

Tell-E-Gram Text Only Version, June 26, 2012

POA Meetings and Events:

- Long Range Planning, 10 a.m. June 28, POA Office
- **Public Services Advisory Meeting Canceled**
- Recreation 101, 10 a.m. Thursday, June 28, Wellness Center
- **POA Office closed July 4 in observance of Independence Day**

General Manager Reports on Recycling, More

By WINSTON BLAZER

General Manager

Village Recycling Update

Earlier this year, Waste Connections began an expanded and improved curbside recycling program in Tellico Village. Villagers saw a transition from sorting to a program called "single-stream" recycling. So far it has been a big hit and is making a difference in our community. Jeff Gagley of Public Works reports that so far in 2012 Tellico Village has seen an increase of 16 tons of recycled materials over last year at this time. By moving to single-stream recycling, Villagers can now place a wider variety of recyclable materials in their curbside bin. The best part of this program: there was no increase in costs to Villagers to participate in this program. Now we've taken the new single-stream recycling program to the next level. The POA buildings were already participating in recycling, but now we have placed the new single-stream containers in all POA facilities. This will make it easier for our employees to help our community continue to go green and stay green.

The Waste Connections contract is a five-year contract reviewed annually. Annual increases in the contract are restricted to the CPI-W not to exceed 3 percent. The CPI-W is the Consumer Price Index for Urban Wage Earners and Clerical Workers and is a variation of the [consumer](#) price index, as compiled by the Bureau of Labor Statistics in the United States measuring the consumer prices certain workers are exposed to. The index is primarily used on an annual basis, to reflect changes in the costs of benefits paid to Social Security beneficiaries.

We want to encourage all Villagers and POA employees to participate in recycling to help keep Tellico Village green.

Board receives audit

The Board of Directors received the 2011 Audit from our new auditors at the June meeting. Sam Coulter and Carrie Davis from Coulter & Justus presented the Board with an "Unqualified" opinion. This is the best rating a company can get on their annual audit. Many thanks go out to Parker Owen, Shelley Sennett and the entire Finance Department team for their hard work on providing the detail needed to get through the audit with this high rating. This year's audit was delayed a bit as it is the first year Coulter & Justus conducted our audit, and also impeding the effort was Parker Owen, our new Finance Director, started in mid-January. Copies of the audit are available by visiting the POA website on the Finance page at <http://www.tellicovillage.org/tvpoa/about-poa/finance>.

Community Patriotic Celebration July 3

Once again, Tellico Village will celebrate our nation's birthday with the annual Community Patriotic Celebration, 6-10 p.m. Tuesday, July 3. As in past years, the event is held at the Village Square area on Chota Road. Organizers encourage everyone to bring a friend and a

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chair and enjoy the fun, food and music.

POA offices closed

The TVPOA administrative offices are closed for Independence Day, Wednesday, July 4. Public Works is always available at (865) 458-4522, and the golf courses and fitness centers will be hopping with activity.

We'll be back in the office first thing Thursday morning at 8 a.m. Have a safe, festive Independence Day celebration.

Board Workshop canceled

The Board Workshop for July is canceled due to the Independence Day holiday falling on Wednesday, July 4. The monthly Board Meeting is still on schedule for Wednesday, July 18 at 1:30 p.m. at the Yacht Club. I encourage all Villagers to attend the Board meetings so you can see for yourself the significant work your seven-member, all-volunteer Board of Directors puts forward in steering the POA ship.

25th Anniversary update

We are several months into our celebration of 25 years since the first families moved into Tellico Village. Residents should see a flyer in your newspaper box highlighting the events yet to come in our year-long 25th Anniversary celebration.

The POA continues to offer 25th Anniversary wine glasses and beer pilsners for sale at the various amenities and offices in the Village. Mitzi Lane is our point of contact for the wine glasses and the beer pilsners are available in the golf shops, and an order form may be picked up where the glasses are on display or on the website on the News page. Villagers will also see additional 25th Anniversary commemorative items for sale at the golf shops.

Keep an eye on communications channels for more details. Join us in celebrating 25 years as a community as we feature different aspects of the Village throughout the year.

