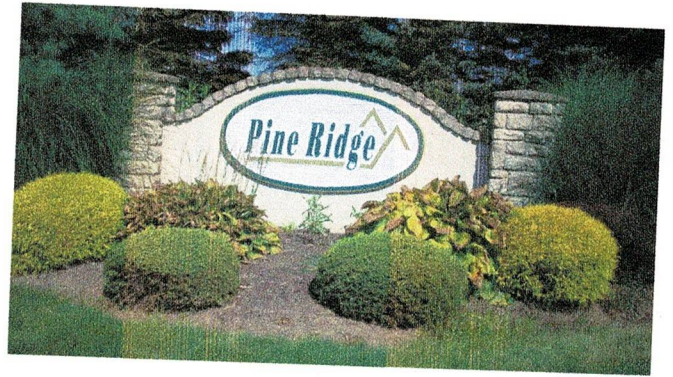


PINE RIDGE HAPPENINGS

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FROM THE BOARD:

One thing is for certain, Ohio weather is about as predictable as the lottery numbers. One week we have green grass with no weeds, the next is super dry and brings out the weeds and dried out grass, and then we have rain and too much of both grass and weeds. Our landscapers are working hard to maintain our beautiful aesthetic and God willing we will have trimming, weeds, and mowing under control again shortly. Just in time for our next weather front.

A friendly reminder that the Election and Annual Meeting are approaching fast and anyone is welcome to run or nominate someone for one of the three open Board positions. Look out for mailers including election info and bios on the current candidates. Please attend the election and if that is not possible, communicate with the Board or staff to ensure you have a proxy on record.

Residents with pets are asked to review their Handbook to understand that ANY TIME a pet is outside your unit, they are REQUIRED to be on a handheld leash. Animals are not permitted to be tied to a post, run freely, or be tethered to a stake in the ground. This is for the protection of residents, children, your pets and the pets of others.

There are new signs and posters at the Community Center to be used as guides in case of medical or choking emergencies. As always, please call 911 first and use the info on the posters if in a situation that it may be appropriate.

We look forward to seeing you on Monday, July 17th, at 6:00 PM for the Election and Annual Meeting.

JULY CALENDAR OF EVENTS: (PLEASE SEE ATTACHED JULY CALENDAR AND REFER TO THE ONLINE PINE RIDGE CALENDAR OF EVENTS AT WWW.PRCUOA.FRONTIER.COM)

COMMUNITY CENTER RESERVATION, Sunday, July 2, 12:00 Noon-5:00 PM:

INDEPENDENCE DAY, Tuesday, July 4:

RSVP DUE FOR PINE RIDGE SUMMER PICNIC, Friday, July 7:

BOOK CLUB, Wednesday, July 12: The Book Club will not hold a meeting in July, but the next meeting will be held on Wednesday, August 9, at 7:00 PM at the Community Center.

We had a small turnout for the June meeting with Beth Marburger leading the group discussion of Come Fly the World by Julia Cooke. The selection for the August 9th meeting is The Rose Code by Kate Quinn and Chris Rabes will be the discussion leader. Hope to see everyone there!

SOCIAL COMMITTEE MEETING, Thursday, July 13: The Social Committee will meet on Thursday, July 13, at 7:00 PM at the Community Center.

SET-UP FOR PINE RIDGE SUMMER PICNIC, Saturday, July 15, 10:00 AM, AT THE COMMUNITY CENTER:

PINE RIDGE SUMMER PICNIC, Saturday, July 15, 5:00 PM: The Board and the Social Committee are planning this year's FREE Summer Picnic for Saturday, July 15, starting at 5:00 PM at the Community Center. Reservations are required and due by July 7th. The dinner menu includes (with the Board members grilling) grilled hot dogs and hamburgers, baked beans, potato salad, coleslaw, cookies and ice cream for dessert and water, coffee and lemonade. Door prizes will also be awarded. A reservation form is attached and, after completion, can be placed in the lock box on the front porch at the Community Center. We look forward to seeing everyone there!

ANNUAL MEETING/ELECTION, Monday, July 17, 6:00 PM, AT THE COMMUNITY CENTER: We will be electing three Board members: two 3-year terms and one 1-year term will be decided. Anyone is welcome to run or nominate someone for one of the open positions. Shortly, everyone will be receiving a mailer that includes election information and bios of the current candidates. Nominations can also be made from the floor on election night. If it is not possible for you to attend the election in person, please ensure you have a Proxy on record so your vote is counted.

POKER NIGHT, Wednesday, July 19: July's Poker Night will be held on Wednesday, July 19, at 7:00 PM at the Community Center.

COMMUNITY CENTER RESERVATION, Friday, July 21, 9:30AM-3:00PM:

PICKLE BALL, July 3, 10, 24 and 31 at 7:00 PM:

Gatherings for Pickle Ball games are held each Monday evening at the Community Center at 7:00 PM, except for the second Monday of each month when it is at 7:30 PM after the Board meeting. Come out and enjoy the fun and fellowship!

