



TELL-E-GRAM

AUGUST 6, 2019



POA 101

Did you recently move to the Village? Do you want to learn more about how the POA operates and have all your questions answered? Come join us for POA 101 **tomorrow, August 7th**. After the 1-hour presentation from our General Manager and one of the POA Board members, attendees will be given a binder of information and a goody bag. POA 101 is held on the top floor of the Yacht Club at 2 p.m. every two months. **To RSVP**, email Amanda Parks at aparks@tvpoa.org by today, August 6th. Reservations are required.

TANASI KITCHEN CLOSED 8/19 - 8/20

The kitchen at Tanasi Bar & Grill will be completely closed on August 19th and 20th. Due to excessive heat and the condition it presents to the kitchen staff, the POA has decided the replacement of the air conditioning unit cannot wait any longer. The bar will be open and able to serve drinks and basic food items. Music originally scheduled for Monday the 19th has been canceled and rescheduled for Monday the 26th instead of karaoke.

GRAND OPENING

On Thursday, August 15th, join us to celebrate the opening of our new Kahite Community Center! The grand opening ceremony will begin with a ribbon cutting at 10 a.m., followed by a reception and tour. Complimentary hors d'oeuvres and cash bar specials will be served. The Golf Department

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POA MEETINGS AND EVENTS:

August 7, 9 a.m. – PSAC, POA Conference Room
August 8, 10 a.m. – RAC, Wellness Center
August 9, 9 a.m. – CAC, POA Conference Room
August 15, 9 a.m. – ACC, POA Conference Room
August 16, 9 a.m. – FAC, POA Conference Room

will also be hosting a big break challenge with prizes at 10:30 a.m. using the Kahite golf course putting green and driving range.

SEWAGE TANK DANGER



While performing routine maintenance, the Public Works department recently came across this dangerous sight. The home on this lot was built too low, creating drainage issues that cause the backyard to flood during heavy rain. The homeowner used a saw to cut off the top of the tank to allow water to drain into. Among many potential dangers, this poses a huge threat for small children and animals; it would be very easy for your small grandchild or pet to accidentally fall in.

Unfortunately, this was not the only one that was found. Please DO NOT cut the top off of your sewage tank. If you are experiencing drainage issues, contact the Public Works department. If you see something like this or anything else that looks odd around any sewage tank, please call Public Works immediately at 865-458-4522.

ARCHITECTURAL CONTROL COMMITTEE

ACC Report as of July 31, 2019

2019 Permits Issued	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	YTD 7/31/19	Prev. YTD 7/31/18	Grand Total
Single Family - Budget	6	8	10	12	12	13	13	74		
Single Family - Actual	6	12	15	20	9	18	12	92	89	4058
Multi-Family	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	334
Commercial	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	41
Tellico Village Senior Living	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	21
Shoreline Strip	0	8	2	3	0	0	0	13	19	1792
Miscellaneous	16	20	12	24	21	26	9	128	84	4474
Home Occupation	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	7	46
Final Reviews Completed	14	5	13	20	8	8	10			
<u>Houses under construction:</u>										
Single Family	122	127	128	126	128	135	138			
Multi-Family	2	2	2	2	2	1	1			
Tellico Village Senior Living	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Total # under construction	124	129	130	128	130	136	139	0		
Kahite houses under construction	21	21	20	16	18	19	18			
Kahite permits issued	409	411	412	412	414	417	418			
Completion Agreement	4	7	5	15	5	9	5			
Average heated sq. ft.	2624	2183	2290	2139	2559	2457	2078			
Average total sq. ft.	3878	2943	3601	2877	3609	3226	2811			

FARMER'S MARKET

Don't forget! The Tellico Village Farmer's Market is now open every Wednesday, 9 a.m. – 12 p.m. at the Tugaloo Beach Pavilion parking lot. The market will continue through the month of October. Come out and pick up fresh produce and support our local farmers!

CONSTRUCTION UPDATE: TOQUA CLUBHOUSE

Crews continue to work on ceiling grid in the Pro Shop and restrooms. They are grading the portico and cart staging area to prepare for concrete, as well as installing tile in the kitchen. Electrical and HVAC work will wrap up this week.

Stay up to date with the ongoing construction! Click [here](#) for the progress at Toqua Clubhouse.



