

The VVHA Voice



January 2023

President's Letter

HAPPY NEW YEAR !! I just realized that in two more years (2025) this century will be a quarter over. Time goes by so fast. It is that time of the year when we have our annual Board Meeting to elect members to the Board of Directors for Vicksburg Village. This year we have four board members whose terms have expired. We have 6 candidates running to fill these positions. It is important that we have as many residents attending the meeting as possible. If it is not possible for you to attend in person, please fill out a proxy and drop off at the office or give to a friend or neighbor. If you choose to give your proxy to someone, be certain they will be attending the meeting to vote on your behalf. You will be receiving more information about the annual meeting and a voting proxy by mail in just a few days. There is one vote per household. The Friday Happy Hour group had a Yew Year's gathering this past Saturday to celebrate the arrival of 2023. They had a few first-timers also attend the event. Every resident of the village is always invited to attend the weekly happy hours which are held every Friday evening at 5:00 p.m. Bring your own beverages – alcoholic or non-alcoholic. Kathy Ballard and Betsy Flett have been the Welcoming Committee for the past four years and feel it is time to give someone else the reins. A big thank you to Kathy and Betsy for all they have done! Gail Johnson has shown an interest in assuming the duties of the Welcome Committee. I am sure that Gail would appreciate some help. If you like meeting people, this would be a great chance for you to volunteer your services. Please call Gail if you would like to give her a hand. Gail's telephone number is 979-299-9277.

Ron Ballard, President

Office Hours: Monday & Wednesday 8am-2pm Tuesday and Thursday 12pm-4pm

Vicksburg Village Website: Please visit at www.vicksburgvillage.net. We are very happy with the work that Dean Seals has done for us. You will find lots of helpful tools on the site. Such as, architectural control committee request forms and much more! If you have any suggestions for new content, please let us know. We want to make this website a useful tool for all our residents.



Bunco Group: Third Wednesday of each month. If you are interested in joining the group or would like to substitute, please call Mell Whiting (443-243-6934). We are always in need of permanent players and substitutes.

Artist of the month: There is a signup sheet on the credenza for the “Artist of the month.” We enjoy seeing the artistic talents of our residents. The artist this month is Tom Whiting. Please stop by and enjoy his artistic work.

Free Notary Service: Free notary service is available for residents of Vicksburg Village in need of such service. Contact Christine Klima at 830-370-8957 to make arrangements.



George's Korner - BAD DAD JOKES:

Q: What do you call a bee that was born in American?
A: A USB.

For Christmas I got an alarm clock that swears at me rather than ringing. Talk about a rude awakening.

Q: What is the main difference between ignorance and indifference?
A: I don't know, and I don't care



Activities

EVENT	DAY	TIME	CONTACT	
Bob Ross Style Painting Class	TBD)	See newsletter	Tom Whiting	443-243-6933
Book Club	3 rd Monday	6:30PM	Gloria Valentine	955-5267
Bunco	3 rd Wednesday	6:30PM	Mell Whiting	443-243-6934
Chicago Bridge	2 nd Monday	1:00PM	Joy Morriss	895-8821
Canasta	Thursday	1:00PM	Mary Etheridge	257-5124
Happy Hour	Friday	5:00PM	Putt Shaw	792-5898
Mahjong	Tuesday	2:00PM	Carolyn Wilkinson	792-5541
Men's Coffee	M, T, Th, Fr	8:30AM	Mike Michalec	739-8640
Poker Night	Every Other Tuesday (Call to be sure)	5:00PM -8:00PM	Barney ("B.B.") Mays	955-9012
Quilt Bee	1 st Monday	1:00PM	Peggy McCullough	890-5330
Stitching	Wednesday	1:00PM	Mel Whiting	443-243-6934
Nine-Ball Pool	Thursday	9:30AM	Steve Lehman	739-5990
Eight-Ball Pool	Friday	7:30AM	Steve Lehman	739-5990
Water Exercise	Mon, Wed, Fri	7:00AM	Betty Aronsen	896-2187
Water Exercise	Tues, Thurs, Sat	10:00AM	Mary Lou Bartels	257-8066
Wednesday Coffee	Wednesday	9-ish AM	Office	257-2442

COMMITTEES AND MEMBERS AS OF 5/02/2022

	ARCHITECTURAL CONTROL	CC & R 's, Bylaws & Rules	BEREAVEMENT	BUDGET & FINANCE	CLUBHOUSE MAINTENANCE & SUPPLIES	ELECTION
Chair	Christine Klima	<i>Sitting President</i>	Annie Snellgrove	<i>Sitting Treasurer</i>	Ron Ballard	Mary Ellen Terry
	Bonnie Flory	Don Killmer	Ruth Maples	<i>Sitting President</i>		Betty Aronsen
	Don Killmer	Bonnie Flory	Lou Koch	Ron Ballard		Bonnie Flory
	Sheryl Hutson		Lois Korbelik	Jim Froemke		Barbara Gaither
	Billy Ponce		Carolyn MacAskie	Putt Shaw	Clubhouse	Peggy McCullough
	Dean Reynolds		Mary Etheredge	Don Killmer	Committee	Joy Morris
			Sherrill Hutson		Sitting President	Putt Shaw
			Babs Morgan		Wanda Cook	George Scheirton
			Sharon Nole		Ron Ballard	
			Carolyn Brooks			
	GENERAL MAINTENANCE	Clubhouse Decorating	NOMINATING (ad hoc)	WELCOME	Blog	Common Areas Gardening
Chair	TBD	Sharon Preston	<i>Last full-term President</i>	Kathy Ballard	Jim Froemke	Roxanne Case
	Don Flett	Cindy Seals	Appointee, TBD	Betsy Flett		Darrel Case
	Mike Kempf	Betsy Flett	Appointee, TBD			Don Flett
	Timmy Matthias	Roberta Mettepenningen				Kim Marks
	Violet Matthias				Website	Sharon Preston
	Mike Michalec				Dean Seals	Gerry Stamps
					Sitting President	

Board of Directors:

- Ron Ballard, President
- Robert Brooks, Vice President
- Mary Staudt, Treasurer
- Gloria Valentine, Secretary
- Don Hadley, At Large
- Gwen Myers, At Large
- Wanda Cook, At Large & Past President