# Putterings

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### Kelly's Corner

I wanted to remind everyone that decisions on what snow/ice treatments to have done are not made lightly. If we receive 2 inches or more of snow, the contracted services are automatically done. When a judgement call needs to be made, I work with the resident Advisors, the snow service company and watch weather alert notices. We try to lean on the side of safety first but each weather system is unique, so please be patient with the decisions made. The acoustic panels have been hung on the ballroom ceiling and walls. We hope this helps with sound quality in this room. Other winter projects on the upcoming agenda include re-working the remaining 3 golf sand traps and repairing the locations on the cart path where water tends to stand. The Advisors have selected a lawyer specializing in community association legal affairs to help guide us through the Board transition later this year. We are also gathering information and pricing on dredging the big lake. This will be a very large project, so everyone will be informed if and when this may happen. -Kelly

#### Heritage of Hawk Ridge

Monday - Friday 9-5 pm Saturday 9-2 pm 225 Pigeon Drive Lake St. Louis, MO 63367 Phone: 636-561-7895 Fax: 636-625-6646 www.hhrlifestyle.org

### **Resident Spotlight**

### Jackie and Bill Belko

Jackie and Bill were both born and raised in Kirkwood, Missouri and met early in high school. After Jackie graduated she attended Miss Hickey's



Secretarial School and started working as a secretary that fall at American Motors. Bill was attending Drury College in Springfield, Missouri. They were married in August, 1964 and lived in Springfield while Bill finished his senior year.

After graduation they moved to Webster Groves, Missouri where Bill attended Eden Theological Seminary. After Bill was ordained he served congregations of the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) and The United Church of Christ in Missouri, Illinois, Nebraska, Michigan and West Virginia. Along the way they raised two sons; Steve and Aaron. Jackie continued working as a secretary, elementary school aide, earned her real estate license, and continued to help Bill in his ministry.

When their son, Steve, became Director of the Missouri Humanities Council, they decided to move back to Missouri to be near their grandchildren. After buying a home in Dardenne Prairie, Bill began playing golf at HHR and soon began hunting for a home to buy in our community. Bill continues to play golf, and both attend the dances and events at HHR. They both like to play cards and other games.

Over the years, they have collected primitive antiques and paintings. Jackie likes flower gardening, going to the movies and reading. Besides golf, Bill likes music, canoeing/kayaking and thoroughbred horse racing. They traveled to the Cotswolds in England for their 50th Wedding Anniversary.

Bill and Jackie's years serving in ministry have focused on inclusiveness in regard to other denominations and other faiths believing in the oneness of all people and the importance of bestowing worth and value on those who don't value themselves or are not valued by society,

By: Mary Ann Schuermann

# FEBRUARY 2020

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
						<b>1</b> Card Room Rental
2	3	4	<b>5</b> Pom Squad Resumes 4	6	7	8
9	10	11	<b>12</b> Speaker 6pm	13	14 •HAPPY Valentines •DAY	<b>15</b> Valentine's Dance 5pm
16	17	18	<b>19</b> Chick Flick Night 5pm	20	21	22
23	24	<b>25</b> Mystery Party 6pm	26	27	28	<b>29</b> Leap Day Dinner & Movie 5pm

<u>Monday</u> 9am Strength Training 9:30 am Ping Pong 10:00 Chair Cardio 1 pm Low Roller Poker 1:00 Mah Jong (beginners) 6:30pm Bunco (4th)

#### <u>Friday</u>

9am Dance Aerobics 9:30am Ping Pong 10:00 Chair Stretch 1 pm Men's Pinochle 1 pm Hand & Foot 7pm Pass the Trash

#### Tuesday

**Saturday** 

9am Billiards

9am Men's Pinochle 1pm Prayer Group (2nd/4th) 1pm Mah Jong 1pm Beginning Line Dancing 2:00pm Line Dancing 2pm Billiards 3pm Writers Group 1st/3rd 3pm Heritage Singers 6 pm Men's Poker 6:30pm Ladies Poker 1<sup>st</sup>/3<sup>rd</sup> 6:30 Texas Hold 'Em (2nd, 4th & 5th) 7pm Open Bridge

#### Save the Date

4pm Pom Squad

Wednesday

10am Chair Strength Train

1:30pm Quilting (2nd)

