussions about the 2016 Budget.

October is the month where the rubber meets the road. The first time we will all get a look at where we are collectively will be the Oct. 6 Board Workshop where Finance Director Parker Owen will review progress on the Budget and lead a discussion with the Board so we all can get additional direction from our volunteer Board of Directors.

The next week, Oct. 12 – 14 will be where we take a deep dive into each of the departmental budget plans. The Finance Advisory Committee and the Board will see what our managers have on their collective radars for the year ahead and for the Five-Year Plan.

All of this is pointing toward a 2016 Budget presented at the Nov. 18 Board meeting for approval by the Board of Directors. All Villagers are invited to attend these meetings, and the schedule may be found at <http://www.tellicovillagepoa.org/images/tellico/fac/2016budget.pdf>.

Yacht Club beverage service interruption

In case you missed our communications last week about the Yacht Club, you can go here to read all about it: <http://www.tellicovillagepoa.org/images/tellico/gram2015/tg20150818.pdf>. The bottom line is that the Yacht Club was cited for serving an alcoholic beverage to a minor working for the Alcohol Beverage Commission. Therefore, the Yacht Club must suspend liquor and wine service for a period of ten days running from Aug. 22 through 31.

I fully support the professional staff at the Blue Heron Restaurant at the Yacht Club. We do not agree that the citation was warranted, and we certainly do not agree that the penalty fits the situation.

This too shall pass, and on Tuesday, Sept. 1 the Yacht Club will resume full service. This does not in any way affect beverage service at any of our other restaurants.

Volunteer Fair

STAYinTV and your POA are looking for representatives from Tellico Village Clubs, Organizations, and those needing volunteers, to join us in the "Discover Your Tellico Village" event. Bring your information (tables provided) to the Yacht Club on Sept. 22 from 3-6 p.m. and help us (STAYinTV and the POA) educate Villagers on everything Tellico Village has to offer. Invitations to clubs, organizations, and volunteer seekers have been sent out. If you did not receive one...no problem, consider yourself invited. Please RSVP as soon as possible to Beth Kuberka at bethk@tvpoa.org.

Committee seats need volunteers

The POA is accepting applications for volunteers to fill seats on several of the advisory committees. If you are interested in serving the community by sitting on one of the committees, application packets are available at the POA administrative building. I encourage anyone thinking about serving on a committee to attend a committee meeting or two over the next couple of months to see how the process works here in Tellico Village. Schedules of committee meetings may be found in the Connection, on Channel 3 or in the Tell-E-Gram.

Applications will be accepted until Oct. 1. Later in October, managers will schedule meetings with applicants to put the best folks on the committee that matches their expertise and fills a need for the POA. The Board of Directors will approve and install new committee members at the December Board meeting.

POA 101 next month

The next session of POA 101 is Friday, Sept. 25 at 10 a.m. at the Yacht Club on the top floor. POA 101 is a session for newcomers or Villagers who would like a refresher on Village governance and finances. Attendees will receive a comprehensive packet of information about Tellico Village and the complementary Tellico Village license plate.

Recent attendees have given feedback via our short survey that they are very pleased with the kind of information they garner by attending this hour-long session.

Anyone wanting to attend is strongly encouraged to RSVP with Patty Robichaud in the Public Relations Department at (865) 458-5408, ext. 4115. Your RSVP will ensure that we have enough handouts for all attendees.

POA Offices Closed

The POA Administrative offices will be closed Monday, Sept. 7 in observance of Labor Day. We will be open first thing Tuesday morning at 8 a.m. Have a great holiday weekend.

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

Lots going on at the Blue Heron Restaurant and Tellico Village Yacht Club:

- **Farmers Market** 9 a.m.-noon Wednesday, Aug. 26, in the Yacht Club parking lot. Support our local farmers and artisans!
- **Tiki Bar CANCELED Friday, Aug. 28.** Please share this information with your friends and neighbors.

Questions? Contact Info for the management team:

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

Linnea Elliott: Email: lelliott.awehospitality@gmail.com

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

Recent Events and Bragging Rights

Kiwanis International announces that it has raised over \$100 million to eliminate Maternal Neonatal Tetanus

During its centennial year, Kiwanis International announced that it has raised over \$100-million in its effort to ELIMINATE Maternal Neonatal Tetanus (MNT) worldwide. “At the start of this project five years ago, a child died an agonizing death from tetanus every 9 minutes” said Al Porell, Lt. Governor of the 4th Division of Kiwanis International Kentucky-Tennessee District and a founding member of the Kiwanis Club of Tellico Village. “And we are confident

that we will reach our ultimate goal of \$110 Million by the end of the year” said Al. The World Health Organization (WHO) has already validated that thanks to the generosity of Kiwanians worldwide in partnership with UNICEF, 36 countries have now officially declared victory over the pain and suffering of MNT.”

