

FOR WHAT IT'S WORTH

Cathy Young, Editor



October 2, 2015

Editor's Comments

It looks and feels like fall in Alpine – the colors seemed to pop overnight, and they're beautiful. Before long, the reflection of the vivid colors in the lake will be spellbinding. Be sure to see that view from the #10 golf tee box. Last issue, I indicated that this FWIW will be my last as your Editor. This last message as FWIW Editor is difficult to write. I have truly enjoyed this task, and hope that came through in the finished product and brought a little joy, and was fun to read. Happily, we can report that we have a replacement, and I hope you will all give her the same help and support you've always given me to make this publication the go-to source for up-to-date news of what's going on in Alpine. Please welcome your new Editor, **Janice Nelson**. She and her husband Richard are full-time residents on Woodbine Dr. Check the box below for Janice's email address and please send your contributions to her, beginning with the Oct. 16th issue. Thank you, Janice. Another personal note – on behalf of Loring and myself, we want to thank all of you for your friendship the past 12 years. We know our final days in Alpine will go by too quickly and we won't have a chance to see some of you in person. The happy trails party being given in our honor will surely be bittersweet, but it's so nice to be liked well enough for our friends and neighbors to do that for us. It has been an amazing ride and we will take with us warm memories of many happy times as full-time residents of this great caring community. Please stay in touch after we're gone...email makes that easy. Thank you all from the bottom of our hearts. We include our GM and staff members in our circle of Alpine friends, and we ask that you all continue to support and respect them as they work to move this community forward. Stay positive and be kind to each other. We will miss you all, wish you well, and hope to see you again soon and often. Thank you and blessings to all.

Next FWIW comes out **Fri., Oct. 16th**. Watch for reminder email for your articles, and please email items to your new Editor, **Janice Nelson** at mamaj11@yahoo.com, or use the FWIW box on the lobby counter. **Please keep your articles brief so we can fit all the news in each issue.** And please help us keep FWIW a positive publication – good news is always better than negative issues. Remember that folks outside Alpine can read FWIW. Thanks for your cooperation and participation. Enjoy!

TIMELY NOTICES & REMINDERS...

TOMORROW – Oct. 3rd – 10:30 - AM 2nd ANNUAL 5k RUN/WALK BENEFIT

Participants will meet in the lodge parking lot for opening remarks and send-off. If you haven't already signed up to walk/run in this very worthwhile event, you can probably still do it. Check at the front desk for information. Or just come out to cheer on the walkers and runners.

THIS SUN., OCT. 4th – 2-5 PM - PARTY – from Barbara Conway & Sue Thompson

As most of you are aware, **Cathy & Loring Young** have a firm contract on their Alpine home, and are relocating in early November. Sue and I have organized a get-together in their honor at the Boathouse on Sunday, Oct. 4th from 2 until 5 PM. Please bring your drink of choice and a finger food dish to share, and wish Cathy & Loring well as they prepare for their next chapter. Hope to see you there. Check out the beautiful flyers at the lodge and elsewhere. Thank you.

The only courage that matters is the kind that gets you from one moment to the next.

Thoughts, Prayers & Thank You Messages



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, with permission.

Big “Clubhouse Dancers” Thank You from the drop-in center at Hopemont. Special thanks to Kathy Andes, Kathy Berry, Barb Conway, Dick Gallagher & Sue Thompson for making and donating the wonderful gifts for our raffle. Also, a big thank you to Chip McDonald for his generous donation, which provided our lunch and goodies. Thank you to the Alpine Quilters who created and donated a beautiful quilt which will be awarded in Nov. Also thanks to everyone who purchased tickets. This will make for a great Christmas for the Clubhouse Dancers. THANK YOU all.

Joyce Wachter has had surgery to repair her crushed heel, and will spend some time with her son and his family in NC to recuperate. We wish her and Jim strength during this healing process, and extend our good wishes for a complete recovery.

We lost a dear friend and neighbor, **Dave Gardner**, who passed on Mon., Sept. 28th after a long, difficult illness. Dave’s obituary will be in today’s Preston County Journal. There are no arrangements, except for immediate family. Our thoughts and prayers go out to his wife **Nancy** and their family at this sad time. You will be missed, Dave...rest in peace.

