

*** *For What It's Worth* ***



Janice Nelson, Editor

October 13th, 2017

Editor's Comments

My husband and I are taking a brief hiatus for a few weeks, so please be aware that the next **FWIW will be issued on Friday, November 10th**. Thank you for your understanding. There will be a “happy trails to you” get-together at the Boathouse for Bill and Phyllis Teets this coming Sunday, Oct. 15th starting at 2pm. Please come down (with hors d'oeuvres to share) and wish these two long-time, outstanding members of our community the best as they move on to a new adventure. For those of you who were wondering, yes, there will be a Carry-In Picnic this month. It is slated for Thursday, Oct 19th at 5pm. **Also, be aware that the Board work session scheduled for this Saturday, October 14th has been rescheduled to Friday, October 13th at 6:25pm.** Did you know that the Lounge/Restaurant is now having Happy Hour every Monday thru Thursday from 4pm to 6pm? Two dollar drafts will be available during this time. Consider coming down for a little “happy” time! A flu shot clinic, sponsored by Gregg Pharmacy, will be available for your convenience on Monday, October 16th at the Lodge. Please refer to the flyer at the end of this issue for more information. That's about it. Until the 10th of November...

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CONGRATULATIONS by *Kim Mayne*

Congratulations to Heather Jones of ALPUC and her family as they welcomed a new baby girl “Emma Marie” on September 28th (on Heather's Birthday). Emma weighed 6 pounds 2 ounces and was 19” long, all are doing great!

SAVE THE DATE by *Barb Conway*

As many of you have heard, Bill and Phyllis Teets will be relocating to Grantsville, Maryland, in early November. There will be a “Happy Trails to You” get-together at the Boathouse on Sunday, October 15th, from 2pm - 4pm. Please bring hors d'oeuvres to share and your drink of choice. Share the afternoon with good friends; no additional gifts, please.

NOVEMBER CELEBRATIONS

A very Happy Birthday to John Golmitz and Vicki Flink on November 7th! Happy Birthday to Phyllis Teets on the 15th. Birthday wishes go out to Jenni Mills on the 17th and Mike Andes on the 22nd. Dick Rumble, enjoy your birthday back in Florida on the 23rd. Wish Pat Arnone a Happy Birthday when you see her on the 28th. And Happy Birthday to Helen Troxell on the 29th! Happy Birthday to all and celebrate in style!

PROPERTY OWNERS COMMITTEE *by Bernie & Birgit Stock*

Old, New, PEOPLE, Food, Wine, Beer, PEOPLE, Planes, Trains, Cars, Boats, Bicycles, Walking, People, Babies, Old, Young, Rich, Poor, PEOPLE, Mountains, Rivers, Forests, Snow, "Pay-to-pee", PEOPLE, Bread, Gas!!, Wind, Solar, PEOPLE, Music, History, Friends, Family, Travelers, Airports, PEOPLE... It will be good to see our Friends and Home again at ALPINE LAKE....ALMOST HEAVEN, OUR PEOPLE!!!

Our last Carry-In Picnic for the season will be at the Boathouse on Thursday, Oct. 19th, at 5pm. Inside or outside, we'll wrap up a great summer with tales (true or not) of life at the Lake this past season. Please come and enjoy....

My reserved fears of life at Alpine Lake when we arrived in 2000, was the fear of a forest fire in our community. The devastation in California and elsewhere this past month brought to mind my original thoughts. Let us all be cognizant of the fact that we live in a forest. SAFETY FIRST! Be responsible for yourself and your neighbors.

ALWAYS BE ALERT...Thank you, Dan Mapel, for doing your part...and Gary Cox, too.

See you (or maybe not!) at the HALLOWEEN PARTY...

EGG DELIVERY *by Sheila Amato*

Perhaps life settles down a bit at Alpine Lake during the winter months and more folks are at home? We had suspended the egg delivery by our local farmer, James Stemple, due to the fact that there were very few orders placed for eggs during the summer months. Shall we try to resume?

