

## Tell-E-Gram Text Only Version, Feb. 28, 2017

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

- **POA Board Workshop, 10 a.m. Wednesday, March 1, POA Conference Room**
- **Architectural Control Committee, 9 a.m. Thursday, March 2, POA Conference**
- **Recreation Advisory Committee, 9 a.m. Thursday, March 2, Wellness Center**
- **Communications & Marketing Advisory Committee, 1 p.m. Thursday, March 2, POA Conference Room**

### **Tellico Village Property Owners Association**

#### **Board Workshop Agenda**

**10 a.m. March 1, 2017, POA Conference Room**

<u>Topic</u>	<u>Purpose/Outcome</u>	<u>Presenter(s)</u>	<u>Time Frame</u>
Toqua Pavilion Fees	Approve	Mitzi Lane	10-10:10 a.m.
PSAC Study on Road Maintenance	Update	Ken Holland/Jeff Gagley	10:20-10:50 a.m.
Road Paving Contract	Approve	Parker Owen/Jeff Gagley	10:50-11 a.m.
By-Law Notice	Approve	Kevin Stevens	11-11:30 a.m.
Other			

### **Progress update for Summit Medical Group Building in Tellico Village**

**By Winston Blazer, General Manager**

As you may already know, Summit Medical Group and the Tellico Village Property Owners Association have partnered to bring the excellence and convenience of a Summit primary care practice to Tellico Village residents and the local community. Both parties have been working diligently to make sure that everything comes together in a timely manner. The lease agreement has been signed, and last week, the construction loan was closed. The construction contract has been signed and all permits have been approved from Loudon County to begin the project.

Summit will be breaking ground as early as next week. Hopefully the beautiful weather we have been having will continue and the project can get off to a great start. This project has been some time in the making, and we are so pleased with the support we have received throughout the Village.

We appreciate your patience, your concerns, and your questions as we have worked through the process to bring Tellico Village yet another wonderful amenity. We will continue to ask for patience as construction begins and will continue for the next several months. This is truly an exciting time for all.

We would like to invite you to stop by the Welcome Center to view the floor plans, renderings, and layout of the facility. We will do our best to answer your questions to the best of our ability.

Summit Medical Group will be providing comprehensive primary care at the Tellico Village location. The following services will be provided:

- Digital X-Ray
- Physical Therapy
- Specialty Service Partners
- Lab Services

Summit will be offering some urgent care services but not all emergency services. They will see

patients with the following issues at the Tellico Village suites:

- UTI
- Stomach Issues and Mild Abdominal Pain
- Broken Bones (but not compound fractures)
- Minor Stitches
- Mild Chest Pain
- Minor Head Bumps

The following issues are usually referred to an emergency room:

- Compound Fractures
- Victims of Auto Accidents
- Significant Bleeding Resulting in the Need for More Than Minor Stitching
- Severe Chest Pain
- Extreme Abdominal Pain
- Head Trauma

For a complete list of insurance plans accepted, please follow the link: <http://www.summithealthcare.com/patients/billing#plans>

As they assess our needs, they will also be looking at and evaluating the best hours and times of day for treatment. If there is a demand for extended hours or weekend hours, Summit will accommodate those needs.

Summit Medical Group estimates more than 1,000 current property owners use their services already for primary care. Under no circumstances does Summit Medical Group expect its clients to change from their current physician. They simply want to make it more convenient for you to use their services.

We look forward to updating you on a regular basis. Your continued support is appreciated.

### **Thank You Patty Robichaud!**

Over the past 12+ years, Patty Robichaud has been at the center of the community's communications. Patty has worked closely with many of the Village's clubs and organizations; been the producer of the Tel-E-Gram; posted the Tel-Events on a weekly basis; helped organize POA 101 and a whole lot more. Since 2015, she has acted as the receptionist at the Welcome Center greeting hundreds of prospective Villagers during that time. Today marks her last day with the Village. The TVPOA staff and her friends in the community thank Patty for her service and all her hard work. We wish her nothing but the best in her retirement.

### **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 (across from the gas station), 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.

## **Fundraising Events**

### **MACA golf tourney March 18**

Please mark your calendar for the Monroe Area Council for the Arts (MACA) 8th ANNUAL SPRING OPEN Golf Tournament on Saturday, March 18, at The Links at Kahite.

