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Your Voice in the Village

President's Message

By the time this issue of the Voice comes out, we will have completed our "State of the Village" Open Village Meeting. It provided an update on the past year and plans for the new year from the HOA and POA, as well as detailed information on our Neighborhood Watch and A&E (Aesthetics & Environment) programs. If you were unable to attend or view online during the event, be sure to look at the recording of the meeting on TVN (Tellico Village Network). It is available using this link: [Tellico Village Network - YouTube](#), or scan this QR code with your phone:



Looking forward, our next Open Village Meeting will focus on the "State of the County" and we plan to have separate events for Loudon and Monroe County. It's an election year and we all need to understand each candidate's positions and views so we can vote responsibly. We are considering using the upcoming OVMs to provide a candidate's forum (like we normally do in October for the POA Board candidates). Is this a good idea or should we just stick to the issues and focus on getting updates from current office-holders? If you have a preference, please let me know.

Our February Social is planned for the 8th (2nd Tuesday) at the Yacht Club from 5-6:30pm. The theme will be Valentine's Day, so wear red and white! There will be live music, special drinks, games, prizes, information on upcoming events, and as usual lots of fun as we spend an evening with our friends.

February 13 is the Super Bowl! We've planned a fun event at the Toqua Sports Bar. Wear your team colors and come to have a good time with friends as we root on our favorite team. This event is available only to HOA members and you must register in advance, so don't wait or you'll miss out! Registration closes at midnight on January 28. Go to [HOA Super Bowl Watch Party \(tellicolife.org\)](#), or scan this QR code in your phone:



I was recently asked "what does HOA do?". It's a great question. The purpose of HOA is to support all residents of Tellico Village with engaging events, information to keep you "in the know", and an opportunity for your concerns to be heard. While we often talk about Tellico Village as a community, it's not just about bricks and counting rooftops. It's about the people who live here. We collectively make this a "community" and together as an HOA we can ensure that our collective "voice" is heard when we have concerns.

I hope to see you at the February Social or an upcoming event.

Mark Pantley
HOA President