

Tell-E-Gram Text Only Version, April 8, 2016

POA Meetings and Events (red denotes irregularity of time, day, and/or location):

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

Highlights from the Board Workshop

In case you missed the POA Board workshop this week in the POA Conference Room:

- Bart Margoshes of the Long Range Planning Advisory Committee reported to the Board on the Strategic Commercial Development Report. LRPAC has been working on this project for over a year, and they will continue to do so. The Board heard about the process and methodology used to compile the report as well as recommendations and conclusions. Bottom line: the LRPAC is encouraging the POA to improve the environment and process that supports commercial development. Watch our communication channels for more details on this report.

Yacht Club and Tanasi Bar & Grill

Tiki Bar Friday at the Yacht Club:

- You've been waiting all winter for the Tiki Bar—and now its back! Entertainment is provided 7-10 p.m. Fridays. Plan to join us April 8, and enjoy the Dixie Rose Band.

Join us for FISH FRYday today at Tanasi Bar & Grill: Hand Beer Battered Cod, two sides, \$10.95.

Music Mondays at Tanasi Bar & Grill are back!

- Join us 6-8 p.m. for Music Monday. Bring your lawn chairs and enjoy! The Southern Star Band will perform Monday, April 11.

Tanasi Bar and Grill: 865-458-9392

Toqua Café: 865-458-1330

Yacht Club: 865-458-4363

Fundraisers and Charitable Events

TV Community Concert Committee presents 2016 Spring Concert

The Tellico Village Community Concert Committee proudly presents its 2016 Spring Concert on Sunday, April 10, at 4 p.m. at the Community Church at Tellico Village. This concert features the Knoxville Symphony Orchestra, continuing its "Concerts in the Community" series, and the Lenoir City High School Singers.

The concert will open with a capella selections performed by the Lenoir City High School Choir. KSO musical selections include music from Mendelssohn's *A Midsummer Night's Dream*, Dvorak's Serenade for Strings, and selections by George Gershwin and Irving Berlin. KSO Resident Conductor James Fellenbaum conducts the Orchestra, joined by the Lenoir City High School Choir, conducted by Jordan Cross. KSO Associate Concertmaster Gordon Tsai and Principal Viola Kathryn Gawne will perform the first movement of Mozart's *Sinfonia Concertante for Violin and Viola*. The Lenoir City High School Singers will join the KSO on stage for a selection from Faure's *Requiem*. "We take pride in providing live orchestral music for the people of East Tennessee," said Jennifer

Harrell, KSO Director of Education & Community Partnerships. "The Knoxville Symphony Orchestra provides classical music for communities that do not have the opportunity to hear a live orchestral performance in their hometown."

The Orchestra consists of 80 professional musicians and performs more than 250 programs throughout East Tennessee each season including Athens, Crossville, Dandridge, Greeneville, Harrogate, Jefferson City, Maryville, Morristown, Sevierville and Tellico Village, as well as in Lee County and Richlands, VA. Performing in traditional venues such as the Tennessee Theatre, Bijou Theatre and the Civic Auditorium, and in non-traditional places like hospitals, school classrooms, nursing homes, city parks and churches, the KSO reaches more than 200,000 people throughout the region each year.

Tickets are \$25 and can be purchased in advance at Village Salon, United Community Bank, and the Kahite Grill or by calling Pat McDermott at 423-884-3098. Tickets are also available at the door.

Donations sought for Used Book Sale

Book Sale Donations Needed! The 22nd Annual Friends of the Tellico Village Library Used Book Sale is taking place April 21-23. We need your help. Please donate any hardbacks, paperbacks, CDs, DVDs, Books on Tape, and Puzzles for this major library fundraiser. Donation bins are available at Tanasi Club House, Chota Rec Center and at the library. The Public Library at Tellico Village is the only privately funded library in the state of Tennessee, and we appreciate your support. For more information, go to www.tvlibrary.org.