Toqua Clubhouse

SIGN UP FOR THE NEW DIGITAL NEWSLETTER

We're taking our quarterly newsletter digital! The POA is always looking for ways to cut costs and we feel this shift in production could yield significant savings. Each quarter, the POA spends around \$7,000 in printing and postage costs. By signing up for the digital version, you can help us save thousands of dollars—and you'll also receive it much faster!

To begin receiving your quarterly POA Newsletter digitally, straight to your email inbox, please [click here](#) to subscribe. We appreciate your support!

SHOP TV



Located at 1265 Highway 411 in Vonore, Cielito Lindo offers a variety of Mexican dishes. From tacos and quesadillas, to nachos and enchiladas, Cielito Lindo has something for everyone in your group. The restaurant also offers \$5 off your meal if you spend more than \$5 during six visits.

Located at 1245 Highway 411 in Vonore, Smok 'N' Bonz offers everything from jalapeno cheddar bites to baby back ribs to delicious salads. The family friendly casual restaurant is open every day of the week except Sunday. To see specials or connect with Smok 'N' Bonz on social media, visit their Facebook page at

<https://www.facebook.com/SmokNBonzBbq/>

1245 Highway 411
Vonore, TN
423-884-3044

**BBQ PORK, BEEF & CHICKEN
BABY BACK RIBS, SIDES, DESSERTS**

WE LOVE TO CATER!!

TELLICO PLAYERS

Reserved seats (at \$21) are on sale on www.tellicocommunityplayhouse.org for the Tellico Community Players production of Mark Dunn's *The Glitter Girls*, opening Thursday, August 8.

Directed by Len Willis, this (mostly) female southern comedy will run Thursday-Saturday, August 8–10 and Thursday–Sunday, August 15–18. All shows begin at 7:30 p.m., except for the matinee Sunday, August 18, which begins at 1:30 p.m.

The play revolves around an ad hoc meeting of a North Georgia women's social club called "The Glitter Girls," convened by its richest member— one Trudy Tomaine—who is supposedly at death's door and wishing to bequeath some of her millions to one lucky "Sister of the Gleam and Sparkle." The hitch is that it's the members themselves who must decide to whom to award the small fortune (with hopes that the Glitter Girl they select, will see it in her heart to share the money with the rest of her "sisters"). The play can be described as *Steel Magnolias* meets *Survivor*, with a big dose of quirky Mark Dunn humor thrown in for good measure.

The cast features seven women and three men: Hugh Aukerman as Arpege Lacroix, Freddie Jacob as Trudy Tomaine, Patty Wesley as Jodi Moody, Brad Williams as Charley Seaburn, Judie Douglas as Valerie Fairhope, Pat Ezell as Flossie Price, Mary Gene Brancik as Mayvonne Rausch, Ku Adams as Mamie Ewing, Donna Devenuti as Corinne Culvert and Mark Brashares as Dowd Foster.

TELLICO PLAYERS AUDITIONS

Auditions for the Tellico Community Players production of E.B. White's classic children's play *Charlotte's Web* will be held at 7 p.m. on Monday, August 12th, at 4 p.m. on Tuesday, August 13th, and at 7 p.m. on Wednesday, August 14th. All auditions will be held at the Tellico Community Playhouse (304 Lakeside Plaza).

The Players plan to present the play free of charge to area elementary school children and their families in three performances, one on October 18th and two on October 19th.

Director Debbie Mayberry is looking to assemble a large and flexible ensemble of male and female actors for the play, which will be done in a modified reader's theater style, meaning there will be limited memorization and movement required.

Rehearsals are expected to begin at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, September 3rd at the Playhouse, with subsequent rehearsals on Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday evenings.

In the auditions, which prospective players need only attend once, candidates will be asked to do a cold reading from the script, displaying their vocal talent by using unique vocal characteristics for different roles. They will demonstrate their use of variety in pitch, intonation, speech rate, and volume to portray their character and adapt their own voice to fit the role.

The story begins when a young girl named Fern rescues a runt piglet, raises it as her own and names him Wilbur. However, after Wilbur grows into a pig, she is compelled to sell him to her Uncle Homer Zuckerman down the street. At Zuckerman's barn, Wilbur meets a host of animals and later learns from them that come winter, he is destined to become breakfast bacon unless someone saves him from that fate. Fearing for his life, Charlotte, a gentle and wise spider who befriends the lonely Wilbur, vows to save his life and sets about doing just that in her own special way.

Detailed information on each character can be found at www.tellicocommunityplayhouse.com. Ms. Mayberry can be reached at sdmayberry@charter.net. Producer Gail Link is at gail224@hotmail.com.

