

NEW VILLAGERS CLUB NEWSLETTER

August 2024 ISSUE

2024 NV BOARD

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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

Only a few more raft offs and the season is over! Raft Offs are a great way to move around the water and meet many fellow New Villagers. While we try very hard to have activities where you can mingle, some are better than others for meeting new friends. Raft-offs and Water into Wine are two of the best events for meeting lots of new people. With Water into Wine, we switch tables after every course (there are 6). Tellico's version of friendly speed dating. Give one or both of these activities a try.

The September social will be a social with a difference. We will be offering ONE social instead of two. The new time will be 5:30 pm to view the activity tables and mingle. The program will be from 6 pm – 7 pm. Everyone is welcome to stay longer. When you attend the socials, please try sitting at a table where you do not know anyone. **Note registration will be required to guarantee a seat!**

Please save, Friday, December 6th for the Annual New Villager Christmas Gala. This will be at the Yacht Club. Details coming soon.

PLEASE consider volunteering for one of our many positions available for 2025. If we do not get people to take over for 2025, this incredible experience for new residents will die. A separate email blast will be coming with all available openings for you to consider. We have opportunities for all sorts of time commitments. Run a dinner outing. That is a great way to start.

Even if you do not want to run an event/outing but have an idea, please contact either president@telliconewvillagers.com or activities@telliconewvillagers.com

Check out the new wonderful events this month created by our special group of volunteer event coordinators.

We are grateful for any time you can give to New Villagers.

Kathy Ruzic President@telliconewvillagers.com



New Villagers
August Social

August 1st BEACH PARTY

Come Dressed in your favorite BEACH attire
(no speedos please!!)

Lower Level of the Yacht Club
Register at www.tellicolife.org

WELCOME -- GUEST SPEAKER
EVENT UPDATES -- DOOR PRIZES

Come and join a new club!!
Information tables open from 4:30-6:30

First Session
4:30 Mix and Mingle
5:00 Presentation
Table talk until 6:00

Second Session
6:00 Mix and Mingle
6:30 Presentation
Table talk until 8:00

For more information contact Wendy Freed
membership@telliconewillagers.com

[CLICK HERE TO REGISTER](#)

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

CALIFORNIA

Susan McDonald	Alameda
Brian and Erin Hawkins	Bakersfield
Linda and Jeff Haar	Escondido
Tim and Jill Griggs	Lakeside
Dave and Diane Baum	Lakewood
Chris Jacobson	Roseville

COLORADA

Pat Harsh	Parker
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FLORIDA

Kathy Shea	Saint Augustine
	Wesley Chapel
Kris & Dean Tindall	

GEORGIA

Scott & Donna Byers	Augusta
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ILLINOIS

Linda Hadley	Bloomington
Lynn Lyon	Naperville

MARYLAND

Ross and Deidre Myers	Ft. Meade
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Stacey and David Adamiak	Walkersville
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MICHIGAN

Nick & Beth Strange	Northville
John & Teresa Shorb	Plymouth

NEW JERSEY

Dan & Mary Bendik	Brick
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OHIO

Mark, Dee, Denise Davis	Cincinnati
Debbie & John Roemisch	Lebanon
Phil Bowling	Newark

PENNSYLVANIA

Teri Farrell	Pittsburgh
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TENNESSEE

Greg & Kim Peterson	Brentwood
Deborah & Joe Gracia	Farragut
Shelley & Terry Stephen	Knoxville
McGregor	Lenoir City
Michael Tate/ Danielle	
Cichon	loudon
Steve & Sheila Clark	Nashville