Wayne Judy, property owner and guard at Alpine Lake, is recuperating from a recent accident. Please keep him in your prayers (wife **Cindy**, too).

We know there are others in our community who are dealing with various challenges, and we extend heartfelt prayers, thoughts and good wishes to all of them. Alpine is a caring community and the support is unending. Remember, life is easier when we multiply the joy and divide the grief. Blessings to all.

“You can’t help getting older, but you don’t have to get old.” – George Burns



COMING SOON!

MONDAY SEW TOGETHER – will meet in the Rhododendron Room of the Lodge instead of the Boathouse, beginning Oct. 12th.

DINNER & A MOVIE – Monday, Oct. 12 – 5 PM – Boathouse

We’re starting these fun evenings again and hope you’ll join us. The movie is “Songcatchers”, which features some beautiful mountain music along with the story (PG). Bring your favorite mountain-inspired dish to share or whatever! Bring your tableware and beverage, too. See you there.

COMING LATER! Mark your calendars now & try to attend.

PO CARRY-IN PICNIC – Thur., Oct. 15th – 5 PM – Boathouse

Final picnic of the season, so put it on your calendar and we’ll see you there.

(Also check COMING EVENTS at the end of FWIW for a list of other upcoming events to note)

“It’s not that I’m so smart; it’s just that I stay with problems longer.” – Albert Einstein

OUR NEIGHBORING COMMUNITIES

TODAY - Oct. 2 – 6:30 PM – Terra Alta United Methodist Church

Travel to Africa without leaving Terra Alta. **Robin & Dennis White**, full-time residents on Hemlock Circle, will make a presentation on their 7 trips to Malawi, Africa at the Terra Alta United Methodist Church. Learn how churches have joined together to form a Partnership of Hope, Ministry of Presence with the Malawi United Methodist Church. See pictures of how a barren 45 acres of grassland is now a thriving farm; how boreholes (deep wells) now provide clean water for remote villages; how women have been empowered through a tailoring school; how vulnerable children are provided with food and education in nursery schools; and why Malawi is known as the “Warm Heart of Africa”. Refreshments will be served.

“You may delay, but time will not.” – Benjamin Franklin

HAPPENINGS AROUND THE LAKE & NEARBY...



ACOUSTIC OPEN MIC REPORT – by Ron Rogers, Open Mic Host

Thursday, Sept. 24th – Countthehouse and I left for Cleveland and the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame last Friday evening. What a great trip if you are into R&R and its history. This week, we had 3 performers and 30 folks attended. The smaller room is much cozier and it seems that those who come are there for the music. We’ve had lots of suggested (not mandatory) themes that “nudge” performers to bring something which might be new for them, or something they might have been challenged to get together. Next week, the theme is a “peace or protest” song. I got a request for the week of Oct. 8th for a “Favorite Song” night.

Open Mic is winding down for the season, so if you’ve been procrastinating or trying to get your nerve up to perform – it’s time. We’ve had open mic time cut short twice with inclement weather. We never know how October will be, but we plan to continue Open Mic through October, weather-permitting. KCB

FUN-FIT” CORNER – Compliments of the AM Aerobics Group

We’re losing some of our regular members, but gaining others, so classes continue to be THE place to be for an hour Mon., Wed. & Fri. Newcomers are made to feel welcome the minute they walk in the door, so come out and see for yourself how great exercising with a group can be. The leader and music make it even more fun. Start class at 9 AM and usually go for coffee and fellowship afterward. Everyone welcome – start anytime. See you there.



Exercise?? I thought you said extra fries!!

PROJECT NORTH POLE DONATIONS are still being collected this week to be donated to the Terra Alta Elementary School. This project provides funds for gifts for parents to give their children at Christmas. There is a jar for donations on the Front Counter of the Lodge Lobby – please drop in any amount and help us make Christmas a little brighter for our local children. Money collected and scarves and hats will be delivered to the school later this month, so please help if you can. Thank you all for your generosity. (*FWIW Editor*)



GOLF AT ALPINE LAKE...



