

TELL-E-GRAM

APRIL 23, 2019



BOARD MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

The April Board of Directors meeting was held last Wednesday, April 17th. After President Bruce Johnson called the meeting to order, the Board voted on the minutes from last month's meeting on March 20th; the minutes were approved 5-0 with Mike Colacone absent and Carla Johnson abstaining. The Board then asked for advisory committee/liaison reports. They heard from HOA, New Villagers, Finance, Continuous Improvement, and Public Service.

Advisory Committee/Liaison Reports:

HOA Report

Be Engaged

- Social attendance 240-250
- Parking is tight
- · Next social is May 14th
- Register now for the HOA 30th Anniversary Luau on August 8th; space is limited

Be Informed

- May 16th: Welcome Orientation
- · May 23rd: General Meeting
- · June 20th: General Meeting
- July 18th: Welcome Orientation

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POA MEETINGS AND EVENTS:

April 25th, 8:30 a.m. – Long Range Planning Committee, POA Conference Room (Meeting time has changed permanently)

Be Heard

- Moving toward a weekly email
- · Considering replacing the electronic newsletter to decrease volunteer hours

More

- Examining volunteer roles to reduce/automate effort
 - o Earlier no refund dates on events
 - o Issuing credit card refunds via check
 - o Partner with the Library for paid ticket pickup

New Villagers Report

- · Next social: May 4th
- Currently have over 1000 members
- · Phased out monthly exits for annual exits

Finance Report

Report on Current Activities

- Both the Kahite and Toqua construction projects are on budget and expected to meet the estimated completion dates of July 26th and November 25th, respectively.
- The rebid of TVPOA insurance policies is complete.
- 2018 audit has been completed and auditors are working on remaining confirmations and draft financial statements.

Financial Report

- Year-to-date revenue is \$28k below budget
- Year-to-date expenses are \$660k below budget (a large number of projects were deferred until later in the year)
- · Family fitness memberships continue to rise and exceed the budget
- Individual fitness memberships are beginning to increase, but are still lower than projections Capital Project Funding Request: Water Storage Tank Feasibility Study

This will determine the better of two proposed sites in the Coyatee Hills neighborhood for a 500,000-gallon water storage tank. The additional tank fulfilling an original design for growth and is in the 5-year plan for 2020.

• Request amount: \$15,000

Passed 6-0.

Continuous Improvement Quarterly Report

- 30 projects completed YTD vs. 21 in the first quarter of 2018
- \$160k saved in 2018 for the Amenity Reserve Fund
- The Kahite nursery greenery was rebuilt in-house for a \$2,500 savings
- IT Department eliminated the line that runs from Kahite to the POA office in lieu of a Virtual Private Network (VPN) for a \$22,000 savings
- Multiple golf course enhancements

Public Service Report

- · HA5 will be done by Whittaker Paving
- · Architect visits construction sites at Kahite and Toqua once a week to monitor progress

Other

- The Board heard a proposal from Beth Kuberka to fill an open seat on the Communications Advisory Committee. George Curran will serve through 2021. Passed 6-0.
- The ACC and the Board will review the tree removal permit on existing homes and vote in 2 weeks to potentially remove the permit and fee.

FARMER'S MARKET

The Tellico Village Farmer's Market will begin on Wednesday, May 22 from 9 a.m.-12 p.m. at the Tugaloo Beach Pavilion Parking Lot. The market will run through the month of October. If you would like more information on becoming a vendor or if _you would like to share the information with a vendor, please email Imccray@tvpoa. org or call 865-458-5408 ext. 4131.

TIMELESS TELLICO FOUNDATION

The Board recently approved the Timeless Tellico Foundation. The foundation was established as an alternate funding vehicle for amenities in the Village. Our initial amenities will be for recreation and trails.

Creating a legacy for generations to come in Tellico Village...



We are now recruiting for our inaugural board of trustees. Trustee candidates will be interviewed by the Recreation Advisory Committee on May 16th and May 23rd.

What we are looking for:

- · Candidates that are community minded with a passion to make your community better.
- Team members that thrive on making things happen.
- Trustees that will be engaged and involved.
- Candidate fundraising and non-profit experience is a plus, but not required.