UPCOMING EVENTS AND MEETINGS

TELLICO SKYWATCHERS

The next meeting is on Wednesday, August 7th at 7 p.m. at Chota Recreation Center. For this meeting, bring your smartphone and we will download and explore several planetarium programs, such as Lunscape and Stellarium. After the meeting (weather permitting) stargazing will begin at 9 p.m. on the hillside above the Wellness Center's tennis courts. Bring your newly programmed smartphone and we will continue learning to use the Stellarium planetarium program. Also, feel free to bring binoculars, telescopes, a red lens flashlight, a lawn chair and any snacks or drinks.

TELLICO RIDERS

The Tellico Riders will conduct their monthly meeting at the Yacht Club on August 8th. The club social starts at 4 p.m. in the bar area followed by a meeting on the 3rd floor at 5 p.m. If you own a motorcycle, ride in East Tennessee, or would like to meet those that do, come join us. At 6 p.m. after the meeting, it's optional to join many of the Tellico Riders for dinner at the Blue Heron. If you desire to have dinner, we recommend you place your dinner meal order during the social hour. For additional information, please contact Carl Bye, Director Tellico Riders at crbyejr@gmail.com.

LADIES BOOK CLUB

The next meeting of the Tellico Village Ladies Book Club will be held on Thursday, August 8th at the Tanasi Clubhouse. Lunch is at 11:30 and the discussion will begin at 12:30. The book for August is "Killers of the Flower Moon: The Osage Murders and the Birth of the FBI" by David Grann. All women are welcome. For more information, call Sue Valle-Parker (847-334-8339) or Mary Garner (865-408-0337).

HIKING CLUB

Destination: Black Mountain/Cumberland Trail

Date: Friday, August 9th

Depart: 8:00 a.m. from Lakeside Realty parking lot

Distance: 7.2 miles

Elevation Gain: 1300 feet

Rating: Moderate

Driving time: 1 hr. 15 min.

Leader: Bev Hawkins- 865-406-0297 | bevhawkins0707@gmail.com

Black Mountain has a variety of different natural and manmade attractions. We will see a stone springhouse and chimneys from homesites, a Federal Aviation Administration tower, and one of the finest overlooks along the entire Cumberland Trail. We'll drop down a narrow slit in the caprock on wooden stairs to a geologic wonderland of massive cliff rocks and boulders the size of minivans, and hike to Windless Cave before returning on the loop trail for another overlook.

VILLAGE QUILTERS

The Village Quilters August meeting is Friday, August 9th. The meeting begins at 9:30 a.m. at Christ Our Savior Lutheran Church, 260 Wade Rd. W., Loudon, TN. This month's featured speaker is Pat Speth, whose topic will be "Fabulous Nickel Borders."

MUDDY BOOTS

Destination: Walkers Sisters via Little Brier Gap Trail near Gatlinburg

Date: Monday, August 12th (Rain Date: August 19th)

Depart: 8:00 a.m. from Chota Center parking lot

Distance: 3.6 miles

Elevation Gain: 436 feet

Rating: Easy

Driving time: 1 hr. 10 min.

Leader: Steve & Renee Baker and Steve & Patti Sholtes

The 3.6 mile out-and-back Metcalf Bottoms and Little Brier Gap Trails combine for an easy hike that features historical buildings, occasional wildlife, and seasonal wildflowers. The relatively short distance combined with minimal elevation gain makes this a great option for novice hikers. When the park was dedicated in 1940, the six unmarried Walker sisters signed a lease to live out the rest of their lives in the log cabin they were raised in. Their homestead, a cemetery, and school have been preserved and are accessible via this trail.

PUBLIC LIBRARY AT TELLICO VILLAGE

POSTPONED: Tuesday, August 13, 2019, Tellico Treasures - Antiques and Collectibles. Watch for announcement regarding new date.

Tuesday, August 20, 2019 | 11 a.m. – noon at The Public Library at Tellico Village

Gerald Augustus of the Civil War Roundtable presents "The Big and the Little: Revolvers and Artillery in the Civil War". Please call the Library at 865-458-5199 to reserve a seat for this free event. See 2nd session offered 8/27/19.