GOLF NEWS

Senior Men's League & Tuesday AM Scramble – No report this issue.

These groups will continue to meet and play as long as the weather cooperates, so check with the Pro Shop and sign up to play. Morning tee times.

Oktoberfest Scramble – Sat., Sept. 19th – AM Tee Times

1st place team: Joey Thomas, AJ Thomas, Scott Snyder, Dean Daniels (63) *

2nd place team: Andy Beardslee, Ann Dunson, Bill Beardslee, Skip Creamer (63) *

3rd place team: Larry Layman, Travis Smith, Barney Cable, Gary Cox (64)

Most Honest Team: Sam Dick, Sr., Ann Lee Colaw, Dee Browning, Chester Browning (74)

* - Tie determined with card-off

ALLGO League –

Many of our ladies continue to golf on Thursdays, as long as the weather cooperates, even though our official league has ended for the year. AM tee times available – or choose to play at a different time. Just check with the Pro Shop and get out there! Happy Golfing.

STROKERS news – by Loring Young

No Stokers for 2 weeks because of weather – so sad. What is this world coming to? We had to fix dinner at home – something needs to be done about all this!

Your Stokers Commish is sad about leaving, and will miss ALL. However, the entry level Stokers Commish job has paved the way to a higher level position in golf as Stevie Wonder's Commissioner of Night Golf. Anyone wishing to fill this prestigious Alpine Lake position – please contact me for detailed instruction on how to conduct those super-secret card-offs. Oath of Celibacy required. We are not good, but we have fun.

NOTE: So we don't get caught by darkness, show up at 3:30 PM and tee it up at 4:00 PM. Then stay for dinner, fellowship and jokes at the lodge. See you there...no experience necessary!

Don't audit life – show up and make the most of it now!

Golf Funnies.... (from actual phone calls received at a public golf course) – ☺

Staff: Golf course, may I help you?

Caller: What are your green fees?

Staff: \$38.00

Caller: Does that include golf?

Staff: Golf course, may I help you?

Caller: Yes, I need to get some information from you. First, is this your correct phone number?

Staff: Golf course, may I help you?

Caller: Yes, my husband just called me on his cell phone and said he's on the 15th hole. How many more holes does he have to play before he gets to the 18th?

OF INTEREST TO OUR COMMUNITY

CHECK listings on the last page of FWIW for a complete line-up of activities that are on-going in Alpine. There's something for everyone, so choose your favorites and participate. It's a great way to enjoy your friends and neighbors and do fun things, too.

ALPUC NEWS – from Kim Mayne, ALPUC



Your September billing was just mailed out and includes some helpful tips for winterizing your home from Bob Berry's presentation during our September meeting. Winterization is an important part of being a homeowner at Alpine that we can't stress enough, so please take the time to winterize before leaving for the winter, as well as those who stay and brave it out. Please remember that only an ALPUC licensed operator can turn your water off at the meter, and that prior arrangements must be made in writing at the ALPUC office, so please plan accordingly.

I also wanted to share again (in case you missed it last issue) that a customer received some information that was mailed to them from a company Home Service Plans, offering coverage on outside water lines. This is a solicitation much like ones we've received in regard to our power service, washing machines, etc. Please note the fine print at the bottom of the letter states "independent company separate from your local utility or community." Although the business return envelope bears a Charleston, WV address, the company is from Connecticut, and a representative of the contract issuer is AMT Warranty Corp. from New York. Please understand that **this service, is in no way, solicited by or associated with ALPUC.** Before you sign up for any warranty service on any item or service you have, PLEASE do full research on the represented companies before you make any decisions.

Please take time to update your information on file at ALPUC, including current telephone, cell phone, email address, etc. You can do so by emailing it to alpucoffice@frontier.com or by calling the office (304) 789-6996 or mailing us a note with your payment. This information is critical in case we need to reach you. Thanks for taking a minute to do this NOW.

TERRA ALTA FOOD BANK – There is an ongoing need to replenish supplies at our local food bank, so please add your donations whenever you can to help this worthy cause. There is a box inside the front foyer of the lodge for your convenience. Please continue to be generous in your giving to help those in need. These donations directly benefit our local Terra Alta community. Thank you.

