

FOR WHAT IT'S WORTH

Michele Hall (filling in for Cathy Young)



March 27, 2015

"Fill in" Editor's Comments

Hi Everyone,

I'm filling in for Cathy Young while she helps her sister Helen recuperate from a broken hip/surgery. Cathy's shoes are tough to fill, but I'll do my best! We all hope Helen makes a very speedy recovery and that Cathy has lots of fun with Helen and the rest of her family. I have a hunch that wherever those two sisters are, there is A LOT of laughter and fun!

As the "Fill In" editor, may I personally wish much joy to all of you and your families as we welcome the return of Spring, celebrate Easter, or observe Passover, and remind everyone that any **errors** in this edition are mine, and mine alone!

If you have contributions for the next issue of FWIW, please email them to alpinelake@hotmail.com. Reminder emails will be sent requesting contributions for the next FWIW. Happy Reading! Miss you Cathy!

The biggest lie I tell myself is "I don't need to write that down, I'll remember it."

TIMELY NOTICES & REMINDERS...

EGGS/PRODUCE – by Sheila Amato

Next delivery will be Wed, April 8– approx. 11:15 AM. Then: April 22nd. Our local farmer, James Stemple, delivers eggs to Alpine every other Wednesday. Hopefully, James' chickens are back on schedule so he can deliver every other week to Alpine. To order, call Sheila at (304) 789-5555 or respond to the email sent before each delivery.

WEDNESDAY NEEDLEWORK GROUP.... Reminder: During the when lunch is not available at the lodge, we still meet in the Rhododendron Room at 10:00 AM, with coffee and a nice assortment of snacks, brought by our participants to share. It's truly a "pot-luck" and we encourage anyone interested to bring their handwork projects or just come to visit and enjoy conversation and companionship at beautiful Alpine Lake. Spread the word and come join the fun. Everyone welcome.

COMING SOON...

ALPINE LAKE EASTER BRUNCH BUFFET – Sun., April 5th – 11AM – 3 PM – Lodge

If you and your family are celebrating Easter at Alpine this year, give the head cook the day off and come enjoy a delicious brunch at the lodge. Lots of menu items to choose from including: Sausage patties, sausage gravy & biscuits, scrambled eggs, pork loin, country ham, stuffed chicken breast, lasagna, coleslaw, house salad, fresh rolls, mashed potatoes & gravy, red-roasted potatoes, country-style green beans, sweet corn, sweet potatoes, and for dessert - Misty's

homemade banana, chocolate chip and raisin breads. \$18.99/adult and \$9.99 for children 10 and under.



COMING LATER(mark your calendars now & watch for details)

- MEMBER-MEMBER “Icebreaker” Golf Tournament –Sat. April 25** (check Pro Shop)
 - PROPERTY OWNERS’ KY DERBY PARTY – Sat., May 2 -** (save the date)
 - ANNUAL SPRING LADIES LUNCHEON – May 7 at noon** (save the date)
 - COMMUNITY PRIDE DAY – Sat., May 9 –** (save the date & watch for details)
 - PRO’S PAR 3 GOLF TOURNAMENT – Sun., May 17 – PM Shotgun Start** (details later)
- (Also check FUTURE DATES on last page of FWIW for other upcoming events to note)*

<p><i>Thoughts, Prayers & Thank You Messages</i></p>	
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This section of FWIW is one of the best loved because it gives us an opportunity to keep up with our neighbors and friends by reporting good news as well as offering support when folks are going through difficult times. Thank you for passing along updates and news.

Update on ***Helen Troxell*** – Cathy reports that Helen is home now! She thanks everyone from Alpine who have sent good well wishes in cards and notes over the past few weeks. Your thoughts and prayers are sincerely appreciated.

We know there are some in our community dealing with health issues, family and friend losses, and other challenges, so if you know of someone who would like us to remember them in this section of FWIW (with their permission), please let us know. We also ask that you continue to remember friends and neighbors we’ve mentioned in previous issues, including ***Adrian Spiker, Skip Keppler, Jim Eckhardt,*** and family of ***Gunner Combs***...the need is ongoing. Thank you.