CRUISING CLUB

Tellico Cruising (Boating) Club will hold its regular monthly meeting on August 14th at the Yacht Club. Social hour starts at 5 p.m. with the meeting following immediately at 6 p.m. The club includes all types of boats: pontoons, bow riders, wake boats, cruisers, and all motorized craft. Anyone with any percentage of boat ownership is eligible for membership. Come check us out and learn about all the fun we have while boating! If you have questions, contact Commander Pat Ezell: 513-257-5279

RUMMIKUB OPEN PLAY

On Thursday, August 15th, come enjoy a bit of camaraderie & strategy playing Rummikub at Chota Recreation Center. Don't know how to play? We'll teach you. Have a game? Bring it, along with your family and friends! We play from 6:30 p.m. until 9 p.m. on the third Thursday of each month. For more information, call 657-9052.

ROADRUNNERS RV CLUB

Please join the Tellico Roadrunners RV Club Tuesday, August 20th for the general meeting and social at 7 p.m. at the Yacht Club. General club business will be discussed, as well as sharing information on recent and upcoming RV rallies. Visitors are welcome.

Join Us
FOR THE
Grand Opening
OF THE
Kahite Community Center



Thursday, August 15th

RIBBON CUTTING CEREMONY 10:00 A.M.
FOLLOWED BY
A RECEPTION AND TOUR 10:30 - 1 P.M.

Complimentary hors d'oeuvre and
cash bar specials Bloody Mary & Mimosa



NOW IN COMMAND

A crucial course for women

U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary

Tellico Lake Flotilla 12-2

Date: August 13, 2019
Location: Tellico Village Yacht Club
top floor meeting room
Time: 1 to 4 PM
Cost: \$25.00



Your captain becomes incapacitated or falls overboard. You're the First Mate and find yourself suddenly in command. What can you do? Where are you? What are the priorities? Are you prepared?

This unique 3-hour boating class is designed for those not generally at the helm and will help you be prepared with practical knowledge and skills to apply in case of an emergency. Pat Rule is not only our instructor for Now in Command, she created this class. Pat is an experienced, qualified Coast Guard Auxiliary Coxswain (CAPTAIN) and will help you acquire the knowledge and confidence to better enjoy your boating experience and take command in an emergency.

SPACE IS LIMITED

PLEASE CALL EARLY TO MAKE YOUR RESERVATION

•Call Mike Colacone @ 352-804-8257 / email mc195@aol.com

REMAINING 2019 CLASSES

Tu. 9/17 & Th. 9/19	About Boating Safely	1-5 pm each day
Thurs. 10/10	Cold Water Boating	1-4 pm

For complete details, visit www.flotilla-12-2-tellico-village.blogspot.com



Tellico Village VFW Golf Tournament



August 10, 2019 at the Tanasi Course

Start time 9:00 AM

4 person scramble

Rain Date August 11, 2019

Entry fee \$65.00 + green fees

includes lunch, gift pack and prizes.

Registration Now Open at the Tanasi Clubhouse, open to all golfers.
www.tellicovillagevfwpost.org



Contact Ed Frandle for additional information
1-865-657-9350 or email efrandle@bellsouth.net

TANASI MUSIC MONDAY

LIVE MUSIC 6:30-8:30PM

AUGUST 5 James Seaton

AUGUST 12 JJ Tyson

AUGUST 19 Pair Of Jokers

AUGUST 26 Karaoke

\$16 Prime Rib Special

SERVED WITH

LOADED BAKED POTATO & AU JUS

4PM-8PM

Managed by AWE HOSPITALITY 865-458-9392



SOFTBALL PLAYERS WANTED

TELLICO MEN'S SENIOR SOFTBALL LEAGUE

New Player Meeting

Tuesday, Aug. 13th. at Chota Recreation Center – 10:30 AM

- . Open to all men age 55 and over (by December 31st, 2019) residing in Loudon County and surrounding communities.
- . Slow pitch, 7 inning, 8 game-season in the spring and 8 games in the fall.
- . Cost to play - \$35 (Fall seasons). Pays for field rental, bats, balls, pizza party, etc.
- . Games played at Loudon Municipal Park off Hwy 72 (about 1 mile east of I-75).
- . Games played on Tuesdays at noon beginning Sept 3rd.
- . League will be redrafting teams this fall.

ALL NEW PLAYERS MUST ATTEND AT LEAST ONE PRACTICE SESSION

practices will be held Aug. 15, 20, 22 & 27 beginning at 10:00 AM at the Loudon Municipal Park.

or additional information, contact League Commissioner John Hunter at 865-300-6058.

SLOAN'S VILLAGE
HOME CENTER'S

Deli

Breakfast 4 Buds

Now Located at Sloans Village Home Center's

Deli

Still Sharing Memories and Memorabilia In Loudon Tn.

