

NEW VILLAGERS 2023 SEPTEMBER NEWSLETTER



SEPTEMBER 2023 - SUMMERTIME

Nominations and candidates have been sought for the last few months and many more are needed for the Board positions. The positions and Directors are listed toward the end of this newsletter. Without volunteers, NV will struggle to exist. Please consider volunteering.



New Villagers Club of Tellico Village – Welcome to the neighborhood !! (telliconewvillagers.com)

President's Comments

Get ready for a huge New Villager Social on Thursday, September 7th. Loudon County Sheriff Jimmy Davis will be our keynote speaker talking about 'Dumb Criminals and Personal Safety'. As new Tennessee residents, it is wonderful to have a speaker like Sheriff Davis speak about issues in our area.

Since many New Villagers reside in Kahite, which is in Monroe County, we are extending an invitation to Sheriff Tommy Jones to speak at our November Social. We would love to have Sheriff Jones speak to our club about Monroe County issues.

Our Social Vice President Barbara Jackson is also busy putting together some fun activities for the September Social. Please consider attending.

All of the New Villager Board would also like to thank everyone who completed a recent club survey put out by our Vice President of Communications George Luttrell.

Eighty-two (82) survey responses out of a total club membership of 1,300 were received. This is an outstanding response. Most surveys garner only a 1-2% response, but not the Tellico New Villager Club! Your suggestions will improve our club.

One component of the survey was a solicitation of interest in helping the organization as an officer, administrator, or event coordinator. We received 47 positive expressions of interest, and the Board is working on the list currently. Our goal is to present a list of officer nominees to the membership at our October or November Social.

Many exciting events are in the works for this Fall. Many are completely new events. Stay tuned. Our Vice President - Activities Diane Lipinski will be sharing details soon.

Some members have mentioned it is difficult to sign up for certain club events because they fill so quickly. Depending on the popularity of an event, this is often true. To improve everyone's chances of getting the event tickets you want, it is recommended you log onto Tellico Life early Friday morning following a New Villagers Social when many events go 'live' for ticketing.

Please join us Thursday, September 7th at our monthly social to hear Loudon County Sheriff Jimmy Davis speak, have some fun, and meet new friends.

NEW VILLAGERS JUST JOINED

ARIZONA William & Cynthia Smith

CALIFORNIA Barry Belknap & Patty Adams Keith & Penny Crook Barbara Herron

COLORADO Kathy Benoit

FLORIDA

Paul Gassner & Brigitte Dunker-Gassner Steve & Penny Fleming Dan & Pat Higdon Don & Diane Naylor

GEORGIA Cheryl & Rick Wheeler Guy & Tina Young

ILLINOIS Marc & Shawn Belanski Gary & Dawn Franz Rory & Cheryl Gilbert Jane & Ken Holt MARYLAND Rick & Diane Narron

MICHIGAN Clyde & Sharon Collins

NORTH CAROLINA Chuck and Dottie Hawes

NEW HAMPSHIRE Rusty & Claire Bailey

NEW JERSEY Sally Ladd

NEW YORK Janine Julian, Susan Filippone Jeanne & Lou Moseley Rita & John Randolph Rick & Mary Ellen Schmidle

OHIO Jerry & Karen Striph

TENNESSEE Sheila Borges David & Cheryl Hollowell Larry & Nancy Magnon Jim &nd Jen Spooner New Villagers events are the lifeblood of our club! To register, please click on any open event and you will be linked to the flyer with detailed information and an opportunity to register. Some events are not yet available, shown in **RED**, but will be soon. More events are being added all the time. Check the New Villagers calendar