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 <u>REQUIRED</u>	ONLY 1 SOCIAL MEETING STARTS IN SEPTEMBER
NV August Social	Thursday, Aug 1	5:00/6:30 Yacht Club
NV September Social new time	Thursday, Sep 5	5:30 mingle 6-7 meeting
MONTHLY FAVORITES!		
Learn Hand & foot	Wednesday, Sep 18	1-4pm @ Chota Rec D
Hand and Foot Practice Play	Wednesday, Aug 7	1-4 pm Chota Rec D
Learn Hand & foot	Wednesday, Aug 21	1-4 pm Chota Rec D
Learn Hand & foot	Wednesday, Sep 18	1-4pm @ Chota Rec D
Hand and Foot Practice Play	Wednesday, Sep 4	1-4 pm Chota Rec D
NV Golf - Toqua	Thursday, Aug 8	4-8 pm Toqua
NV Golf - Kahite	Thursday, Aug 15	4-8 pm Kahite
NV Golf - Tanasi	Thursday, Aug 22	4-8 pm Tanasi
NV Golf - Toqua	Thursday, Aug 29	4-8 pm Toqua
ENTERTAINMENT!		
NV Knoxville Pops -Star Wars	Saturday, Jan 11	8pm @ Knoxville Civic
NV Knoxville Pops -Blue Suede		
GROUP FUN THINGS TO DO!		
Monthly Raft off	Tuesday, Aug 20	1130-230 pm on the lake
Bunco	Monday, Aug 26	2-4 pm @ Yacht Club
Family Feud	Wed, Aug 28	7 pm @ Yacht Club
Monthly Raft off	Tuesday, Sep 10	1130-230 pm on the lake
TN Smokies Baseball	Saturday, Sep 14	7 pm in Kodak Tn
Mini Golf and Ice Cream	Wednesday, Sep 19	11am in Vonore Hiway 411
Bourbon and Chocolate	Tuesday, Sep 24	3-5 pm Townsend Tn
Singo	Wed, Sep 25	6:30 pm @ Yacht Club
TRAINING, TOURS!		
Pickleball Drop in anytime	Tuesday, Aug 13	8-10 am
Pickleball Drop in anytime	Wednesday, Aug 14	12-2 pm
Pickleball Drop in anytime	Thursday, Aug 15	4-6 pm
Chickamauga Lock Presentation	Thu, Sep 26	2 - 4 pm @ Yacht Club
Chattanooga Wine Train	Thu, Dec 12	6 pm @ Chattanooga TN
Gatlinburg Craftsmens Fair	Wednesday, Oct 9	8 am - 5 pm bus trip
DINING OUTS!		
MORE COMING SOON!		
We have events to do but not enough coordinators	GIVE US IDEAS! Volunteer to lead one	Tell any NV Board member You want to volunteer

IMPORTANT THINGS FOR NEWCOMERS 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 (**5:30 STARTING IN SEP**)) and stop by tables and get information about the fun they offer.
- NOTICE: YOU MUST REGISTER FOR THE MONTHLY SOCIAL TO BE GUARANTEED A SEAT STARTING IN SEPTEMBER! Register anytime for next month's social the day after each month's social meeting (Friday) when many events open for registration!
- If you don't come to a social, you can't win any of the prizes being given away each time!
- If you have suggestions for events/activities, email activities@telliconewvillagers.com or President@telliconewvillagers.com 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 9 am to 3:30 pm (closed 1-1:45 pm lunch). Go to Berkshire Hathaway/Lakeside Realty office across from TV Welcome Center and ask for the County Clerk.
- Every **Wednesday** morning from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m., one can shop at the Tellico Village Farmers Market. It is conveniently located in the Village Square parking lot behind the Welcome Center (202 Chota Road). The Farmers Market is open year-round, but more vendors are present in the summer months. There is lots of fresh produce, more as the season progresses. In addition, you will find baked goods, chemical-free cleaning products, handmade items, gifts, and more. We hope you will find time to visit the Farmers Market soon.

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!

Go to our website www.telliconewvillagers.com for more information.

We are looking to fill positions for 2025!!! Help NV continue in 2025!

Have you enjoyed the activities that NV has provided? Would you like to give back and help others next year? Would you like to extend your NV membership?

If you would like to get involved for next year or learn about available positions, please contact any of the names listed below. If you are graduating New Villagers this year, we can extend your membership to cover the 2025 calendar year. Yes, you can still volunteer. We cannot provide activities for new residents unless we have new people to volunteer. There are plenty of positions to choose from besides the Board listed below. Grab any officer wearing the **red vest** at the monthly social to get more information.

