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NEWS FROM THE COVE
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Welcome Center Office Staff

Amy Coots
Dawn Kulisek

BULLETIN BOARD

WELCOME CENTER STAFF

We would like to welcome our new office staff, Amy Coots and Dawn Kulisek. Both ladies are Cove residents. So please stop by the Welcome Center and introduce yourself.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS ELECTIONS

There were 5 applications submitted for the 5 available Director positions. As a result, there will be no election. The following 5 applicants will be sworn in at the October Annual Meeting.

Sharon Brandon
Fred Guinazzo
Gail Haggard
Debbie Melgar
Pat Robbins

Thank you Nancy Grubb and her committee for all their diligence and hard work.

ECC COMMITTEE

There are several open positions on the ECC. Anyone interested in applying for a position should plan to attend the next meeting on August 1st, or to speak with Lloyd Goldman, 839-7206 or Elton Warren, 839-8866. Nominations for the positions will be made at the August 15, 2016 Board Meeting.

Thank you.

Lloyd Goldman

POLICIES AND PROCEDURES COMMITTEE

The Policy and Procedures Committee is still seeking one more person to join their group. The following are the current members; Sharon Brandon, Chairman, Sue Robbins, Blanche Hessel, June Singleton, Susan Gray. They are formulating a Policy and Procedures Handbook for Cumberland Cove. They will be meeting the fourth Thursday of the month, August 25th at 9:00 to 11:00 AM. If interested, email Sharon at brndnshr@yahoo.com.

BOX TOPS FOR EDUCATION

Since this program started in 1996, and through 2011, schools have earned over \$200,000,000. Individual schools can earn up to \$60,000. Box Tops for Education are on over 100 products that we use daily. Some of the products are Kleenex, Scott Tissue, Cheerios and Ziplock just to name a few. A complete list can be found on the Website Box Tops for Education. I collect the box tops for Burks Elementary School. Anyone who would like to help me collect the box tops can leave them at the Welcome Center.

Thank you
Debbie Melgar

PHONEVITE SYSTEM ALL CALLS

If you would also like to receive the All Calls via email, please contact the Welcome Center to have your email address added to the contact information.

USE OF COVE ASSETS AND EQUIPMENT

Cove Assets and equipment are for official Cove use only. Chain saws, weed eaters, the tractor, the truck, and any equipment used by committees are for their official use only. Individuals may NOT borrow the equipment for personal use.

Equipment at the POA office including chairs and tables can only be used on premises...they cannot be loaned for off-site use, per the current WC Usage Agreement.

The Chipper use is administered by Firewise, and is available for use by those who have taken the required training.



RECENT EVENTS – JULY 2016

July 4th Picnic

(Photos submitted by Wanda Doris)

On July 4th, Uncle Sam (AKA John Robbins) made a surprise visit to wish the USA a Happy Birthday at the July 4th cookout and potluck. 119 people enjoyed the hamburgers and hot dogs cooked by Mike, Carlos, Tim, Ray, and Jim, along with the special treat from Donn and Linda Vance of smoked turkey and smoked butt. The sides and desserts were delicious. After the meal was enjoyed, we had water balloons and corn hole. It was a hot day and the water balloons were popular. Once again, pictures have been posted on the Cumberland Cove Bulletin Board, compliments of Jerry Fisher.



If you would like to see additional photos of our Recent Events, visit the website at cumberlandcovepoa.com

Quilt of Valor

(Photos submitted by Blanche Hessel)

On July 25th the Quilt of Valor was presented to World War II & Korean War Veteran, Marlyn Bonacker, by the Crossville National Quilt of Valor Group. Mr. Bonacker accepted the Quilt in honor of the crew members that were lost in a B-17 bombing mission.



Other Cove residents who have recieved the Quilt of Valor are

Harold Broughton
Ron Deffler
Bob Melgar
Larry Meyer
Steve Price

John Walker
Al Williams
Gary Worley
Chuck Zimmerman

Congratulations to all these Veterans and thank you for your service.

Quilts of Valor Foundation began in 2003 with a dream, literally a dream. Founder Catherine Roberts' son Nat was deployed in Iraq. According to Catherine:

The dream was as vivid as real life. I saw a young man sitting on the side of his bed in the middle of the night, hunched over. The permeating feeling was one of utter despair. I could see his war demons clustered around, dragging him down into an emotional gutter. Then, as if viewing a movie, I saw him in the next scene wrapped in a quilt. His whole demeanor changed from one of despair to one of hope and wellbeing. The quilt had made this dramatic change. The message of my dream was:

Quilts = Healing

The model appeared simple: have a volunteer team who would donate their time and materials to make a quilt. One person would piece the top and the other would quilt it. I saw the name for this special quilt. It was a Quilt of Valor, a QOV.