CLOTHES FOR BELIZE – by Tom Kinsey

We remind folks again that our fall load of used clothing will be sent soon. If you have donations of light-weight, practical clothes, please contact me ASAP so they can be included in our shipment. I will collect them if you call me – Tom Kinsey at (412) 720-1037, or you can drop them off at my cabin in Alpine at 109 Betony Lane. Thank you for your help.

SENECA ROCKS HIKE – by Sheila Amato

I'd like to invite folks to join me in a hike up Seneca Rocks on **Mon., Oct. 12th** (weather-permitting, of course). It's about a 1.5 hour drive from Alpine Lake, so I would plan to leave Alpine around 8 AM. This is a 3-mile hike (total), 1.5 miles up to the observation deck via switchbacks with an elevation gain of 1,000 feet. I've been told that the hike up takes 45 minutes to an hour. After the hike, I am planning to have lunch at nearby Asburg's Restaurant (on the grounds of Seneca Caverns, 9 miles down the road). If you are interested in joining me on this adventure, let me know and we'll figure out carpools. You can email brltrans@frontier.com or call me at (304) 789-5555.

OF INTEREST TO OUR COMMUNITY...More News

COUNCIL OF THE BLIND CONVENTION – *by Sheila Amato*

The Mountain State Council of the Blind will be holding their annual convention here at Alpine Lake during the weekend of Oct. 9-11, 2015. The property owners at Alpine are invited to attend and participate in the Silent Auction, which will be held on Friday, Oct. 9th at approximately 7:30 PM in the lodge.

HELLO ALPINITES (ALPINERS?) WINTERING IN FL – *by Michele Hall & Wilma Rumble*

Please join us at Bok Gardens on **Tuesday, Dec. 8th** to enjoy the Christmas at Bok Gardens display. Bok Gardens is easily accessible to where many of us spend the chilly months. It is worth a visit just for the Gardens, but especially in December, when they really get in the holiday spirit! The house is decorated for Christmas, special Carillon Concerts are offered, special themes and guided tours, etc. If enough of us rsvp, we check about group pricing. We were thinking that, since the 1930s theme and antique cars are there on Tuesdays only, that **Tue., Dec. 8th** would be a good day to meet. Check it out here...at website: <http://boktowergardens.org/christmas/> If you are interested in being on a list for this or other winter social events, or have suggestions, please contact us at alpineflorida@yahoo.com. Thanks and hope to see you! Wilma Rumble & Michele Hall



COMMITTEE REPORTS

COMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEE – *by Charlotte Wiles, Chair*

The Communications Committee will be publishing the Alpine Lake Calendar, hopefully by the end of October. Our new Marketing Director, Craig Mason, will be assisting us. The Committees that have events happening in 2016 must notify Craig or myself to get those items on the 2016 calendar. So, please get this information to us ASAP. My email is wileschar@frontier.com and Craig's is craigmason@alpinelake.com.

Please pull off the Phone Directory Addendum attached to this FWIW and add to your phone book. It lists all the changes, new residents, etc. since the book was printed. If you have any changes for the next update, please contact Nina Sheets so our book can be as accurate as possible. Nina's email address is: vjs_njs3179@frontier.com

One final reminder from our committee – with some of us leaving for warmer climates during the winter months, it is even more important that your Emergency Contact form be updated and filed with our Security staff. You can pull up a form on our website. Please do this NOW, so we know how to contact you in the case of an emergency. Thank you.

ECC COMMITTEE – *by Dick Gallagher, Chair*

The beautiful colors of fall are on the trees and will soon be on the ground. We remind owners that there can be no open burning of leaves and branches.

We are still asking owners to display their house numbers so they are clearly visible from the street. It is both a requirement of Preston County and a common-sense means of identifying your home in case of emergency.

Reminder: All "For Sale" and realtor signs must be removed by Dec. 31. We are working with the Marketing Committee and the realtors on an alternative, less obtrusive means to help homeowners who wish to sell their properties.