Hopewell Volunteer Fire Dept. Golf Tournament and Community Day April 23

The Hopewell Volunteer Fire Department and Kahite EMR/First Responders Fund Raiser is an important event for our community. They protect your homes and lives and keep insurance rates lower. We appreciate everyone's commitment and the event will be held on April 23.

There have been questions on how to get involved to have fun, be involved and be aware of your health and safety here in Kahite. We wanted to make sure in one email that everyone knows the plan. It's as easy as 1, 2, and 3!

1. Sign up to play golf...it's a fun day with multiple flights so all levels of golfers can enjoy the day. Even the Tellico Village Golf Pros help you hit your tee shot! Win a free car on #3 or a trip to Las Vegas! Stop by the Kahite Pro Shop to sign up -- even if you don't have a foursome, they will build a team! There will be a few new surprises this year!
2. If you are not playing golf, enjoy the Community Day:
Come and Enjoy the Community from 10:30am-2pm
 - Enjoy lunch with your neighbors-RSVP at the Kahite Pub
 - Meet our EMR/First Responders
 - Participate in the silent auctions (*we are looking for contributions*)
3. Assist your street and golf hole neighbors by contributing to this fundraising drive. If you don't know your local street captain call me! Ken Thoreson, 423-884-6318

The Kahite culture has always stood out as a caring, fun and appreciative place to live. We thank you individually for everything you do.

Have fun and support this most important community organization!

Craft and Bake Sale April 30

The Crafters at the Community Church of Tellico Village are holding their annual spring craft and bake sale 9 a.m.-noon Saturday, April 30, in the Church's Christian Life Center at 130 Chota Center, Loudon, TN. Handmade spring items will be available including seasonal floral arrangements and wreaths, needlework items, bridge tallies, mailbox covers and much more. In

addition, baked goods will be available. All proceeds are used to support local non-profit organizations and scholarships.

Kids First Child Advocacy Center to Hold Annual Dinner and Auction May 3

Kids First Child Advocacy Center of the Ninth Judicial District will hold its annual dinner and auction fundraiser 5:30 p.m. Tuesday, May 3. The theme for this year's event is *"A Child's Journey...from Victim to Survivor."* The event will be held at Bridgewater Place, 205 Bridgewater Road, Knoxville. Special guest speaker will be Rusty Wallace, one of NASCAR racing's most well-known and charismatic personalities. A NASCAR Winston Cup Champion and winner of 55 career races, he was inducted into the NASCAR Hall of Fame in 2013. He is also a member of the National Motorsports Press Association Hall of Fame, former member of the NASCAR broadcasting team for ESPN, and owner of several Rusty Wallace car dealerships in East Tennessee. Wallace will share parts of his life's journey with attendees.

Those attending will also be treated to a delightful evening in a lovely venue with musical entertainment by The Top Notes, a 20-piece community band that plays swing hits of Benny Goodman, Count Basie, Woody Herman and other greats of the '40s. This is a special opportunity to hear these skilled musicians entertain with music from an era when swing was a "must" at every prominent social event. The ever popular Wine Grab Bag and the Heads or Tails Necklace game will be featured again this year, along with new prizes and some surprises. Silent and live auctions will offer a wide selection of items, and guests will be treated to food stations serving up a bountiful menu.

Tickets are \$100 per person and can be reserved through Denise at the Kids First Child Advocacy Center by calling 865.986.1505, by email at ddubrulle@cac9jd.org, online at www.kidsfirsttn.org, or by sending a reservation request and payment to the Child Advocacy Center, PO Box 928, Lenoir City, TN 37771. All major credit cards and PayPal are accepted.

Those who are unable to attend the May 3 event but wish to support the work of the CAC may designate their contributions to Kids First programs such as Therapy, Family Therapy, Operations or to the Endowment Fund. The support of donors and sponsors is important to help make the event a success and to further the CAC's mission to **"heal the pain of child abuse."** Checks should be made payable to the Child Advocacy Center. Donations may also be made by credit card and PayPal.