2024 New Villager Board of Directors

President – Kathy Ruzic president@telliconewvillagers.com

Secretary – Susan Kilday secretary@telliconewvillagers.com

VP of Activities – Kurt McDonald activities@telliconewvillagers.com

VP of Membership – Wendy Freed membership@telliconewvillagers.com

VP of Social – Cathie Dunn social@telliconewvillagers.com

VP of Communications – Bernie Horton communications@telliconewvillagers.com

Treasurer – Kevin Land treasurer@telliconewvillagers.com

POA liaison – Debbie Haliscak DAHaliscak@aol.com

HOA liaison – Doug Schetzel douglas.schetzel@gmail.com

Calling all webpage designers

Our New Villager web page needs a bit of a facelift. If you have any interest in helping update our web page, please contact:

Webmaster - MB Raimondi webmaster@telliconewvillagers.com

Keep that Tennessee Volunteer spirit going!!!

Within the New Villager activities group for 2025, we are looking for Group coordinators/leads for the following:

Book Clubs - Wine Groups - Dinners at Home - Raft Offs - Golf - Dining Out - Hand & Foot - Cards & Games - SINGO - Family Feud



September



**JOIN US ON
THURSDAY
SEPTEMBER 5TH**

- ~Welcome**
- ~Guest Speakers**
- ~Event Updates**
- ~Door Prizes**



Don't forget to wander all the tables and see what is going on the next few months!

Join Muddy Boots



Do you like:
Hiking?
Golf?
Pickleball?



Make sure to check out all the clubs to join as well.

Located in the bar area.

Please Note: The tables will only be open from: 5:00 to 6:00pm

NEW THIS MONTH!!
ONE SOCIAL MEETING
ONLY

5:30 Mix and Mingle
6:00 Presentation
Table talk until 7:00



SIGN UP TO LEARN TO PLAY
HAND AND FOOT

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♥
PLAYING
HAND AND
FOOT



JOIN A WINE CLUB

For more information, please contact
Wendy Freed
membership@telliconewvillagers.com

Welcome to the Neighborhood

Make sure to register and come see all that Tellico Village has to offer

www.tellicolife.org





RAFT OFF RULES PLEASE READ

New Villagers loves offering raft-offs over the summer season. Raft-offs are an incredible way to enjoy the lake and meet new people.

Our volunteer Captains met earlier this year and agreed to specific rules. One of them is that participants must stay on the boat assigned to them, and for good reason: each Captain is responsible for the persons assigned to their boat. You will receive the safety briefing and rules of your assigned boat beforehand, via email and before leaving the dock

ALL PARTICIPANTS MUST BE ABLE TO:

- **TO HEAR & RESPOND to THEIR CAPTAINS DIRECTIONS**
- **USE THE LADDER OF THE BOAT YOU ARE ASSIGNED TO WITHOUT ASSISTANCE.** YOU MAY NOT USE ANOTHER BOAT'S LADDER or expect assistance in entry/exit from any boat.
- **ALL THOSE NOT ABLE TO COMMIT TO THE ABOVE** may ride on the boat, but are restricted from moving from the boat assigned, nor allowed to enter the water.
- **YOU MUST USE THE LADDER TO EXIT AND ENTER THE BOAT.**

This is particularly important to Captains as they cannot assume liability in case of a sudden change of weather, nor for any unforeseen reason needing to vacate the Cove location rapidly. (health emergency or sudden change in the weather) We hope that you can understand these safety precautions.

More seats now available!



TN Smokies Baseball

**Saturday – September 14,
7:00 pm**

YEE-HAW Pavilion
Smokies Stadium
3540 Line Drive
Kodak, TN 37764

Enjoy a TN Smokies game from the left field park deck while lounging in patio style seating with umbrellas and cool down with an ice-cold Yee-Haw beer under the pavilion. Feast on food for an entire hour catered from The Batter's Box Bar + Grill.

Buffet includes hickory smoked pork BBQ, smoked BBQ chicken, baked beans, coleslaw, spinach artichoke dip, w/tortilla chips, hot dog bar, chocolate chips cookies and Pepsi products.

Beer Band available for \$17.00. Includes unlimited craft and domestic draft beer from YEE HAW Pavilion. Must be purchased in advance. Adult beverages can also be purchased individually at the cash bar.



Cost

\$38.00 pp.

\$55.00 with Beer Band

Includes game, buffet and admin fee.

Last Day to Register | Refund is Sept 7th

Maximum Guests 60

Minimum 20

NV Event Coordinator:

Randy Neuhaus

RNeuhaus22@gmail.com



TELLICO VILLAGE
Pickleball Club

is pleased to offer

DROP-IN DAYS

ARE YOU CURIOUS WHY PICKLEBALL IS AMERICA'S FASTEST GROWING SPORT?

