

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

- **POA Board Meeting, 1:30 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 18, Yacht Club**
- **Architectural Control Committee, 9 a.m. Thursday, Jan. 19, POA Conference Room**
- **Golf 101, 9 a.m. Friday, Jan. 20, Tanasi Golf Course**
- **Long Range Planning, 9:30 a.m. Thursday, Jan. 26, POA Conference Room**

Tellico Village Property Owners Association		
Board Meeting Agenda		
1:30 p.m. January 18, 2017, Yacht Club BOTTOM FLOOR		
<u>Topic</u>	<u>Purpose/Outcome</u>	<u>Responsible</u>
	Call to Order	Bruce Johnson
I. President's Announcements		Bruce Johnson
II. Minutes of December 21, 2016	Approve	Bruce Johnson
III. Advisory Committee/Liaison Report	Update	
• HOA		John Bordelon
• Communications/Marketing Annual Review		Beth Kuberka
• AWE—Food Service Provider/QBR		Andy Fox
• Finance Report	Parker Owen/Kendra Forsythe	
IV. LUB Substation Progress	Update	Jeff Gagley
V. 2017 Board Goals	Update	All
VI. PIC	Update	Cap Purvis
VII. Other/Member Comments		

**Meeting will reconvene at approximately 3:30 p.m. to hold
An open forum to discuss the Medical Building**

Coach's Corner

By Casey Flenniken, Tanasi Golf Course

Each month throughout 2017 I will be sending out a Coaches Corner to all Tellico Village golfers. These will include tips and experiences that I hope you can use to better your understanding of the game. January's Coaches Corner focuses on decision making around the greens.

In my experience from playing with amateur players mainly ranging from 5 to 40 handicappers, I see the majority of their shots thrown away around the green. The main reasoning for this is because they elect to play shots that actually DECREASE their chances of getting up-and-down.

During this time of year, the grass has gone dormant and can be very damp due to the amounts of precipitation we receive. Because of this, the lies on the course are tight, and shorter chip shots can be very tough. Most players gravitate towards their sand wedge or lob wedge from

short distances around the greens. When using wedges around the green the handle of the club is leaning forward and the leading edge of the club makes contact with the dormant grass first. When this happens there are three common results that follow (you can decide your most common). Those three results are:

1. Players hit the ball first and it goes sailing to the other side of the green,
2. Players hit the ground and only advance the ball a few yards in front of them, or
3. Players make solid contact and have a good chance for par.

Conversely, if the original option was to putt then there are usually three results. These three results are:

1. Players misjudge the speed and hit the putt just a little too hard or soft but, still on the green,
2. Players miss the line of the putt to the left or right but have decent speed with a makeable putt, or
3. Players hit a good putt with good line and speed. Personally, I like taking the chances of a mistake out of play and I get the ball on the ground as soon as possible—PUTT IT!

I remember when I turned 15 years old and could not wait to drive my Dad's car. I thought I was just going to grab the keys, and we were going to take it for a nice long ride—boy was I wrong! We went to empty parking lots where I could not go very fast and we worked hitting the gas, brake, turning, etc. It was important for me to understand how to work the car before I used it in a real life situation. I think the same thing applies for golfers. If you do not know how to use the golf club to hit certain shots, then use the easiest option. Hitting the harder shot creates more problems.

Below are some rules of thumb I use when selecting what shot to play around the green:

- **Putt down, chip up!** - When going downhill let gravity do the work. Usually the grain of the grass is laying downhill and getting the ball rolling quickly is the easier option. When going uphill the grain is usually coming back towards you. This means you may have to chip or pitch the ball in the air because the risk of the ball bouncing is greater.
- **Play the percentage!** - Two or three good shots on a hole give you a chance at your target score, whatever that may be. One bad chip can ruin that chance. Hit the smartest shot for your game and ability.
- **Be in charge!** - Remember you're hitting the shot! Therefore, hit the shot that you're comfortable hitting. Odds are if you have not practiced a certain shot then you will not be comfortable hitting that shot on the course.
- **The Crenshaw Effect** - Ben Crenshaw once said, "I'm about 5 inches from being a good player. That is the distance from my left ear to my right ear." Don't ever get in your own way.