“At the Kentucky-Tennessee District of Kiwanis International convention last weekend, in Owensboro, KY, the District Board offered matching funds of \$25,000 for ELIMINATE donations, which was sold out to the members in just a few hours creating a total donation of \$50,000,” said Al. “This has been an amazing journey. At the beginning I had doubts we could reach our goal, but now I know we can.”

Submitted by Ray Scott

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Registered Dieticians Needed

Tellico Village University is planning to offer a SERIOUS nutrition course in 2016! The course is one of the Great Courses, with lectures by professor and award winning registered dietitian Dr. Roberta Anding of the Baylor University College of Medicine. TVU is planning to run two of her lectures at each session, but we would like to have each session moderated by an RD to answer questions and initiate conversation for about 20 minutes. Your professional expertise at our class will enhance the learning experience for our participants. This is expected to be a very popular and well-attended course, but we need RD participation to moderate two to four of these sessions. Please contact Cindy Solomon at csolomonphd@att.net, or respond to the www.tvuniversity.org website CONTACT US page and send your message of interest. I hope to hear from you . . . the more the merrier! Participating in a Tellico Village University course is fun and very gratifying!

Fore the Love of the Game—Golf News and Events

Kahite - 423-884-6108

Toqua - 865-458-6546

Tanasi - 865-458-4707

Win Folds of Honor Official Titleist Golf Bag

On Labor Day, Sept. 7, Toqua Golf Club will be hosting the fifth annual Patriots Day Golf Tournament. Given the recent tragic deaths of four Marines and one Navy officer during the shootings on July 16 in Chattanooga, the Tennessee Section PGA is working with the Folds of Honor Foundation to designate all Patriot Golf Day funds raised in our Section to provide education scholarships for those soldiers' six surviving children. Our goal is to raise \$120,000 to cover the scholarship costs, as we honor Sgt. Carson Holmquist, Staff Sgt. David Wyatt, Lance Cpl. Skip Wells, Gunnery SGT. Thomas Sullivan and Navy

Petty Officer Randall Smith.

An exciting addition to this year's event will be the opportunity for someone to win the Folds of Honor official golf bag which is on display at the Toqua Golf Shop, and pictured above.

To enter simply stop by any of our three golf shops and purchase a raffle ticket. Tickets will be sold at \$10 for one ticket or \$20 for three tickets. YOU MAY ENTER AS MANY TIMES AS YOU LIKE!!!! All proceeds will be added to the Patriot Day Golf Tournament donations and awarded to the Folds Of Honor Foundation.

Your support is greatly appreciated!

Jeff Harrington, PGA

Tellico Village Two-Day MGA Championship and Men's Club Championship Aug. 27-28

Two big events in one! The Tellico Village MGA Championship and Men's Club Championship will be held Aug. 27 at Kahite and Aug. 28 at Tanasi.

The Men's Club Championship is open to any Tellico Village property owner.. The MGA Championship is open to any Tellico Village MGA member with a valid USGA handicap.

The event is a 36-hole individual stroke play event and entry deadline is Aug. 26 at noon.

The MGA Championship is 100% net prizes played from the white or orange tees. The Men's Club Championship is 100% gross prizes played from the white tees only. Prizes will be awarded based on the size of the field.

You may enter either one or both of the events. The MGA Championship entry fee is \$15 and the Men's Club Championship is also \$15 (excludes green and cart fees). Stop by any of the Tellico Village Pro Shops and sign up for this event.

Some Other Stuff You Need to Know...

Free Wednesday Night Movie at the Library Aug. 26

On Aug. 26 at 8 p.m. in the Courtyard of The Public Library at Tellico Village, the one hour movie "Petra---Building Wonders" will be shown. The ancient city of Petra is investigated by modern architects to reveal ancient mysteries. In the middle of Jordan's parched desert, the lost city of Petra, once a thriving metropolis of temples, markets, and tombs carved into the red cliffs will reveal its architectural secrets. The movie is free. Popcorn and drinks are available for a donation.

Ladies Lite Luncheon and Fashion Show Deadline Aug. 26

Tellico Village Ladies Lite Luncheon and Fashion Show will be held on Wednesday, Sept. 2, at the Yacht Club. Reservation deadline is noon, August 26. Fashions from Chico's will be featured along with music provided by Ann Saravo. Vendors will include Mary Klein of Fashionartwear, Angie McCarrol of 3 D Mascara, and LaDonna and Ila of Hand Weavers. Doors open at 10 a.m. for your shopping convenience with lunch being served promptly at 11:30 a.m. Sharon Addison will speak on PPAWS, and PPAWS will be baking desserts for your purchase at the luncheon to support this month's charity. The menu for September is a mixed green salad topped with cucumber, heirloom tomatoes, shaved red onion, fire roasted corn and smoked salmon with a herb vinaigrette. Rolls, coffee, tea and water are included. Reservations can be made along with your check for \$15 at the Yacht Club, New Villager and HOA social meetings. For additional information contact Chairperson, Karen Sue Keith (248) 808-2248 (cell/text), kskeith1@aim.com.