ROAD REPAIRS NEEDED

Editor’s Note: Because this is SO important to anyone traveling these roads, we are repeating the contact information below. If you have not sent a request for repairs yet, PLEASE DO IT NOW...spring is the perfect time for road repairs to be made, so let’s make our concerns known NOW.

Anyone driving on the **Alpine Lake Rd. from Rt. 7 to Alpine Lake, and Rt. 7 through Terra Alta** is painfully aware that they are in need of repair. While nothing can be done until better weather, we can help now by letting our representatives know we support getting these much-needed repairs done. To this end, we are providing several contacts and hope everyone will take a few minutes to send them a letter, call, or notify them via one of the email options below. There is strength in numbers, so get involved by contacting one or more of the contacts below, please. Whether you’re part-time or full-time, you are affected by our roads. Thank you.

ONLINE: Go to WV Dept. of Transportation (WVDOT) – Choose District 4 (includes Preston County) for a form you can complete online – Request for Road Repair. Easy way to get word to them.

CONTACTS: (send a letter, email or call):

Paul A. Mattox, Jr., Highways – (304) 558-3505 – Email: dot.commissioner@wv.gov

ROAD TRIP TO WOW FACTORY – Tue., April 7th – Morgantown

Anyone interested is invited to go to the WOW Factory in Morgantown, WV for a workshop – choose your project: paint your own pottery, mosaic, glass, glass jewelry, etc. Bring your own lunch; coffee, water & soda provided. We will carpool from the Alpine lodge at 10:00 AM. Sound like fun? Contact Sally Rocchi & sign up to go: sallyrocchi@yahoo.com.

BRaille DOTS FOR TOTS is now accepting donations to purchase supplies. Our local group has brailled over 800 books for the Romney School for the Blind, and we have sent over 300 to Guam for distribution. We would appreciate your help. Please make checks payable to either Nina Sheets or Sheila Amato, and include “braille supplies” in the memo line. Thank you.

ALPUC NEWS – from Kim Mayne, ALPUC



The ALPUC Board will have two (2) members terms expiring in 2015. If you are interested, or would like more information, please contact our office or any current board member by April 17th. Your next ALPUC bill will be mailed out on March 31st. Please note you may see negative usage since February’s billing was estimated due to inclement weather and the March actual readings will correct the over and under estimations. As always if you have questions, please do not hesitate to contact our office. Also, please remember to update your personal information with ALPUC, so we have good contact information if the need would arise to contact you.



CELEBRATIONS

Send an email if you’d like to have your special day recognized here, which gives us permission to publish your name and date. Thanks.



MORE CELEBRATIONS – Alpine Staff

Same message as above applies to our Alpine Staff members who are celebrating this month. We are happy to add this section to FWIW where we can recognize our valued staff members in a small way. Thanks to Linette Sines for keeping us informed of these folks.

Birthdays:

C.J. Fitchett- Roads / Golf Maintenance - April 8
Dean Moats - Roads / Golf Maintenance - April 7
Laura Newhall, Server / Bartender - April 12th

Employment Anniversaries:

Sam Berry - Roads / Golf Maintenance - 4 Years
Bill Casteel - Roads / Golf Maintenance - 2 years
Sandra Craver - Kitchen Manager - 1 year
Donald Dillsworth, Security Guard - 11 years
C.J. Fitchett - Roads / Golf Maintenance - 3 years
Johnny Shaffer - Cook - 4 years
Alyssa Sines - Housekeeping / Pro Shop - 2 years
Misty Starcher - Pastry Chef - 4 years

Bon Voyage...

Ralph Hauger, who has been head of Security at Alpine, is leaving Alpine for another position. Many thanks to you Ralph, for your years of service and best wishes on your future endeavors.



HAPPENINGS AROUND THE LAKE & NEARBY...

SHUFFLEBOARD NEWS - *Dave Tucker (Trainee Commish)*

It's been a slow couple of weeks given that some of our regulars have taken their snow breaks in warmer climes. On 12 Mar we had 18 shufflers and on 19 Mar 16 players, but there was some very good shooting and great comradery.