For more information, contact the Quilt of Valor Foundation.

JULY ACTIVITIES FOR RESIDENTS

(Welcome Center unless otherwise indicated)

ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE

Our last monthly meeting was held June 16th, with 8 persons present. If you are interested in participating, please contact Wanda. Everyone is welcome.

Our next monthly meeting will be August 18th at 10:00 AM at the Welcome Center. There is no event in August. We will be announcing the September event.

Thank you to everyone who is helping and attending to make our events a success for our fellow Covites!

Wanda Doris, 839-2259 or tenngammers@aol.com.

DINING OUT BUNCH

The Dining Out Bunch meets the third week of every month. The restaurant choice, day of the week and time are chosen by the host and/or hostess for that particular month. Everyone is welcome! It can be lunch, a late lunch or dinner. The decision is made by the host based on restaurant capability. If you would like to be added to the mailing list for this function, please email Martha and Tim Schmidt (schmidt-t@hotmail.com) so that they can send you monthly information.

If you missed our July event, we had a wonderful lunch at Calhoun's in Lenior City. We would highly recommend you stop by and check it out. It is worth the drive. The buffet is only served on Wednesdays.

Our Dining Out for August will be hosted by Debbie and Bob Melgar at Crowdaddy's in Cookeville, TN . All details will be provided by email at the beginning of the month.

BUNCO

Bunco will be played on August 11th and 25th (second and fourth Thursdays), at 1:00 PM at the Welcome Center.

Bunco is an easy dice game to master and a great place to meet your neighbors. Newcomers are also welcome. Hope to see you there!

If you are interested in playing, please contact Susan Knarr (susieknarr@frontier.com / 839-8545), or Betty Hernandez (skeeters1954@yahoo.com / 931-337-2713) to let us know how many tables to set up.

LATE BLOOMERS

Hey Covites, the Cove Gardening Group meets the last Wednesday of the month at 10:30 AM at the Welcome Center. We have wonderful guest speakers. On August 31st we will hear from Dave Johnson on new hybrid trees and bushes to be planted in the fall. Please join us for fun and great refreshments plus gardening pros and cons.

Hope to see you there.

Sow and Grow!

Ginger Arthur, gingkay@frontiernet.net

CUMBERLAND COVE BOOK CLUB

The book club will meet this month on Tuesday, August 16th, at 10 AM. As of date of publication, the Committee had not advised the newsletter of this month's book selection.

The Book Club meets monthly (except January) on the third Tuesday, and is open to all. Please call Valerie Sizemore at 839-2830 for more information.

RED HAT LADIES

In August, the Red Hat Ladies will hold their luncheon at Romo's Mexican Restaurant and Cantina, 965 Northside Drive, Crossville, TN at 1:00 PM on Wednesday, August 10th.

The hostesses for this day will be Teresa Targosz and Shirley Helms.

For information, contact Gail Massey, at chas.massey@frontiernet.net or 931-734-9237.

CHICKEN FOOT DOMINOES

We will not be playing Dominoes in August. See you in September.

Chicken Foot Dominoes is played on the first Thursday of the month at 10:00 AM at the Welcome Center.

This is a simple game, and easy to learn. Everyone is welcome. If you are interested, contact Judy Webster at 839-3516.

PLATEAU SASSY STITCHERS

The Plateau Sassy Stitchers will meet on the 2nd and 4th Mondays of the month, August 8th and 22nd, at 9:00 AM in the Welcome Center.

For more information, please contact Barbara Griffiths, President (839-8943), Rose Johnson (839-2630), Katherine Capotosto (854-5265), or Barbara Lavin (839-6974).