It's really not worth James's time and money to drive to Alpine Lake for fewer than 8-10 dozen egg orders. Is there interest in resuming his deliveries? Can we find a way to meet his quota, receive his delicious and healthy fresh eggs, and support a local farmer?

He typically would come on alternate Wednesdays. Shall we try to resume that schedule? Or would you prefer that he come just once a month? Let me know your thoughts and I'll see if I can resurrect this process.

DOG PARK ACTIVITIES *by Bev Serpone*

Sorry to hear that some will not be able to attend the 'official' opening this Saturday, October 14, from 1-2pm. (Yes, forgot about Autumn Glory.) But please do not despair, we will schedule other meet-and-greet DOG PARK gatherings. We are hoping that owners and their dogs can make friends with other owners and their dogs in order to schedule 'Dog-Play-Dates.' After all, the dogs will have more fun in the Park if they have other pups to run with and play. We will keep you posted on the next DOG PARK gathering. (Right now I am thinking HALLOWEEN!!)

SEW TOGETHER *by Marilyn Wade*

The Ladies who Quilt are now meeting at the Lodge in the Rhododendron Room every Monday from 10am-3pm. We would love to see some new faces. Please come and join us. We bring our lunch and eat at 12pm. Questions, call Marilyn Wade at (301) 728-7892.

REMINDER: TERRA ALTA FOOD BANK

There is an ongoing need to replenish supplies at our local food bank so please add your donations to help this worthy cause. There is a box inside the front foyer of the Lodge for your convenience.

REMINDER: ALPINE LAKE WALL OF HONOR by Sheila Amato

Thank you to Herman and Jim for their work on the Wall of Honor by adding another row for our proudly growing numbers. We presently have photos and identifying information for 62 veterans who have lived/live at Alpine Lake honored on this wall. The wall is located at the lower level of the Lodge; be sure to check it out.

I am still seeking contact information for the following individuals. If you know how to reach any of them, if you ARE any of them, or if you are a newcomer to Alpine Lake and are a veteran and would like to be included on this wall, please let me know.

Albert Potter	Robert Dunbar	Benjamin Dobek
Robert Thoms	David White	Wolf Stronzik
Jim Wilson	Dick Nagel	Mac Dobeck
Bill and Ellen Weltman	Dan Mapel	Marty Wright
Boyd Ketterman Weese III		

REMINDER: INFORMATION COMMITTEE by Charlotte Wiles

The committee is soliciting good quality pictures for the 2018 calendar. Please email your pictures to Charlotte Wiles at wileschar@frontier.com. We hope to have the calendar available by November.

BEAUTIFICATION COMMITTEE by Sally Rocchi

Daffodil bulbs are here, and we should get them placed sooner than later. We will wait until next week to plant the bulbs, hopefully Tuesday the 17th, 10am on Alpine Drive between the Lodge and Welcome Center. There are about 400 bulbs, and it will take 1-2 hours to plant them all. Bring shovels and spades. Meet me on Alpine Lake Road, between the Lodge and Security.

We will be putting the Christmas Decorations in the small room in the loft (shuffleboard) after Christmas. The Wednesday after Thanksgiving is the day we put up Christmas decorations at the Lodge, and outside the Lodge, and on the fences at the entrance and around the mini golf course. We then can put them away in this room after the holiday, and not have to take them up to the third floor.

WEEKLY GOLF EVENTS by Skip Creamer

SENIOR MEN’S GOLF 9-27-17

GROSS		NET	
Ken Reel	78	Carl Donald	65
Skip Creamer	80	Bill Beck	70

Oct. 4, 2017

HIGH – LOW

- 1st - Barry Krewson
- 2nd- Bill Felix
- 3rd –Gary Horsey

The men will continue to play on Wednesday mornings as long as possible. Please call the Pro Shop to see if there are delays in the start time. The shop opens at 8am. Play tentatively begins at 9am with show-up time at 8:30am.