More COMMITTEE REPORTS

PROPERTY OWNERS COMMITTEE – by Bernie and Birgit Stock, Co-Chairs

The dust is settling on a month of activity. Our annual Labor Day Picnic held at the Boathouse on Sun., Sept. 6th was very well-attended, with over 130 POs and their guests enjoying great food and fun on a beautiful day. Thanks to all who pitched in to help and a special thank you to Peggy Byrne for donating the delicious corn.

Along with many other goings on about the community, on the golf course and at the lodge, which I'm sure are mentioned elsewhere, the annual Oktoberfest took the main stage on the 3rd Sat. of the month, as always. After many hours/days of preparation, we were blessed with a beautiful day filled with wonderful food, "foam", friends, fun and music (by the OVFD Oompah Band, under the direction of Manning Smith). Over 500 folks enjoyed the day. Best Bavarian style outfits were worn by Zachary and Angie Huffman. Winners of the Stein Holding Contest were Dave (?) and Fran Rayl (5:54/2.25 respectively). The event was followed by a delicious BREAKFAST on Sunday morning, prepared by the Men of Alpine. Over 100 people enjoyed "the works". Leftovers were used to feed the ROMEOs, helpers, the coming Carry-in Picnic, and help the T.A. Food Pantry. Over 60 POs joined together to make these events a reality. Kudos to you all. This is Alpine Lake at its best. Our guests notice! It may be one of the best means of promoting our great community. Until next year...suggestions for the future are always welcome.

The funds derived from our fun/fundraising will always be used for the betterment of our community. Presently, new doors/windows for the Boathouse are in the works (~\$20k); LED signage for the front gate and Rt. 7 (~\$10k); and a new propane heater for the great room in the Boathouse (~\$500). Your ideas/help/suggestions are always welcomed. Let's all keep working together to make Alpine Lake all it can be. Your participation is essential to our well-being. Thanks to Lauren Kotula, our Marketing Director, who will be leaving us at A.L. for a new position in Morgantown. We wish her only the best. She was very helpful in supporting our POC endeavors throughout her stay.

Finally...the last Carry-in Picnic for this year will be held at the Boathouse on **Thur., Oct. 15th at 5 PM.** We should have enough sausage/brats for everyone – just bring something to share. See you there, if you're here. Note: A picture was found in the women's bathroom on the day of Oktoberfest. The artist was Mrs. Kemp. Call (304) 789-2443 to retrieve. Thanks. B&B

ALPINE LAKE ENERGY COMMITTEE – by Carl Donald, Chair

The Committee met on Aug. 14, 2015 at the lodge. All members were present: Grace Athey, Secretary; Jim Cropp, Jerry Duckett, Ron Stemple, Vice Chair, and Carl Donald, Chair. Mike Kubina represented ALPUC – no ALPOA board members attended because they had a meeting at the same time.

Two primary questions were addressed:

- (1) What is happening in the industry in general, and
- (2) What is occurring in our region specifically (PA, MD, WV)?

Natural gas usage is expanding, but prices for producers are falling. Therefore, exploration has slowed. There are reports from Pennsylvania fields that companies have reduced their field crews and have capped some wells. Until new markets are found and prices increase, expansion is unlikely. We are not aware of any new activity in our area over the last two years. We have a "casual relationship" with local mineral rights neighbors, which includes several thousand acres. A company in Washington, PA is representing this consortium to attempt to find natural gas leases. If there should happen to be any news of contract offers, you will be notified immediately.



CELEBRATIONS

Here are the folks we know of who are celebrating a birthday in OCTOBER. If you see them, tell them Happy Birthday, or send them a card to wish them well. **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.

- Oct. 7 - Vickie Mastalerz***
- Oct. 18 – Skip Creamer***
- Oct. 19 – Norleen Hoadley***
- Oct. 26 – George Fetcho*** (believe this is #93, right George?)
- Oct. 28 – Barb Conway***
- Oct. 31 – Peggy Caudry*** (Halloween birthday...cool)



MORE CELEBRATIONS – Alpine Staff

Same message as above applies to our Alpine Staff members. Here are the OCTOBER birthdays and employment anniversaries of our staff members. Please thank them for their service to Alpine by wishing them a happy day.