3:30pm Happy Hour @

6:30 pm Hand & Foot

11am Mah Jong Practice (1st

1 pm Ladies Pinochle (2<sup>nd</sup> &

9am PiYo

& 3rd)

4th)

Proshop

3/8 Wine & Shine Sunday
3/15 St. Pats Party
5/5 Cinco de Mayo
5/16 Spring Fling
5/31 Amazing Hunt

#### <u>Thursday</u>

9am Men's Pinochle
12:30 pm Open Bridge
1 pm Low Roller Poker
2pm Genealogy Club (1st)
2pm Ask A Geek

(2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup>)

3:30 Dance Club (1st /3rd)
6:30 Mah Jong Practice

(2nd & 4th)

7 pm Mexican Train

(1<sup>st</sup> & 3rd )

7pm Rummikub

(2nd & 4th)

# **Upcoming** Events

See the flyers for more information



## JOIN US FOR SOUPER MONDAY

Join us every Monday at Noon in February for some warm soup and neighborly conversation. No need to register, just show up. We can eat until the pot is empty. Residents are asked to pick a date to bring a pot of soup. Please sign up on the bulletin board to bring soup. Clean up after lunch is always needed too. Feel free to bring a dessert or a little side if you like.



# VALENTINE'S DANCE Saturday, February 15

4:30pm Doors Open 5:00 Dinner Buffet Opens Valenti's Catering is providing Italian Chopped Salad, Pasta Con Broccoli & Choice of Chicken Spedini or Beef Brisket Marsala 6-9pm Sir Dame Duo Please register by Thursday, February 6. \$10 per person. Checks payable to HHR or register on-line. Reserved seating, so if you pay on-line be sure to come to the clubhouse to choose your table. Set-ups provided, BYOB.





Ladies of HHR, join us for a girls only movie night. Sign up on the bulletin board to attend. Bring your own brown bag dinner or snack & drinks.

Wed, Feb 15 at 5:00 Movie "Book Club".



Tues, February 25 Doors Open at 6pm Governor Marshall Inglewood requests the honor of your presence at his mansion (HHR Clubhouse) for a Fat Tuesday Party. Please see the flyer for all the details. You may choose your character at the clubhouse. Or we can assign you a character. There are small roles available. \$8 per person, hor d'oeuvres, champagne & set-ups provided. Open seating, register at the clubhouse or ON-LINE Register by 2/17 – no exceptions.



Saturday, 2/29 – Leap Day! Potluck Dinner begins at 5 - Bring a dish to share. Dessert provided. Set-Ups Provided – BYOB Free, but all must sign up on the bulletin board by 2/24 Movie "Leap Year" begins at 6:30. Popcorn provided.

# **Neighborhood** News



#### Join us for a presentation from the Better Business Bureau "Frauds & Scams Targeting HHR" Wednesday, Feb 12 @ 6pm

Many consumers struggle with navigating the phone calls, emails and other tricks scammers use to make a quick buck. Come learn how to identify and prevent the wide range of fraud and scams. Better Business Bureau's Education and Outreach Coordinator, Matt Flinner, will highlight the most common scams targeting adults in the area, and share tips to help you keep your hard earned dollars in your pocket. **Sign up on the bulletin board.** 

Fully Guided Day Trip ILLINOIS AMISH: QUILT FESTIVAL AND MORE ALL ARE WELCOME THURSDAY, APRIL 23, 2020 6:45am 7am Board the bus This Photo by Unknown Author Visit the Arthur Ouilt Show Stop and shop at Beachy's Amish Grocery Store We'll enjoy an Amish home meal served family-style, in an Amish home. Visit yet another Amish home to take a tour of the house and out-buildings. Conclude our Amish Day with a visit to Arthur 7:00pm: Arrive back at Hawk Ridge clubhouse All-inclusive trip: tour includes transportation, admissions, gratuities, lunch, and guide fees. Drive time is 3 hours each way. \$104 per person. Non-resident friends/ family are welcome. Checks to Out & About and deliver to the clubhouse by 3/1. Questions, contact Linda Scroggin (LESCROG@aol.com or 314-956-6510)



WINE & SHINE SUNDAY

Come "wine down" and enjoy some girl time, delicious snacks, great wine and no-pressure Park Lane jewelry shopping! See what the stars are wearing at a reasonable price and support our CASSEROLE CREW benefit through Care & Concern.

