NEW VILLAGERS CLUB NEWSLETTER

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INSIDE THIS ISSUE:

- Meet the newest members this month.
- Events now open for registration and those coming soon.
- In-depth view of fun opportunities at socials and invitation to our next month's social.
- Important things to know and social opportunities.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

April showers bring May flowers and the Kentucky Derby May Social. Ladies and gentlemen, don't forget to wear your favorite hat to the social on May 2nd. Cathie Dunn, our VP of Social, is always looking for a reason to give out a door prize!

The purpose of New Villagers is to get you all to meet new people. Not every event that we offer allows for easy mingling. But if you really wanted to mingle, you would have attended the Water Into Wine and the Tennessee Trivia picnic. The Wine Into Water consisted of a small plate dinner with various wines to try. After each plate, Lindsay, our event coordinator, had the tables (of 6 people) move around. We moved around 5 times – Tellico Village version of speed dating! We shall offer this event again. Janet, our Tennessee picnic coordinator, had every dinner plate, marked underneath, with a special-colored dot. After our dinner was over, you moved to the table with a cover that matched your colored dot. Not only did you mix with lots of people, but you also realized how little you knew about Tennessee Trivia. What is the state mammal? How many state songs does Tennessee have? Each member of the winning table went home with a bag of Tennessee goodies, like a can of Mountain Dew and Bush's Baked Beans!

You have met many of our board members and event coordinators at the socials, but we have many people behind the scenes helping to make your signups as easy as possible. Adrian Kasper and Judy Gibbons volunteer for Tellico Life. They have spent a huge amount of time answering my many questions. Thank you, Judy! Adrian put together a fabulous report so that all event coordinators can see who has signed up for what. He also produces the golf report. If you get a chance to see Adrian Kasper and Judy Gibbons, please tell them thank you for all of their hard, unrecognized work. We really appreciate them.

Kathy Ruzic President@telliconewvillagers.com

See you at the social next Thursday!



2024 Event Coordinator Meetings

Come and see what events are being planned. Be part of the fun!

The third Thursday of each month

11am – 12 noon

Chota Rec Center

May 16, 2024

June 20, 2024



NEW VILLAGERS WHO JOINED IN MARCH INTRODUCE YOURSELF AND WELCOME THEM TO THE VILLAGE

CALIFORNIA

Jill and Carl Nordman Christina Thomas Jackie and Jennifer Crowe John and Marilyn Peterson

FLORIDA Bev and Rick Woodard Jaque Eichman Kurt & Kelly Graf Troy White & Connie Collins

ILLINOIS

Kirk & Annette Flores Mike and Linda Gregory John and Mary Pavelt

INDIANA Howard Murphy and Karen Grothouse

NORTH CAROLINA

Sandy & Ron Shoultz Steve Adams

NEW YORK Steve & Marie Weinstein

OREGON Cheryl Ensign

TENNESSEE Rich & Debbie Wells Jodie and Dennis Kelly Lainey Jones & Eleanor Cippel Mitch and Pam Nunes

TEXAS Dave & Kirsten Rhodes Patti Onweller & Paula Laux

Check the New Villagers calendar at TELLICOLIFE.ORG for new events added after this listing.

CLICK ON EVENT NAMES BELOW TO GET INFORMATION ABOUT THEM AND/OR TO REGISTER!