Open to all active duty military and veterans.

8:30 AM to 10 AM

August 10th. 2019

After breakfast go spend the day at Tanasi and enjoy the day
watching the VFW Golf Tournament,

The new location is at the intersection of Highways 72 and 444.



Handicap Accessible



Hosted by Tellico Village VFW Post 12135

Live Lively -



Square Dance

MODERN WESTERN
SQUARE DANCE

Caller



Steve Kopman

Little T Squares

Starting Tuesday, August 27

at 7:00 - 8:30 p.m. at:

War Memorial Building

103 North B Street

Lenoir City, TN

\$6 per class First class FREE

"Come As You Are"

Dance to a variety of music including today's
Pop Hits, Country, and Broadway Classics

Call/Text Manuela 865-227-6825
or Wendy 865-765-4107


Come have fun, challenge yourself,
and enjoy a new activity

August 2019

Summer Heat

It's no secret that this summer has been a warm one. Please remember to stay hydrated and take breaks from the sun often. The humidity is a big factor to consider as well. Our bodies use sweat to cool us off. As sweat evaporates off our skin, we feel a cooling effect. However, when the relative humidity gets high, this system doesn't work as well because the air is already saturated and cannot absorb the moisture from our skin as quickly. This means we don't cool off as quickly and we can become overheated. Be sure to pay attention to the heat index, as well as the temperature. If the index is over 90 degrees, you are more likely to suffer heat exhaustion or even heat stroke.

HEAT EXHAUSTION	HEAT STROKE
Symptoms <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Faint or Dizzy- Headache- Profuse Sweating- Irritability- Weak, Rapid Pulse- Shallow Breathing- Pale, Cool, Clammy Skin- Nausea or Vomiting- Muscle Cramps	Symptoms <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Absence of Sweating- Pulsating Headache- Hot, Red, Dry Skin- High Body Temp: Above 103- Nausea or Vomiting- Strong, Rapid Pulse- Confusion- Convulsions- May Lose Consciousness
Treatment <ol style="list-style-type: none">1) Have victim lie down in a cool shaded area or air conditioned area.2) Drink water if victim is conscious.3) Use caution when victim stands up, apply cold compresses.	Treatment <ol style="list-style-type: none">1) DIAL 9112) Take action to cool victim by any means. Place victims in a cool area, wrap in wet towel, sponge victim with cool water.

 TRAILMOB.COM

Info Source: MayoClinic.org

THANK YOU!!

We had another great year of Camp Tellico and we would like to extend a huge thank you to all the volunteers for their contribution. Thank you to Andy Fox and AWE for their generous donation, the Tellico Village Pickleball Club, Tennis Club, Jill Pranger, K-9 officers with the Loudon County Sheriff's Department, Smoky Mountain Service Dogs, Tellico Village Volunteer Fire Department, and Katie Hall with the Monroe County Ambulance Service.

Paddleboard Fitness with Jean Clesen at the Tugaloo Beach

If you are confident on a paddleboard but don't have one of your own, join Jean Clesen on Fridays at 9 a.m., beginning July 26th for a fitness class featuring intervals of cardio, balance, resistance training and stretch with a backdrop of Lake Tellico. This class is not intended for beginners and does require the use of a life jacket. All equipment is provided. Signups are required by calling Chota Recreation Center at 458-6779. Limited space is available.

Paddleboard Fitness with Jean Clesen in Kahite Neighborhood

Beginning August 1st, there is another opportunity to join Jean Clesen in the Kahite neighborhood. Bring your own board and come down to the corner of Ama Trail and Golanvyi Trail for Paddleboard Fitness. Classes will be held on Thursdays at 8 a.m. This class will involve intervals of cardio, balance, resistance training and stretch. Participants must be able to safely operate a paddleboard without assistance. This is not a class for beginners. You must provide all your own equipment. Wearing life jackets are required.

Kayak 101 and Paddleboard 101 for Recreation Members

Join the Recreation Department on Fridays for Kayak 101 at 8 a.m. and Paddleboard 101 at 10:30 a.m. This small beginner's group will meet at Tugaloo Beach. Call the Chota Recreation Center at 458-6779 to sign up for these exciting 101 classes.

*****Please note, there will be NO 101 classes on Friday, August 16th*****

Reserve a Kayak and Explore the Cove on Your Own

Kayak reservations can be made Tuesday mornings by calling the Chota Recreation Center. Times will fill up fast. Please note paddleboards are not reservable outside of classes for safety reasons. Wearing lifejackets while participating in lake activities is always required.

