## Dear fellow New Villagers

As the 2024 VP of Communications, I was publisher of the monthly newsletter, mid-month update email, and special E-Blasts of events. Our 2024 Board of Directors completed our terms of office Dec. 11 and found a great team of new volunteer officers and board members. I am signing off and look forward to seeing you at future events and socials. Don Naylor will be your 2025 publisher.

Bernie Horton

Congratulations to the new 2025 Board of Directors/Officers

Brian Hawkins President
Koco Grothouse-Murphy
Belinda Strobl VP Activities
Reed Strobl VP Activities
Linda Haar VP VP Social

Jane Moderhack VP Membership Carl Nordman VP Treasurer

Don Naylor VP Communications

Dawn Franz HOA liaison Kim Silvestri POA liaison

Chris Wuestefeld NV Webmaster



# 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!

<b>Event Name</b>	Day/Date	Time/Place
To attend all monthly Socials:	REGISTRATION REQUIRED	
NV January Social	Thursday, Jan 2	5:00 mingle 6-7 meeting
NV February Social	Thursday, Feb 6	5:00 mingle 6-7 meeting
MONTHLY FAVORITES!		
<u>Practice Hand &amp; Foot</u>		
<u>Learn Hand &amp; Foot</u>	Wednesday, Jan 15	1-4 pm @ Chota Rec Rm B
BUNCO for guys and gals	Monday, Jan 20	2-4 pm @ Yacht Club
ENTERTAINMENT!		
Chicago at TN Theater	Wednesday, Feb 12	7:30pm at Knoxville
Moulin Rouge TN Theater	Wednesday, May 7	7:30pm at Knoxville
Back to Future TN Theater	Wednesday, May 28	7:30 pm at Knoxville
Les Miserables TN Theater	Wednesday, July 30	7:30 pm at Knoxville
GROUP FUN THINGS TO DO!		
	Tuesday, Dec 17	1:00 at Tellico Plains
Everhart Lumber Tour	,	
Bingo	Thursday, Jan 9	6-9 pm @ Yacht Club
Cook n Craft	Friday, Jan 17	4:30-7:30 pm Loudon
<u>Charcuterie Party</u>	Thursday, Jan 23	12-2 pm Farragut
Lost Sea	Tuesday, Jan 28	2-3:30 pm Sweetwater
Singo	Wednesday, Jan 29	7-9 pm @ Yacht Club
Paint and Sip	Thursday, Jan 30	1-3 pm @ Yacht Club
TRAINING, TOURS!		
The Lifestyle Cure	Tuesday, Jan 7	1-2 pm @ TV Library
CPR Training	Wednesday, Jan 22	9-1pm TV Fire Dept
Stop the Bleed	Wednesday, Jan 29	10-11 am TV Fire Dept
Sistine Chapel Exhibition	Tuesday, Feb 11	11-12:30 pm Pigeon Forge
DINING OUTS!		
Divino CO 10.		
MORE COMING SOON!	GIVE US IDEAS!	
We have events to do but not enough coordinators	Volunteer to lead one	Tell any NV Board member You want to volunteer



### **NEW EVENT**

Good Old Fashioned Bingo COME JOIN THE FUN!

Thursday, January 9th, 2025 6-9pm (Doors Open at 5:30) Yacht Club (1st Floor) - \$12 per person

(includes \$2.00 non-refundable admin fee)

Cash Bar – No Outside Beverages
Last Day to Register January 5th 2025
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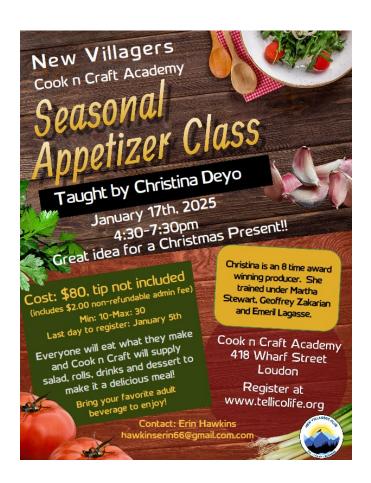
Event Coordinator: Mary Bell (casperhd@msn.com)

If event is sold out, text event coordinator for wait list - 317-696-0657











# TO MAKE NEW FRIENDS STOP BY THE SIGN UP TABLES AT MONTLY SOCIALS AND LEARN ABOUT THESE GREAT OPPORTUNITIES FOR NEW VILLAGERS

### **CARDS & GAMES**

New Villager Cards & Games groups range in size from 6-10 people, solos or couples are welcome.

Once a group is formed, one member will take the lead, contact others, and make suggestion how to get started.



At the first meeting, everyone collectively decides when, where, and how often to meet . . . and what to play, of course!

We can provide a list of games and instructions if needed.

#### **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.

The goal is to meet as many New Villagers as possible, so you will be dining with different people each month.

### **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!

### **BOOK CLUBS**

Looking for a book club? You are not alone! We can help you find what you are looking for, or we can help you form your own reading group! Just give us your contact info, and we'll find 5-8 readers to help get you started.



We have a list of guidelines and other information on having successful book group chats, but each group decides what to read, where and when to meet, and how frequently. Best of all, there is not cost to join!