The format for the tournament is a 4-person scramble. Because this is a scramble format, all

men will play from white tees and all women will play from green tees. You can sign up as a team or individually (we will put teams together for individual signups). The entry fee is just \$85 per person, and includes:

- Green and cart fees and practice balls
- Complimentary beverage cart
- Fresh continental breakfast
- Signature Pasta Buffet lunch with homemade desserts
- Prizes for top finishing teams!

In addition to all of the above, you will also have an opportunity to win a NEW CAR, courtesy of Jacky Jones Ford!

If you aren't familiar with the Monroe Area Council for the Arts, I encourage you to visit their website at [www.monroearts.com](http://www.monroearts.com).

## Library Corner

For all classes, sign up with The Public Library at Tellico Village, 300 Irene Lane, Loudon, Tennessee 37774, 865-458-5199 or [www.tvlibrary.org](http://www.tvlibrary.org).

- March 2, 16, 23, 30, Thursdays 10 a.m.-noon: **Digging Deep for Family History: Introductory Class** with genealogist Sam Maner. This four-session class costs \$100. Mr. Maner will do an individual make-up class if an attendee cannot make a certain date
- March 3, Friday 10 a.m.-noon: **First Friday Author Series**, with Stephanie McElligott, author of *The Gifts of Man*. Ms. McElligott has had a varied and interesting life. Holding a BA in history from St. Bonaventure University, she has also been a student of law, nursing, and human resources. Throughout it all, biblical history has held a special appeal for her.
- March 8, Wednesday 9:30-10:30 a.m.: **Bluebirds** with Chuck James. Attracting, feeding, housing, and enjoying bluebirds in your yard
- March 14, Tuesday 9:30-10:30 a.m.: **Gun Safety** with Bob Ratcliffe, an NRA-certified instructor. Bob will cover safety guidance for function, household storage, practice range, security, and personal defence. A variety of firearms will be available for safe handling demonstrations. No live ammunition will be in the room.
- March 22, Wednesday 1-2 p.m.: Living with Diabetic Neuropathy with Mag Abdu from Advanced Physiotherapy Clinic.

## Donate books through April 8

Library Book Sale DONATION BINS are available at three locations: Tanasi Clubhouse, Chota Rec Center, and The Public Library at Tellico Village for the annual Library Used Book Sale to be held April 27-29. Please donate Hardback and Paperback Books, CDs, DVDs, Books-on-CDs, Puzzles, Games, Cookbooks, and Children's Books to one of these locations. Thank you for your donations for this valuable Library fundraiser. More information to come about The Library Annual Book Sale.

## Yacht Club and Tanasi Bar & Grill

Why leave the Village when all the fun is right down the road?

- **Tiki Bar Fridays:**
  - March 3 Dixie Lee Band
- **Burger Day** is coming back to Tanasi Bar and Grill:
  - There will be a menu featuring **12 burgers** all day every Wednesday in March.

**Tanasi Bar and Grill: 865-458-9392**

Toqua Café: 865-458-1330

Yacht Club: 865-458-4363

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

### Auditions set for Ken Ludwig's comedy *The Fox on the Fairway*

Auditions for the Tellico Community Players' May 2017 production of Ken Ludwig's comedy *The Fox on the Fairway* will be held in Tellico Village, Loudon, as follows:

- Wednesday, March 1 (6-8 p.m.) at the Playhouse

The cast requires three males and three females. Veteran actor and director Joan Dorsey will direct the play.

Rehearsals will begin March 13. Production dates are May 4-6 and 11-14. For information contact Ms. Dorsey: (865) 408-1071 (jhilbili@charter.net)

The roles:

Justin: 25-year old, offbeat, sweet, anxious, a bundle of nerves with unruly hair.

Louise: 23-year old waitress at the club, a "knockout," leggy, good-natured and a little "ditzzy" - innocent and naïve.

Bingham: director of Quail Valley Country Club, middle-aged, very determined to do whatever it takes to win.

Dickie Bell: director of Crouching Squirrel Country Club, middle-aged, often obnoxious, rude and ill-mannered.