HOA Welcome Orientation Aug. 27

The HOA Welcome Orientation is 6:30 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 27, top floor of the Yacht Club. This is a new time and location. Great orientation for new Villagers to come and learn all that their HOA

does for them with their continual service and social events! Think about joining and supporting this leadership board. Contact Joanne Wiklund at 865-657-9513 or joannewiklund@ymail.com to be added to the guest list.

New York Staters Picnic Sept. 1

The annual New York Staters picnic will be held 5 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 1, at the Family Beach and Pavilion on Tugaloo. Bring a dish to pass plus drinks and place setting. The picnic is open to any who moved from, was born in or ever lived in NYS plus their spouse/partner. No charge. No RSVP required. Email newyorkstaters@gmail.com with any questions.

Computer Users Club Meets Sept. 1

The Tellico Village Computer Users Club will have a general meeting, 7 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 1, at TV Yacht Club, 5th floor. After announcements, Committee reports and a **vote amending the TVCUC Bylaws**, the program will be presented. Our speaker, Judy Fenton, Executive Director of United Way of Loudon County will explain the new "211" calling system and further discuss the upcoming United Way Campaign. Following her presentation there will be a Q & A session on the new WIN-10 Operating System. Email your WIN-10 questions, prior to the meeting, to Joe Solymossy, jmsoly@gmail.com.

There will be several door prizes for Members attending. Be sure to get your ticket after you register. See you there.

The Board of Directors meets the second Tuesday of each month in Room D at the Rec Center. Visitors are welcome.

Visit our Website at www.TVCUC.org.

Thyme for Herbs Meets Sept. 3

Thyme for Herbs (herb study group) will meet 9 a.m. Thursday, Sept. 3, in the Chota Rec Center. Ruth Sheldon, The Empirical Herbalist, will speak at 9:30 a.m. on "transitioning your menus into fall." If you have any questions, please call Mary Garner at (865)408-0337.

Woodworkers Club Meets Sept. 3

The September meeting of the Tellico Village Woodworkers Club will be held on Thursday, Sept. 3, at 6:45 p.m. at the Yacht Club. The meeting will be the kickoff for the 2015 Toys for Tots wooden toy building project. Club members build toys to be presented to the County Sheriff for distribution at Christmas. There will also be a short presentation by Ed Shipley, owner of Wilburn True Value Hardware and Building Material, in Lenoir City. The public is invited.

Personal Investment Management Course Begins Sept. 4

A course in PERSONAL INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT is the next class offered by Tellico Village University. This is one of the Great Courses that we will view on DVD together, starting on Friday, Sept. 4, and continuing for a total of eight consecutive weeks. Professor Connel Fullenkamp, Chair of the Finance and Investment Management Department at Duke University, leads us through complicated but needed information to understand the fine art and science of managing and decision-making of our financial investments. Our website lists the topics that will be covered each of the eight weeks. Each of these sessions is a distinct presentation; you may attend all of any of these sessions that are of interest. This course is ideal for individuals who manage their own investment portfolios, and for those who wish to be better informed when you discuss your investments with your financial advisor. Each session runs from 9-11 a.m. at the Yacht Club top floor. Registration is through the Tellico Village University website www.tvuniversity.org CONTACT US page. There is no tuition for this course, but participants are invited to support TVU with a tax deductible donation in any amount to STAYinTV, a 501c3 organization. Bring a friend!

Medic Blood Drive Sept. 4

A Medic Regional Blood Center drive will be held 11 a.m.-5 p.m. Friday, Sept. 4, at Chota Recreation Center (145 Awohili Drive). All donors will receive a free Medic t-shirt, a coupon for a free Texas Roadhouse appetizer, and a coupon for a free Petro. For more information, go to www.medicblood.org.

Kiwanis Annual Charity Golf Outing Sept. 5

The Kiwanis Annual Charity Golf Outing will be 9 a.m. Saturday, Sept. 5, at the Toqua Golf Course. Entry Fee: \$50 plus green and cart fees. Property owners pay regular resident rates (coupons may be used). Nonresidents pay \$39 green and cart fees. This event includes continental breakfast and a lunch provided by Chick Fil-A. There will be door prizes, goody bags, and More!!

Modified Scramble: Each team member plays from the tee and the team selects the best shot. Each team member then plays from this position and again, selects the best shot. The procedure is followed until the ball is holed. Each competitor's tee shot must be used at least TWICE. Players play from markers used to determine handicaps. **Double Bogey Maximum!**

Team Handicap: Will be determined using a weighted average, using 35% of the 2 low handicaps and 15% of the 2 high handicaps.