Event	Day, Date	Time, Location
NV September Social	Thursday, September 7	5:00/6:30 @ Yacht Club
TV Welcome Orientation	Tuesday, October 3	2:00 @ Yacht Club
NV October Social	Thursday, October 5	5:00/6:30 @ Yacht Club
MONTHLY FAVORITES!		
Hand & Foot Learn to Play	Tuesday, September 19	5:30 @ Rec Center
Hand & Foot Learn to Play	Wednesday, September 20	1:00 @ Rec Center
Hand & Foot Practice Play	Monday, October 2	1:00 @ Rec Center
Hand & Foot Practice Play	Wednesday, October 4	5:30 @ Rec Center
Hand & Foot Learn to Play	Tuesday, October 17	5:30 @ Rec Center
Hand & Foot Learn to Play	Wednesday, Octoer 18	1:00 @ Rec Center
ENTERTAINMENT!		
SIX at Tennessee Theatre	Wednesday, November 1	7:30 @ Knoxville
Jagged Little Pill	Wednesday, December 6	7:30 @ Knoxville
White Christmas The Musical	Saturday, December 16	2:30CDT @ Crossville
DINING OUTS!		
Watch for More		
FUN THINGS TO DO IN A GROUP!		
Muddy Boots, Abrams Falls Trail	Monday, September 11	7:45 @ 100 Chota Rd.
Hand & Foot Inter-Club Tournament	Monday, September 18	Noon @ Yacht Club
Lost Sea Adventure	Tuesday, September 26	1:00 @ Sweetwater
NV Singo	Wednesday, September 27	7:00 @ Yacht Club
Smoky Mountain Service Dogs	Saturday, October 7	6:00 @ The Venue
Fundraiser		
<u>Chili Cook-Off</u>	Friday, October 20	1:00 @ Tugaloo
NV Trivia	Wednesday, October 25	7:00 @ Yacht Club
<u>NV Holiday Party</u>	Friday, December 1	5:00 @ Yacht Club
Smoky Mountain Christmas	Wednesday, December 6	10:00 @ Lakeside Realty
Holiday Cookie Exchange	Monday, December 11	1:00 @ Yacht Club
TRAINING, TOURS!	Wednesday, Centember 20	TV/Librory
Discover/Engage Superpowers	Wednesday, September 20	TV Library
CPR/AED Class	Thursday, October 12	9:00 @ Fire Department
Smoky Mountain School of Cooking	Saturday, November 11	2:00 @ Sevierville
NEW VILLAGERS GOLF!		
Golf 101	Friday, October 27	10:00 @ Toqua
NV Golf started April 13	Thursdays	4:00 @ TV Courses
	Thursdays	
MORE TO COME!		



HAND and FOOT

Tuesday, September 19, 2023 5:30pm - 8:00pm Chota Rec Center - Room B

Come and join some of your fellow New Villagers to learn the popular Tellico Village card game HAND and FOOT.

New players will learn the game with a coach at each table. Sign-up is limited to 12 players.

Sign-up online at tellicolife.org

<u>\$2.00 (non-refundable)</u> Last day for registration or cancellation: September 15th

Event Coordinator: Vicki Cook <u>HandandFoot@telliconewvillagers.com</u>

If SOLD OUT, contact Event Coordinator for Wait List



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PRACTICE PLAY HAND & FOOT Wednesday, October 4th 2023

For

New Villagers

5:30pm - 8:00pm

Chota Rec Center – Room B Come and play with other recent students that are looking to improve their game

And make new friends to play with Sign-up is limited to 12 players.

\$2.00 registration fee required (non-refundable) Sign-up online at tellicolife.org Last day for registration or cancellation: 9/27/23 Event Coordinator: Susannah Thompson <u>spoedethompson15@qmail.com</u>

If SOLD OUT, contact Event Coordinator for Wait List



Check out the Event Calendar for more Hand & Foot opportunities.



The GARDEN CLUB OF TELLICO VILLAGE asks you to recycle your aluminum BEVERAGE cans at the Public Works Department on Davis Ferry Drive (across from Tanasi Clubhouse) or at the Kahite golf cart barn. Putting the cans in your weekly container does not benefit the club. The funds from the recycling of the cans go to the TVGC which funds the Neighborhood Entrance Gardens along 444.

Thank you for helping to beautify our village!





Join New Villagers at the Tennessee Theatre For the production of SIX

Six is a British musical comedy with music, book, and lyrics by Toby Marlow and Lucy Moss. It is a modern retelling of the lives of the six wives of Henry VIII, presented in the form of a pop concert. In the show, each of the wives take turns telling their story, to see who suffered the most from Henry VIII. Tonx Award for the Best

Original Score!