Happy Birthday to the following employees:

- Oct. 13 – Sandy Kelly – Pro Shop Clerk***
- Oct. 19 – Linda Likens – Housekeeper***
- Oct. 20 – Ryan Pritt – Golf Course Laborer***

Happy Anniversary to these employees:

- Linette Sines, Business Manager – 3 years of service***
- Donnie Goff, Mechanic – 28 years of service (WOW...thanks)***

“Age is just a number. It’s totally irrelevant unless, of course, you happen to be a bottle of wine.”
- Joan Collins

Smile...

As I was driving home this week and worrying about all the stuff going on in my life, my family’s lives, my friends’ lives, and what’s happening in Washington, Moscow, Ukraine, the Middle East, Hillary, and how America is so troubled, I saw a yard sign that said:

NEED HELP?
CALL JESUS – 1-800-555-3787

Out of curiosity and desperation, I did. A Mexican showed up with a lawnmower!

YOGI BERRA – famous baseball player died on Sept. 22, 2015 at the age of 90. He was almost as famous for some of his quotes as his talent on the ballfield... for example:

- “I never said most of the things I said.”***
- “Baseball is 90% mental – the other ½ is physical.”*** (guess this could apply to golf, too)
- “It ain’t over till it’s over.”***

And a favorite very familiar one:

“When you come to a fork in the road, take it.”



FROM MANAGEMENT & STAFF

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

Although the weather isn't looking promising the Alpine Lake 5K Fun/Run Walk is still scheduled to take place this Saturday. Registration begins at 9:30 AM (walk-ins welcome). **START TIME: 10:30 AM.** Please come out for some exercise, but most importantly to help out with this great cause. This will be the 2nd year for this event, and we hope to continue it for many years to come. Breakfast will be available Sat. Oct. 3rd beginning at 7 AM. We will also be running an after-race pasta special with your choice of Alfredo or Marinara sauce served with cheesy garlic toast for \$9.95.

I know a lot of property owners are starting to head out in different directions for the upcoming winter months. All of the staff wish you safe travels and happy upcoming holidays. Please take time to let our Security staff know you will be leaving so they can monitor homes that will be vacant for extended periods of time.

This is the last edition of FWIW that Cathy Young will be Editor, and I want to thank her for all the time and effort she has given to this publication. Loring and Cathy have been extremely active in the community for years, volunteering countless hours for multiple things. You guys will be missed and we wish you all the best.

GOLF:

2015 Member-Guest Tournament Champions – Larry Layman & Carl Weber III

Congratulations guys. Well-done.

Note: Now in Effect – Pro Shop Hours – 9 AM – 5 PM

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

Part of my report this time is the listing of celebrations of our staff members – see that section of FWIW.

If you are on a quarterly or semi-annual payment plan, please watch for your assessment billing to arrive in the mail within the next two weeks. Payment is due on Nov. 1st. For those on a quarterly plan, your statement will show the remaining balance for the entire year – not the quarter – but only the quarter is due. If you have questions, please give me a call – (304) 789-2481, Ext. 151.

Be sure to stop by our gift shop off the lobby – it is full of some really beautiful locally-made items, and you might find just the right one-of-a-kind gift for someone (or yourself). The room is beautifully done and inviting, so take a look. We are still looking into prices for affordable logo clothing to offer, as well as the Alpine Lake license plates, which have been requested by some property owners. Stay tuned.

SECURITY – by *Fuzzy Corum, Director of Security*

As of Sept. 21, 2015 all guests coming into Alpine Lake, going to homeowners' residences, will not be allowed to enter without permission from homeowners, with the exception of immediate family. Homeowners need to call Security and let us know when guests are coming in. Please give Security staff the name, and when they will be arriving. Homeowners leaving Alpine for the winter should let Security know with a written note, when they plan to leave. Thank you.

MARKETING – by *Craig Mason, Director of Marketing & Group Sales*

This position is still pretty new to me, and I apologize for not getting a report in FWIW this time, but will try to do better next issue. Meanwhile, check postings at the lodge regarding new hours of operation and any other changes that are in effect with the fall season upon us. Thanks to everyone who has welcomed me and offered their support as I take on the duties of your Director of Marketing and Group Sales.