Contests: Prizes for Hole-in-One, Longest Drive, Straightest Drive, Pitch and Putt, Closest to Pin.

Safe Boating Class Sept. 8 and 10

The U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary of Tellico Lake is sponsoring a Safe Boating class at the Tellico Yacht Club 1-5 p.m. on Sept. 8 and 10. This 8-hour class will be taught by experienced Coast Guard Auxiliary men and women. The cost is \$45 per person or \$55 for both husband and wife. This course is also a great way to receive a discount on your boat insurance and prepare you for our Tellico waterways as well as Tennessee's boating laws. Contact Mike Colacone at 352-804-8257 or Mc195@aol.com to register.

Two September Library Lectures on 9-11

Sept. 8 and 11 at the Public Library at Tellico Village will be devoted to lectures on the destruction of the twin towers. The 9:30 a.m. presentation on the 8th will be given by Don Edmands a retired Air Force Colonel. He will present **Attack on America**, a minute-by-minute track of the 9-11 attack taken from radar returns. His presentation will include the US defense posture prior to 9-11, post air defense changes and information about responses during the attack. The 9:30 a.m. presentation on Sept. 11 at the Public Library at Tellico Village will be given by Jim Rogers whose first civilian job after the service was in the IT department of a casualty insurance rating bureau on the 19th and 20th floors of the World Trade Center Tower 2. First you will see some photos of the construction of the World Trade Center (WTC) and the rooftop observation deck of Tower 2. A multimedia chronicle of the attack followed by helicopter photos obtained from the Port Authority police department and unpublished ground views. Call the library at (865) 458-519 9 to reserve a seat for one or both.

Fishing Club Picnic Sept. 9

The Tellico Village Fishing Club will have a picnic beginning 5 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 9, at the Tugaloo Family Beach and Pavilion. Pulled pork and fish will be provided. Members are asked to bring their own drinks and spouses are invited. Additional details will be sent to club members.

Tellico Community Players presents the best of Appalachia as *An Evening with Jo*

An Evening with Jo features the works of East Tennessee's very own poet, playwright and listener extraordinaire, Jo Carson. She gave voice to the "spirit" of the region through her ability to translate what she heard into engaging storytelling. During her lifetime, she relished performing stories that will make you laugh and make you cry...sometimes at the same time.

An Evening with Jo is a collection of narratives and music focusing on the people of Appalachia. It is deeply rooted in East Tennessee as the script was written and brought together by her cousin, and Tellico Village resident, Nancy Paule while another cousin and former East Tennessee resident,

Tom Carson, will be joining the Players acting cast for this production. To round out this night of entertainment, the Baker Creek Band, a blue grass group home to Tellico Village, will be featured as part of the program.

An Evening with Jo will be co-directed by Nancy Paule and Larry Zinn and performances are scheduled for Sept. 11 AND 12 at the Tellico Community Playhouse (304 Lakeside Plaza, Loudon, TN). Shows start at 7:30 p.m. and doors open one hour before the scheduled performance.

Tickets are \$15 and will be available for purchase at the Playhouse Box Office, Monday-Friday, 10 a.m.-4 p.m.,: Aug. 31-Sept. 4 and Sept. 8-11. Forms of payment at the Box Office will include check, cash or credit card. Tickets will also be available for purchase at Village Salon and Salon Anew in Loudon and the Kahite Bar & Grill in Vonore. See more at:

www.tellicocommunityplayhouse.org.

Rover Run Dog Park Picnic Sept. 14

The annual Rover Run Dog Park Picnic will be held 6 p.m. Monday, Sept. 14, at the Family Beach and Pavilion on Tugaloo. The following will be provided: Italian sausage and hot dogs, condiments, paper plate, plastic ware, napkins, unsweetened iced tea, lemonade, and water. Please bring a dish to share (sides, dessert, or hors d'oeuvres). Optional: Bring a donation for the local animal shelters in Monroe and Loudon counties, such as food, towels, treats. Please RSVP to Susan DeSanto by Sept. 4, at desantos411@gmail.com.

Why the South Lost the Civil War Sept. 15

On Sept. 15, David Flanagan will present *Why the South Lost the Civil War* at 9:30 a.m. at the Public Library at Tellico Village as part of the Third Tuesday Doug Christman Lecture Series. This lecture will examine the political, social, economic, and other reasons why the South lost the Civil War as well as the reasons why the North won.

Suggested readings prior to the lecture provided by the Jane L Pettway Foundation and available at the library:

Why the North Won the Civil War by David Herbert Donald

The Confederate War by Gary W. Gallagher

The Fall of the House of Dixie by Bruce Levine

Call (865) 458-5199 to reserve a seat.