COME OUT AND GET YOUR QUESTIONS ANSWERED AND SEE FOR YOURSELF -
WATCH TELLICO VILLAGE PLAYERS DURING DEMO MATCHES, AND, IF YOU'RE
READY - JOIN US ON THE COURT FOR COOPERATIVE PLAY

DROP IN ANY TIME DURING THE FOLLOWING DATES AND TIMES

AUGUST 2024

MEET @ FRONT OF PICKLEBALL PAVILLION

TUES AUGUST 13TH, 0800-1000 AM

WED AUGUST 14TH, 1200-2 PM

THURS AUGUST 15TH, 4-6 PM

CONTACT JASON AT (707)342-1966 WITH ANY QUESTIONS





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Join us for the



via Premier Deluxe Motorcoach!

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 9

Bus will leave the Community Church at 8:00 am

Estimated time of return is 5:00 pm

\$38 INCLUDES
Bus Transportation
Craft Fair Entrance
\$2 Admin Fee

MAXIMUMS
HOA - 28
NV - 28
MUST REGISTER OR CANCEL BY
SEPTEMBER 15

Lunch on your own

EVENT COORDINATOR

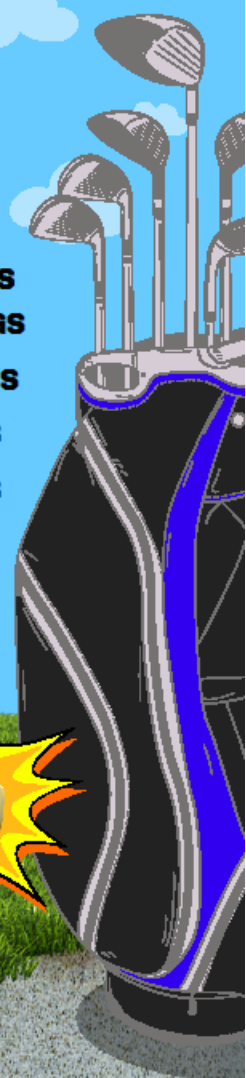
Kathy Ruzic kathy@ruzics.com

By registering, you are giving your consent to use any photograph, video, or image in any HOA or NV promotional materials without remuneration.

**DON'T MISS OUT ON SOME
TEE-RIFFIC
GOLFING FUN THIS YEAR.
NV-GOLF 9 HOLE SCRAMBLES ARE FUN FOR
SINGLES & COUPLES OF ALL SKILL LEVELS**

Date	Location	Event	Date	Location	Event
11-Apr	Toqua	Regular Scramble	8-Aug	Toqua	Regular Scramble
18-Apr	Kahite	Regular Scramble	15-Aug	Kahite	Regular Scramble
25-Apr	Tanasi	Regular Scramble	22-Aug	Tanasi	Regular Scramble
9-May	Kahite	Regular Scramble	29-Aug	Toqua	Regular Scramble
16-May	Tanasi	Regular Scramble	12-Sep	Kahite	Regular Scramble
23-May	Toqua	Regular Scramble	19-Sep	Tanasi	Regular Scramble
30-May	Kahite	Regular Scramble	26-Sep	Toqua	Regular Scramble
20-Jun	Toqua	Regular Scramble	10-Oct	Tanasi	Regular Scramble
27-Jun	Kahite	Regular Scramble	17-Oct	Toqua	Regular Scramble
11-Jul	Toqua	Regular Scramble	24-Oct	Kahite	Regular Scramble
18-Jul	Kahite	Regular Scramble	31-Oct	Tanasi	Regular Scramble
25-Jul	Tanasi	Regular Scramble			

**7 MONTHS
23 OUTINGS
3 COURSES
COUPLES
SINGLES
WOMEN
MEN
PRIZES**



**2024
NV GOLF
REGISTRATION
IS NOW OPEN!**



Spaces are limited

Sign up at TellicoLife.org

**SPECIAL NOTICES ABOUT OTHER ORGANIZED EVENTS OR
ACTIVITIES TAKING PLACE IN TELLICO VILLAGE YOU
MIGHT WANT TO CHECK OUT ON THE NEXT PAGES**