On 12 March Helen and Herman skunked Pat and John Laing 12-0. Pat and John Laing then went on to skunk Dave and Ginger Tucker 11-0, and then they skunked Kris Iskow and Kathy Berry 12-0 also. Sheila Amato and Cathy Young both had hangers for the night. The winners for the night:

1st Place Tony & Sheila Amato

2nd Place Loring & Cathy Young

3rd Place John & Pat Laing

Our second week the old Commish Bob Bayer showed up just to tone his skills (think he was feeling lonely). Barb and Jim Herndon returned from Florida and joined our group for the evening as well as Caleb Hagelberger, our golf pro, and his sidekick CJ joined the fun too. Trish Burch had a visit from her son in law Tom and his friend Ted (I hope I got that right and it wasn't the other way around). They added a bit of amusement and gave some good ribbing as well as took some ribbing in return.

On to the plays. Barb Herndon clears the board thinking the set was finished but Ginger Tucker caught it and throws for 6 points in one set. Norleen Hoadley throws a hanger and the Lakers Lounge was excited with her. Bob and Kay Bayer both threw for 5 points each and took 1st place to celebrate Bob's spring break vacation.

1st Place Bob & Kay Bayer

2nd Place John & Pat Laing

3rd Place Tony & Sheila Amato

FUN-FIT" CORNER – *Compliments of the AM Aerobics Group*

With the promise of more pleasant weather, our aerobics classes can finally start to be more regular, after many cancellations during the winter Alpine weather. We are very lucky to have friends who are also Alpine residents do such a great job of leading these classes so that we can do it right here in our community. We invite everyone – men & women – to join the group every

Mon., Wed. & Fri. at 9 AM for an hour of well-rounded routines to help us all get rid of the winter blahs and do something good for ourselves. Join anytime...just show up!

YOGA CLASSES – *Update from Joyce Wachter*

Sadly, at this time, we will not be holding classes in Yoga at Alpine. Unfortunately there were problems with insurance liability that prohibited GC Yogaworks from holding classes at Alpine. I did receive a favorable amount of interest in the classes, so if anyone knows of another instructor please let me know. Perhaps we can still make it happen here.

Contact **Joyce Wachter** at (304) 789-5086 or joyceann.wachter@gmail.com. Thanks.

ALPINE LAKE'S 20TH ANNUAL HOUSE TOUR!! CALL FOR HOUSES....

On Sunday, June 28th, the annual Tour of Homes will be held; however, a house tour cannot be done without the *help of homeowners* willing to show their home for 5 hours that day. This event draws visitors to our community from Preston/Garrett Counties & Morgantown, provides contributions to community charities, and is a fun event. **Please say “Yes, I will show my home.”** Contact **Joyce Wachter** at (304) 789-5086 or joyceann.wachter@gmail.com. Thanks.



FROM MANAGEMENT & STAFF

GENERAL MANAGER'S CORNER – *by Freddie Harrison, GM*

The maintenance building walls have been constructed and we are awaiting the steel for the sides which should be here in the next couple days. The new lodge windows have been installed. Five windows in the proshop, six windows in the Rhodo room, five windows in the kitchen, two windows in back offices, two sliding glass doors, and two windows in the stairwell. New lodge entrance and vestibule doors have been ordered and should arrive six to eight weeks from now. Cart barn construction is complete and now that the snow has melted we will be getting the electric ran to the building. Weather permitting work on the security/welcome center will begin next week.

I want to express a thank you to all who signed up and participated in volunteering to paint and stain in the Lakers Lounge and Evergreene dining room. I also want to thank Frank Slack our lodge maintenance for the terrific job he has done since joining our team. Everything looks great! Please check the front desk of the lodge for more volunteer sign-ups for future projects. The sign-up for Community Pride Day is also at the front desk. It is scheduled for Saturday May 9, 2015, so mark those calendars. For those of you signing up we will meet at 8:00 am in the Evergreene room for donuts, coffee, and job assignments for the day.