Our initial tasks will be:

- 1. Create an approved naming rights inventory list.
- 2. Designate and complete our first small project (\$10 -\$20,000).
- 3. Designate our first large project (\$250,000+).

Are you ready to get involved in an exciting endeavor that creates quality recreational life experiences now and for the future in Tellico Village? **Please contact Simon Bradbury at sbradbury@tvpoa.org to schedule your interview.**

FREE SHRED DAY

This year's annual free shred day will be Tuesday, May 7th behind the Welcome Center. They will be there all day starting at 8:00 a.m.

LONG-RANGE PLANNING COMMITTEE- TIME CHANGE

The long-range planning advisory committee has changed the start time for their monthly meetings. LRPAC will now meet at 8:30 a.m. on the fourth Thursday of each month in the POA conference room. The time change will go into effect starting this Thursday, April 25th.

LAKE MAP

The weather is warming up! Stop by the POA Welcome Center for a complimentary historic navigation chart of Tellico Lake and Little Tennessee River to guide you through the upcoming summer months. The Welcome Center is located at 202 Chota Road.

GO PAPERLESS FOR WATER AND SEWER BILLING

Tellico Village is now offering paperless billing for your water & sewer bills.

- 1. Go to www.ezpaypoa.org.
- 2. Log in or register your account.
- 3. Click Enroll Here under Paperless Billing.
- 4. Enter your email address.
- 5. Put a checkmark beside Terms & Conditions.
- 6. Click Save and confirm your email.

UPDATE: TOQUA CLUBHOUSE & KAHITE COMMUNITY CENTER

TOQUA: Framing has begun!

KAHITE: Interior framing is underway and they are continuing to set trusses.

Stay up to date with the ongoing construction for both projects! Click here to see progress at Kahite.







Kahite Community Center

YACHT CLUB NOW SERVING LUNCH

The Yacht Club is now serving lunch from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Tuesday – Saturday and offering brunch on Sunday from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

To make reservations, please call 865-458-4363.

Tuesday – Saturday: Su Lunch: 11 a.m. – 2 p.m.

Sunday brunch: 10 a.m. – 2 p.m.

Bar opens: 4 p.m. Dinner: 5 p.m. – 9 p.m.

PRESCRIPTION DRUG TAKE BACK DAY

This Saturday, April 27, is National Prescription Take Back Day. The event will be held at the Tellico Village Welcome Center (202 Chota Road) from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Residents can turn in their expired and unused prescriptions at Take Back Day. Needles, prescription liquids, and syringes will not be accepted.

The activity is sponsored by the Tellico Community Foundation along with the Prevention Alliance of Loudon County and Align9. The Drug Enforcement Agency (DEA) is the overall national sponsor. The Tellico Village site will be one of several thousand across the country conducting unused drug collections.

Take Back Day is the ideal opportunity for community residents to dispose of unwanted and useless prescriptions in a safe and secure manner.

GOLF-FOR-SIGHT

The time for the TV Lions Annual Golf-for-Sight Outing is fast approaching. This year's event will be held at the Toqua golf course on Saturday, May 11th commencing with a shotgun start at 9:00 a.m.. The format is best ball with foursomes either all male, all female, or mixed. There will be subsidiary contests such as longest drive, most accurate drive, and closest to the pin for both men and women. Participants will be able to hire a pro to make a shot for them; multiple mulligans will be for sale to help offset errant shots should they occur. The entry fees also include a continental breakfast as well as lunch after the outing.

This outing is the largest of the Lions annual fund-raising events. Funds generated during this outing are raised from the basic fees as well as those paid for the pro assistance and the mulligans; the bulk of the funds raised, however, come from sponsor support by local merchants. The sponsorships vary in cost from \$100 to \$1,000. Signage at the course identifies the sponsors and their levels of support. Participants are urged to patronize these sponsors as thanks for their support.

All of the funds raised go directly to support Lions service activities in the community. One example of the use of these funds is the monthly Lions Health Fair held at the Good Samaritan Center in Lenoir City. Over a four-hour period in the morning, Lions provide blood pressure checks, glucose level test and vision screening. Glucose testing is important because elevated levels of glucose can either indicate of be a precursor of diabetes, a primary cause of blindness in the United States. The vision screening checks for sight problems. Those deemed in need of glasses are handled in one of two ways. Those who meet US Poverty Guidelines are referred to an optometrist, who is part of the team, for further testing. Those not qualified are instructed to visit an eye doctor for further testing and purchase of glasses.