MEMBER SCRAMBLE – Oct. 3, 2017

1st Place (64)

Skip Creamer
Dave Gilpin
Dave Gallagher

2nd Place (68)

Larry Layman
Gary Cox
Ann Dunson
Bev Serpone

Oct. 10th, 2017

1st Place (70) Card off

Skip Creamer
Bev Serpone
Dottie Creamer

2nd Place (70)

Keith DeWitt
Ann Dunson
Dottie Schwer
Sandy Kelly

AN UPDATE FROM THE BOARD by *Barb Conway, President*

New home style specials are being added to our restaurant menu. The complete menu will be available soon, but stop by for a preview of yummy attractions.

Just a reminder that the Board workshop session will be held on Friday the 13th, at 6:30pm, rather than the Saturday date listed in the Alpine calendar.

Hope that everyone has driven through to check on the status of the dam project. Chip McDonald and his crew, and Chester and our maintenance crew deserve rave reviews for their work! Compliments to all of you!!

FREE CLASSIFIED ADS – “A Service for our Community”

FOR SALE: 12' 3-person v-bottom jon boat w/oars, new 12V marine battery (never used), deep cell HD battery charger, electric trolling motor, 2 adult life jackets, 2 child life jackets, factory made t-shaped anchors, 20' extension aluminum ladder, Shop-Mate collapsible multi-clamp table, Black & Decker chop saw. Call 301-663-8217 for info. (10-13)

FOR SALE: WEEDEATER 120 volt.electric weed whacker, with extended cable - \$5. Craftsman electric weed whacker, with battery and charger. Runs 40-45 minutes on a charge - \$20. Call Allan at (304) 789-2290 (10-13)

FOR SALE: FALL WREATHS--LOCALLY GROWN AND FRESHLY CUT

12” fall wreaths \$25. Larger sizes available upon request. Now taking pre-orders for Christmas Wreaths starting at \$30. Several different sizes and styles available. Contact ljfriend@frontier.com or call (304) 672-7467 (10-13)

FOR SALE: Two adjoining lots at Alpine Lake Resort, Bavarian 122-123, located on Redwood Dr., utilities available, level building site, low traffic area, lots must be purchased together, \$1200 for both lots, OBO. Call (724) 583-2829 or Text (724) 208-1395 (9-29)

WANTED: Wanted; Legacy smart phone loaded with Android version 4.3, that I could use off line 'Voice to Text.' Please email haltec@frontier.com (9-15)

FOR SALE: Bought too much, 1/2 inch OSB 2 pieces 24” x 8’ both pieces \$16. Call (304) 789-6520 (9-15)

FOR SALE: File Cabinet Tan Metal, 15" wide, 18" deep, 52" high, 4 draws. Okay condition. Only \$10
Call Allan at (304) 789-2290. (9-15)

Fire Wood for Sale: Seasoned hard wood delivered and stacked, \$70 a load, 8 ft. truck bed. Call Joe at
(304) 789-6838 (9-15)

NEEDED: Does anyone have experience selling items on eBay? Please call Allan at (304) 789-2290. (9-1)

Tax Services: Dorinda Kisner, CPA, and staff providing professional services for individuals, businesses, estates and trusts. Tax planning, compliance, estimated payments, consulting and accounting services locally in Terra Alta. Contact us at (304) 789-6082 or email at questions@kisnercpa.com.

Insurance: Carrie See Insurance is located on Alpine Lake Road. We love working with Alpine residents, the homes are so beautiful and well maintained! We offer great rates on homeowners and automobile insurance, annuities and investments, life insurance, and business operations coverage. Give us a call for a free quote! (304) 789-5585 or email us at carriesinsurance@gmail.com.

Watch Batteries: Batteries available for most watches – \$1 installed for most or under \$1 if you install it yourself. Contact John Laing (304) 789-6120.