Yacht Club Offerings and Upcoming Special Events

Upcoming Events

- Lunch is back in action: 11:30 a.m.-2 p.m. Tuesday through Friday. Check out the menu online!
- The Friday Tiki Bar is back in full swing (inside and outside—weather permitting)! Tiki Bar starts kickin' around 7 p.m. The newly renovated downstairs is ready for spring and summer parties. Tiki grill is now ready for business (inside and outside - weather permitting).
- Saturday Night Fever: FREE special bar appetizer with your first drink at the bar.
- Sunday Brunch - come casual or dressy and enjoy a relaxed atmosphere.
- The Tellico Village Yacht and Country Club can now be found on Facebook. Follow this link or search and "like" our page: www.facebook.com/pages/Tellico-Village-Yacht-and-Country-Club/438163296194885
- JULY 4 TICKETS ARE ON SALE NOW AT THE YACHT CLUB. A \$10 ticket gets a live band, firework show, lawn and patio access, and one free house drink at the bar.
- Another Jazz Brunch is scheduled for July 8. More details will be available soon.

On a Special Note...

Did you know you can find the Yacht Club calendar and menus online? Go to www.TellicoVillage.org, select AMENITIES, click on YACHT CLUB.

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

Some Other Stuff You Need to Know...

Charlie's Bunion Hike June 29

The Tellico Village Hiking Club will depart 8 a.m. Friday, June 29, from Chota Center (formerly the Visitors Center) to hike:

- **CHARLIE'S BUNION**
- Distance: 8.1 miles
- Elevation Gain: 1,640 feet
- Rating: Difficult, especially in hot weather
- Driving time: Approximately 2 hours
- Leader: Hamish deWild, 860-716-4016 or signal530@gmail.com

This challenging trail begins at Newfound Gap in Smoky Mountain National Park. The trail traverses some of the most spectacular views in the Smokies. The steady climb over the course of the first two miles will lead to distant observation of the North Carolina Smokies. At the 2.7 mile point, you will pass Icewater Spring Shelter. The water is cold, but should not be drunk without treatment. Many hikers rate the next two miles as some of the most spectacular in the Smokies. The view from the Bunion makes all the effort worthwhile.

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, check out the website www.tvhikers.com.

Submitted by Bob Kutschera

Tellico Blues Bash!

A Tellico Village Jazz & Music Lovers Event

When: Sunday, July 8, 2012

Where: Tellico Village Yacht Club

Time: 2 pm to 4 pm

Featuring the Katy Free Three and guest

Katy Free started singing in church when she was four, which became a stepping-stone into roles in musicals at her high school and in the community. She has sung with select choirs in Carnegie Hall and Disney World and toured several cities with jazz writer and performer Wendel Werner and various bands.

Wendel Werner is the epitome of a modern day musical genius. Having been named "Composer of the Year" by the Tennessee Piano Teachers Association, performing as the featured entertainer for the Special Olympics Opening Ceremonies and the pianist for "Beethoven's Choral Fantasy" one could easily see that Werner's musical abilities cover a broad spectrum, and encompass most every musical genre.

Rounding out the Trio: Lee Bell on percussion and guest Terry Schmidt on saxophone.

Admission \$10/person – Happy Hour Cash Bar Service available

Please forward a check to Steve Geoffrey, 216 Kiowa Point, Loudon, TN 37774 by Friday, July 6. For questions, call: 865-408-1370.

Capacity planning requires advance notification.

Optional YC ala carte Sunday Brunch before the TJML session?

Call the Yacht Club, 865-458-4363. A reservation by 12:30 pm is recommended.

Next Few Days Ahead

Wednesday, June 27th

8 am- Swim Team Practice (CRC)
8 am- Aerobic Fit & Tone (KAC)
8 am- A Ladies Tennis (WC)
8:30 am- Racquetball (CRC)
8:30 am- Aerobics (WC)
8:35 am- Water Aerobics (WC)
9:15 am- Water Exercise (KAC)
9:45 am- Water Exercise (WC)
9:45 am- Tai Chi (WC)
9:45 am- Tai Chi Practice (KAC)
10 am- Badminton (CRC)
10 am- B Ladies Tennis (WC)
10:30 am- Water Arthritis (KAC)
11 am- CAMP TELLICO (CRC)
11 am- Arthritis Water Class (WC)
11:30 am- Yoga (WC)
12:30 pm- Rubber Stampers (CRC)
1 pm- Advance/Level 3 Line Dancing (WC)
1 pm- Mah Jongg (KAC)
1 pm- Contract Bridge (CRC)
2:15 pm- Intermed/Level 2 Line Dancing (WC)
3:30 pm- TOPS (CRC)
4 pm- Pilates Yoga (WC)
4:15 pm- Basketball (CRC)
5 pm- Co-ed Water Fitness (WC)
6 pm- Yoga (WC)
6 pm- Adult Bible Study (CRC)
6 pm- Mexican Train Dominoes (CRC)
6:30 pm- Village Vettes (YC)