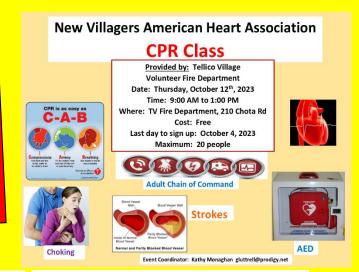


Last day to register/request refund: September 24, 2023 Maximum: 30 people; Seats Orchestra Center Contact Deb Wolf if you'd like to be waitlisted Event Coordinator: Deb Wolf debra.wolf1@gmail.com

Tennessee Theatre 604 S. Gay Street Knoxville, TN 37902



New Villagers Golf began weekly play April 13th. Action is a fun scramble. Players can form their own groups or will be randomly assigned. Play will rotate between Toqua, Kahite, and Tanasi courses.





101 FRIDAY, October 27, 2023, 10:00 AM

Golf 101 You are invited to attend an informative and educational session hosted by your golf professional staff. Learn about the Tellico Village golf facilities and procedures, rules, eliquette, and more.

Golf 101 is held at Toqua Clubhouse on the 3rd or 4th Friday at 10 am. If you would like to participate in Golf 101, please email Lucas Forstrom at <u>ifforstrom@vpoa.org</u>.

GOLF 101







WHAT: Cook and eat an authentic Appalachian meal! This Hands-On Cooking Class is interactive and fun! You will measure, chop, and cook a meal together with one of the chefs. Afterward, sit down to enjoy the meal you have prepared. The homestyle kitchen is well equipped to create an atmosphere of learning. The instructors incorporate culinary techniques to make cooking easy and less stressful. The main ingredient is fun! Class is 2-2 ½ hours long. Recipes, supplies, equipment along with coffee, tea and water are provided. Each participant will receive a logo Smoky Mountain School of Cooking apron to take back from their cooking experience.

<u>Menu</u> Chicken and Dumplings Fried Corn Medley Old-fashioned Banana Pudding

WHERE: Smoky Mountain School of Cooking 2005 Wears Valley Road, Sevierville, TN 37862

DATE: Saturday, November 11, 2023, 2pm-4pm; Register by 11/1/23 COST: \$94.34 including tax per person. Paid directly to Smoky Mountain School of Cooking. All sales are non-refundable. You may transfer your ticket to another participant. Maximum 18

Scan the QR code to sign up and pay to reserve your spot or type this link into your browser: https://fareharbor.com/embeds/book/smokymountainschoolofcooking/items/404909/availabi lity/1248119294/book/?full-items=yes



Event Coordinator: Judith Pavelock-Huron judithpavelock@gmail.com



"The Best Hot Dog You Can Buy In Tellico Village!"

FAT DOG HOT DOGS is now open for business. Sue Fisher, longtime Tellico Villager, has opened a new business. She has a hot dog cart at Tanasi Golf Course. These foot-long 'dogs and buns are amazing. All the fixiin's, from the standards, mustard, relish, onions to Gulden's mustard, chili, onions, and more are available.

Hot dogs are \$6 (great price), add a bag of chips and it's \$8. Beverages are available in the Pro-shop.

Hours: Wednesday through Monday (closed Tuesdays), 11:00AM to 3:00Pm, most days. She's located at the corner of the parking lot, just in front of the ramp to the pro-shop. You can't miss her.

Fat Dog Hot Dogs is open to the public. You do not have to be playing golf to enjoy these delicious hot dogs. Come on by!



Join New Villagers at the Tennessee Theatre For the production of Jagged Little Pill

Jagged Little Pill is a Jukebox musical with music by Alanis Morissette and Glen Ballard, lyrics by Morissette, and book by Diablo Cody, with additional music by Michael Farrell and Guy Sigsworth. The musical is inspired by the 1995 album of the same name by

of the same name by Morissette and deals with pain, healing, and empowerment.

