



A MESSAGE FROM YOUR OUT-GOING PRESIDENT

It doesn't seem possible that I am in the last month of my term as president of your club. It seems like only yesterday (and with the help of a little memory loss) that I stood before the club for the first meeting of my presidency term. My experience during this year has demonstrated a most important truth: the significant impact of what can be accomplished with members pulling together to get the job(s) done. As a club with a strong spirit of volunteerism, we have accomplished much. Here are a few statistics gathered by our Kiwanis Division 4 leadership: Total service hours for our club covering the previous 10 months were 2886. The next closest Kiwanis Club was Madisonville with 1324 hours. We also rated first in total number of individual service projects (347), and number of Kiwanians involved in these projects (682). We can all be very proud of these statistics.

Our club helps many children to read and strive toward a better education. What can be more important than this! Of course we also serve our community in many ways by distributing food to the needy, by ringing bells for the Salvation Army and helping people attain decent housing – just to name a few of our projects.

Ok, maybe it doesn't quite "take a village" to accomplish our many worthwhile projects, but it does take the dedication of many members, including: chairs and co-chairs of our committees: Communications – Terry Boyes; Community Services – Fred Gibson and Dave Miller; Human and Spiritual Values – Scott Mathot; Membership and Education – Bill Foss; Young Children-Priority One – Paul Kyker and Ron Barker; Youth Services – Bob Frazer and Chuck Hitch and the somewhat behind the scenes ongoing important work of our club secretary and web page manager – Bob Kryter and treasurer – Wayne Zarnecki. This list goes on to include our new club publicity coordinator – Pete Willcox; program coordinator – Fred Wicht; newsletter editor – Ron Uncapher; social coordinators – Ruth and Paul Thornton. Of course, we can't forget to mention the members of our Board of Directors: Bill Crowder, John Helling, Doug Banister, Jim Poole and Ron Uncapher.

Thank you for the opportunity to be your club president. I know you will join with me to offer full support for incoming president, Terry Boyes, as he assumes this position in October. As we all know from his previous term as president, Terry is blessed with the talent and dedication to do great job.

Lou Livengood

ADOPT A HOUSE

The Community Services Committee is compiling a list of those members who would like to be called upon to participate in future (home repair) work projects. The last project was a big one. Many members virtually rebuilt the house of a handicapped family in Lenoir City. The project received very good coverage in the August 13th edition of the Village Connection.

A project on the horizon, pending funding, will be remodeling an office at Iva's place into a apartment. Another potential project is construction of another kiosk on the nature trail across the lake.

Those who haven't already done so may get on the list by calling Fred Gibson or Mick Gardner.

Annual Kiwanis Picnic

at the Community Family Park on the lake

Tuesday Sept. 23

Gathering hour 4-5pm and we'll eat about 5:00pm

Please bring an hors d'oeuvres, salad, vegetable, or dessert. A sign-up sheet will be passed at the next Kiwanis meeting.

Cost is \$7.00 per person.

Kiwanis will supply the hamburgers and brats, and all the extras.

We need volunteers to serve on the Social Committee and help on picnic day.

Thank you.

Ruth

Building and Growing

Sharon Addison was inducted into the club this past month as our fourth lady member. Sharon has a history of community involvement in the Village and is a great addition to our membership.

Sharon and her husband, Victor de Groote, have been Village residents for many years. She came here from Sharon's hometown of Dayton, Ohio where they both were employed by National Cash Register.

Sharon is currently the president of the Boy and Girl Club- Loudon County. Please make her feel at home with a big welcome when you see her.

KIWANIS CLUB OF TELLICO VILLAGE HELPS LOCAL DESERVING CHILDREN WITH BACK TO SCHOOL CLOTHES FOR THE START OF THE SCHOOL YEAR

On Tuesday, Aug. 26th members of the Kiwanis Club of Tellico Village distributed 30 gift cards, each worth \$100.00, to deserving children in the Loudon County area. Bob Frazer, Chairman of the Youth Services Committee, noted that this is one of the many programs that the local Kiwanis Club pursues to provide help to the youth of the community. The distribution of Wal-Mart prepaid gift cards is a project that the Kiwanis club implements every year. The Kiwanis Club mission is "to serve the Youth of the world one child at a time".

Frazer also noted that the funds for this type of program come from the generous support of the local community for the many fund raisers that the club sponsors. One of the most important of these is the upcoming Kiwanis Charity Golf Tournament that will be held on September 13th at the Toqua Golf course in Tellico Village.

The picture at the left shows a few of the children selecting their back to school clothes at Wal-Mart.

Shown above are Cindy Lawson, Director of Loudon County Family Resource Center, Bob Frazer, Tellico Village Kiwanis Youth Services Committee Chairman, Susan Fox, Director of Lenoir City Family Resource Center and Wayne Miller, Director of Lenoir City Public Schools.



SPECIAL EVENTS FOR SEPTEMBER

BIRTHDAYS

Sept 4 Wallin W. King
 Sept 6 Wilbert E. Burger
 Sept 8 Scott C. Mathot
 Sept 27 James L. Nicholson

GREETERS SCHEDULE

(Be available by 11:00AM please)
 September Terry Boyes and Tom Warner
 with Marsh Pierce
 October Dave Miller and Gary Andrews
 with Chuck Hitch

ANNIVERSARYS

Aug 7 Mick & Adele Gardner
 Aug 10 Jim & Margaret Poole
 Aug 18 Bob & Sally Delaney
 Aug 20 Chuck & Carole Swenson
 Aug 22 Don & Donna Fraley
 Aug 26 Tom & Patti Warner
 Aug 27 Bob & Judy Kryter
 Aug 27 Pete & Elaine Willcox
 Aug 29 Scott & Karen Mathot

THE TELLICO PARKWAY LITTER PICK-UP SCHEDULE

Sep. 16 - 30 John Helling,
 Fred Kyle
 Al Porell,
 Ken /Mack*

* denotes captain

MEETING SCHEDULE SEPTEMBER 2008

DATE	TIME	PROGRAM HOST	SPEAKER	TOPIC
Sept. 2	12:00 PM	Lou Livengood	Nancy Grimes, Director	Iva's Place
Sept. 16	12:00 PM	Bill Crowder	Roy Kramer, former coach	South Eastern Conference
Sept. 16	1:15 PM	Board Meeting		

UPCOMING EVENTS

September 11	CAC Fundraiser Speaker: Hallerin Hilton Hill
September 13	9th Annual Golf Outing
September 23	Annual Kiwanis Picnic
November 1	Pancake Breakfast

**Don't forget! The Kiwanis Club of Tellico Village
 Website has all the information you will need. Please
 visit it at:**

**<http://www.discoveret.org/tvkwanis/>
 (note that the spelling is correct)**

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