



Timber Valley Log

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Input for this newsletter is welcome by Friday a.m. each week sent to the editor

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR REMINDERS

Sunday, Dec. 11th - 1 p.m. - **Chair Volleyball** - Clubhouse Big Room - Fun, fun, fun!

Tuesday & Wednesday - **Wrap gifts at Fire Dept.** - see article for times

Wednesday, Dec. 14th - 9 a.m. - **Chapter 9 Monthly Breakfast at Abby's**

Wednesday, Dec. 14th - 10 a.m. - **Goodies to the Clubhouse for Police & Fire Departments**

Thursday, Dec. 15th - 9 a.m. - **Monthly Open Board Meeting** - Big Room

Fri., Dec. 16th - 3 p.m. - **Social Hour, Speaker Jill Goldman on Chanukah Traditions** - Dining Room

Saturday, Dec. 17th - 9 a.m. - **Coffee & Donuts** - Dining Room

Saturday, Dec. 17th - 10:30 a.m. - **Whisk Masters Cooking Group** - Dining Room

(Keep track of regularly scheduled weekly activities on the monthly Team-up calendar)

☀️☀️ **December Sunshine Person is Susie Varner, Lot 105 - 541-941-1506** ☀️☀️



THE TOYS FOR JOY 2022 TREE

Timber Valley Members have done it once again providing toys and gifts for many deserving children in our area. They were all boxed and loaded in the fire vehicles on Friday morning, the 9th.. There was a large contingent of firefighters who were treated to delicious and festive treats and hot chocolate, which our members in attendance also enjoyed. Thanks to all who contributed the toys and also the goodies. And thanks to Betty Bush for organizing the treats. There's still one more thing we can do to help. After families have chosen toys for their families, volunteers will be wrapping them for those families that want them wrapped. If anyone is interested in being one of the wrapping elves to help the Fire Department with wrapping duties, here is the information: Be a Christmas Elf by showing up to help wrap the gifts at the Sutherlin Fire Department (250 S. State St.) on Dec. 13th @ 3pm-8pm or Dec. 16th @ 9 a.m. until the wrapping is finished. There's a lot of wrapping to be done and many hands make it go quickly!

COMMITTEE MEETINGS THIS WEEK

~~Tuesday, Dec. 13th - 10 a.m. - Emergency Preparedness Meeting - Canceled~~

Wednesday, Dec. 14th - 1 p.m. - **Finance Committee, zoom meeting**

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PLEASE, PLEASE, PLEASE

Check the quarters you're using to operate our washers and dryers. It is hard to believe, but it is a fact that dirty or badly worn coins are wreaking havoc on the machines. Make it a habit to look at each coin before inserting it in the coin slot. A store will take them to put in their cash register with no problem but the coin slots consider them show stoppers.

WHAT WILL YOU BE DOING DEC. 14TH ? (Wednesday this week)

Hopefully you'll be dropping off a batch of homemade cookies or candy by 10 a.m. They will be arranged on trays that we'll deliver to the police and fire departments to say "Thank You" to them for their over-the-top care they offer us all through the year. Just drop them off at the clubhouse kitchen, or stay and help if you wish. ????? Ask Joan Larson. This has been something the park has been doing for a good many years. Our Police and Fire departments look forward to it.

SOCIAL HOUR, DEC 9 TH



At least 30 Timber Valley members were there to hear all about Ford's Pond on the west side of Sutherlin off Church Street. Jim Houseman who initiated and has been responsible for the rehabilitation of the pond and surroundings gave an excellent talk, answering questions and getting answers to questions he asked. It will be a regional park operated by the city of Sutherlin,. It is a free park open from dusk to dawn planned in every aspect to be easy access, ADA compliant. When fully developed and even now it is most surely a place we will all want to visit often.

SOCIAL HOUR, DEC. 16TH



Let's fill the room again this coming Friday to hear our own Jill Goldman, Lot #68, share with us the Story of Chanukah as she shows us the festivities of the Holiday — delicious Latkes with applesauce , blintzes & jelly donuts. Plus, she'll have Dreidels and Chanukah Gelt for play