You will be seeing some new faces in the coming months as we get prepared for our busy season. During the winter month's staff is greatly reduced to help get us through the rest of our year. When May roles around its full steam ahead with lots of property owners returning and guests arriving. Please introduce yourself and give them a warm Alpine welcome.

The military is scheduled to perform training drills on Thursday June 11th. The lake will be closed for fishing and boating that day, to ensure everyone's safety. They will be doing helicopter drops into the lake. I encourage everyone to watch as the men and women that fight for our freedom train for the future.

BUSINESS OFFICE NEWS – by *Linette Sines, Business Manager*

Spring is in the air, and Property Owners are beginning to inquire about purchasing Boat Stickers for the year. Stickers will be available May 1st. Registration forms will be enclosed with your 2015/2016 assessment billing forms, or at the Front Desk. We will not accept payment or distribute stickers until May 1st.

Your 2015/2016 Assessment Billing should arrive in your mailbox on or around May 1st with a due date of May 16th. Please remember, ALPOA is utilizing BB&T Bank's lockbox service, and all payments are to be mailed to the billing address that is shown on your remittance stub. It is very important that you return your remittance stub with your payment.

MARKETING NEWS – by *Lauren Kotula, Group Sales/Marketing Mgr.*

We encourage golf members to sign up for two new outside tournaments at Alpine Lake. Friday, **June 5** Alpine Lake will host the Garrett County Chamber of Commerce Golf Tournament with an 8:30 AM shotgun start. Also, Saturday, **June 20** the Preston County Deputy Sheriffs' Assn. Tournament will take place with a 9 AM shotgun start.

For more details on specials & promotions, follow Alpine Lake on Facebook at www.facebook.com/alpinelakeresort.

OUR NEIGHBORING COMMUNITIES

RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVES – by *Marilyn Metheny, Blood Drive Chair, T.A. Civic Club*

Important Reminder: 1st scheduled blood drive is: Thur., March 26 (please help if you can).
The Terra Alta Civic Club sponsors Red Cross Blood Mobiles and all drives are held at the Terra Alta Community Ambulance Building from Noon to 5:30 PM on the following **additional** dates which are currently scheduled: Thur., May 28, Thur., July 23, Wed., Sept. 23, and Wed., Nov. 18, 2015. Please note the above dates on your calendar and plan to give the gift of life – be a blood donor. Thank you for your support.

GUN BASH - Sat., March 28th – Craig Civic Center, Kingwood, WV

The Terra Alta Community Ambulance Squad is sponsoring a Gun Bash as a fundraiser. Doors open at 11:30 AM and last gun is drawn at 6:00 PM. Drawing begins at Noon with a gun given away every 15 minutes. Do not need to be present to win. Additional raffles will be available. Food by Smokin' BBQ and refreshments available all day. Tickets; \$30; additional guest \$20 at the door, and children 12 & under \$10. Tickets available at Street's Store in Masontown; Craig Civic Center; and Surveyor & Assoc., Kingwood; Shaffer Ford in Oakland, MD, Kammie's Florist & Grove's Hardware in Terra Alta, WV and the Terra Alta Ambulance building or from any member or by calling (304) 789-6006 or (304) 789-6566. Freddie Harrison recently came to our meeting to give us donations from the Alpine residents. We really appreciate your support. Contact for information: Marilyn Metheny, Pres., T.A. Ambulance Squad – (304) 789-6006.

GARRETT COUNTY HEALTH FAIR – Sat., April 11 – 8:30 AM – 1:00 PM

The 8th Annual Health Fair will be held at the CARC (Community Aquatic & Rec. Center) at Garrett College, McHenry, MD. This is a free community event to increase health awareness and to promote health-oriented resources available throughout the local community. There will be informational booths set up, as well as guest speakers, and several health screenings. Watch local papers for more information as the date draws near. For more information, contact Kathy Greaser at (301) 533-4178 or by email: kgreaser@gcmh.com.