If you ever have any questions or requests about Coach's Corner please feel free to send me an email at CFlenniken@Tvpoa.org! Also, please feel free to contact me if you would like to set up a time for us to work on your game!

Yacht Club and Tanasi Bar & Grill

- **Super Bowl** at the Yacht Club: Why leave the Village? Enjoy some fun food and great company—all close to home.
- **Valentine's Day** is right around the corner, don't miss out! Call for reservations and more details.
 - Prime Rib dinner for two at Tanasi Bar & Grill
 - Regular menu at the Yacht Club
- **Tiki Bar** at the Yacht Club:

- DJ Lou, 7-10 p.m. Friday, Jan. 20
- Yacht Club dining room and bar will be closed Jan. 24-25 for flooring.
 Tanasi Bar and Grill: 865-458-9392
 Toqua Café: 865-458-1330
 Yacht Club: 865-458-4363

Charter Channel 193 Schedule	
www.TellicoVillageBroadcasting.org	
7 a.m.	Honor Awards Luncheon
8 a.m.	School Board Update
9 a.m.	Library Update
10 a.m.	Rec Rap
11 a.m.	County Update
Noon	POA Board Update
1 p.m.	Trippin' Thru Tellico—New Year's Resolutions
2 p.m.	Tellico Village Lifestyle Coordinator
3 p.m.	Spotlight on TV Lifestyle Coordinator
4 p.m.	Tellico Village University
5 p.m.	TV Naturally—Tennessee State Parks
6 p.m.	Trippin' Thru Tellico—New Year's Resolutions

PR Services

Beth Kuberka will oversee all PR, Communications, and Marketing duties and, in addition, will work with Tellico Village Broadcasting. You may reach out to her at the Welcome Center Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. to schedule a chat session. Patty Robichaud will continue publishing the Tell-E-Gram. You can reach the Welcome Center at 865-458-7061.

Get the Facts!! – Attend the HOA General Meeting on Feb. 9

Your HOA is hosting 2017's first General Membership Meeting at the Yacht Club on Feb. 9 starting at 4 p.m. You will not want to miss the keynote presentation titled: **“The New POA Roadmap for 2017 and Beyond”** including the 2017 goals of the POA Board and how they will implement them. In addition, there will be a presentation addressing the new Medical Facility planned for Tellico Village. We are pleased to have Bruce Johnson, POA Board President, and Winston Blazer, POA General Manager, as our keynote speakers. There will be a time for your interaction with the speakers at the conclusion of their presentations. If you want the facts you will want to be there so you can **“Be Informed – Be Engaged – Be Heard.”** Join or renew your HOA membership for 2017 and join us for this informative and relevant meeting.

Make your reservations and enjoy dinner upstairs at the Yacht Club after the meeting.

Tennessee ID Services in Village 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 2

The State of Tennessee offers a unique opportunity for Veterans called the "Highways for Heroes Program." Through this program, Tennesseans are able to take advantage of various identification services right in the comfort of their own community. On the first Thursday of each month (through August), 10 a.m.-2 p.m., the Tennessee mobile unit will be set up in the parking lot at the corner of Chota Road and Highway 444, immediately in front of the Lakeside Real Estate offices. The mobile unit travels the state to issue Veteran designated driver licenses and Commercial Driver Licenses (CDL) to eligible Veterans and Service Members.

Special thanks to Lakeside Real Estate Group for providing parking, restrooms, coffee, and the Loudon County Clerk's office (located there Thursdays) providing license plates.

Even though the program is designed to bring these services to Veterans, **ALL** Villagers are invited to participate.

Rec Update—Floor Trainers Available

Floor trainers will be available to answer your questions about basic exercise routines and equipment use in January at no charge. Grab them for a quick Q and A on Mondays, Tuesdays, and Wednesdays 8-10 a.m. They are eager to assist you and don't forget to grab a complimentary coffee on the way out! These special offers are here on a trial basis so be sure and give us your feedback.

Some Other Stuff You Need to Know...