COMMUNITY EVENTS

Putnam County - August 8th - Community Band Concert, Dogwood Park, Cookeville, 7:30 - 9:00 PM

August 20th - Bluegrass Underground Concert, Cumberland Caverns, 1:00 PM
(Call 931-668-4396 for reservations)

Cumberland County - August 4th - 7th - Highway 127 Yard Sale

August 29th - September 5th - County Fair, Fairgrounds, Crossville

Cruise Ins - Monterey - 4th Saturday of the month

Cookeville - 1st Saturday of the month (4:00 - 7:00 PM)

Crossville - 4th Saturday of the month (1:00 - 5:00 PM)



COVE ACTIVITIES / INTEREST GROUPS

(Welcome Center unless otherwise noted)

Morning Coffee	Monday, Wednesday, Friday, 8:00-9:00 AM Contact: Ken Hobbs, 839-6804
Activities Committee	3 rd Thursday, 10:00 AM Social gatherings Contact: Wanda Doris, 839-2259, tenngammers@aol.com
Bible Study	Wednesdays, 7:00 AM Non-denominational, everyone welcome Contact: Elton Warren, 839-8866
Book Club	3 rd Tuesday, 10:00-11:00 AM Slate of books selected at beginning of year. Everyone welcome. Contact: Valerie Sizemore, 839-2830
Bridge Club	Fridays, 1:00-4:00 PM Contact: Larry Drysdale, 839-6096, c260-5290
Bunco	2 nd & 4 th Thursday, 1:00-3:00 PM Simple dice game. All welcome, couples/singles. Contact: Susan Knarr, 839-8545, susieknarr@frontier.com Betty Hernandez, 931-337-2713, skeeters1954@yahoo.com
Chicken Foot Dominoes	1 st Thursday, 10:00 AM Contact: Judy Webster, 839-3516 or nhjudatn@frontiernet.net
Couples Golf Scramble	Tuesday mornings (seasonal, May-Oct.) Contact: Pat Robbins 931-265-1384 Pauline Robbins 931-265-2189
Dining Out Bunch	Third week of the month (Day, time, and restaurant to be announced) Contact: Martha & Tim Schmidt, 839-2859 or schmidt-t@hotmail.com
Game Nights	2 nd , 4 th , & 5 th Wednesdays, 6:30-9:00 PM Poker, Dominoes & other card games Contact: Ken Hobbs, 839-6804
Late Bloomers	Last Wednesday, 10:30 AM, February through October. Discussions of gardening, plant selection; guest speakers; field trips. Contact: Ginger Arthur, 839-2820 or gingkay@frontiernet.net
Parks & Trails	On hold until further notice. Contact:
Poker	3 rd Tuesday, 5:00-9:00 PM Contact:
Plateau Sassy Stitchers	2 nd & 4 th Monday, 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM Contact: Barbara Griffiths, 839-8943
Red Hat Ladies	2 nd Wednesday, 11:30 AM, except December and January Contact: Gail Massey, 901-734-9237
RV Social Club	Contact: Dennis & Sheryn Ward, 839-8620 or SherynWard@gmail.com
Wildflower Study Group	No regular meetings. Database maintained and shared with all. Contact: Connie/ Ed McSweeny, 839-9669 or mcsweenyec@gmail.com

COMMUNITY BUSINESS ADS

- *Did you know for as little as \$15 (3 month ad minimum) you can place your business card here?*
- *You do not have to be a resident to subscribe so ask your doctor, dentist, chiropractor, favorite shop, etc. if they would like to advertise in our newsletter.*
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AUGUST CALENDAR

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 8:00am Coffee 9:00am ECC Meeting	2	3 7:00am Bible Study 8:00am Coffee 9:00am Security	4 10:00am – 12:45 pm Mexican Train Dominoes	5 8:00am Coffee	6
7	8 8:00am Coffee 9:00am - 1:00pm <i>Plateau Sassy Stickers</i>	9 6:30pm Open Forum 7:00pm POA Meeting	10 7:00am Bible Study 8:00am Coffee 6:30pm Game Night	11 1:00 -3:00pm Bunco	12 8:00am Coffee	13
14	15 8:00am Coffee 9:00am ECC Meeting	16 10:00am Book Club 5:30-9:00pm Poker	17 7:00am Bible Study 8:00am Coffee	18 10:00am Activities Committee	19 8:00am Coffee	20
21	22 8:00am Coffee 9:00am – 1:00pm <i>Plateau Sassy Stickers</i>	23	24 7:00am Bible Study 8:00am Coffee 6:30pm Game Night	25 9:00-11:00AM Policy & Procedures 1:00 -3:00pm Bunco	26 8:00am Coffee	27
28	29 8:00am Coffee	30	31 7:00am Bible Study 10:30am Late Bloomers			

Welcome Center Usage - Events must be scheduled with the Welcome Center Business Office by the 15th day of the month prior to the event. Current Usage Agreement can be found on the Website cumberlandcovpeo.com.