Weatherby Lake Living Newsletter

WEATHER BY LAKE I **OCT/NOV 2016** Anders Jacks Cemetery Newsletter Contents Weatherby Lake Historical Marker Unveiling From the Editor And Celebration Of Our History At Anders Jacks Cemetery City - Municipal News EVERYONE INVITED WLIC News Saturday, October 29th, 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM Hear the compelling history of the ANDERS JACKS CEMETERY Resident & Community News Fun Items for Sale, Fall Raffle, and **Refreshments Included** Clubs & Organizations Cemetery Lane and NW Eastside Drive (Next to: 7519 NW Eastside Drive) **Classified Advertisements** Community Calendar

Come get acquainted with the amazing historical Anders Jacks Cemetery...Weatherby's very own piece of early Platte County history. Be a part of the unveiling of the historical marker and hear some incredible stories about the cemetery. Enjoy refreshments and community friendship.

EVERYONE INVITED!! Saturday, October 29, 2-3pm.

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From the Editor

I believe everyone has their favorite place where they can find that calm within...where we just become right with the world. I have more than one of those mystical places, but certainly a sunny beach is high on that list. Throw in warm surf, a soft breeze, seagulls, dynamic sunset, champagne, loving friends, and, well...it is just the best!! I recently had one of those magical moments...it filled my soul with immense gratitude, not to mention life sustaining peace. It was one of those times when I felt I could transition right into the next phase quite naturally. I will keep that moment at the ready for future reflections.

As the sun sank into the ocean, we were sharing how life is a wondrous journey. So, we made an impromptu toast, "To the journey". Our champagne glasses caught the last ray of sunshine, and the gentle clink of the crystal sealed the magical moment.

Now, it is true...one does not have to travel to a sandy beach to experience those times....we have comparable offerings right here. The sunset was blazing pink across the lake tonight and the breeze was lovely ... and there was an abundant opportunity for gratitude. I am determined to take advantage of the last few weeks of the warm season to capture enough of those moments to sustain me. I am reminding myself daily to pause and recall that feeling..."To the journey". I sincerely hope you do too.



Peace & Goodwill -Pat Medill



Mayor's Office

Dear Friends and Neighbors:

As I write this newsletter, the late season heat wave had broken over the weekend and I am now enjoying a very cool Fall day. Wow, what a difference. Cool temperatures and less humidity are certainly welcome.

Google Fiber continues to install their network around the city and the good news is that they are nearing completion of that phase. Maybe 2-3 weeks are remaining. Please note that Google will be responsible for restoring all areas affected by the installation so if you have any questions about the remaining work, please don't hesitate to contact them directly. The contact information remains on the city's website.

Just a quick reminder, the City of Weatherby Lake will be hosting their annual Veteran's Day tribute at Birmingham Park on Friday, November 11th. A brief program will be held with a guest speaker and the placing of a wreath beginning at 11:00am. Light refreshments will be served after the completion of the program by members of the Supporting Weatherby's Adopted Troops (SWAT) group.

Work will begin shortly to insert Insituform in the remaining clay sewer pipes. This project will extend the life of these older pipes by 20 – 30 years. Again, your patience is requested during this project.

Many complaints continue to come in regarding the noise being generated by airplanes taking off from KCI and flying over Weatherby Lake. I have advised residents to continue calling the KCI Airport Contact Mr. Bob Johnson who is the Manager of Operations. His number is 816-243-2313 and email address is bob.johnson@kcmo.org to share your concerns. In the mean time I am planning a more formal action on behalf of the city.

Lastly, I am in the final stages of preparing the 2017 budget projections for review by the Board of Aldermen. I anticipate that two work sessions will be conducted during the month of October to finalize the budget.

I hope you, too, are enjoying the change in the air as we welcome the Fall season. So, let me share a few lines from the poem by Pearl N. Sorrels entitled, "It Must Be October". "Oh, it must be October, the leaves of red, bright gold, and brown to Mother earth come tumbling down. The breezy nights, the ghostly sighs, the eerie spooky far off sounds. Are all signs that it is October."

Live life well in Weatherby Lake.

Patrick J. Botbyl

Mayor, Weatherby Lake

PATRICK BOTBYL MAYOR

Phone: 816-741-5545 Fax: 816-741-1480 pbotbyl@cityofweatherbylake-mo.gov



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<u>WESTSIDE</u> Steve Clark - 741-0048 Doug Richmond - 402-540-0078

<u>EASTSIDE</u> Tanya Finn – 587-9957 Brian Stevenson – 746-8563



HALLOWEEN

The end of the month will bring out the trick or treaters in the area so be especially alert for them while you are driving during the evening hours. If your children are going out for treats, please have them wear reflective or light colored clothing and carry a flashlight. Make sure their vision is not obscured by their mask. It is best to walk in groups and to have at least one adult for each five children with the group.