VETERANS YOGA PROJECT – Sunday, April 12 – Oakland, MD

A fundraiser workshop will be held at Southern Garrett Rescue Squad, Oakland, and will introduce the many health benefits of yoga & meditation. Class will benefit everyone who participates, whether you're a beginner or experienced. Advance registration is required, along with a \$25 donation. 100% of all money collected will go to benefit the Veterans Yoga Project, to be used in yoga therapy programs to aid recovery and promote resilience among Veterans with PTSD. Deadline to register: March 21st – Veterans Free. Register by calling (301) 616-8795 or get more information at info@gcyogaworks.com. Schedule: 2-4 PM: Yoga & Meditation 4-5PM: Social/Refreshments. Learn more about this worthwhile project by visiting their website: www.VeteransYogaProject.org.

Editor's Note: Thanks to Alpine resident Cynthia Lincoln for letting us know about this very important and worthwhile event to benefit our Veterans.

PROUDFOOT VARIETY STORE – News from Dick Ednock

An Oakland landmark, Proudfoot's variety store, will be shutting its doors in May. After losing its pharmacy business several years ago, it could no longer sustain itself as a variety store. I personally feel it had the best variety of birthday, Christmas and other occasion cards in the area. The lion's head fountain in the rear was a unique feature.



ALPOA BOARD NEWS

PRESIDENT'S REPORT – by Ginger, Tucker, President

I hope everyone gets a chance to view the newly stained alcoves in the Evergreen room and notice the new windows in the Rhododendron room. We may not notice a difference in the warmth of the room during the spring and summer but I'm sure we will notice make a big difference next winter. Frank Slack will be painting the window trim over the coming days.

We will also be starting work around the lake now that the ice cap has melted. But the good news is that we will purchase and start renting boats, kayaks with life jackets, and bicycles with helmets for the summer. I think this will be a great summer addition for Alpine Lake residents and visitors.

The Board is reviewing the DNR Wildlife Control contract as a means of controlling the geese and skunk population that comes with the warmer weather

We also encourage property owners to participate in the upcoming Easter Sunrise Service at the Boathouse and follow on breakfast buffet at the Evergreene Room. This continues a great Alpine Lake tradition. The board will do everything we can to ensure those

traditions are carried on as this is what makes our community the best place to live and play.

For those who might be interested there are two board seats open for election at the annual property owners meeting in June. All candidates can submit their intentions to the Nominations and Elections Chairperson, Boris Nazaroff, via email or a phone call. The deadline for candidate applications is 30 March at 5PM. Please consider serving the Alpine Lake community as a board member for the next three years.



COMMITTEE REPORTS

NOMINATIONS & ELECTIONS COMMITTEE – by *Boris Nazaroff, Chair*

Reminder – You still have time to be a candidate – get involved in YOUR community.

2015 Board of Directors Positions: Two (2) ALPOA Board of Directors' positions will be up for re-election in June, 2015. Any interested Alpine Lake property owner in good standing is eligible to run for one of these positions. Each position entails a term of three (3) years. All interested candidates are encouraged to contact me in any of three ways:

- (1) Via Mail: Boris Nazaroff, Chair, Nominations & Elections Committee – 700 West Alpine Drive, Terra Alta, WV 26764
- (2) Via Telephone: (304) 789-2608 or (571) 926-6388
- (3) Via email: bnazaroff@gmail.com

If you have any questions regarding the Nominations Process, please feel free to contact me as indicated above.

Please remember that the ***deadline for submission*** of your intention to be an ALPOA Board of Director candidate is ***5 PM Monday, March 30, 2015.***

BEAUTIFICATION COMMITTEE – by *Barb Conway & Wilma Rumble, Co-Chairs*

Reminder...

Each year, Beautification publishes a directory to assist our property owners in finding business or service providers. Local businesses are contacted and given the opportunity to place an advertisement in our directory, for the bargain price of \$35 per year. Profits from the directory ad sales are used to finance projects here at Alpine. It's time for our annual update, and we would like to expand the directory to make it more useful to our owners and visitors.

As you are making plans with service providers, please mention the directory and show them a copy, if you have one on hand. Also, please relay contact information of possible new advertisers to Barbara Conway, baconway@frontier.com, so that an informational letter can be sent. We want to have letters ready for distribution by May 1, so that the revised booklet can be given out at our annual meeting in June.