Pet Sitting & House Checks. Call Kay Bayer (304) 789-2111

ALPINE LAKE LODGE HOURS

FRONT DESK

Sunday – Thursday: 7am–5pm

Friday & Saturday: 7am–7pm

FITNESS CENTER

OPEN DAILY from 5am – 11pm

POOL

OPEN DAILY from 5am-11pm

RESTAURANT

Friday & Saturday: 7am – 9pm

Sunday: 7am – 2pm

LAKERS LOUNGE

Monday-Thursday: 4pm- 9pm

Friday: 4pm- 10pm

Saturday: Noon – 10pm

Sunday: Noon – 9pm

PRO SHOP

OPEN DAILY from 8am – 5pm (as of Monday, Oct. 16th)

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:

- Mondays** 10am - 3pm – **Sew Together** – Rhododendron Room
Mon., Wed., Fri 8:30am-9:30am – **Power Aerobics** – Lodge
Tues. & Thurs. 8am-9am **Water Aerobics** - Pool
Wed. 10am – **Needlework Club** - Rhododendron Room
6 -7pm - **Jammers** – Rhododendron Room (except the first Wed. of each month)
7pm – **Property Owners Game Night**, Boathouse
Thursdays 10am – 12pm – **BRILLE WORKSHOP** – Rhododendron Room
6pm – **SHUFFLEBOARD** – Lounge – (Beginning Nov. 2nd)

Note: Dump Open: Tues/Thurs 7am – 4pm & Saturdays 7am-4pm

T.A. Recycling Plant Open: Tues/Thurs 8am–4pm, and Saturdays 8am ‘til Noon

Also – monthly events:

- 3rd Monday of each month – 7pm – **Terra Alta Civic Club** – TA Ambulance Hall
2nd Sunday of each month – 7am – 1pm – **Kingwood VFD Breakfast**
3rd Saturday of each month – 9am – **ALPUC Board Meeting** (meets March, June’s annual mtg., Sept., Nov.)
1st and 3rd Tuesday of each month: 7pm- **East Preston Lions Club Meeting**
First Tuesday meeting is held at Shorthorns
Third Tuesday meeting is in the Rhododendron Room

ALPOA BOARD WORK SESSION – October 13th at 6:25pm
ALPOA BOARD MEETING – OCTOBER 28th at 10am

COMING EVENTS (Please put on your calendar now – don’t miss a thing – watch for more details):

- Sat., Oct. 14th -** 1pm – 2pm – **DOG PARK GRAND OPENING** - @ Dog Park
Sun., Oct. 15th - 2pm – 4pm – **“Happy Trails” get-together** for Bill & Phyllis Teets @ Boathouse
Mon., Oct. 16th - 10am-12pm – **Flu Shot Clinic** – Lodge
Thurs., Oct. 19th - 5pm – **Carry-In Picnic** - Boathouse
Thurs., Oct 26th - 6pm – **SHUFFLEBOARD ORIENTATION** in the Upper Lounge
Sat., Oct. 28th - 8pm-12am – **Halloween Party** @Lodge
Thurs., Nov. 2nd - 6pm – **Shuffleboard Season** begins – Lounge
Wed., Dec. 27th - 12pm – 5:30pm – **Blood Mobile** – TA Ambulance Hall



\$2 Drafts

Monday – Thursday
4pm – 6pm



FLU SHOT CLINIC

ALPINE LAKE RESORT

10/16/2017

10am-12noon

Stop by the Lodge to sign-up!

Insurance cards accepted
or **\$20** per vaccination



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KEEP
HEALTHY
AND
GET YOUR
FLU SHOT

Flu Shots [BY THE NUMBERS]

200,000 Average number of people hospitalized with the flu each year in the U.S.

6
MONTHS

Age at which flu shots should begin

2
WEEKS

Time it takes your body to develop antibodies after vaccination

140-160 MILLION

Number of doses projected to be available in the U.S. this flu season



6
FEET

Distance someone can spread the flu virus

Source: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

ALPINE LAKE RESORT
PRESENTS

COSTUME DANCE PARTY

YOU ARE INVITED TO A
HALLOWEEN
PARTY

MUSIC BY



PHANTOM ENTERTAINMENT



SATURDAY
OCT 28
8PM-12AM

ALPINE LAKE RESORT

700 West Alpine Drive, Terra Alta, WV 26764

\$5 PER PERSON

CASH PRIZES - \$100 Best Dressed, \$50 Scariest, \$30 Best Couple &
\$25 Funniest/ Most Original Costume

Hotel Special - Rooms from \$59 on October 28