GAME NIGHTS AND EUCHRE NIGHT, July 11, 18 and 25 at 7:00 PM: Gatherings for game nights are held on each Tuesday evening (except Independence Day, July 4th) at the Community Center at 7:00 PM. Come out and enjoy the fun and fellowship!

In addition and beginning this month, on the last Tuesday of each month at 7:00 PM in the Community Center, Euchre will also be available to play so don't forget to bring your quarters if you would like to play Euchre!

UPCOMING EVENTS/SAVE THE DATES:

DINE OUT AT JOE TONY'S BOURBON STEAK HOUSE, Thursday, August 17, 6:00 PM:

The Social Committee is planning a Dine Out at Joe Tony's Bourbon Steak House (formerly Lum's) at 347 Tuscarawas Avenue NW in New Philadelphia for Thursday, August 17, at 6:00 PM. Their banquet room is available for our group and both the lunch and dinner menus are available all day/every day. If you would like to attend, please call or text your RSVP to Elaine Margo (330-260-2948) **by Thursday, August 10**, and if you need a ride, please let her know as well.

FIRE RING, Saturday, September 16, 6:00 PM: The Social Committee is planning a Fire Ring gathering for Saturday, September 16, at 6:00 PM at the Community Center. No RSVP is required, but please bring your own meat, buns and a side dish to share. Paper products and condiments will be provided. Hope you can join us for an evening of fun and fellowship!

DINE OUT AT THE POINTE, Thursday, October 12, 6:00 PM: The Social Committee is planning a Dine Out at The Pointe for Thursday, October 12, at 6:00 PM. Please mark your calendar and further details will be forthcoming.

CHILI COOKOFF, Thursday, November 9, 5:00 PM: The Social Committee is planning another Chili Cookoff to be held at the Community Center on Thursday, November 9 at 5:00 PM. Karen Murphy (last year's big winner) is ready to hand over the Chili Cookoff trophy to this year's winner, so start planning what delicious chili recipe you would like to prepare and submit!

VETERANS' DAY DONUTS AND COFFEE BREAKFAST: The Social Committee would like to acknowledge and thank all of the veterans residing here at Pine Ridge. A donuts and coffee breakfast is being planned for Veterans' Day, Saturday, November 11, at 9:00 AM at the Community Center. Further details will be forthcoming.

PINE RIDGE CHRISTMAS DINNER: The Social Committee is planning the 2023 Pine Ridge Christmas dinner to be held at Malcuit's Restaurant on Thursday, December 7, at 5:30 PM. Please mark your calendars and further details will be forthcoming in future newsletters.

MISCELLANEOUS:

DO YOU KNOW WHO? It takes many hands to keep Pine Ridge as nice as it is. Some are paid and others are volunteers. We thank them both. Answers to these questions will appear in next month's newsletter.

JUNE:

Do you know who?

1) Plants and maintains the flowers in front of the Community Center?

Answer: Bill and Karen Murphy and Monika Baker-Lewis.

2) Maintains the library in the Community Center?

Answer: Chris Rabes.

JULY:

Do you know who?

1) Tills the garden and gets it ready to plant?

2) Writes the newsletter?

ARE YOU A VETERAN? We would like to compile a list of Veterans who live in Pine Ridge. There is a form to be picked up on the table at the Community Center and returned to the mail box on the front porch of the Center, if you would like to participate.

MEET YOUR NEIGHBOR:

- 1) What is your name? Brenda Charton.
- 2) Where do you live? 614 Pond View.
- 3) Describe your very first job and how old were you? I worked at Burfield Strawberry Farm during the summers in high school.
- 4) What is or was your occupation? I was a Programmer/Analyst in Washington, D.C./Northern Virginia at various places.
- 5) What is the name of the high school you attended? Tuscarawas Valley.
- 6) Describe your family including pets. I have a crabby 18-year old cat named Jamie and a 4-year old yorkiepoo named Zoey.
- 7) Tell us about any hobbies or things you collect. I've been to races around the world and have collected quite a bit of racing memorabilia. I even have a Formula One racing tire.
- 8) If you have traveled, please tell us about one of your favorite trips. I backpacked through Europe for about 7 months when I was in college. It really was a dream trip for me! I took the train everywhere, sometimes even sleeping on it so I wouldn't have to find a hotel. I also nurtured my love of racing by going to all of the Formula One races that I could fit into my itinerary.
- 9) What is a TV show you like to watch? I still love General Hospital. My mother watched it when I was a kid so I feel like I'm continuing a family tradition.
- 10) If you could choose to do anything for a day, what would it be? I'd go travel somewhere.
- 11) Describe the most daring thing you have ever done. By far I'd have to say backpacking in Europe. My parents (especially my father) were convinced I couldn't do it alone and something bad would happen to me. They definitely looked at me differently when I got home.
- 12) If you could have someone help with a chore, what would it be? Housekeeping.
- 13) Describe your favorite food. Lobster! Yum!
- 14) Tell us what you would do if you won a large lottery. I wouldn't tell anyone and I wouldn't change anything about my everyday life. I would just sneak off every now and then for a really great trip.
- 15) Are you a morning or night person? Night.
- 16) What is your favorite exercise? Swimming and walking although I haven't done much of either lately.
- 17) What is a skill you would like to learn? Chess.
- 18) Tell us about one of the biggest changes you have seen since you were 15. It has to be the rise of technology. I used to spend my life on a computer but now that I don't have to, I hardly ever touch my computer. It had gotten too much.
- 19) Tell us about your bucket list. It has to be to the Indy 500 and a trip to Scotland to see my relatives again with an excursion down to London and Paris so I could take the chunnel between the two.
- 20) What is something you would like people to know about you? Most people are amazed to find out I was born with cerebral palsy. Everything I've done I've tried to make it look easy even though I had more obstacles than most people to overcome.
- 21) How did you hear about Pine Ridge? I was looking for a place to buy and I couldn't find what I wanted. A condo didn't sound too appealing to me, but I took a look and realized I could make it work.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY:

July 5 – Dave Fiegl

July 10 – Jim Scott

July 14 – Jo Brown

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY:

July 28 – Louie & Sally Dreher

THINKING OF YOU:

John Feutz

Doug Burkhardt

GET WELL:

Linda Salom

Mary Gilkerson

SYMPATHY:

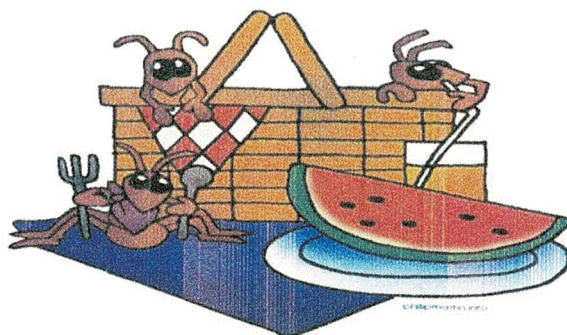
Suzi Bower – Loss of Husband, Dr. Lowell “Doc” Bower

Attention New Residents!!!! If you would like to share your birthday or anniversary with the community in the monthly Pine Ridge Newsletter, please contact Chris Rabes at (330) 260-2519 or contact Monika during office hours at the Community Center.

July 2023

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Jun 25	26	27	28	29	30	Jul 1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
12Noon-5pm CC Reserv	12-3pm Admin 7pm Pickle Ball	Independence Day		1-3pm Admin	RSVP Due-PR Summer Picnic	
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
	12-3pm Admin 7pm Pickle Ball	12-3pm Admin 7pm Game Night		1-3pm Admin 7pm Social Com Mtg		10am Picnic Set-Up 5pm-PR Summer Picnic
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
	12-3pm Admin 6pm-PR Annual Mtg/Election	12-3pm Admin 7pm Game Night	7pm Poker Night	1-3pm Admin	9:30am-3pm CC Reserv	
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
	12-3pm Admin 7pm Pickle Ball	12-3pm Admin 7pm Game & Euchre Night		1-3pm Admin		
30	31	Aug 1	2	3	4	5
	12-3pm Admin 7pm Pickle Ball					



Pine Ridge 2023 Summer Picnic

Saturday, July 15, 2023

Dinner at 5:00 PM

This is a **FREE** event sponsored and paid for by the Pine Ridge Board of Directors. It is being held at the Community Center, but reservations are required and due by **July 7, 2023**. Door Prizes will be awarded. Please complete the below reservation form and put it in the lock box on the front porch of the Community Center.

Please detach and complete the below form for your reservation.

Dinner Menu with Board Members Grilling

Grilled Hot Dogs and Hamburgers

Baked Beans, Potato Salad and Cole Slaw

Desserts: Cookies and Ice Cream

Drinks: Water, Coffee, Lemonade

Name(s) of Resident(s) Attending: _____

Address of Resident(s) Attending: _____

For questions, please call Chris Rabes at 330-878-4091



Are you a Veteran?

We would like to compile a list of Veterans who live in Pine Ridge for use in the future. Please fill out and return in an envelope marked Karen Oswald -Newsletter to the mailbox at the Rec. Center. Additional forms available in Rec. Center. Thank you.

Name _____

Address _____

Branch of Armed Force to which you belonged. _____

Years in which you served. _____

Rank _____

Locations of service or conflict in which you participated. _____

Any story or experience that you would like to share. _____