Sunrise Yoga Series Continues at the Yacht Club

Join Recreation Director Simon Bradbury on Thursdays at 7 a.m. for our new Sunrise Yoga Series. These classes will be held at the Yacht Club and are free to property owners and their guests.

Basic Hatha Yoga Continues in Kahite

Basic Hatha Yoga with Coral Johnston on Fridays at 8 a.m. will be held outside near the Kahite tennis courts. Come expand your mind and body while enjoying the breathtaking horizon. Bring an open mind and a yoga mat.

NEW Intro to Line Dancing

Intro to Line Dancing with Wendy Cochran will begin on Monday, August 5th. Classes are held at the Wellness Center on Mondays at 2:15 pm with Toni Grovier and Thursdays at 12:15 pm with Wendy Cochran. There is an additional fee of \$3, which should be paid to the instructor at each class. To add your name to the interest list, please contact the Wellness Center at 458-7070.

Swim with Kim: Training and Tips

Join Kim Wiebe, our very own swim instructor during her new “floor training” time. Kim will be present on the Wellness Center pool deck every Wednesday morning from 7 a.m. to 8 am. to answer any water related questions.

Weight Equipment Orientations

Orientations on the proper use of the cardiovascular and weight equipment will be provided at 2 p.m. on the following days:

Tuesday, August 13th at 2 p.m.

Tuesday, August 27th at 2 p.m.

Floor Training

Join one of our amazing floor trainers on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. If you have any questions about how to start your fitness journey, our fabulous floors trainers are a great place to start. It's available to Recreation members at no additional charge!

Personal Trainers

If you are looking for a little more assistance, don't forget to ask about personal training!

REC 101

Join Lindsey Allison on August 13th in the Wellness Center conference room at 12:30 p.m. for REC 101. Learn everything you need to know about being a member of the Recreation Department and more.

FREE Injury Assessments with Tennessee Orthopedic Clinic

Would you like to receive free onsite injury assessments at the Wellness Center? Believe it or not, this service is available every week. Did we mention you don't have to be a member of the Recreation Department? Join Matt Schaller, a licensed athletic trainer from Tennessee Orthopedic Clinic, on Wednesdays from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m.

PET OF THE WEEK:

Henry was found wandering in the Kahite neighborhood of Tellico Village in mid-July. He is mildly famous in the Kahite area as he made friends with many residents before he was brought to the shelter. He is a mild-mannered, 5-year-old Labrador mix who weighs about 49 pounds. He is primarily black with a tan belly and legs. Henry is a friendly guy, walks politely on a leash, and shows no aggression toward other animals. He is sociable and outgoing with a tail that does not stop wagging. He loves to be taken out of the kennel and looks adoringly at anyone who will scratch his head and ears. He is looking for a family he can belong to and would make a wonderful walking companion for an active home.



The Monroe County Animal Shelter is located at 170 Kefauver Lane in Madisonville (behind Wal-Mart) and 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. TN Monroe County Animal Shelter is the official Facebook page for the Monroe County Animal Shelter.

All animals adopted are spayed or neutered, wormed, have age appropriate vaccinations and testing, and are microchipped with registration. Cats are litter box trained. \$50 adoption fee over 1 year old, \$60 under 1 year old.

The Monroe County Animal Shelter (MCAS) operates a monthly food pantry to help pet families in Monroe County. Our supplies are low and we need your help. The shelter needs: Pedigree dog and puppy canned and dry food, Friskies canned pate flavors, and Purina One dry cat and kitten food. Donations via PayPal can be made from our website (www.monroecountyfriendsofanimals.org) or checks may be mailed to MCFA, PO Box 106, Vonore, TN 37885. All funds are used for animal care, including veterinarian fees, antibiotics, testing, vaccinations, flea and heartworm control, cat litter, and sanitary litter boxes. Donations can be dropped off at the shelter during open business hours. In addition, the Food City in Vonore has a donation barrel by the customer service desk/self-check-out area for convenience of purchasing supplies and leaving them at the store. Thank you for your kindness and support.

Are you looking for a way to give back to your community? The Monroe County Animal Shelter is looking for volunteers. Perhaps you could man the front desk or help with other administrative duties. Maybe you'd enjoy being a dog walker. Perhaps you're good at grant writing or fundraising. Whatever your skill, you're needed at the shelter. Please contact us!