This year's fundraiser will focus on a child's journey from victim to survivor. The overwhelming majority of children served by Kids First were victims of sexual abuse. Through the services of Kids First, highly trained and skilled professionals help abused and neglected children find the courage to tell their stories and to gain faith that their stories will be believed, helping children experience healing from the pain of child abuse, becoming free of shame and secrecy as they grow to understand that what has happened to them is not their fault. They become free to flourish and to experience happy and productive lives.

Definition of Sur-vi-vor: "A child who endures adversity, moves through it, and perseveres; a child with resiliency who remains undefeated."

Some Other Stuff You Need to Know...

POA Drop Off Box

Attention Villagers:

You can now drop off your assessment and utility payments without getting out of your car! The POA has installed a drop box for all utility and assessment payments at the entrance to the POA office. Please just place your payment in a sealed envelope and drop it in the brown drop box outside of the POA office. We hope this new addition makes your trip to the POA office a little more convenient.

Time to update the Directory—review date change

The Summer Directory is being updated and a draft will be available for review in The Public Library at Tellico Village April 18-23. You may submit any corrections/additions/deletions to TellicoVillageDirectory@gmail.com or Amanda.Kimbrell@news-herald.net. Club/organization updates are also appreciated. If you are a new resident, please submit your information for inclusion to the above email addresses.

The POA does not produce the Directory and does not provide property owner information for the Directory. The Directory is published and distributed by Loudon County Publishers (the folks who print *The Connection* and the *News-Herald*).

Muddy Boots hike April 11

The Muddy Boots Hiking Club will depart 8 a.m. Monday, April 11, from the Chota Center parking lot (across from the gas station).

- We will be hiking and touring White Oak Sink
- Rating: Moderate
- Driving time: One hour
- Hike leader:: Diane Gower

Bring along snacks, water, a lunch, your hiking boots and poles. (**It is that time of the year for those of you with allergies** bring along your medications for poison ivy/oak, bee stings etc.***) Directions and final instructions will be provided the morning of the hike.

Tellico Top Notes Rehearsal Schedule

The Tellico Top Notes hold practice/rehearsal 7 p.m. on the second and fourth Tuesdays (April 12 and 26) each month in the Yacht Club, Dale Polewach, 248-790-8962. We are always looking for more musicians!

Upcoming Library lectures

- April 12, 11 a.m.-noon. - Girls of Atomic City (Encore Presentation) - Back for a third visit this year, Chris Higginbotham and Virginia Coleman return to tell stories of being recruited to the secret city of Oak Ridge with steady work and a promise to help win WWII. Now in their 90s, these women share their account of a very important chapter in American History. Pre-register at 865-458-5199.
- April 13, 1-3 p.m. - Introductory Memoir Writing is back with Gayle Thomasson teaching a five-session class. Many of us wish we had asked more questions of our parents and grandparents...of their lives and their memories. Now you can begin telling your story, and recording your personal memories, so you can leave a wonderful "gift" to your family. Class size is limited, so pre-register. Classes are free of charge and scheduled for April 13, 20, 27, May 4 and 11.

For more information, call 865-458-5199 or go to www.tvlibrary.org.

Cruising Club meets April 13

The Tellico Cruising Club will hold its monthly meeting on Wednesday, April 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 Bob Mazzola 865-657-9306 or go to tellicocruisingclub.com.

Fishing Club meets April 13

The Tellico Village Fishing Club monthly meeting will be 7-8:30 p.m. Wednesday, April 13, at the Tellico Village Yacht Club. This month's guest speaker will be Bass Boat Electronics of Knoxville who will discuss fish finders and GPSs. Visitors are welcome.

For additional information, contact Club President Brian Baldwin at 423-884-2641 or go to tellicovillagefishingclub.com.

Soggy Bottom Kayak Club paddles April 14

The Soggy Bottom Kayak Club will have their first paddle of the year on April 14. It will be a short 3.5-mile paddle along the Tellico Shoreline which will start from the Poplar Springs boat ramp at 8:30 a.m. For any additional questions, contact Forrest Wasserman at forrestw@forrestw.net or go to <http://tvsoggybottom.org/>.