GOLF COMMITTEE – by *Katherine Bennington, GC Membership/Marketing*

For 2015 golf news, please refer to the all-inclusive article included in the March 13th FWIW. This edition includes information about golf course transformation, membership fee, additional benefits, incentive offers for everyone, new additions to the golf carts, offers on your cart from apres golf 'almost cost free' beverages to a complimentary gift, and how all property owners can help grow golf play and membership at Alpine Lake. The golf season is arriving soon and the

Golf Committee members can't wait to play at Alpine Lake and look upon the beautiful scenery from the vantage point of Hole 10. More importantly, we are looking forward to seeing all of you.

NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH COMMITTEE – *by Bruce Lohr, Chair*

Hi Folks,

It might sometimes be hard to believe but warm weather will be here soon. Warm weather means folks will be outside but not everyone outside has good intentions. We sometimes get a little careless and the bad guys take advantage of this. Here are a few warm weather tips to protect your home:

- Lock doors and windows when not at home or when you go to bed. Ground floor window screens are easily defeated. This includes "short trips".
- Outside lights on at dusk and out at dawn
- Give your home a lived in look. Utilize timers inside when not at home set on different times so it appears that someone is moving throughout the home.
- If you are "outback" make sure front doors and front windows are secure
- Let's all look out for each other. When you are out walking or driving around keep an "eye out" for suspicious persons and / or conditions. If you see something suspicious call security and / or law enforcement. **DO NOT CONFRONT OR ATTEMPT TO DETAIN ANYONE. WE ARE THE EYES AND EARS ONLY!!**
- Please Stay Safe and enjoy the good weather!!!!

PROPERTY OWNERS COMMITTEE – *by Bernie and Birgit Stock*

The Kentucky Derby Party/Fundraiser will take place at the Boathouse on Saturday, May 2nd. We hope those PO's and guests who have joined us in past years will again be there for the event this time as well as first timers. As in the previous years there will be good food and libations, derby day outfits (optional) with prizes, the "Alpine Lake" races (6) and, of course, the "Run for the Roses" race from Church Hill Downs, Louisville, KY via satellite. The "Alpine Lake"

Race Card will be in the next issue of the FWIW, with the names of all thirty-six horses for purchase at \$10 each. They go quickly, so purchase your horse ASAP.(one per person).

Wagering will take place throughout the afternoon. All proceeds will go to the ongoing projects presently going on at A.L. **STAY TUNED FOR MORE IN THE NEXT ISSUE AND SHADOW BOXES. MARK YOUR CALENDARS!!!**

In a few days we'll be heading back north and wait for spring to come again. With that thought I ponder all that needs to be done back home at our house and on the property at Alpine Lake. Together we will make it sparkle again. Have a holy Passover and blessed Easter...

ECC COMMITTEE – *by Dick Gallagher, Chair*

We're sure that the eternal cold of this winter has many homeowners thinking – “This is the year we're going to build that garage. While we're at it, we should probably have the driveway paved so we can get in and out.” The forms for both of these projects are available online. Talk with a contractor and get things started now. The driveway paving project requires a meeting of the contractor with our roads maintenance crew to discuss culverts and road interface before the project can begin. That permit may take a week or two for approval, so take that into consideration when you are setting up your timeline.

When (if) the snow ever melts, you are going to find that your ditches and culverts are filled with gravel. The roads crew has had to use many tons this year to keep the roads safe. The gravel will

wash off the roads, eventually. Try to keep your culvert clear to promote the smooth flow of the spring rains. It will protect your property and that of your neighbors below. The roads crew will be out and about working on the issue, but they can't be everywhere at once. Any assistance you can provide would be appreciated.

Silence cannot be misquoted.

ALPINE LAKE LODGE WINTER HOURS
EFFECTIVE Jan. 5, 2015 – IN EFFECT NOW!