Those meeting the poverty guidelines receive a detailed eye exam and are issued a prescription for glasses. The TV Lions pay for both the cost of the exam as well as the glasses. In a typical month 10 to 13 individuals are examined and prescribed glasses. Costs run about \$100 to \$130 per individual or almost \$1,500 per month. Annually this program costs the Lions about \$15,000, the majority of which is covered by the proceeds of the golf outing. So if you want to have some fun while supporting a great cause join us for this event.

Team entry forms are available at all clubhouses. Additional information for golfers can be made by contacting Howard Higby at 458-9356 or via email at h-m-bowl@charter.net.Information for potential sponsor can be obtained from Larry Elder at 657-9722 or, via email at lelder49@gmail.com.

2019 RED-TAILED HAWK INVITATIONAL

The Red-Tailed Hawk Invitational (formerly known as the Men's Member-Guest Tournament) is the elite event in Tellico Village, showcasing our golf courses, our facilities and the lifestyle that makes the Village such a special place to live and enjoy the great game of golf.

The 2019 Tournament Committee has been working hard aligning partnerships, including many new partners and coordinating events to ensure another wonderful opportunity for our members and their guests to enjoy beautiful Tellico Village! The 2019 tournament will take place Wednesday, June 12th through Saturday, June 15th.

For specific details of this event and to access the entry form, please click here.

You may return your application by mail or in person to the Tanasi Golf Club. The cost for the 2019 Red-Tailed Hawk Invitational is just \$650.00 per team. A check payable to the "TV Men's Member-Guest Committee" must be included with your completed application. Applications are due by 5:00 p.m. on Friday, May 3rd.

If you have questions, please contact Jim West at jwest@tvpoa.org or (865) 458-4707.

TELLICO PLAYERS

Reserved seats at \$21 for the Joe DiPietro comedy *Over the River and Through the Woods* are now on sale on the Tellico Community Players website: www.TellicoCommunityPlayhouse.org. (Click on tickets to purchase.) The remaining production dates are Thursday–Sunday, April 25–28. All shows begin at 7:30 p.m., except for the April 28th Sunday matinee, which begins at 1:30 p.m.

This hilarious family comedy, directed by Marie Fertitta, follows Nick, a single, Italian-American guy from New Jersey. While his parents have retired to Florida, he endeavors to uphold the family tradition of having Sunday dinner with both sets of his grandparents. But then he gets the opportunity to take his dream job, which out of town and away from his beloved but annoying grandparents, who don't take the news so well. Will scheming, tears, and laughter influence his decision?

The cast includes Matthew Jordan Phillips as Nick Cristano, Russ Rinehart as Frank Gianelli, Sue Mertens as Aida Gianelli, Tony Licata as Nunzio Cristano, Barbara Kistler-Martin as Emma Cristano and Lori Fritts as Caitlin O'Hare.

Ali and Jim Davis with ReMax Excels, is the play sponsor. Phil Geyer is producing.

Over the River and Through the Woods played off-Broadway for two years at the John Houseman Theatre. Joe DiPietro also wrote the long-running musical revue, I Love You, You're Perfect, Now Change.

JUNIOR ACHIEVEMENT

Junior Achievement of the Ocoee region serves Bradley, Polk, McMinn, Meigs and Monroe counties. Their purpose is to inspire young people to succeed in a global economy. JAUSA is the largest organization of any kind that is dedicated to helping students grasp the skills they will need to enjoy economic success. This includes teaching them how to prepare for their future by making smart academic and economic choices. Their curriculum focuses on work readiness, entrepreneurship, and financial literacy.

The courses are taught by volunteers equipped with materials and training on how to best teach the class. Many volunteers in our service areas are former school teachers, retired business owners, etc. Volunteers share personal and professional experiences to help make connections between the curriculum and success. More information regarding the organization may be found at www.juniorachievement.org.

