

Message from the HOA President

Happy Father's Day to all you fathers! I hope every father had a good Father's Day. My daughter even came to visit from Chattanooga to drop off her dog. She gave me a Snoop Dog "From Crook to Cook" cookbook for a Father's Day present (yea, really). I made pork chops from one of its recipes and, to my surprise, they were very good. The book is also a great read – funny – I'd recommend it.

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What a Fun in the Sun Membership Picnic we had. The Picnic Committee outdid themselves led by Betty Fortune. Thank you to every volunteer that made our second picnic such a success. The food, friends and fellowship were enjoyed by all. The chicken, hamburgers and brats were pure picnic food, and the macaroni salad and homemade potato chips were the best ever. This event is one of the things that makes Tellico Village such a wonderfully desirable place to live.

The dog days of Tennessee's summer seem to be here. Four 90-degree days in a row! (so far) At least we have the raft offs to get a break from the heat in the lake. Make sure you sign up early. This year we have rainout days as a lesson learned from last year's rainouts.

I'm looking forward to celebrating our country's 248th birthday this July. We'll have twelve people, 4 dogs, 2 cats in the house for the Fourth of July week, and its's a zoo – but I wouldn't miss it. I hope your Fourth is equally exciting.

Also, we're doing something a little different at the July social. The theme is "Tacky Tourist". The idea is to see who can dress up as the most tasteless, ostentatious, pretentious, and flamboyant traveler. I'll bet I can be tackier than you.

Keep your eyes on the Tellico Life Calendar. We have some top events returning this fall for an encore performance. These events, such as "Dueling Pianos", the Biltmore/Chihuly Glass trip, and Wendel Werner's "Motown" always sell out fast.

Again, we owe thanks to all our event coordinators who put so much effort into finding, organizing and executing these fun and entertaining events.

Our HOA is making a policy change to help ensure fairness for signing up to and attending HOA events. The policy change codifies that event attendees that are Tellico Village residents are also HOA members. The policy defines guests and states that guests of members may not be residents of Tellico Village.

The updated policy statement that will be voted on at the next HOA Board Meeting is:

- 1. Children attending must be of an age appropriate to the activity, as determined by the event chair. Parents/guardians, not the HOA, are solely responsible for their children and the children's behavior.
- 2. Event attendees are limited to HOA members in good standing and their guests.
- 3. Guests of members may not be residents of Tellico Village.
- 4. Members of different households that wish to sit together at events such as baseball games or theater shows, must contact the event coordinator for arrangements.
- 5. Households are made up of persons living at the same address as listed in their Tellico Life profile and should be signed up for events using the "Linked Profile" button on the event registration page.

I'm looking forward to seeing you at future events, and thanks for another wonderful month.

Harry Rucker, Tellico Village Homeowners Association President



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Take care of yourself out there!

- Stay hydrated
- Wear SPF

- Keep your eye on the weather
- Know what to do in a sudden emergency

Fun in the Sun Picnic 2024

Nearly 500 HOA members attended the 2nd Annual HOA Membership Picnic this year on a bright shiny day at the water's edge with balmy breezes, delicious grilled food, live music by California Dreamin, and never-ending smiles on the faces of friends and neighbors.

Your HOA appreciates each one of you for making our club the largest and most vibrant social and advocacy group in Tellico Village, and the picnic is our way of thanking you all for your support. Your HOA contributed nearly \$10,000 and hundreds of volunteer hours this year to celebrate YOU for heir most of this great a support of this great and most vibrant social and advocacy group in Tellico Village, and the picnic is our way of thanking you all for your support of this great a support of this great and most vibrant social and advocacy group in Tellico Village, and the picnic is our way of thanking you all for your support. Your

being part of this great community we call home. See you next year!





















Wednesday, July 10 8 am - 6 pm



ADULTS under 65 - \$77 SENIORS 65 and over - \$70



Contact EC Cathie Dunn ASAP!