Pamela: 39-ish, beautiful, very sophisticated...sexy and a bit "loose." A vice president of Quail Valley Country Club and Dickie's ex-wife.

Muriel: sturdy, over-bearing, wife of Dickie, middle-aged.

A lively farce set in the current time, this comedy is a furiously paced madcap adventure about love, life and man's eternal love affair with golf. Filled with mistaken identities, slamming doors and over-the-top romantic shenanigans, it promises an evening of adventure for all.

Set in the tap room of the Quail Valley Country Club, the plot centers around a yearly golf rivalry between two neighboring golf clubs. As with most traditional farces, the characters are instantly involved in romantic errors, jealousy, rivalry, athletic challenges and misunderstandings.

### Softball Players wanted—information meeting March 1

The Tellico Men's Senior Softball League (TMSSL) is scheduled to begin spring play, at the Loudon Municipal Park on Tuesday, March 21, and will continue for 10 weeks. The slow pitch, seven-inning league consists of five teams and they are looking for new players to fill anticipated vacancies. The league is in its 15th year of play is open to men in Loudon and surrounding counties. You DO NOT have to be a resident of Tellico Village.

The league is open to men 55 (by Dec. 31, 2017) and over. All new players will be assigned to a team and are guaranteed to play. Cost of \$50 (includes field rental for spring and fall seasons, spring picnic, yearend pizza party, etc.). All players must sign a Team Waiver Form from Loudon County. Most players have not played ball since their youth but enjoy the camaraderie and have a chance to keep active.

There are some unique rules for this senior softball league that are intended to provide a margin of safety for the players. These include all bats/balls/bases are provided by the league, no contact rule for base running, 10 players in the field, extra bases at first and home plate and no metal spikes.

Games are played on Tuesdays at 1 p.m.; however, team warm ups/batting practice begin about noon.

In addition to the Tuesday games, there are optional batting practices on Thursdays at noon.

All new players are required to attend at least one practice session March 2, 7, 9, or 14. Players need a glove and are recommended to have softball shoes with rubber cleats.

If you would like to learn more about the league, you are invited to attend a meeting for new players 10:30 a.m. Wednesday, March 1, at the Chota Recreation Center in Tellico Village.

For additional information contact League Commissioner, David Davis at 458-0952

### **Tellico Vintage Vehicles Meets March 1**

The Tellico Village Vintage Vehicles club will meet 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, March 1, in the Yacht Club. The car club meets on the first Wednesday every month. For more information, go to [www.TVVintageVehicles.org](http://www.TVVintageVehicles.org).

### **Tellico Astronomers meet March 1**

The Tellico Astronomers will meet 7 p.m. Wednesday, March 1, in Room D of the Chota Recreation Center. For more information, call Roy Morrow at 865-293-2860.

### **Garden Club meets March 2**

The Tellico Village Garden Club will meet 12:30 p.m. Thursday, March 2, on the top floor of the Yacht Club (elevator available). Membership is \$10/year per household. Guests are welcome

Hostas from their Asian ancestry and English love affair, to our backyard shade gardens. Elon Johnson founding member of the East Tennessee Hosta Society will share slides from her recent visit to the American Hosta Society Conference as well as tips on propagation, and effective use of hostas in the garden. She will also talk about her "favorite cultivars of miniature hostas."

Contact Betty Thompson at 248-912-4827 for more information.

### **New Villagers' social March 2**

The New Villagers Club holds a social 5-6:30 p.m. on the first Thursday of every month in the Yacht Club. The next social is March 2. Visit the New Villager Club website for more information: [www.telliconewvillagers.com](http://www.telliconewvillagers.com).

### **Art Guild of Tellico Village Workshop March 2-4**

Sandra Washburn returns with another fun and educational acrylic/mixed media workshop in March. Beginners and non-members welcome, too!

- **Mixed Media Workshop**
- March 2, 3 and 4
- Chota Recreation Center Room A
- \$150 members, \$175 non-members

Workshop Description: In this three-day workshop, students will explore acrylics, mixed media, and memorabilia to construct paintings meaningful to the artist.

Students will create unique collage papers, and use a variety of painting and medium techniques to embellish their work. Every day there will be demonstrations of new techniques, lectures and handouts to keep creative thoughts flowing.