Dragon Boat Club meets April 14—paddling sessions rescheduled to April 16

Special thanks to Jeff Gagley and Karen Davis, we have a place to keep a dragon boat at the Kahite Docks. There is ample parking and restroom facilities. The water is calm, plenty of room to practice and should be safer with less motorboat traffic.

Even if Kahite seems too far to join the club, please try dragon boating on Saturday, April 16, at the Tugaloo Family Beach and Pavilion near the Yacht Club. There will be one-hour sessions starting at 9 a.m. through 1 p.m. There will be a signup sheet for each session that morning at 8:30 a.m. at the pavilion. Wear comfortable clothes and shoes that can get wet and bring a friend and a water bottle. All equipment is provided and the event is free.

There will be an organizational meeting on Thursday, April 14, at the Chota Rec Center at 6 p.m. to see if there is enough interest to form a club. The cost will be \$100 per member for the season through October. If we have enough interest, we will choose an interim board, collect the membership fee, rent a boat, pay the dock fee and obtain insurance. Extra member costs would be for a personal paddle, life vest and race fees should we wish to go to a festival. Members and guests who wish to try dragon boating will be able to use loaner equipment at no charge.

This year there are dragon boat festivals on Aug. 20 in Sevierville and Aug. 27 in Knoxville that we could attend.

Thanks for your time considering dragon boating. If all goes well we will be on the water by May. If you have any questions, please reply to amtravelers@gmail.com.

Submitted by Alice and Mike Micchelli

Ladies Book Club meets April 14

The Tellico Village Ladies Book Club will meet Thursday, April 14, in the Tanasi Clubhouse, for an 11:30 a.m. lunch followed by a 12:15 p.m. discussion of "The Farm" by Tom Rob Smith. The discussion will be led by Audrey Zades. For more information, contact PR chair Bette Purvis at 865-458-8070.

Tellico Riders meet April 14

Thursday, April 14, the Tellico Riders will conduct their monthly meeting at the Tellico Village Yacht Club. The club social starts in the Yacht Club Bar at 5 p.m., followed by the meeting on the top floor at 6 p.m. If you own a motorcycle or would like to meet those that do, come join us. It's optional to join many of the Tellico Riders at 7 p.m. for dinner in the Yacht Club Dining Room after the meeting. For additional information, please contact Paula Moore, Director Tellico Riders Motorcycle Club at moorepm@charter.net.

Tellico Village University Offers Lending Library

TVU is pleased to announce that a collection of the very popular Great Courses is now available for Villagers to borrow. These programs, offered in DVD format, may be played on a monitor or TV from your computer or projected for a group to view. A varied list of topics is available including astronomy, photography, gourmet cooking and grilling from the Culinary Arts Institute, mindfulness, religion, bible studies, Shakespeare, financial management, nutrition and others. There is no fee to borrow these programs, but proof of Village residence with a driver's license is required. Villagers may use these programs for their own enjoyment; or they may invite others with similar interests to form a group. Simple policies and the procedure for requesting a program are found on the website at www.tvuniversity.org. Check the TV Learning Opportunities – Lending Library. This page also includes the link to the catalogue of 18 programs now available. Requesting a program is as easy as

using the CONTACT US page and submitting your name, e-mail, phone number and title of the program (from the catalogue). The TVU Lending Library Coordinator will contact you to confirm the availability of the program and arrange for your pick-up. While there is no fee, a tax deductible donation to STAYinTV is appreciated to help continue with TVU programming.