At the 2020 Tony Awards, Jagged Little Jill led with 15 nominations The musical won two Tony Awards, with Diablo Cody winning for Best Book of a Musical and Patten winning Best Performance by a Featured Actress in a Musical.



Date: December 6, at 7:30pm

Cost: \$76.00 (includes \$3 non-refundable admin fee) Last day to register/request refund: October 23, 2023 Maximum: 30 people; Seats Balcony Left & Right Contact Deb Wolf if you'd like to be waitlisted

Event Coordinator: Deb Wolf debra.wolf1@gmail.com

Tennessee Theatre 604 S. Gay Street Knoxville, TN



Lost Sea Adventure

Join your fellow New Villagers on a tour to the underground caves of the Lost Sea. Learn from your tour guide the fascinating story of haw the lake was discovered by a 13 year old boy in 1905 and has since been listed on the Guinness Book of World Records as America's largest underground lake.



DATE: Tuesday, Sept. 26. 2023

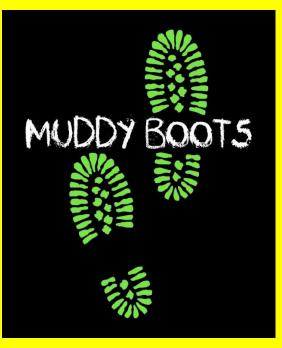
TIME: 1PM (tour lasts 11/2 hours)

LOCATION: 140 Lost Sea Road Sweetwater, TN 37874 COST: \$29 (incl non ref \$2 ad min fee)

> Maximum 30 Last day to register/request refund Sept. 1 Event Coordinator: Denise Flanagan mcbrat1@gmail.com











This will be tournament play, and everyone will play with the same set of rules. A round is considered complete when the first table goes out after a minimum of 20 minutes play time. The players will then be shuffled, and the next round will begin. Prizes will be awarded to the individual players with the highest total scores after all rounds are played.

COST: \$15 including placeholder \$10 will be refunded at the event

Sign-in at the event begins at 11:30 am Game play begins at NOON at the Blue Heron Restaurant - Yacht Club

MAX: 30 NV ~ 30 HOA Last Day to Register is SEPT 9th NV contact - Diane Lipinski at cadiane.lipinski@gmail.com HOA contact ~ Betty Fortune at bjfortune@hotmail.com The TV Library is rounding out the summer speaker series on September 20, with Dr. Karel Bouse.

"How to Discover and Engage your Superpowers." This will focus on how to use your dreams, your connection with nature, personal mythology, and guided meditations to expand your imagination and perceptions to enjoy life to the fullest. The session will include a couple of interactive exercises and will allow for question and discussion at the end. The material in the presentation is included in her book, *Finding the Phoenix*.

Dr. Bouse is an author, psychologist, historian, and educator. She is the founder and director of the Institute of Emerging Psychologises (<u>https://mstitute-ep.com</u>), an educational organization which seeks to create an alternative, multidiscipilnary psychology based on the work of James, Jung and Hillman. She has developed a program entitled "The Art of Soul Building" based on their philosophies, and is in the process of creating a series of online classes.



New Villagers Holiday Cookie Exchange



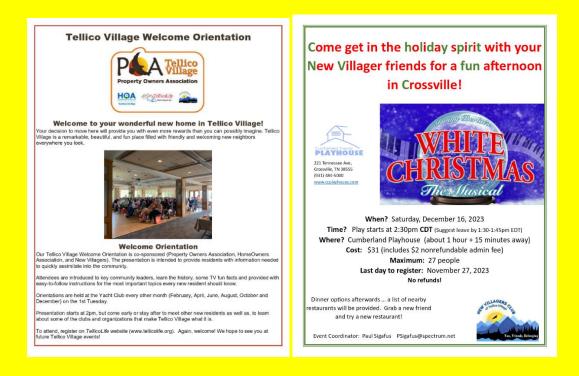
Monday, December 11, 2023 1:00 PM – 2:30 PM

