



Timber Valley Log

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Follow Weekly Scheduled Activities on Our Online TeamUp Calendar

Use this link: [Timber Valley SKP Park of Oregon | Teamup](#) to open the calendar from this online newsletter. Or go to Quick Links on the website home page and choose Park Online Calendar.

☀️January Sunshine Person is Peggy Russell - (541) 315-5644☀️
☀️Sunshine Person for February is Rhonda Scott - 916-267-7663☀️

Budget Request Workshop Wednesday 1/28 1 PM Dining Room



Workshop For Committee Chair/Co-Chairs Requesting a 2026-2027 Budget

Volunteers Needed

Reminder- we need a chair for Jacks & Jills term beginning June 2026

Talk to Chris Beith for more information

Food Panty - we need someone to volunteer to take the food to the Oakland /Sutherland food pantry. See Chris Beith or Mary Lou Rodriguez

Price Increase - Ice cream Bars \$1.50 each

Water!

As you probably know we have a dedicated team of 4 people that carefully monitor our park's daily water use. For the past several months we are consistently using about 20% more water every day than the same period in prior years.

This very dry period is a perfect time to check your water hose connections to make sure there are no leaks. If you see any leaks in our park water systems, please tell our office. Your wallet will thank you!

From your water monitor Team.



🎤 Bingo Wednesday January 28 @ 6 PM - Dining Room 🎤

1 dollar bills. Cards \$1. Blackout \$.50 a card. Pick up your cards starting at 6pm.

Games begin at 6:30pm Popcorn will be served. Soda and Ice cream are available.

Happy Hour - Friday January 30 @ 3 PM - Dining Room

Join us for our weekly Happy Hour and enjoy camaraderie, snacks, wine, and learning!

Emergency Communications

Brought to you by your Emergency Preparedness Committee

In a true emergency, nothing comes closer to helping people than communications. When the power is off, and cell towers are down, there are still many methods of communication....all are available here at Timber Valley.

- 1) Walk next door and knock on your neighbors door! This seems very basic, but goes a long way towards helping each other. (remember neighbors helping neighbors?)
- 2) Even if cell towers are not working well enough for a phone call, many times text messages WILL work. This would be the basic SMS message. During

“Snowmageddon”, we used SMS text messages to communicate with people in other states so they could look up and report our weather forecast.

3) Timber Valley has an established walkie talkie (FRS) communications system for this exact use! Please join us each a Monday at 4pm on channel,6 for a test of the system. No license required. All are welcome. It is very comforting to hear and talk with your neighbors in an emergency.

4) Timber Valley also has an active Ham Radio club with a base station in our clubhouse designed just for emergency communication. You can see the antennas on the roof of the clubhouse.

5) We also have Starlink systems in the park, many will run directly off battery power, to provide unlimited high-speed internet, phone and text messaging. This is satellite communication, and works wonderfully. I have personally done a video call with someone in another country on the other side of our planet while I had no 120v electric power or cell coverage. Just amazing for emergency communication.