Click here



MONDAY | 19 AUGUST | YACHT CLUB

Doors open at 5:00 | Dinner at 6:00 | Program at 7:00

\$30.50 includes

Choice of Entree:

Shrimp & Grits with Tasso Ham Chicken Wild Rice Bowl with sweet potatoes Steak Salad with romaine, fruit, nuts, and feta

MAX 140

Last day to sign-up / cancel is August 9
Tables of 8 - NO reserved seating

Event Coordinator Ann Martin - <u>Ann38138@gmail.com</u>

Click to Register









JULY 17 JULY 16 JULY 24 AUGUST 21 AUGUST 20 AUGUST 28

Be sure to sign up on Tellico Life and check the locations which sometimes change!



Tuesday 16 August

7:00 pm Yacht Club

\$12 pp







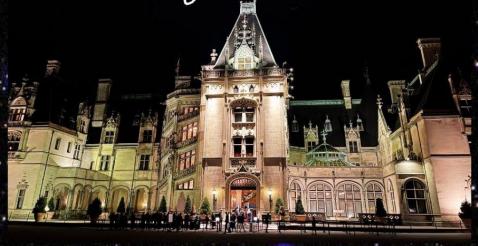








BILTMORE Candlelight Christmas



Gardens and Chikuly Exhibit

Wednesday | 6 November -Asheville, NC

9:45 am - Group Arrival (no later)

10:30 am - Exhibition Admission (approx 2 hours)

5:30 pm - Candlelight Audio Tour I (approx 2 hours)

5:45 pm - Candlelight Audio Tour II (approx 2 hours)

\$144.50 pp THIS IS A NON-REFUNDABLE EVENT

Guests to provide their own transportation. Guests may make their own overnight lodging arrangements if desired.



Registered guests will receive detailed information regarding schedule and dining options via email prior to the event.

MAX: 58 Last day to sign up

is Sept. 25

EVENT COORDINATOR

Linda Garza - <u>lefgarza@gmail.com</u>



VOLUNTEERS WORK HARD EVERY DAY TO KEEP YOU ENGAGED, INFORMED, AND AWARE. FROM CRIME AWARENESS TO SAFETY TO COMMUNITY PEAUTIFICATION VOLUNTELLICOVILLAGE HOADS HERE FOR ALL.

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IT'S A SCAM

Be aware!! There have been recent reports of people receiving phone calls from a person claiming to be from your local law enforcement agency. The caller will identify themselves in a manner that leads you to believe they are legitimate and proceed to tell you that you have a warrant for your arrest and that you need to immediately pay a fine in order to clear it from

the system or face being arrested. Some of the more aggressive callers will threaten that they are coming for you. Don't be surprised if they know all your information already also. Whatever you do, don't panic and hang up the phone. These callers are SCAMMERS!!

In no way, shape, or form will the police ever call you and ask for money or tell you that you have a warrant. Don't you watch TV?? They just come for you if that's the case. Or when they come in contact with you next, they arrest you on the spot.

Either way, scammers are becoming more and more sophisticated and aggressive with their tactics. You should NEVER give into and pay someone over the phone for something you can not verify. If you get caught up on one of those calls, just hang up.

Some important things to remember:

- · Do NOT ever give out your personal information over the phone like your date of birth or social security number.
- · Do NOT give out bank account or credit card account information.
- Do NOT share your passwords.
- NEVER feel pressured or panic. If that's the case, hang up, relax and verify.
- · ALWAYS verify before proceeding. That means if you have to call the person or company back, make sure NOT to just call the number the caller gives you. Look up the number on your bill or on the computer and call that number. Tell them you received a call asking for whatever and you need to confirm it was legitimate.

A few extra steps will save you a lot of head ache later if you are victimized.

Sherru Le **HOA Tellico Village Neighborhood Watch Chair**



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If you are not getting periodic newsletters from Neighborhood Watch and urgent notifications of criminal activity in your area, chances are you are NOT subscribed.