Where: Tellico Village Yacht Club - Restaurant Level Cost: \$5.00 for Bakers (includes \$2 non-refundable admin fee) \$5.00 per non-baking guest (includes \$2 non-refundable admin fee) (one guest per baker)

- Bring <u>five dozen</u> of the same home-cooked holiday cookies OR your favorite cookie, for sampling and exchanging. (Please, no store-bought cookies or dough)
- One dozen are for <u>sampling</u> and the remaining four dozen should be divided up in <u>small bags of four cookies each</u> for exchanging. (12 bags).
- Last day to register/request refund: December 4th, 2023.
- Limited to 30 people
- Event Coordinator: Jean Lonergan; lonerganjean2@gmail.com 317-509-3095







Come Join Us for Another Evening of Laughter, Music & SINGO! This Time, Fun 50's – 80's Music!

Wednesday, September 27th 7:00pm - 9:00pm



Cost \$12 per person (Includes \$2 non-refundable admin fee) Time: 7pm-9pm. Doors open at 6:30pm.

Cash bar. No outside beverages allowed.

Location: Yacht Club (1st floor) Last day to register/request refund: 9/20/23

SINGO is a new & exciting spin on the game Bingo!

Instead of listening for a number, listen for your favorite music and win prizes!

There is no food at this event. Consider eating upstairs at the Blue Heron prior, as they are graciously providing us with the venue. 8 people per table.

> Event Coordinator: JJ Jordan jj.jordan9999@gmail.com If event is SOLD OUT, contact Event Coordinator for Wait List





Bring on the heat (or not) 10th Annual NV

Chili Cook-Off

Friday, October 20th **Tugaloo Pavilion 1-3pm**

Be a chef!!

Enter your favorite Chili to become the

2023 Chili Cook-Off Champion

Email Karen Dobesh at LCMRN01@gmail.com to become a chef Be a Judge & Vote for your FAVORITE chili -Signup & pay \$8 online on Tellico Life

(New Villagers) to attend (includes \$2 nonrefundable admin fee) Last day to register/request refund: October 10th Limit of 80 Judges

Free Food – chili samples (as many as you want), charcoal-grilled hot dog, a sweet treat and a cold bottle of water

Visit with FUN and **HAPPY New Villagers.** Make NEW Friends!

Event Coordinators: Karen Dobesh LCMRN01@gmail.com & Dorthy Wallin dorothywallin@yahoo.com



New Villagers Holiday Party At The Yacht Club

Friday, December 1t, 2023

Cocktails at 5:00 PM / Dinner at 6:00 PM Live music by The Knoxville Transfer Band

\$60.00 per person fixed price meal - Cash Bar Seating open to 180 people

Sit-down dinner includes your choice of: Salmon, Roast Pork Loin, or Chicken Piccata With Roasted Potatoes, Vegetables, and Dessert

Registration and meal selection at www.TellicoLife.org

\$62.00 Advance Payment (includes \$2.00 non-refundable administrative fee)

No sign-ups or refunds after November 22nd, 2023

If the event is full, please contact the Event Coordinator to be put on a Wait-List Event Coordinator: Kathy Monaghan E-mail: gluttrell@prodigy.net Tel: 864-293-8388







'America's Best

Christmas Event

For 14

Consecutive

Years" Amusement
Today's Golden Ticket

Awards, 2022



Smoky Mountain **HRISM**

Event Date: Wednesday, December 6, 2023

What: Travel from Tellico Village by luxury motorcoach to Dollywood's Smoky Mountain Christmas at Dollywood in Pigeon Forge, TN to experience heartwarming Christmas shows, millions of twinkling lights, rides & attractions, shopping and dining.

Berkshire Hathaway/Lakeside Realty 100 Chota Center parking lot 10am with return at 9pm

Cost: *\$115 pp includes Dollywood admission, bus transportation, water/snacks on bus, administrative fees and driver gratuity. NO REFUNDS.

*Bus only \$45 for Gold and Diamond Dollywood Passholders

Sign up online at Tellicolife.org beginning 9/8/23 Registration closes November 22, 2023 Maximum: 56 seats

> Event Coordinator: Judith Pavelock-Huron judithpavelock@gmail.com 845-661-9665







Please join us on Saturday, October 7th, 6PM at The Venue, Lenoir City, for Smoky Mountain Service Dogs "Night for Patriots" annual fundraiser.