FRONT DESK -

Monday – Saturday - 8 AM – 4 PM
Sunday - 8 AM – 3 PM

THE EVERGREENE DINING ROOM -

Closed Except Special Occasions

LAKERS' LOUNGE -

Monday – Friday - 3 PM – 9 PM
Saturday & Sunday 11 AM – 9 PM

FITNESS CENTER - DAILY - 6:00 AM – 10:00 PM

PRO SHOP - CLOSED for Winter Months

**Note: Our Alpine Lake website is: www.alpinelake.com
Phones; (800) 752-7179 or (304) 789-2481**

WEEKLY SPECIALS

Mondays - 50¢ Wings

Tuesdays STEAK NIGHT

Wednesdays 50% Off Appetizers

Thursdays: ALL pizzas 1/2 priced - (COME FOR SHUFFLEBOARD – 6 PM)

Fridays –Taco Night

All Specials Available 4-9 PM



WINTER HAPPY HOUR

3-5 PM – Monday – Friday

\$2.00 Drafts - \$1.00 off Mixed Drinks

NEW YEAR – NEW MENU

Stop by Lakers' Lounge to try items from our delicious new menu!

Follow Alpine Lake on Facebook for more specials and updates!



FREE CLASSIFIED ADS - "A Service for our Readers"

Editor's Note: Ads will run in 4 issues, and then be deleted, unless new ones are resubmitted. This will be accomplished by inserting the date the ad was first run, with new ads at the top of the listing. We appreciate your help to make this section of FWIW beneficial to our readers by being current. Thank you.

For Sale: NEW IN BOX Pro Lift for lawn equipment mowers, tractors, snow blowers. Steel construction, raises the unit up 22 inches and lifts up to 350 lbs per axle. An adjustable wheel span of up to 48 inches. Safety lock, rubber platform prevents scratches, non-slip foot pedal allows easy lifting, hydraulic power, maneuverable and adjustable. Cost \$200.00 Sell \$170.00, or M.O. 304 789 6520 or email mr.prp@hotmail.com (3/27)

Found: Key found on ski slope; red plastic man on key ring. Pick up at front desk. (3/13)

Moving Sale Items: We have sold our house in Alpine and have the following items for sale – all at reasonable prices. Futons, computer desk unit & bookcase, TVs, oak glass-front TV stand, oak dresser w/mirror & more. Also lamps, rug & kitchen items. Call (239) 682-1642, email wvpiehl@frontier.com, or stop by 121 Clover Dr. on or after March 21st. (3/13)

More Moving Sale Items: Table saw, miter box saw, sanders, nail guns, push mower, weed eater, leaf blower, ladders & many other hand & electric tools. Call (239) 682-1642, email wvpiehl@frontier.com or stop by 121 Clover Dr. on or after March 21st. (3/13)

Tax Services: We provide a wide spectrum of services, including but not limited to, tax preparation for individuals, businesses and estates. We also provide tax planning (including gas leases) and estimated payments, payroll and all related taxes & reports, W2s, 1099s, financial statements, Public Service Commission (PSC) annual reports, Business Personal Property Returns, Raffle & Bingo annual reports, non-profit procedures, and sales & tax returns. Call Dorinda Kisner, CPA PLLC (304) 789-6082 or email: Dorinda@kisnercpa.com (3/13)

Need Batteries? – Individual “watch” batteries are expensive at retail. If you have the courage to change the batteries yourself, I have purchased some in bulk and will sell them for under \$0.50 each. I can also help install them, if you need help for \$1/battery. Contact me for availability and prices: laingjc@juno.com or call (410) 937-9174. (2/27)

Needed: I am currently living in FL, but would very much like to rent a place at Alpine Lake for the summer – June 1-August 30, 2015. We also have a small dog, weighing 12 pounds. It would be just two of us, so a small place would be fine. Please call: Dr. Ervin Leuth - (703) 608-4541. (2/13)

For Sale: SNOW BLOWER, 2010 Power Land, 32" wide, 13HP, used 3 years, runs great. \$450.
Call Fred (304) 698-3470 (1/30)

Pet Sitting – Call Kay – (304) 789-2111. (1/30)