DATE: SUNDAY, MARCH 8, 2020 WHERE: CLUB HOUSE TIME: 1:00 p.m.

Please sign up at the clubhouse for this free event. Friends welcome!

### PROGRESSIVE DINNER COMMITTEE— NEW MEMBERS NEEDED

Please sign up on the bulletin board for more information. Or contact Kathy Schiller for more information 314-805-4164



# **More Neighborhood News**

### **ADVISORY BOARD REPORT**

January 21. 2020

The 2019 year-end financial report was reviewed and approved to be posted on the HHRlifestyle.org website.

The 2019 year-end golf financial report was also reviewed and will be posted on the website. A golf financial summary report will be posted on the website monthly starting in February.

Doug Nance, chairman of our Board of Directors told us the sales model is under contract and that there are now 3 lots left and the spec house on Barn Swallow. Transition will begin when the last lot is dug. He expects this will happen by fall.

The acoustic panel project is almost complete. 11 panels were missing from the shipment and should be here soon so we can get this project behind us.

The golf course projects will begin either the last week of January or the first week of February depending on the weather. Those will include finishing the sand bunkers and cart path drainage.

The lighting repairs near the sidewalk between the Pro Shop and Clubhouse are complete. The inlet cover in the lake for the golf sprinkler system had to be modified again and will be installed soon.

The 5 ft of fencing missing along the Wyndstone property line will be completed as soon as a large tree stump is removed by them.

An air leak was found in the sprinkler system for the inside of the clubhouse and has been repaired.

Bids are being obtained for Security cameras for the area outside the Pro Shop and Maintenance shed. They will be motion activated. A decision should be made by the next Board meeting.

Additional lighting on Hawks Landing Drive is being studied. Cuivre River Electric and the city will not help with the project since our streets are private. We will find out the cost of running the electrical then figure out what to do.

We have decided to hire an attorney to assist us with the Board transition and updating our governing documents. We discussed some questions to ask the attorneys. After our Board meeting we then met with the first attorney. Two more attorneys will be interviewed next week.

On January 27th we will meet with our first contractor (MucK Miners) to discuss details and pricing regarding the lake dredging.

A new ice maker has been ordered for the Pro Shop. The old one was leaking and causing high water bills. A new deep freeze will also be installed at the Pro Shop. Painting is complete in the kitchen area of the Pro Shop and the back room will be painted before installing the icemaker and freezer. The next meeting will be February 18 at 10:00.



### **THE AMAZING HUNT Save The Date: Sunday, May 31**

Volunteers Needed—To find out more about volunteering contact Jane Francis at 484-459-3302 or ktyjanef@gmail.com

# **More Neighborhood News**

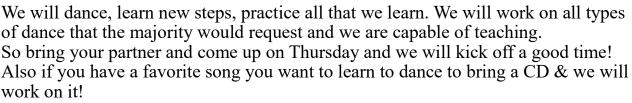
women's bible study growing deeper, together There will be no Bible Study the month of Feb.

Bible Study will resume March 16 -Monday -1PM in the library.

# HHR DANCE CLUB

1st & 3rd Thursday of the month (Feb 6 & Feb 20)

3:30-5:00 at the Clubhouse.



BLOSSOM—A Gardening Column by Ann Chandonnet With the sun playing hide and seek, chill winds blowing and days shorter, it is only natural you huddle by a bonfire and pray for spring. However, since we are all warm and cozy, we have it better than our prehistoric ancestors. And we can contemplate refreshing our homes with greenery. The Druids gathered holly; unfortunately, holly leaves quickly dry up and curl.

So let's try a tray of succulents, a potted Amaryllis or something big. Not only is the color green welcome in January, but some indoor plants can clean air. Consider Philodendron, Chinese evergreen, Chinese fan palm

and ivy. Think tabletop aloes and ferns. Figs and palms make a major impact. An orchid from the grocery store can delight for months.

A pot of tulip or hyacinth bulbs is easy to assemble, and will waft wonderful fragrance. Group potted herbs --benefitting both your meals and the air around you.

Beware of small succulents with flowers attached with toothpicks. Finally, moisten indoor plants with 70 degree water; cold can shock roots.

# **Room Rentals**

We are experiencing many requests to rent the card room or ballroom. So, let's clarify the process:

-To request a particular date or check availability –you must complete a "Room Rental Request Form" - available at the clubhouse & on at hhrlifestyle.com. Submit that form to Maggie.

