

# Putterings

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## Kelly's Corner –

The tennis court resurfacing will be done in mid-late July. The courts will be closed during this time. Watch for an email with the exact days as the time gets closer. The dredging project is going slower than anticipated but progressing with minimal disruption. The contracted cost remains the same. A couple reminders; grass is mowed on Monday. Please do not run your irrigation late Sunday or early Monday. Wet turf makes it harder for the mowers and leads to ruts or scalping of the turf. Remember to turn in any lawn care concerns to the office on the "Landscape Service Comment Sheet". While using the swimming pool, make sure to close and tie table umbrellas so there is no wind damage and check to make sure you take home all your belongings. Things are left almost daily. Lastly, I am looking for a part time receptionist to help in the office. Please call me if you are interested.

-Kelly

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## Resident Spotlight

Krayle and Rich Lutke

If Krayle and Rich Lutke were to write a book on "How to Have a Successful Marriage," it would likely include chapters on: Hold tight to your childhood sweetheart; Be active in your church, Be active in sports; Support each other's goals and dreams; Focus on rearing responsible children; and be a group organizer, helping those in need.



Those are just a few of the reason Krayle and Rich have remained in love for more than 50 years. Both native St. Louisans, they knew early on that their relationship was meant to be. After they married and while caring for their two sons, they took turns advancing their educations – going to night school, taking classes.

Krayle worked for and retired from Pfizer in 2009 and from Monsanto in 2016. She also ran a "Home Interiors and Gifts" business.

Rich graduated from Maryville University and worked as an industrial engineer for Chrysler for 43 years, both in St. Louis and Detroit. This included travel to Austria, Mexico and Japan. He also worked for GKN Aerospace as a Quality Systems Auditor until his retirement in 2016.

As their boys were growing up their lives were occupied with practices, games and other sports-related activities. Later those activities extended to their three grandchildren.

Now they're catching up with travel plans, including an upcoming trip to the Dominican Republic to celebrate their 55th anniversary. "And we're looking forward to spending time in our second home, also a 55+, in Florida."

In 2016 the Lutke's moved to HHR and knew they were "home." Early on they got involved with activities, including heading up the "Out and About" group. "Friendships are like extended family," Krayle said. "At HHR people look out for one another and help each other as needed. We know that we're creating memories that will last for the rest of our lives."

-By Joan Elliott

# JULY 2021

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				1	2 Office open 9-1	3
4 Rumours Band 5:30 <b>Happy 4th!</b>	5 Office open 9-1	6	7	8	9	10 Summer Sizzler 7pm
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29 Breakfast for Dinner 4:30	30	31

## Weekly On-Going Events Listed Below

### Monday

8:30 Aquatic Fitness  
9:30 Aquatic Fitness  
9 am Pickleball  
10:30 Chair Fitness  
1pm Bible Study with  
Alice  
1pm Low Roller Poker  
6:30 Cribbage (2nd/4th)

### Tuesday

9am Bocce  
9-12 Team Tennis  
9am Mens Pinochle  
1pm MahJong  
1pm Beginning Line  
Dance  
2pm Line Dance  
2pm Billiards  
2pm Pickleball  
3pm Heritage Singers  
7pm Bocce  
6:30 Mens Poker  
6:30 Open Bridge

### Wednesday

8:30 Aquatic Fitness  
9:30 Aquatic Fitness  
9am Pickleball  
10:30 Chair Fitness  
1pm Quilters (2nd)  
1pm Mah Jong (1st/3rd)  
3-5 Water Volleyball  
6:30 Hand & Foot

### Thursday

9am Mens Pinochle  
9am Shuffleboard / Cornhole  
9-12 Team Tennis  
12:30 Open Bridge  
1pm Low Roller Poker  
2pm Ask a Geek (2nd/4th)  
2pm Pickleball  
7pm Cornhole / Shuffleboard  
7pm Mexican Train (1st & 3rd)  
7pm Rummikub (2nd/4th)

### Friday

8:30 Aquatic Fitness  
9:30 Aquatic Fitness  
9am Pickleball  
10:30 Chair Fitness  
1pm Mens Pinochle  
1pm Hand & Foot  
7pm Pass the Trash

### Saturday

9-12 Team Tennis  
10am Billiards

### Sunday

4-6 Water Volleyball

### Children Hours at the Pool (less than 18 y/o)

Tuesday Noon-5pm  
Thursday Noon-8pm  
Sunday & Holidays—10am-4pm

## UPCOMING EVENTS

### COVID-19 ADJUSTMENTS for upcoming activities

If you or your guests are not vaccinated, you are required to wear a mask both indoors and outside during activities and events.

Please do not come to activities if you are feeling ill.

### JULY 4TH CELEBRATION

RUMOURS CLASSIC BAND – 5:30-8:30PM

See them on YouTube.

BOXED DINNER – 5-7PM

Thanks in advance to the VOLUNTEERS who are making dinner possible.