JA of the Ocoee Region is seeking volunteers to fulfill requests for classes at Vonore Elementary. Volunteers would come in one day a week during the requested time frame. Much of the curriculum for elementary students centers around how to count money, what taxes pay for, and how a local government works. A more detailed description of the classes can be found at

https://www.juniorachievement.org/web/ja-usa/ja-programs.

JA						Mar 14th-May		
Ourselves	Vonore Elementary		Paula Grant		K	2nd	Thursday	11:15am-12:00am
						Mar 14th-May		
JA Families	Vonore Elementary		Paula Grant		1st	2nd	Thursday	12:00pm-12:45pm
JA Our	Vonore							
Families	Elementary	Paula Grant		1st	April	11, 18, 25 May 9,16	Thursday	12:00pm-12:45pm
JA Our	Vonore							
Community	Elementary	Paula Grant		2nd	April	11, 18, 25 May 9,16	Thursday	1:30p.m - 2:15p.m
	Vonore							
JA Our City	Elementary	Paula Grant		3rd	April	11, 18, 25 May 9,16	Thursday	12:45pm-1:30pm
	Vonore							
JA Our Region	Elementary	Paula	Grant	4th	April	11, 18, 25 May 9,16	Thursday	8:20am-9:05am

UPCOMING EVENTS AND MEETINGS

TV HIKERS

Wednesday, April 24th Depart at 8:00 a.m. from Lakeside Realty parking lot

Pogue Creek Canyon Distance: 6 miles

Rating: Moderate/Difficult Elevation Gain: (est) 1000 ft. Driving Time: 2-1/4 hrs.

Leader: Tom Ringenbach | 865-201-9014 | tommamier@gmail.com

These trails are among the newest in the Tennessee State Park system, having been completed in 2014 and 2016. They offer two beautiful overlooks, arches, and numerous impressive rock walls. The original 1.75 mile Pogue Creek Loop Trail, half of which we traverse at the beginning of our hike and half at the end, is relatively easy/moderate. However, the Upper Canyon Trail (in and out totals 4.2 miles) drops (at times, steeply) into the canyon, then ascends to the peak on the opposite side, thus presenting a bit more challenging hike experience. The hike being just six miles and the elevation change, will hopefully be doable for most of our hikers. The Pogue Creek State Natural Area trailhead is located just two miles south of Pickett State Park.

Hiking boots and hiking sticks are recommended. Driving directions will be provided the morning of the hike. Bring water, snack and a trail lunch. Carpooling is recommended; passengers are asked to contribute \$6 to the driver to help cover gas.

BOOK SALE

Thursday, April 25, 2019 – Saturday, April 27, 2019 Annual Used Book Sale, a benefit for The Public Library at Tellico Village.

Thursday, 6:30 – 8:30 p.m. Friends Night Preview Friday, 9 a.m. – 6 p.m. Open to the public Saturday, 9 a.m. – 1 p.m. Open to the public

TV PUBLIC LIBRARY

Tuesday, April 30th, 11 a.m. – noon

Gerald Augustus, from the Civil War Roundtable, will give a presentation and bring Civil War weapons, munitions, and artifacts. This will be held at The Public Library at Tellico Village at no charge. However, please call the library at 865-458-5199 to reserve a seat.

Friday, May 3rd, 10 a.m. – noon

Caitlin Hamilton Summie, an award winning author, will discuss her short stories in the deeply moving and memorable, *To Lay Rest Our Ghosts*, which examines the importance of family and the need for home. She earned an MFA with Distinction from Colorado State University. She and her family live in Knoxville. This will be held at The Public Library at Tellico Village with no charge. However, please call the library to reserve a seat at 865-458-5199.

TV SKYWATCHERS

The Tellico Village Skywatchers will meet on Wednesday, May 1, at 7 p.m. at Chota Recreation Center room D. The program will be a presentation on NASA's New Horizon Project by Ted Stryk of Oak Ridge. Please join us if you are interested in watching the skies and knowing what is out there. For more information, please email Mary Garner at mhgarnertn@yahoo.com.

NEW VILLAGERS

The New Villagers club holds a social on the first Thursday of each month at the Yacht Club. The next social will be Thursday, May 2nd at 4:30 p.m. New members should arrive by 4:00 p.m. Please note: no event sign ups will be accepted before 4:30 p.m. Visit the New Villagers website for more information.