TVU spring courses and registration

Tellico Village University is opening registration for courses:

- April 12: We hear about the National Security Council on the news. Something about servers and e-mail? Ever wonder just how they maneuver and keep national information secure around the White House? In the Foreign Service? Within the complex of other federal agencies? Villager Bob Morley has first-hand insights and stories to tell from his 30+ year career in diplomatic service. Bob worked in the White House under JFK, George H.W. Bush and Bill Clinton. He has traveled extensively in the Foreign Service, served as Director of Cuban Affairs, met Fidel Castro, and visited Guantanamo Bay. Come prepared on April 12 to hear his stories in this informal presentation.

Registration for all courses is through the TVU website at www.tvuniversity.org. Use the CONTACT US page to submit your name, e-mail, phone number and name of course you are interested in attending. A confirmation will be sent to you.

Tellico Players to produce Ira Levin's *Deathtrap*

Play opens April 14

The Tellico Community Players will perform the thriller-comedy *Deathtrap*, a two-act play by renowned playwright and author Ira Levin. The play *holds the record as the longest-running thriller-comedy on Broadway*.

Play dates are Thursday-Saturday, April 14-16; Thursday-Saturday, April 21-23 with curtain at 7:30 p.m. A matinee performance on Sunday, April 24 will begin at 1:30 p.m. All performances are at the Tellico Community Playhouse, Patricia Smith Theater, 304 Lakeside Plaza in Tellico Village.

Tickets are available on the Players' website: www.tellicocommunityplayhouse.org, with reserved seating at \$21. Box office at the theater is open, Monday-Friday, 10 a.m.-2 p.m.

The storyline stars Sidney Bruhl (played by Len Willis), a successful playwright who has hit a dry spell – a long period without a hit. Bruhl's former student, Clifford Anderson (Tommy Parris) asks his mentor to review a play he has written, which Bruhl recognizes immediately as a potential smash hit. He hatches a plot to steal the young man's play and produce it as his own.

Carol Lessnau plays Sidney's wife Myra Bruhl, Amber Henry is psychic Helga ten Dorp and Vern Russell plays Sidney's attorney Porter Milgrim.

There are murders, physical struggles, ESP predictions, body hiding and a surprise ending – all of which provide chills and laughter throughout the performance.

Deathtrap is directed by veteran drama teacher and actor Joan Dorsey, who has directed a number of the Players' productions. Producer is Tony Licata.

Deathtrap won a Tony Award in 1978 and was adapted into a movie in 1982 starring Christopher Reeve, Michael Caine and Dyan Cannon. Ira Levin also is the author of such hits as *Rosemary's Baby*, *The Stepford Wives* and *the Boys from Brazil*.

Back in the day, the news media fawned over Deathtrap:

"It is a classic thriller, a genre with a style, a manner and an audience of its own. If you like thrillers do see it. I promise you it is vintage," said The New York Post. Time Magazine wrote: "If you care to assassinate yourself with laughter, try *Deathtrap*." And Cue Magazine called it "Two-thirds a thriller and one-third a devilishly clever comedy.....Suspend your disbelief and be

delighted. Scream a little. It's good for you."

Christian Men's Fellowship Breakfast Thursdays

Every Thursday morning, 8-9 a.m., there is a group of men who meet at the Tanasi Clubhouse for breakfast, for fellowship and to hear a short devotional thought. The group is non-denominational and is called Christian Men's Fellowship Breakfast. All men are welcome. Any questions, call Larry Denney (865-408-9725) or Bob Ericson (865-458-9877).

FAQ: Trees on Vacant Lots

Villagers occasionally ask this question: What can I do about a tree on a vacant lot that is leaning toward my house? Below is the answer from your friends in the ACC Department. If you need further assistance, please call 865-458-5408, ext. 4117.

- The POA does not require off-site property owners to maintain their lots.
- If there is a tree on a lot next to you that you think will endanger your home, first make sure it is on an owned lot and not common property or Right of Way; those trees are the responsibility of your POA.
- If it is on a lot and you don't know the owner, ask either ACC or Public Works and they will be happy to give you the name and mailing address ONLY, no other lot information will be given out (this is a new procedure).
- When you determine who the owner is, mail them a letter asking that they look into the problem, and always CC your insurance company.