Keynote Speaker Lieutenant General Nicholson (ret.) was an active duty Infantry Marine for 39 years. He commanded forces in the Balkans, Iraq, and Afghanistan. His last assignment was as the Commander of 30 thousand Marines in the Western Pacific.

Recipient Speaker Sergeant Major Chuck Stewart served his nation for 26 years as a US Army Sniper with seven combat deployments. Chuck also served on the personal security detail for President George Bush immediately after 9/11. Chuck will be accompanied by his SMSDog "Sadie"

The event will include music, silent auction, dinner, and cash bar.

LOCATION: The Venue, Lenoir City, 6PM, October 7th.

The Venue - 7690 Creekwood Park Blvd., Lenoir City, TN

Tickets are \$120 per person, tables of ten may be reserved. For reserved tables it is requested that one \$1200 check from a table coordinator be sent. Mail check for tickets to: SMSD, 110 Tooweka Circle, Loudon, TN. 37774. Tickets will be mailed or delivered and may be used for tax deductible receipts.

Thank you for your support.



NEXT MONTH'S SOCIAL WILL BE HELD ON OCTOBER 5th, 2023

Reservations are required!

Go to the New Villagers Event Calendar at

and select either the 5:00 session or the 6:30 session

AGENDA FOR EACH SESSION

- President Bob Wolf will welcome all members and introduce <u>NEW</u> New Villagers
- Diane Lipinski will announce upcoming and newly added events and activities
- Barb Jackson will host a game ad drawings for Door Prizes!
- Kelly McKinney will introduce NEW New Vilagers
- Cruise the information booths <u>before</u> and <u>between</u> the sessions. Some clubs/events that may be represented:

Muddy Boots	Din
Volunteer Fire Department	We
Dragon Boat	Sho
Lions Club	Rota
TBart	HO
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Dinner Clubs Wellness Center Shooting Sports Rotary Club HOA Our Place Trivia Wine Groups Singo Kiwanis Library

Questions? Contact Kelly McKinney at nvtv.membership@gmail.com

Cash bar will be available



DID YOU KNOW YOU COULD GET YOUR LICENSE PLATE RIGHT HERE IN THE VILLAGE? YOU CAN. THIS OFFICE IS RIGHT ACROSS THE STREET FROM THE WELCOME CENTER AND IS ONLY OPEN ON THURSDAY. YOU DON'T HAVE TO GO INTO LOUDON TO REGISTER YOUR CAR, TRANSFER TITLES, GET YOUR LICENSE PLATE, ETC. YOU CAN EVEN GET SPECIALITY PLATES LIKE UT AND THE UNIVERSITIES OF FLORIDA, MISSISSIPPI, AND MANY OTHERS. THE OFFICE IS LOCATED IN THE BERKSHIRE HATHAWAY/LAKESIDE REALTY BUILDING!



Nominations are sought for all New Vilagers Board of Director positions. Please see below for all positiions. Conctact:

President Bob Wolf – president@telliconewvillagers.com Vice-President Socials Barb Jackson – telliconvsocial@gmail.com Vice-President Activities Diane Lipinski - <u>Cadiane.lipinski@gmail.com</u> Vice-President Communications George Luttrell – communications@telliconewvillagers.com

NEW VILLAGERS

2023 BOARD OF DIRECTORS, ADMINS

PRESIDENT	BOB WOLF
ACTIVITIES VP	DIANE LIPINSKI
SOCIAL VP	BARB JACKSON
MEMBERSHIP VP	KELLY McKINNEY
COMMUNICATIONS VP	GEORGE LUTTRELL
SECRETARY	SUSAN KILDAY
TREASURER	DON MacLEOD
POA LIAISON	GREG PICKENS
HOA LIAISON	DOUG SCHETZEL

ADMINS: LISA NOETH, RENEE NAPIER, ANNE PICKENS