FIRE DEPT FUNDRAISER

Saturday May 4, 2019 will mark the 11th anniversary of the "Villagers Supporting Fire and Rescue" annual Fire Department Fundraiser. Mark your calendars and come join your friends and neighbors from 11:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. to help kick off the 2019 fundraising campaign. Check out the equipment displays and demonstrations, pick up some safety information tips, and spend some time getting to know the Volunteers and what they do to protect your life and property. There will be lunch and refreshments available.

Last year, over 700 residents attended our Open House Fundraiser. Just over 50% of the Village households contributed to the support of the Fire Department operations. This year we are shooting for 100% support from the Village households. The Fire Department relies on the support of the Village residents for over 55% of its funding. They can't continue to provide the outstanding services we now enjoy without your continued support. Pplease come out and meet the men and women who give their time and energy freely to protect your life and property.

TV PUBLIC LIBRARY

May 6 & May 10, 2019

2-part iPad class in the conference room at The Public Library at Tellico Village from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. both days. Class will cover settings, Safari, iTunes, email, calendars, ebook downloading, and much more. Handouts will be provided. Class size is limited to 15 people. There is a \$10 fee that includes both days. You must come to the library to register and pay.



TELLICO VILLAGE RECREATION



SPRING

Blood Drive

Inside Chota Recreation Center - 245 Awohili Drive

Monday, April 29th 9:00am – 4:00pm

All Blood Donors Receive A FREE MEDIC Gift, A Coupon For \$5 Off Any Dine-In Purchase at Salsarita's& A Coupon For A FREE Texas Roadhouse Appetizer! All Blood Types Needed!



The Parables Jesus

Thursday, April 25

4:00 p.m. - Teaching Session 1

5:30 p.m. - Dinner

6:15 p.m. - Teaching Session 2

Friday, April 26

8:30 a.m. - Continental Breakfast

9:00 a.m. - Teaching Session 3

10:00 a.m. - Break

10:15 a.m. - Teaching Session 4

11:30 a.m. - Dismiss

Reservations are required for dinner on Thursday, and reservations must be made by Tuesday, April 23. The cost for dinner is \$7.00. To make reservations call (865) 408-0110.

> First Baptist Church of Tellico Village 205 Chota Road • Loudon, TN 37774 www.fbctellicovillage.org





A Legacy for Better Lives

Protect the ones you love

Safely & securely dispose of your unused and /or expired prescription medications.

Come visit us at our TAKE BACK event and help combat TN's drug misuse epidemic!

We cannot take the following items: Liquids, needles or sharps

Saturday, April 27 10 a.m. – 2 p.m.

Tellico Village Welcome Center 202 Chota Road Loudon, TN 37774













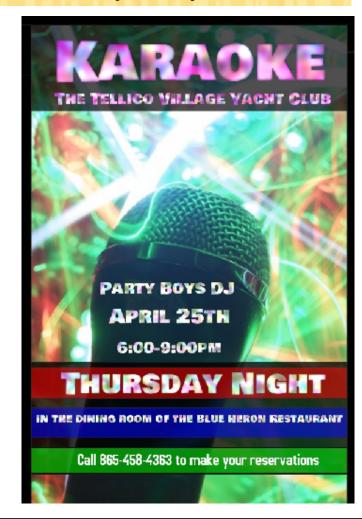


April 5th Trent James Band
April 12th Barry Jolly
April 19th DJ Steve
April 26th Mighty Blue Band

No cover charge Open to the public









Announcing: Give Us Your Best Shot Photo Contest!

Are you an amateur photographer who is a Tellico Village home or property owner, renter, or full-time POA employee? Have you taken some great pictures in the Village or Tellico Lake in the immediate proximity of the Village? Then, GIVE US YOUR BEST SHOT!

Multiple organizations have come together to create and promote a Tellico Village Amateur

Photography Contest entitled: GIVE US YOUR BEST SHOT! This contest is brought to you by:

The Tellico Village Property Owners Association, in conjunction with Tellico Village Broadcasting,

HomeOwners Association of Tellico Village, and The Connection and News-Herald.