Please allow **up to 2 weeks for confirmation** of date availability. -Rooms are only rented to residents for resident use.

-All regularly scheduled HHR events take precedence over rentals.

- -Card Room maximum capacity is 44
- -Ballroom maximum capacity is 160



**ROOM RENTALS** 

What's New Around the Neighborhood

# City**Beat**

By: Gary Turner, HHR Resident & Alderman, Ward I

The Meadows announced an agreement with Clementine Naughty & Nice Creamery which with open a store in the Meadows most likely early summer. They have 3 locations in St. Louis. Also a Spa will be locating in the Meadows.

In addition to the two new businesses in the Meadows, the Board of Alderman approved an agreement with the Meadows ownership to accept over 2 acres of land in the Meadows that will be used for a city park. The timeline for its construction is 18 months from the time final signatures are affixed to the agreement. Preliminary design is underway.

SHOWI

1309 The Lion King, Beyonce, Danny Glover 1310 The Equalizer 2, Denzel Washington, Pedro Pascal

1311 Downton Abbey, Maggie Smith, Michele Dockery

1312 Joker, Joaquin Phoenix, Robert DeNiro 1313 Judy, Renee Zellweger

1314 - Once Upon a Time in Hollywood, Leonardo DiCaprio, Brad Pitt

1315—Harriet, Cynthia Erivo, Leslie Odom, Jr 1316-Terminator Dark Fate, James Cameron



- 1. Please be careful at night. It's hard to see walkers / dogs. Consider reflective clothing for you & your pets.
- 2. No walking on the cart path. You never know when staff will be working out there.
- 3. Residents are expected to clean up after themselves every time they use the clubhouse facilities.
- 4. Heritage of Hawk Ridge Facebook page is where all event news is posted first. Request to join the group today.
- 3. Deadline for the **March Putterings** is Monday, Feb 24.



### Joan Elliott Pete Kimball Sally & William Paland Robert & Cheryl Castagna



COME JOIN THE FUN! 6:30PM 2ND, 4TH & 5TH Tuesday of the month



Announcing the first HHR invitational CAR CRUISE. The date is TBA—likely a Friday evening this summer. **We are inviting residents and residents' family and friends first.** We will be doing a cruise based at the HHR clubhouse and then do an actual cruise threw the HHR community. We need to know the approximate number of cars before we proceed with marketing. Street Rods, Classics, Muscle cars, Customs, Trucks, Sports cars and motorcycles are all welcome. **Please sign up on the bulletin board if you are interested.** 

# **Golf** News

FROM THE PRO SHOP....

Open Wednesday-Sunday, 9am-4:30pm. Stop by for a drink or soup & sandwich or both!! Hump Day Happy Hour continues every Wednesday in February, 3:30-5:30pm.

1st Annual Pro Shop Chili Cookoff was a huge success. Congratulation to 1st place winner—Martha Bredbenner; 2nd place—Marsha Young; 3rd

place—Rocky Sperl

For all golfers who renewed early, the membership packages are available in the pro shop. We also have 2020 cart tags for those who need to register your golf carts.

### UPCOMING SPECIAL EVENTS

Taste of Spain....Sunday, February 16th, 2-4pm Explore the regions of Spain with wine tastings; light tapas will also be provided. \$10 per person For more info or to sign up, stop by the pro shop. Limit 44 people. Sign up by 2/12/20

March Madness Golf Outing Sunday, March 8th, 1pm Details to follow.





# LADY HAWKS NEWS

All current, past & future Lady Hawks are invited to join us for our league play beginning on April 15. Registration forms are available at the clubhouse. Current members will receive their forms via email. All forms are due with a check for \$50, payable to Lady Hawks Golf League, no later than Feb 29. Snowbirds may copy the form or list the requested information, write the check and send them to Martha Bredbenner, 352 Myna Drive



2020 Heritage of Hawk Ridge Wednesday Night Men's League Starting April 1, 2020 Check in 5pm Tee Off 5:30pm Sign up by March 15, 2020 at the Grille.

Play 2 man scramble. 3 man team, 1 sub only \$20 per team—give to Steve Aubuchon. 20 teams max Past year members have priority sign up Green fees and cart fees are paid at check in. \$1 per person per week is collected for prize money Questions—Steve Aubuchon 314-578-7245