Thursday, June 28th

8 am- Fit & Tone (WC)
8 am- A Men Tennis (WC)
8 am- B Men Tennis (WC)
8:30 am- Pilates (KAC)
8:30 am- Racquetball (CRC)
9 am- Pickleball Board (CRC)
9:15 am- Fit & Tone (WC)
9:30 am- 5 Crown Cards (CRC)
10 am- Long Range Planning (POA)
10 am- Rec 101 (WC)
10 am- Water Fun & Movement (WC)
10 am- B Ladies Tennis (CRC)
10:30 am- Beginning Tai Chi (WC)
11 am- CAMP TELLICO (CRC)
11 am- Wallyball (CRC)
11 am- Table Tennis (CRC)
1 pm- Intro/Level 1 Line Dance (WC)
2:15 pm- Jin Shin Jyutsu (WC)
3 pm- Weight Watchers (CRC)
4 pm- Zumba (WC)
4 pm- Beginning Racquetball (CRC)
4:15 pm- Basketball (CRC)
5 pm- Pickleball Drills (CRC)
6 pm- Swim Team Practice (WC)
6:15 pm- Badminton (CRC)
7 pm- Memoir Class (CRC)

Friday, June 29th

8 am- Swim Team Practice (CRC)
8 am- Aerobic Fit & Tone (KAC)
8 am- Basketball (CRC)
8 am- B Ladies Tennis (WC)
8:30 am- Racquetball (CRC)
8:30 am- Aerobics (WC)
8:35 am- Water Aerobics (WC)
9:15 am- Water Exercise (KAC)
9:45 am- Tai Chi (KAC)
9:45 am- Fit & Tone (WC)
9:45 am- Intermediate Yoga (WC)
9:45 am- Water Exercise (WC)
10 am- A Ladies Tennis (WC)
11 am- CAMP TELLICO (CRC)
11 am- Arthritis Water Class (WC)
11:30 am- Yoga (WC)
12 pm- Open Badminton (CRC)
1 pm- Bridge (CRC)
2 pm- Inspired Writing (CRC)
4 pm- Aqua Zumba (WC)
5 pm- Co-ed Water Fitness (WC)

Saturday, June 30th

8 am- B Men Tennis (WC)
8:30 am- Fit & Tone (WC)
8:30 am- Racquetball (CRC)
8:35 am- Deep Water (WC)
9:30 am- Advance Line Dancing (CRC)
10 am- A Men Tennis (WC)
10:30 am- Wallyball (CRC)
12:30 pm- Badminton (CRC)

Monday, July 2nd

8 am- Swim Team Practice (CRC)
8 am- Aerobic Fit & Tone (KAC)
8 am- Basketball (CRC)
8:30 am- Aerobics (WC)
8:35 am- Water Aerobic (WC)
9:15 am- Water Exercise (KAC)
9 am- HOA (CRC)
9 am- Village Sweat Shop (CRC)
9:45 am- Water Exercise (WC)
9:45 am- Tai Chi Practice (KAC)
9:45 am- Intermediate Yoga (WC)
10 am- B Ladies Tennis (CRC)
10:30 am- Water Arthritis (KAC)
11 am- Water Arthritis (WC)
11:30 am- Yoga (WC)
1 pm- Advance/Level 3 Line Dancing (WC)
1 pm- Carving Club (CRC)
1:15 pm- Badminton (CRC)
2:15 pm- Intermed/Level 2 Line Dancing (WC)
3:30 pm- Stability Ball (WC)
4:15 pm- Basketball (CRC)
4:30 pm- Kickboxing (WC)
5 pm- Co-ed Fitness (WC)
5:45 pm- Duplicate Bridge (CRC)
6 pm- Yoga (WC)
7 pm- The Beads Goes On (CRC)