ALPOA BOARD NEWS

PRESIDENT’S REPORT – *by Ginger, Tucker, President*

Fall has spread its glorious colors upon Alpine Lake even if it has been a bit wet lately. Autumn colors the hillsides in golds, reds and oranges, and reminds us of the beauty we live within. That beauty pushes us to preserve this place we all call home.

Before Lauren left for her next adventure, she ordered the property owner frequent visitor cards that we mentioned at the member meeting on Sept. 20. These cards have arrived. Property owners need to request their cards by calling Linette Sines, our Business & Property Account Manager, as we will only issue 4 cards per owner for frequent visitors. These will have a one-year expiration date, which will follow Alpine Lake’s fiscal year (meaning the same as your vehicle sticker) and have your visitor’s name and your name as the host. These will be maintained in our property management database.

The board has drafted a letter offering real estate for a cell tower following a suggestion at the last member meeting. The letter will be sent to the following cell service providers: Verizon, Frontier, Telephone & Data Systems/U.S. Cellular, AT&T, and Vertical Bridge. Additionally, will cc the Preston County Economic Development Authority, the Garrett County Dept. of Economic Development, the Preston County WV state legislature representatives, and State Senators and the Governor’s office, so that everyone is aware of what we are offering.

The board has reviewed a restaurant lease business plan submitted by Glotfelty/Collins and decided to pursue lease negotiations. This is in the negotiation process at this time, and no final decisions have been made.

The former golf cart storage building is currently empty and would be available for storing articles for the annual property owners’ yard sale with one caveat: beware of the bats.

The board has received two resumes for a board position with 8 months remaining in the term. We are accepting resumes through Oct. 9 for an Oct. 15 decision. Please remember you can make a difference by being a board member.

Please remember to pull off the Phone Book Addendum, attached to this FWIW. Add to your Alpine Lake phone book. Thanks to Nina Sheets for compiling these listings to keep us all informed of new residents, and changes for various reasons.

Everything can change in the blink of an eye. But don’t worry – God never blinks.

ALPINE LAKE LODGE HOURS
EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2015

FRONT DESK -

Sunday – Thursday - 7 AM – 7 PM
Friday & Saturday - 7 AM – 9 PM

THE MOUNTAIN LAUREL/EVERGREENE DINING ROOM -

Open Daily

Breakfast 8 AM – 11 AM (Breakfast began July 1st)
Lunch 11 AM – 4 PM
Dinner 4 PM – 9 PM

LAKERS' LOUNGE -

Daily – 11 AM – 10 PM

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

PRO SHOP - **Effective Monday, Sept. 21st – Hours are: 8 AM – 6 PM**

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 ½ priced
Fridays - Taco Night
All Specials Available 4-9 PM



HAPPY HOUR

3-5 PM – Monday – Friday
\$2.00 Drafts - \$1.00 off Mixed Drinks
NEW MENU

*Stop by Lakers' Lounge to try items from our delicious new menu!
Follow Alpine Lake on Facebook for more specials and updates!*

*Editor's Note: We include this page in each issue of FWIW as a handy reference page for Alpine Lake hours of operation and specials available. Please support our management and staff.
CHECK NOTICES IN LOBBY FOR CHANGES TO HOURS IN EFFECT NOW...we'll include them in next issue of FWIW. Thank you.*

Dear Algebra: Please stop asking us to find your X – she's never coming back and don't ask Y.

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. Remember to notify me if your item is no longer available, too. Thank you.