**REGISTRATION  
CLOSED**



### LET'S DANCE!! INSIDE!!

**Saturday, July 10 7-10pm**

FEATURING: THE CHARLIE MANN BAND

Resident's Only - GOOD SEATS STILL AVAILABLE

Assigned Seating – Be sure to sign up for a seat at the clubhouse.

Register by: July 8, \$5 per person, checks to HHR

Light snacks & bottled water provided. Bring your own drinks.



### Hawk Ridge Boys

Sunday, 7/18 7-9pm in the front parking lot

Come on up for a fun evening with some great local talent.

Bring your own drinks and snacks. No registration needed.

Save the Date: Sunday, August 15—Soul Punch



### Thursday, July 29

Open House – 4:30-6:30

Register & pay \$7 at the clubhouse  
or on-line by July 22



*save  
the date!*

Saturday, 8/7 Sunset Players Band

Saturday, 8/28 Havana Nights Party

## WHAT'S HAPPENING



Barb & Larry Rogers—728 Harrier  
David & Sharon Phillips—2098 HLD



Are you interested in  
playing CHESS?

We currently do NOT have a chess group,  
but there is some interest. Email Maggie if  
you are interested in joining a new group.  
[events@heritageofhawkrIDGE.com](mailto:events@heritageofhawkrIDGE.com)

### New Pinochle Players Wanted

Pinochle is played in the card room every Tues. and Thurs. morning at  
9:00 am and on Fridays at 1:00 pm.

We are looking for more players. Women are welcome as well as all  
skill levels. Come join in – even if you haven't played in years.  
Meet some new folks and have some fun.



### **Single Ladies & Winery Group –**

Winery Trip to Chandler Hill,  
596 Defiance Rd Defiance, MO 63341.

Thursday, July 15. Meet at the clubhouse at 11:40am and we will carpool to Chandler Hill.

**Chandler Hill**



Please help keep our property looking as beautiful as  
you can. Be sure to clean up after yourself or your  
group when using the rooms or equipment in the  
clubhouse. Please remember to put down umbrellas  
and clean up trash at the pool and on our courts.

Thank you!

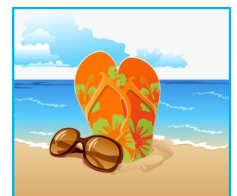


Missing anything?????

We have a lost and found box located in the coat closet across from the fitness  
room. We are going to donate any remaining items to Goodwill. on July 14.  
Thank you!

### **Vacation/ Special Office Hours**

Kelly and Maggie will both be on vacation the week of July 16 – 25.  
There will be a receptionist in the office those days from  
9:00 am to 1:00 pm only. Please plan accordingly.





# HHR NEWS

Would you like to work part time (8 hrs/week) at the clubhouse front desk?

We are looking for a new HHR clubhouse receptionist. Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9 am – 1 pm.

Answer phones, help residents register for events, light clerical, light housekeeping. If interested, please call me to discuss details.



## BLOSSOM—

### A Gardening Column by resident, Ann Chandonnet

Many HHR residents have wired in lights along the walkway to the front door, or inserted into the lawn a set of inexpensive solar lamps. Lighting is important for us aging folk, as our eyesight dims and our gait wanders. We don't want to fall down! But there is another side to lighting called "sky glow." This is the vaporous ceiling of glare hanging over modern urban areas. This "light pollution" has a dark side; it disrupts the natural light/dark rhythms to which many life forms adapted over the millennia. Over 90 percent of North American populations now part the natural darkness with light pollution. This disruption particularly affects birds. St. Louis is a major stop along the migratorybird flyway, now ranking as the fifth most light-polluted city in the nation. Thirty percent of vertebrates and 60 percent of invertebrates are nocturnal. Added light can interfere with not only migration but also mating and food gathering. Even some trees and plants are dependent on sustained night darkness in order to fight stress and avoid irregular growth. The message: Use fewer outdoor lights, installing those with down-casting fixtures. Use timers to keep the lights on only as long as necessary.



Heartfelt   
**THANKS**  
**TO OUR VOLUNTEERS!**

Recently there have been several events / activities / groups that have happened because of the wonderful volunteers in this neighborhood. Thank you for helping to make HHR such an amazing, fun and caring community.



Late June brought us numerous heavy storms and lots of rain. Please report any damage to common ground trees to the office.

If your yard is left with minor storm debris like leaf litter/small branches, Greenwood will mow over it. You are responsible to clean up larger sticks or tree limbs.

If it is not cleaned up, the mowing crews may have to skip your yard.

# HHR NEWS



The building of the new Dierbergs is currently on track and they still anticipate being open in time to do shopping for your Thanksgiving dinner. Attached to the store will be a space for a restaurant with a full kitchen. They are currently looking for an interested party to lease it.

Regarding inquiries into repairs to Freymuth Rd near the new Windsor Park subdivision, we have a small step forward on a big frustration. MODOT has allocated funds for repairs and assigned them to a contractor for work, however we do not currently have any timeline for completion.