Event Name	Day/Date	Time/Place
To attend all monthly Socials:	REGISTRATION REQUIRED	LIMITED seating @ 5pm
NV May Social	Thursday, May 2	5:00/6:30 Yacht Club
NV June Social	Thursday, Jun 6	5:00/6:30 Yacht Club
MONTHLY FAVORITES!		
Hand & Foot Practice Play	Monday, May 6	1-4 pm Chota Rec B
Learn Hand & Foot pm	Tuesday, May 21	5:30-8 pm Chota Rec B
Learn Hand & Food am	Wednesday, May 22	1-4 pm Chota Rec B
Practice Play Hand & Foot	Monday, Jun 3	1-4 pm Chota Rec D
Practice Play Hand & Foot	Wednesday, Jun 5	1-4 pm Chota Rec B
Learn Hand & Foot am	Monday, Jun 17	10 am @ Chota Rec B
Learn Hand & Foot pm	Wednesday, Jun 19	1 pm @ Chota Rec B
<u>NV Golf - Kahite</u>	Thursday, May 9	4-8 pm @ Kahite
<u>NV Golf - Tanasi</u>	Thursday, May 16	4-8 pm @ Tanasi
<u>NV Golf - Toqua</u>	Thursday, May 23	4-8 pm @ Toqua
<u>NV Golf- Kahite</u>	Thursday, May 30	4-8 pm @ Kahite
ENTERTAINMENT!		
Beetlejuice at TN Theater	Thursday, Jun 13	7:30pm @ TN theater
GROUP FUN THINGS TO DO!		
Boats Cocktail cruise	Tuesday, May 14	6 pm Tellico Marina
NV Singo	Wednesday, May 22	7-9 pm @ Yacht Club
Family Feud Game Night	Thursday, May 30	7 pm @ Yacht Club
Mudpuppy Cruise & Dine	Tuesday, Jun 11	5 pm @ Cherokee Marina
Mini Golf – Ice Cream	Friday, Jun 14	11am @Rockys-Greenback
Monthly Raft Off	Tuesday, Jun 18	11:30-3 on the lake
Kahite Singo	Thursday, Jun 20	7 pm @ Kahite
Bunco	Monday, Jun 24	2-4 pm @ Yacht Club
Bunco	Monday, Jul 22	2-4 pm @ Yacht Club
Bunco	Monday, Aug 26	2-4 pm @ Yacht Club
Bulloo	Monuay, Aug 20	
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TRAINING, TOURS!	Wednesday May 22	a 5 nm @ Vacht Club
AI Presentation	Wednesday, May 29	3-5 pm @ Yacht Club
Bourbon & Chocolate tasting	Tuesday, Jun 25	3 pm @ Townsend TN
<u>Gatlinburg Craftsmen's Fair</u>	Monday, Jul 15	8 am bus trip
DINING OUTS!		
Cinco de Mayo dinner Fiesta	Sunday, May 5	5 pm Yacht Club
Historic Tapoco Tavern		2 pm Robbinsville NC
*	Sunday, Jun 9	*
Bert Hometown Grill	Wednesday, Jun 12	5:30 pm @ Madisonville

IMPORTANT THINGS TO KNOW:

- Coming to socials lets you meet new friends, sign up for activities such as dinner parties, wine groups, game groups, and learn about many clubs at the information tables! Come early (4:30 or 6:00 pm) and stop by tables and get information about the fun they offer.
- If you sign up for a 5:00 pm or 6:30 pm social, put it on your calendar and come **at that time** as seats are limited, especially for the 5:00 pm session. Register anytime for next month's social the day after each month's social meeting (Friday) when many events open for registration, too!
- If you don't come to a social, you won't have a chance to win any of the prizes being given away each time! Your chances of winning are greater at the second session as fewer attend it.
- If you have suggestions for events, email <u>activities@telliconewvillagers.com</u> or <u>President@telliconewvillagers.com</u> or IF you want to sponsor or coordinate an event.
- On Thursdays, you can register vehicles, get license plates, and transfer titles right here in the village! A county clerk is here from 9am to 3:30pm (closed 1-1:45 pm lunch). Go to Berkshire Hathaway/Lakeside Realty office across from TV Welcome Center and ask for the County Clerk.

DINNER PARTIES

New Villager dinner parties provide opportunities to gather in groups of 5-8 people in each other's homes to share a meal. Themes are endless, such as Sunday brunches, backyard BBQs, or even pontoon boat picnics to name a few!



Assigned on a 3-month rotation, you will host one month by providing an entree, side dish, and beverages. The other 2 months, you will attend as a guest and bring either an appetizer or dessert.

WINE GROUPS

One of the most popular interests in Tellico Village! Wine groups are casual and fun and great ways to meet your neighbors and make friends.



Groups range in size from 5-7 households and meet monthly in members' homes. Each household brings a bottle of wine or beverage of choice to share.

Hosts will determine the theme of their choice, and all household take turns at hosting. Make memories, make friends! It's that simple!



Scan this go to our website <u>www.telliconewvillagers.com</u> for more information.





We are looking for volunteers! The New Villagers Club cannot continue without volunteers serving our club officers, board members, and activity coordinators as of Jan. 1st. Those reaching their two-year graduation date this year or next can get their membership extended to the end of 2025 if they volunteer. Please reach out to any officer or board member and express your interest in any position and get more information about any position. You could create this newsletter, help with Socials and Membership, help with activities, be a board liaison to POA or HOA, record our monthly meetings, be the treasurer, and use computer skills as our webmaster and admins who get all of our events on the Tellico Life calendar. It takes a village to have this incredible fun!



SPECIAL NOTICES ABOUT OTHER ORGANIZED EVENTS OR ACTIVITIES TAKING PLACE IN TELLICO VILLAGE YOU MIGHT WANT TO CHECK OUT