For Sale: John Boat 12 ft. aluminum; fold-up seats, oars. \$200. Club Car golf cart cover – slips over entire car, no screws or Velcro, heavy duty. \$25. New (in box) Golf Club Travel Bag \$5. Also, don't pass up the FREE or BEST OFFER table out front (weather-permitting). The Youngs (304) 789-2737 (10/2)

For Sale: Printer cartridges for Canon printers. C226 2 black, 2 magenta, 2 yellow, 3 cyan. C225 2 black. \$25. For all. Call Dick or Jo (304) 789-3189. (10/2)

For Sale: High-end custom-made Dreadnaught with a Fishman Matrix Infinity pick-up installed. Call Ron at (410) 790-4169. (9/18)

House Wanted: Need small house in Alpine to rent for this winter; reasonable rate, or trade for upkeep of house and property. Call Elizabeth Daley (304) 441-4587 or email: edaley76@gmail.com. (9/4)

Snowbirds...fly south with peace of mind! House-sitting services available. Pet-sitting also. Call Kay at (304) 789-2111. (9/4)

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 (9/4)

For Sale: Beautiful, like new Victorian sofa, burgundy & gold w/4 pillows \$350. 6 ft. tall TV cabinet, very good condition \$275. Call (304) 789-6371 Email for pictures: wileschar@frontier.com (8/21)

For Sale: Firewood, cut, stacked pick-up load delivered to your home locally \$75. Wesley Stemple, Cell: (304) 698-3693; Home: (304) 789-6919. Call today to "stack" up before winter returns. (8/21)

For Sale: New in box for heavy lawn equipment mowers, tractors, snow blowers. Steel construction, adjustable wheel span up to 48"; safety lock; rubber platform; non-slip foot pedal for easy lifting; hydraulic power, maneuverable & adjustable. Cost \$200; sell \$170 OBO. (304) 789-6520 or email mr.prp@hotmail.com (8/21)

An older couple with an ill husband, when asked how they managed to stay together for so many years, the woman replied – "We were born in a time when, if something was broken, you fixed it – not throw it away."

- ***Want a good way to tell if those grapes you're buying are fresh and not mushy in the middle when you get them home? Hold the stem of the biggest cluster and shake gently. If most of the grapes stay put, they're fresh. If more than a few fall off, they're past their prime and likely to mold quickly.***

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:

Sundays – 6 PM – Bocce Ball, Courts by Motel

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

Mondays – 10 AM- 3 PM – Sew Together, **Rhododendron Room, Lodge – A/O Oct. 12th**

Mondays – 3:30 PM – STROKERS Scramble, Meet outside Golf Shop, Dinner Follows (Note Time)

Tuesdays – 9 AM – Member Golf Scramble, Golf Shop

Wednesdays – 9 AM – Senior Men Golf League, Golf Shop

Wednesdays - 10:00 AM – Needlework Club - Rhododendron Room, Lunch Follows

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

Thursdays – 8:30 AM – ALLGO Ladies’ Golf League, (18/9/Golf Buddies) – Pro Shop

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

Thursdays – 2 PM – Men’s 9-Hole Golf, Golf Shop

Thursdays – 6-9 PM – Open Mic – Lodge (thru October)

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)

ALPOA MONTHLY COMMUNITY MEETINGS - SAT., OCT. 17th - 9AM

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

OR Use Comment Box in Lobby

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

Sat., Oct. 3 – 7:00 AM – Breakfast at Lodge before 5k Event

Sat., Oct. 3 – 10:30 AM – 2nd Annual 5k Run/Walk Benefit – Alpine Lake (walk-ins welcome)

Sun., Oct. 4 – 2-5 PM – Happy Trails Party for Youngs, Boathouse

Tue., Oct. 6 – 8AM – 7 PM – Dept. of Army Training Exercises in Area

Oct. 9-11 – Mtn. State Council of Blind Convention, Lodge

Sun., Oct. 11 – 7AM-1PM – Kingwood VFD Breakfast, Kingwood

Mon., Oct. 12 – 10 AM-3 PM – Sew Together Meets in Rhododendron Room for winter months

Mon., Oct. 12 – 5 PM – Dinner & Movie “Songcatchers”, Boathouse

Wed., Oct. 14 – Noon – Deadline for Next FWIW

Thur., Oct. 15 – 5 PM – Last PO Carry-in Picnic of Season, Boathouse

Fri., Oct. 16 – Noon – Next FWIW published

FUTURE EVENTS: Watch future FWIW’s for More Information

Tue., Dec. 8 – Alpine Snowbirds in FL – Bok Gardens Tour (check out article)

PARTING SHOT - It takes a long time to grow old friends. 😊