JOIN NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH

- · Get crime updates or safety information for your area
- · Participate in upcoming Neighborhood Watch events
- · Support your Neighborhood Watch Coordinator

Sign up by sending your Name, Address, Contact Number and Neighborhood you live in to:

mailto:tellicovillagenw@gmail.com

Once you sign up, you will receive an email (make sure to check your spam folder) letting you know you have been added to your neighborhood Group. Soon after that email, you should also get a welcome email from your specific Neighborhood Watch Coordinator who will introduce themselves and give you all their contact information. After that, the NW emails go out periodically, and you should receive them.

The catchall to get everything started is to just email above with the requested info.

Neighborhood Watch relies on everyone to be the "Eyes and Ears" of Tellico Village.

If you witness a crime in progress, please call 911.

For non-emergency incidents, contact the Loudon County Sheriff's Department at (865) 458-9081.

Forward any information to your Neighborhood Watch Coordinator.



Due to a scheduling conflict with POA Governmental Affairs, the HOA "State of Loudon County" August Forum has been postponed indefinitely. You will be notified of any future plans to reschedule.

COMMUNITY HAPPENINGS



Reception at the Tellico Village Library for Official State Books

Please join us to welcome TN State Rep. Lowell Russell as we celebrate the designation of official state books by the Tennessee Legislature

Rep. Russell and our new Library Director Gina Geremia will be sharing their thoughts about these important TN books and our own Public Library at Tellico Village

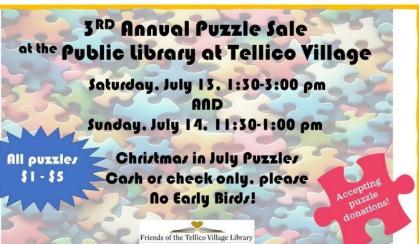
Refreshments will be served in the Library Courtyard

Call to reserve your spot at 865-458-5199

Tuesday July 16, 3 - 4 PM

Friends of the Tellico Village Library

The Heart of the Library





Event!

Kids/Grandkids Reading Event with HABIT! June 26th from 9-10 AM

^{at} The Tellico Village Library Local authors will join us in the Library Courtyard

> Jim Hartsell Wes Hibbert Victoria Winifred

Register at the Library by calling 865-458-5199

HABIT is the Human Animal Bond In Tennessee, an organization of the UT Veterinary College





School starts early in East Tennessee! When students and teachers return to classrooms in early August, Adopt-a-Class wants to make sure they have what they need. Tellico Villagers have help this educational charity meet their goal every year. The "Back-to-School Donation Drive" supports three public schools - Loudon, Steekee and VonoreElementary – all close to Tellico Village.



Donation is easy. Adopt-a-Class manages 4 conveniently located collection bins, located at the TV Library, Welcome Center, Wellness Center and at the Kahite Clubhouse (near the bookshelves). Donations may also be dropped off at the Adopt-a-Class table at the New Villagers Social in July and August.

Monetary contributions are greatly appreciated and enable purchases of bulk items, such as copy paper, card stock, sheet protectors and 1" notebooks.

Please send checks payable to "Adopt-a-Class" to
Karen Hamerslag at 232 Elohi Way, Loudon, TN 37774.



Reader Rewards!

Read your newsletter closely and answer the questions below to win 5 raffle tickets for the 50/50 drawing at the JULY SOCIAL! The first one to email the correct answers wins!

- 1. Guests attending HOA events <u>may or may not</u> be residents of Tellico Village.
- 2. Where is the HOA Road Trip headed to on July 10th?

Please email your answers to:

mailto:HOAcomms2024@gmail.co



HOA Socials are always open to everyone, even nonmembers! Tell your neighbors & bring your friends!

ALL ABOARD FOR THIS WACKY EVENING OF

- Crazy Costume Contest
- Island music by Jim Shields of Knoxville Transfer
- Fashion Show by Sirrabelle of Tellico Village
- Prizes for 3 best costumes
- Valuable door prizes
- 50/50 drawing