- **Yacht Club dining room and bar will be closed Jan. 24-25 for flooring work.**

Ford Retirees Club meets Jan. 18

The Ford Retirees Club of Tellico Village will meet 11:30 a.m. Wednesday, Jan. 18, in the Tanasi Clubhouse for lunch and a meeting. For more information, contact Bill Long, 865-458-0426.

Solos meet-and-greet cocktail party Jan. 18

On Wednesday, Jan. 18, the Solo Club will have a Meet and Greet Cocktail Party from 4 to 6 p.m. at the lower level of the Yacht Club. The purpose of the party is to welcome new and prospective members to the club. Club officers will be introduced, and will briefly describe the activities, events and trips being planned for the coming year. No reservations are required. Come as you are. There will be an open bar, and many members have dinner in the Blue Heron dining room after meetings.

The object of the Solos is to promote a spirit of friendship and helpfulness and provide opportunities for social interaction among the members. Meetings are held monthly at the Yacht Club. Membership is open to legally single individuals.

Thyme for Herbs meets Jan. 19

Thyme for Herbs group will meet on Jan. 19 at 9 a.m. at the Chota Rec. Center. This meeting is open to all who may have an interest in herbs and gardening. Mary Garner will be speaking on "Seed Starting for 2017" along with the history of the current "Herb of the Year."

Art Guild meets Jan. 19

The Tellico Village Art Guild Meeting will be 9:30 a.m.-noon Thursday, Jan. 19, at the Tellico Village Yacht Club on the top floor. Our guest presenter will be Tom Marshall, a fused glass artist. His work was seen at the Fine Arts Market. Tom, who has been an art gallery owner, is knowledgeable about many art forms. Join us and learn about all the opportunities to expand your artistic endeavors. The Art Guild is looking for artists in all kinds of medium to become members. You can be a beginner, a professional or somewhere in between. Come check us out. Guests are welcome.

Dragon Boat Club meets Jan. 19

The first Dragon Boat Club meeting of the 2017 will be 6 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 19. All are welcome. Come find out about dragon boating in Tellico Village.

Mac Users meet Jan. 23

The Mac Users (special interest group of the Tellico Village Computer Users Club) will meet 3 p.m. Monday, Jan. 23, in the Chota Recreation Center. The meeting will cover Pages and Numbers.

Hike Piney River Jan. 25

The Tellico Village Hiking Club will depart 8 a.m. Wednesday, Jan. 25, from Chota Center, to hike:

- PINEY RIVER, BOWATER POCKET WILDERNESS
- Distance: 10 miles
- Rating: Moderate
- Elevation Gain: 300 feet
- Driving time: 1 hour
- Leader: Rick Carlin, rick0738@gmail.com or 513-518-0738

This is an in-and-out hike. The trail provides stunning natural scenery without steep ascents and descents and follows the Piney River. There are views of the many cascades of the river. After 3 miles in, the trail goes over a suspension bridge and for the next 2 miles follows a narrow gauge railroad bed with the river alongside.

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. For more information, go to www.TVHikers.com.

Community Shred Day Jan. 28

ORNL in Lenoir City is hosting a community shred day 9 a.m.-noon (or until trucks are full) Saturday, Jan. 28. Due to the limited amount of space available for shredding per truck, each vehicle is permitted to shred up to THREE banker's boxes (or three 13-gallon trash bags) of paper. Shredding is first come, first served. When the trucks are full, shredding will no longer be available. Paper is the only acceptable material for shredding.

Library Corner

UPCOMING LIBRARY EVENTS - call the library to register at 865-458-5199

- Tuesday, Jan. 24, 11 a.m.-noon: Improve Your Balance, part 1—The Science of Balance, with Dr. Jessica Briere from the Complete Chiropractic and Wellness Center
- Wednesday, Jan. 25, 1-2 p.m.: Frozen shoulder—causes and therapies, with Mag Abdu from Advanced Physiotherapy Clinic
- Thursday, Feb. 2, 10 a.m.-noon: FREE Introduction to Genealogy Research workshop, with Sam Maner. This will be a basic class on how to get started with researching your ancestors. Sam is the author of several genealogy publications, previously worked with ancestry.com, and teaches classes at Pellissippi State.

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Tanasi Bar & Grill Revolutionary Buffet—thanks for participating!
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