Please contact Cindy Vermeersch at [vermeerschci@gmail.com](mailto:vermeerschci@gmail.com) or 865-385-7694 to sign-up.

### **TV Woodworkers Club meets March 2**

The TV Woodworkers Club will hold their monthly meeting 6:45 Thursday, March 2, on the top floor of the Yacht Club. This month's meeting will feature a presentation from Neil Wilson and Chris Campbell who will discuss high quality painting techniques and decal applications. The public is welcome to attend. For more information, go to [tvwoodworkers.com](http://tvwoodworkers.com).

### **Computer Users Club meets March 7**

The Tellico Village Computer Users Club will have general meeting, 7 p.m. Tuesday, March 7, in The Community Church at Tellico Village's Christian Living Center. Following announcements and committee reports, several members of TVCUC will present Smart Phones/Tablets 102. This is a follow-up to the very popular December 2016 program which provided a basis for Smart Phone/Tablet history, technology and basic operations. It will further explore in some depth many apps that are useful when travelling (including overseas), shopping, dining out, reading, and other useful scenarios. Time will be

allocated for Q/A at the end of the presentations.

There will be several door prizes for those 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 Chota Rec Center. Visitors are welcome.

visit our Website at [www.TVCUC.org](http://www.TVCUC.org) frequently.

### **Second Tee “The Rules of Golf” on March 7**

The Second Tee presents “The Rules of Golf.” Chad Anderson, Executive Director of The Tennessee Golf Association will give the presentation. This will be a very entertaining and informative explanation of some of the USGA rules of golf. The bar opens at 4 p.m. and the presentation begins at 4:30 p.m. It will be held on March 7 in the Yacht Club.

### **Soggy Bottom Kayak Club meets March 8**

The Soggy Bottom Kayak Club will be having their planning meeting for the upcoming season on March 8 at 10:30 a.m. in Conference Room C of the Chota Recreation Center. We plan on determining how we will organize the activities for this year and determine the number and locations of paddles throughout the year. Anyone interested in kayaking is invited to attend.

### **Cruising Club meets March 8**

The Tellico Cruising Club will hold its monthly meeting on Wednesday, March 8, 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 Tom Morgan 865-657-9380.

### **Fishing Club meets March 8**

The Tellico Village Fishing Club will meet 7 p.m. Wednesday, March 8, on the top floor of the Yacht Club. The club promotes fellowship, learning fishing techniques, and knowledge of local lakes, as well as presentations by various speakers on topics related to fishing in the area. Guests are welcome. For further information, please contact 2017 President Chip Young at 614-562-9310 or [crtsyoung@gmail.com](mailto:crtsyoung@gmail.com).

### **Ladies Book Club meets March 9**

The Tellico Village Ladies Book Club will meet Thursday, March 9, in the Tanasi Clubhouse for an 11:30 a.m. lunch followed by a 12:15 p.m. discussion led by Agnes Steffen of “The House Girl,” by Tara Conklin. For more information, call Bette Purvis at 865-458-8070.

### **Tellico Riders meeting March 9**

Thursday March 9th, the Tellico Riders will conduct their monthly meeting at the Tellico Village Yacht Club. The club social starts at 5pm in the Yacht Club Bar, followed by a meeting on the 3d Floor at 6pm. If you own a motorcycle, ride in East Tennessee, or would like to meet those that do, come join us. At 7pm after the meeting it's optional to join many of the Tellico Riders for dinner in the Yacht Club Dining Room. For additional information please contact Paula Moore, Director Tellico Riders at [moorepm@charter.net](mailto:moorepm@charter.net)

### ***Last Train to Nibroc* coming to Tellico Playhouse March 10-12**

Knoxville’s Word Players will reprise their highly successful play *Last Train to Nibroc* Friday, Saturday, and Sunday, March 10-12 at the Tellico Community Playhouse, Patricia Smith Theater (304 Lakeside Plaza, Loudon).

Reserved seats at \$21, are available on line at [www.tellicocommunityplayhouse.org](http://www.tellicocommunityplayhouse.org), and at the TCP Box Office March 6-10 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. (This production is not part of the Tellico Community Players season ticket package.)