The city's Community Development Dept. reports a building permit for Harvest Dispensary at 859 Robert Raymond Drive (previous White Castle building) has been issued. Note: State law prohibits the city from forbidding them under Amendment 2, which allows for the use of marijuana for medical purposes.

City fireworks are on Sunday, July 4th at sunset over by the damn.

The City is hosting the Charlie Mann Band at the Boulevard Park Amphitheater (2550 Lake St Blvd) on Saturday, July 17th from 7-10pm. This is a free event.

## May and June Putting Results

There were 48 putters on May 24. Donna Sparacino, Larry Laramie, and Cindy Rahm each scored a hole-in-one. The low score of 17 was made by Dick Schnarr. A-Flight winners with a score of 22 were Elvira Johnson, Frank Doerring, Charles Horton, and Julie Switzer. B-Flight winners with a score of 28 were Cheryl Kuhfuss, Kathy Loesch, Bill Sparacino and Vera Arroyo.



There were 28 putters on June 7. Frank Doerring scored the only hole-in-one. The low score of 18 was made by Cheryl Kuhfuss. A-Flight winners with a score of 24 were Leonard Zwanziger, Donna Sparacino, Pat Raeder, Krayle Lutke, Rich Lutke, Dan Shreve, Vera Aroyo, and Marigene Murphy. The Special Guest Star Hole Designer was Leonard Zwanziger with the theme "Checkers" and construction help from Don Skitt.

There were 38 putters on June 21. Loretta Clay scored the only hole-in-one. Larry Laramie had the low score with 15. A-Flight winners with a score of 20 were Kathy Loesch and Loretta Clay. B-Flight winners were Grace Randazzo and Bill Sparacino with a score of 26. C-Flight Winner was Sara MacFall with a score of 28. The Special Guest Star Hole Designer was Alice Malzahn with the theme "Boomerang" and the hole was built out by Cheryl Faxon with help from Dick Faxon, and Pat Schnarr.

July Putting will be held on Monday the 5th and Monday the 19th.

## HHR Golf Committee Corner – July 2021

Since the HHR Golf Course is a big part of our community, your HHR Golf Committee is always looking for good feedback and suggestions. If you have a suggestion or comment please pass on your thoughts to one of the Committee Members: Bud Campbell, Elvira Johnson, Connie Talmadge, Steve Becherer, Steve Dix or Dave Knopfel.

**Hole-in-Ones:** Congratulations to **Larry Poropat** for his hole-in-one on Hole #3 on June 5 and **Du-enda Zwanziger** for her hole-in-one on Hole #9 on June 19.

Forty-four golfers played in the **Memorial Day Golf Two Person Scramble**. Thanks to all who attended to make this event a big success. The winners were:

Men: Greg Talmadge and Bill Norman

Women: Cheryl Kuhfuss and Jan Worley

Couples: John and Sonia Ahn

Men's Closet to the pin: Charlie Perkins on Hole #8

Team fewest putts: Dennis and Dottie Gowan

Fifty-eight golfers played in the **16<sup>th</sup> Annual HHR Resident Father's Day Scramble**. Thanks to all who attended to make this family event a big success. The winners were:

A Flight: 1<sup>st</sup> - Scott & Collin Aubuchon, 2<sup>nd</sup> - Dick Faxon & Rich Flure

B Flight: 1<sup>st</sup> - Steve & Dan Aubuchon, 2<sup>nd</sup> - Steve & Derick Ward

C Flight: 1<sup>st</sup> tie - Jack and Jamie McGauley, Steve & Davin Schauer, Frank & Matt DeCarlo

Closet to the pin: Bill Emerick on Hole #5. Jen Biglin and Alyse Dix on Hole #3

The **Red, White & Blue Two Person Scramble** will be on Sunday July 4. If you are signed up for the tournament, check-in time is 4:00pm with a shot gun start at 4:30pm. A buffet dinner will follow golf.

**Golf Cart and Golf Course Etiquette:** In order to keep our golf course in great condition, let's remember to follow these:

All personal golf carts must be registered to use on the golf course.

Golf carts should remain on the cart path at all times.

Golf cart drivers must be 16 years of age and have a valid driver's license.

Our resident yards are out-of-bounds. Do not play or retrieve your ball from the resident's yard.

Drop your ball in-bounds and play from the new location.

Remember to repair all divots and any marks you make on the greens.

## Save the Date – Upcoming 2021 Events

Events / Tournaments	Sponsor	Date
Red, White & Blue	Elvira Johnson & Bud Campbell	July 4 (Sun)
Two Club Challenge	Steve Dix & HHR Golf Committee	Aug 13 (Fri)
Men's Club Championship	Steve Becherer	Aug 21 & 28 (Sat/Sat)
Labor Day	Judy Poropat	Sept 6 (Mon)
Crazy Eight Classic	Dave Knopfel and Steve Dix	Sept 17 (Fri)
Glow Ball (Night Golf)	Dave Knopfel & Bud Campbell	Oct 1 (Fri)
Ryder Cup Club Challenge	Ken Klasing & Rocky Sperl	Oct 9/10 (Sat/Sun)