



# Timber Valley Log

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## THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR REMINDERS

- Sunday, April 23rd - 2 p.m. - **Chair Volleyball** - Big Room - Try it, You'll like it!
- Monday, April 23rd - 1 p.m. - **Jacks & Jills Monthly Meeting** - Big Room - Come help make decisions.
- Thursday, April 27th - 5 p.m. - **Movie Night** - "The Egg and I" - Free popcorn
- Friday, April 28th - 3 p.m. - **Social Hour w/ Update on the Timber Valley Garden Project**
- Saturday, April 29th - 9 a.m. - **Coffee & Donuts Social** - You want to hear the stories told!
- Saturday, April 29th - 10:30 a.m. - **Whisk Masters Cooking Group** They're waiting for you!

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

☀️ ☀️ **April Sunshine Person is Trish Hall - Lot #177 - (458)-209-4216** ☀️ ☀️

## SNOW BIRD RETURN SEASON IS UPON US



The snowbirds have begun their seasonal return. It is good to see the familiar faces we've been missing while they've journeyed. Most activities have stayed in full swing during their absence, but now we'll enjoy an increase in our numbers. Welcome back and safe travels to those still on the way!

## THIS WEEK'S SOCIAL HOUR — THE TIMBER VALLEY GARDEN

Hopefully everyone is aware of the garden being developed for our park community. We will all benefit in one way or another once it is producing. Individuals or small groups will be able to lease growing bins for a year at a time to grow fresh, organic vegetables for their tables and to be able to share surplus with others. The Garden Group has been meeting to formulate plans, etc. on a weekly basis for well over a year. We have been dependent on donations and fund raising projects to make the garden possible. The weather is finally allowing the project to take form. The fencing is in progress, half of the raised beds are on hand and arrangements for wood chips and soil have been made. Come to Social Hour at 3 p.m. this Friday to feel the excitement of it all happening, and to learn how you can be involved.



## JACKS & JILLS APRIL MEETING

Plan to attend the meeting on Monday, April 24th. Among other items on the agenda will be the cleaning of the coffee corner cupboards in the dining room. To make this possible a request has been issued for everyone to collect their personal coffee cup and take it home for a thorough washing to be brought back as soon as the cleaning project is complete. The next issue of this Log will tell you when your cup may return. Thank you in advance for doing this. Sign up to help with the project and others at the meeting on Monday. Come enjoy the cake once again served at J & J meetings to honor those with birthdays and anniversaries this month.



## COMMITTEE MEETINGS THIS WEEK

Friday, April 28th - 9 a.m. - **Landscape Committee** - Meet at Garden Shed. Come lend a hand!

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## THINK YARD SALE

As you get into deep Spring cleaning, remember our annual park yard sale, which is slated to be June 10th, along with the city-wide sale. Our sale will take place on our individual lots. There will be signup sheets to indicate your participation and to insure that your lot will be marked on the map supplied to visiting shoppers. If you have merchandise you wish to part with but don't plan to have your own sale, please put things aside for the Jacks & Jills sale, which will be in the clubhouse. Your help and participation will help make our sale a huge success for all. Stay tuned for specifics. Call Joan Larson 541-817-7983 with questions.



## IMPORTANT MAIL NOTICES

**First:** It is up to you, as a park member, to check with the office that your out-of-the-park mailing address is current and correct. Important mailings are coming up soon regarding election notices, annual meeting information, and your M & O billing. These will all be sent to the address on file in the office. You won't want to miss any of these mailings, so check with the office to be sure. It is your responsibility not theirs.

**Second:** Our park mail boxes are intended for member's mail only. It is Not OK to have mail sent to your box that is not addressed to you. The office has had to deal with letters and packages addressed to children, grandchildren or others who are not the member. If it is necessary to receive such mail, you should establish a PO Box at the Sutherlin Post Office, where they will be able to better accommodate you in this type of situation.

## HOW WE CAN KEEP OUR PARK LAUNDRY RUNNING SMOOTHLY

# 1. Read the rules. There are many rules posted in the laundry room. They are there to remind us all of what we must do and they are there most likely because someone or ones have failed to follow good sense and need reminding.

# 2. Sign up for an available time to do your laundry. DO NOT see empty machines and go ahead and fill them with your laundry if you are not signed up for that time slot. DO NOT assume it is OK. It isn't. That goes for anyone bringing in wet laundry and only using the dryers. SIGN UP !

# 3. Clean up after yourself. When you remove your laundry from a washer, wipe it out being sure no hair or other debris is left behind. When you remove your laundry from a dryer, make sure you haven't left anything inside the drum, (that's how socks lose their mate!) And, then be sure to use one of the long handled brushes to wipe the lint screen located under each of the dryer doors. This is part of the job.

#4. Look around when you're done. If while you shook out your dirty or clean laundry you left debris on the floor, use the broom and dustpan to clean it up. Don't expect someone else to do it for you.

# 5. We must all practice good laundry room etiquette. That will keep it running smoothly!



## The Egg and I With Ma & PA Kettle - Thursday April 27<sup>th</sup>

World War II veteran Bob MacDonald (Fred MacMurray) surprises his new wife, Betty (Claudette Colbert), by quitting his city job and moving them to a dilapidated farm in the country. While Betty gamely struggles with managing the crumbling house and holding off nosy neighbors and a recalcitrant pig, Bob makes plans for crops and livestock. The couple's bliss is shaken by a visit from a beautiful farm owner (Louise Allbritton), who seems to want more from Bob than just managing her property. Free popcorn at 5:00. Movie starts at 5:30.