The contest launched on Tuesday, April 2⁸⁶, 2019 with all photo entries to be received by August 1, 2019. Photo Submission Categories:

- Tellico Village Nature: This can include flora, fauna, and scenic.
- Tellico Village Lifestyles: This can include Villagers doing things and enjoying the abundant lifestyle diversity in Tellico Village
- Each contestant can enter up to four photos in total.

Dennis Sabo and Lynn Carter are the distinguished judges with Steve Meadows, Editor/Publisher of The Connection and Herald-News, serving as a tie breaking judge. Judging will take place August 2rd through August 31rd. Winners will be announced early Fall 2019.

Where can you find all the contest information?

 Applications and instructions for photo submissions along with complete contest details, rules, technical requirements for photos, and a listing of all the awards and recognition can be found on the HomeOwners Association website www.hoatv.org

Tellico Villagers: Get your cameras out – get snapping – and – GIVE US YOUR BEST SHOT!





Presented by The U.S. Army Corp of Engineers Hosted by the U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary

WHEN: May 7th, Over flow session May 13th 2019

1:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

WHERE: Tellico Village Yacht Club

(top floor meeting room)

COST: FREE, No advance registration required

Have you thought about piloting your watercraft through the Ft. Loudon lock? Learn how to safely transit the lock and discover the history and challenges of maintaining the remarkable Tennessee river lock system managed by the Army Corps of Engineers. Ft Loudon Lockmaster Matt Emmons and one of the lock operators will be present and speak to the questions Tellico boaters have about lock operation and provide tips for making a passage. So come and learn about this national resource located right down stream.

SPACE IS LIMITED
PLEASE CALL EARLY TO MAKE YOUR RESERVATION

Call: Tom Jumer @ (865) 332-3502 / email tomjumer@gmail.com
For more class info - go to

http://www.uscgape.blogspot.com

St. Thomas the Apostle Catholic Church

"Loving, Learning and Living Your Faith Through Stories and Songs" with

Jesse Manibusan



An evening of stories and songs to uplift the parishioners of St. Thomas in loving, learning and living our faith.

> Sunday, May 5, 2019 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM

> > Free will donation

St. Thomas the Apostle Catholic Church 1580 Saint Thomas Way Lenoir City, TN 37772

For more information: Penny Manazko 847-997-7369 • mustang62261@comcast.net

Register Free at: https://bit.ly/2ffgpiu

ART GUILD



TELLICO VILLAGE

Join us at the Christian Life Center Tellico Village Community Church

130 Chota Center

Highway 444 (Tellico Parkway) to Richey Rd. and follow the signs

SPRING ART SHOW

Friday May 10, 5 - 8pm

Reception and Meet the Artists

Saturday May 11, 10 - 4 Sunday May 12, 8 - 2

Monroe County Friends of Animal

Wags,Whiskers & Wine

Saturday, May 11th 5:30-9:00 Tellico Village Yacht Club

Wine Tasting, Appetizers, Silent Auction, Music Tickets \$75 • Smart Casual

TICKETS AVAILABLE AT UNITED COMMUNITY BANK, TELLICO VILLAGE
VOLUNTEER FEDERAL BANK, VONORE AND MCFA THRIFT STORE, MADISONVILLE



Time for a 3D Tomo Mammogram?



UT Medical Center's Mobile Mammography Unit will provide screenings at

Kahite Clubhouse

Wednesday, May 15, 2019

9am- 4pm
Appointment is required

Criteria for Screening Mammogram:

Age 40+ No current breast problems No personal history of breast cancer Inform us if you have breast implants At least one year since your last screening mammogram

Insurance is filed for each participant.