Written by Arlene Hutton, *Last Train to Nibroc* takes place at Christmastime, 1940, when a young soldier and a schoolteacher meet on a cross country train and discover they are from neighboring Appalachian towns. They decide to go to the next Nibroc festival in Corbin, Kentucky, together, starting a funny, touching portrait of two people searching for happiness. (Nibroc is Corbin spelled backwards.)



Rachel Winfrey Norman who plays schoolteacher May is a UT graduate and is rooted in the local acting community. She has appeared in such productions as *Steel Magnolias* and *Doubt*. Mark Jennings who plays the young soldier Raleigh also is a UT graduate. He has performed at Clarence Brown Theatre, Oak Ridge Playhouse and with the Foothills Community Players.

*Last Train to Nibroc* is directed by Matthew Lloyd who has worked with the Word Players for over 15 years as an actor and director. The Word Players perform at the Bijou and Clayton Performing Arts Center among other venues. They first produced this show in the fall of 2016 to rave reviews.

### **Hike Grapeyard Ridge March 10**

The Tellico Village Hiking Club will depart 8 a.m. Friday, March 10, from Chota Center, to hike:

- GRAPEYARD RIDGE/INJUN CREEK (shuttle)
- Distance: 7.6 miles
- Rating: Moderate
- Driving Time: 1 hr. 45 min.
- Elevation Gain: 1,000 feet
- Leader: Janette Pacitti, 865-657-9217 or [jpacitti@ix.netcom.com](mailto:jpacitti@ix.netcom.com)

This hike will have a short shuttle. Beginning the hike on Grapeyard Ridge, we will go briefly off-trail to an old home site, spring house and cemetery. Then we will rejoin Grapeyard Ridge to pass the remains of a steam engine originally intended for sawing lumber. We will have lunch at campsite 32, then continue hiking down a beautiful man-way. The man-way follows a creek where we will view remains of home sites and see a very interesting cemetery. Off-trail might involve climbing over, under or around trees.

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](http://www.TVHikers.com).

### **Lady Linksters golf registration March 14**

Mark your calendars golf meeting and registration for Lady Linksters golf 10 a.m. Tuesday, March 14, on the top floor of the Yacht Club. Bring check or cash to pay \$15 dues for 2017 plus a completed golf registration form. Copies are available at the pro shops and Welcome Center. Checks payable to Lady Linksters.

If you can't make the meeting, mail a check and completed registration form to: Lisa Batton, 207 Cheestana Way, Loudon, TN 37774.

Bring your friends—the more the merrier! For questions or concerns, please contact Barbara Comiso at 865-458-7176 or Lisa Batton at 865-657-3285.

### **HOA Social March 14**

The HOA social is 5 p.m. Tuesday, March 14, at the Yacht Club. Please bring a calendar and a checkbook to sign up for community events. Learn about key issues, have fun and stay for dinner with the group at the Yacht Club, if you choose. For more information visit: [www.hoatellcovillage.com](http://www.hoatellcovillage.com)

### **HOA general meeting March 16**

The HOA will hold a general meeting 4-6 p.m. Thursday, March 16 in the Community Church at Tellico Village. Speakers will update residents on the Kahite Trails, Tellico Village Fishing Club, TV recreation programs and the Tennessee Valley Authority. For more information, visit: [www.hoatellcovillage.com](http://www.hoatellcovillage.com)

## **Tanasi Green golf and dinner outing April 30**

Registration for the Tanasi Greens golf and dinner outing is now open. Follow this link to open the on-line registration form: <https://goo.gl/forms/kByBVfTrDY83kdp32>. The outing will be held 3 p.m. Sunday, April 30, at the Tanasi Golf Course.

You must be a resident of the Tanasi Greens subdivision to participate. Streets included in Tanasi Greens are: Tahlequah Drive and Lane; Wewoka Lane, Trace, Circle and Way; Kenosha Lane; Vinita Lane, Way

and Place; Owasso Place.

More details are on the form. Register now. For questions, contact Tom Crank directly at [tcrank472@gmail.com](mailto:tcrank472@gmail.com).

### **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!

### **Tennessee ID Services in Village 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Thursday, March 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.