Lost – Costume jewelry pin – Celtic design, silver with green stone. Sentimental value only.
Most likely lost at Barry farewell at Boathouse on Jan. 2nd. If found, call Sharon Golmitz,
(304) 789-6575. (1/16)

Alpine Home for Rent: 2 bedroom/2 bath furnished home with loft area on Betony Lane near top of old ski hill available to rent on long-term lease. Home overlooks green space down to the lake and has decks on front & back. Washer/dryer, fireplace, 1-car garage. Available Jan. 2015.
Call Dick at (907) 830-2469 (1/2)

Dates to Remember - (A handy summary of dates to put on your calendar now)

Please note that the following events occur weekly on the day and time noted:

Mon., Wed. & Fri. - 9-10 AM – FUN-FIT Aerobics Classes, Lodge, Allegheny Room

Mondays – 10 AM- 3 PM – Sew Together, Rhododendron Room, Lodge (Winter Months)

Tuesdays – Steak Night – cut to order - Lodge

Wednesdays - 10:00 AM – Needlework Club - Rhododendron Room (see article)

Wednesdays – 4-7 PM – Ladies' Night, ½ price appetizers – Lakers' Lounge

Wednesdays – 6:00 PM – “Jam Sessions”, Rhododendron Room

Wednesdays -- 7:00 PM – Property Owners Game Night, Boathouse

Thursdays – 10 AM-Noon – Braille Workshop – Rhododendron Room

Thursdays – 6 PM – Shuffleboard – (All pizzas 1/2 price)

Fridays 1-4 PM – Artist/Craft Group, Rhododendron Room, Lodge

Note: Dump Open: Tue/Thur 7:00 AM – 4:00 PM & Sat. 7:00 AM-4:00 PM

T.A. Recycling Plant Open: Tue/Wed/Thur 8 AM – 2PM, and Sat. 8 AM ‘til Noon

Also – monthly events:

2nd Sunday of each month 7 AM – 1 PM – Kingwood VFD Breakfast

3rd **Saturday** of each month – **9 AM – ALPUC Board Meeting** (meets June, Sept., Nov.)

10 AM – ALPOA Community Board Meeting (see note below)

NEXT ALPOA MONTHLY COMMUNITY BOARD MEETING - Saturday, April 18

Please continue to email Board Members w/questions, suggestions (addresses are on website)

OR Use Comment Box in Lobby

COMING EVENTS:

Wed. Apr. 8 & 22 – 11:15 AM – Next Egg Deliveries, Rhododendron Room

Thur., Mar. 26 – Noon-5:30 PM – 1st of Red Cross Blood Drives, T.A. Ambulance Bldg.

Sat., Mar. 28 – Noon – Gun Bash, Terra Alta Ambulance Bldg.

Mon., March 30, 2015 – Deadline for ALPOA Board Candidate Filing – also ALPUC Board

Sun., Apr. 5 – 6:30 AM – Non-Denominational Easter Sunrise Service, Boathouse

Sun., Apr. 5 – 11AM-3PM – Easter Brunch at Lodge (see article/menu in FWIW)

Tue., Apr. 7 – 10 AM – Road Trip to WOW Factory, Morgantown (meet at lodge to carpool)

Sun., Apr. 8 – 7AM-1PM – Kingwood VFD Breakfast, Kingwood

Fri., April 10 – Noon – Next FWIW Published

FUTURE EVENTS: (Please put on your calendar now – don't miss a thing – watch for details)

Sat., April 11 – 8:30AM – 1PM – Garrett County Health Fair, Garrett College, McHenry

Tue., April 12 – 2 PM – Veterans Yoga Project Fundraiser Workshop, Oakland (see article)

Wed., April 15 – Tax Day!!

May 1 – Alpine Lake Assessment Bills Mailed (payment due by May 31)

Sat., May 2 – PO KY Derby Party, Boathouse (save the date)

Fri., June 5 – 8:30 AM – Garrett Co. Chamber of Commerce Golf Tournament, Alpine Course

Sat., June 20 – 9 AM – Preston Co. Deputy Sheriffs' Assn. Golf Tournament, Alpine Course

PARTING SHOT - The longest leap in the world is the jump to conclusions.