To schedule an appointment please call the UT Breast Health Outreach Program at

865-305-9753

This program made possible through support from the Susan G. Komen East TN, Champions for a Cause, and National Breast Cancer Foundation

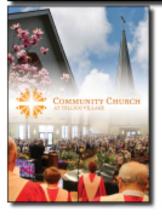


COMMUNITY CHURCH AT TELLICO VILLAGE

Library Book Sale*	April 26	9:00am-6:00pm	Fellowship Hall
Library Book Sale*	April 27	9:00am-1:00pm	Fellowship Hall
The Knoxville Jazz Orchestra (Fine	Arts) May 2	7:00pm-8:30pm	Sanctuary
Starting Point	May 5	11:30am-Noon	Fireside Room
Computer User's Club*	May 7	6:00pm-7:00pm	Fellowship Hall
Art Guild Show*	May 10-12		Fellowship Hall
Golf Fellowship	May 18	3:00pm-6:00pm	Toqua
HOA General Meeting*	May 23	4:00pm-6:00pm	Sanctuary







Sunday MorningWorship 8:00 & 10:15

10:15 service is streamed live every Sunday at TellicoChurch.com

Children's Sunday School @ 9:10 Childcare Available @ 10:15



Tellico Village VFW Post 12135 We are



VETERANS HELPING VETERANS

Our programs are:

RAMPS FOR VETERANS

LOUDON CO. VETERANS RESOURCES AND JOB FAIR

BOAT RIDES FOR VETS

We Volunteer for:

HABITAT FOR HUMANITY

SMOKEY MOUNTAIN SERVICE DOGS

Would you like to become a member and help? Contact Us 1st Lt. Alexander Bonnyman, Jr. Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 12135 PO Box 153 Loudon TN 37774-0153

Phone 865-458-2792

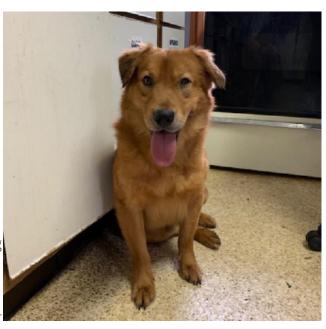




PET OF THE WEEK:

Shaggy is a young adult male mixed retriever. He weighs about 45 pounds, has been neutered, and is up to date on all shots. Shaggy is housebroken, crate-trained, and walks very well on a leash without pulling. He was previously abused and is somewhat shy until he knows you will not hurt him. Shaggy loves attention, wants to play, and would be excellent with children. He does well with other dogs and cats and loves his treats. He does need a fenced-in yard. Please welcome Shaggy as part of your family.

Please remember a dog's true personality may not show through immediately in the shelter environment. Their kennel is now their "safe place" and some struggle a bit when removed from it. That does not mean they aren't sweet, loving dogs. It means they are uncomfortable and scared. Take the time to meet each dog. Pet them while they are still in their kennel and let them get used to you for a few moments before you take him/her for a walk around the shelter one-on-one.



All animals adopted are spayed or neutered, have age-appropriate vaccinations and testing, and are microchipped (with registration). You can meet Shaggy and many of his canine and feline friends at the Monroe County Animal Shelter located at 170 Kefauver Lane in Madisonville (behind Wal-Mart). The shelter is open Tuesday-Friday from 11–4:30 and Saturdays from 11–2. The shelter is closed to the public on Sunday and Monday. Call 423-442-1015 and check out all available pets on our website at www.monroecountyfriendsofanimals.org. Adoption gift certificates are available all year.

Have you been spring cleaning and don't know what to do with all your purged items? The MCFA Thrift Store, run by volunteers of The Monroe County Animal Friends of Animals (MCFA), is located at 3949 Highway 411 in Madisonville (across from Kentucky Fried Chicken). New merchandise arrives daily and is priced to move. Clothing, shoes, furniture, kitchen ware, bedding, appliances, books—we've got it all. Donations are greatly appreciated and are accepted Wednesday–Saturday from 10 a.m.–3:30 p.m. All proceeds go to help the homeless animals of Monroe County. Shopping hours are Wednesday–Saturday from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and worker volunteers are always in high demand. Like us on Facebook for up-to-date sale information. 423-420-3423.

Remember the animals at the shelter as you shop at the grocery store. We are always in need of Pedigree dog & puppy food and Purina One (dry) and Friskies (canned) cat and kitten food and clumping cat litter. Seasonal needs are blankets, dog houses, and heat lamp bulbs.

Shelter statistics for last week: Intakes- 41; Shelter Adoptions- 7

IMPORTANT NOTE: Animal Control is administered through the Sheriff's office. Call the Sheriff's office at 423-442-3911 to report cases of stray animals, animal endangerment or abuse/neglect. Please do not call the shelter.