SCAMS

We are still receiving reports of persons being scammed or attempts to scam someone. Please be cautious. The IRS doesn't call you on the telephone to threaten you for nonpayment. If you are lucky enough to win money, you will not be required to pay a service fee up front. Please do not give anyone your password by telephone or on line. If you think you are being scammed, please call the Police Department immediately.

LOCK YOUR DOORS

Please remove your keys and lock the doors on your parked vehicles. Close and secure your garage doors. Several reports of thefts and persons prowling parked cars have been taken north of the river. Local police departments are investigating auto thefts and thefts from vehicles around the I-29 corridor. An unlocked vehicle or an open garage door is an invitation to a thief.

KATZENBERGER TRIATHLON

The triathlon was a huge success again this year. Thanks to all the volunteers that helped make this great event occur safely. Thank you to all of the drivers who helped make this event safer by watching for the participants. The weather was wonderful.

ENJOY THE HOLIDAYS

Let the Police Department watch your home. If you are leaving town for the Holidays, please contact us. Residence checks and residence watches are available and encouraged.

RESIDENCE CHECK

Officers do a complete check of the exterior of the residence. They check all windows and doors. They will pick up any papers and packages.

RESIDENCE WATCH

No physical checking unless something suspicious is observed or reported, a visual check only

Call 741-8111 or check the City web site, www.cityofweatherbylake-mo.gov to leave your information.

HAVE YOU SIGNED UP FOR NIXLE?

The City of Weatherby Lake is using a new communications tool that allows residents to receive community alerts and advisories via email and text message. This service, called Nixle, is free to use (standard text messaging fees apply) and allows the City to send out timely information on topics like

GARY MCMULLIN CHIEF OF POLICE

gmcmullin@cityofweatherbylake-mo.gov



Emergency - Call 911 Office - 816.741.8111 Dispatcher - 816.858.3521 Water Patrol - 816.807.6700 Fax - 816.741.1480 severe weather warnings, road construction, traffic accidents, missing person alerts, and more.

To sign up for Nixle, visit www.nixle.com and follow the registration steps, or **click on the Nixle widget on the City Web Page**. You can choose to receive information via text message, email or directly at the Nixle website. You can also sign up to follow multiple agencies, which is beneficial if you want to keep track of what's happening in the communities where you work or visit, or if you have loved ones living out of town. Nixle is a great resource that allows us to easily reach followers with critical information related to our community. This tool allows residents to get updates directly from city staff in a timely manner.

CITY STICKERS AND ANIMAL LICENSES

2015 motor vehicle stickers and animal licenses will be on sale at City Hall beginning December 1st. City stickers are due by January 1st and become delinquent Aril 1st. **All dogs and cats** kept in the City of Weatherby Lake must have a current rabies vaccination and City license. Storage lot stickers are due September 1st and become delinquent December 1st

Prevent a crime, Dial 911. Keep a watchful eye on your neighborhood. Call 911 immediately if you see or hear anything suspicious. Happy Thanksgiving.

NOT WHAT WE SAY ABOUT OUR BLESSINGS, BUT HOW WE USE THEM IS THE TRUE MEASURE OF THANKSGIVING.

W.T. Purkiser



WL Historical Committee

WEATHERBY LAKE T-SHIRTS SELLING FAST SUPPLY & SIZES LIMITED GET THEM NOW AT CITY HALL

Look (and be) super cool this Fall in our new crew style T-shirts and women's fitted V-neck. These shirts are an

exceptional quality, light-weight poly-cotton



blend. Sponsored by the Weatherby Lake Historical Committee, the profits will support projects such as placing bronze historical



markers around our community. Help us tell the story of our amazing city by purchasing a great vailable in grey or agua \$25

T-shirt today. Available in grey or aqua...\$25.

NOTE: Only 8 T-shirts remaining. When they are gone...they are gone! Fleece hoodies will be available soon. Excellent holiday gift.

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New Edition\$20\$20Image: State St

The Chronicles of Weatherby Lake **\$45 ea. -- 2 for \$80**



All proceeds benefit the Weatherby Lake Historical Committee Available at Weatherby Lake City Hall or call 816-741-5545

WL HISTORICAL COMMITTEE

Weatherby Lake Historical Committee Giving the past a future

The Weatherby Lake Historical Committee is made up of seven (7) members and two (2) alternates. The members are appointed by the Mayor from the public at large, and are subject to the approval of the Board of Alderpersons. Each member must be a resident of the City of Weatherby Lake, and serves for a term of three (3) years.

Full Committee Members

Marianne Ennett Trina Henke Pat Medill Heidi Neece Judy Shafe' Shauna Zahner

<u>Alternate Members</u> Neil Brown

WEATHERBY LAKE IMPROVEMENT COMPANY

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www.WLICInfoCenter.org



WLIC Office Hours: Mon thru Fri: 8:00a - 2:00p Office Telephone: 816-741-5556 Office Fax: 816-741-2081 Water Patrol: 816-807-6700

W.L.I.C. Update

- The gates on the dam are closed with the lake at 24 inches below full pool. Members are being contacted to make seawall repairs if the WLIC inspector believes they are necessary. The WLIC will maintain the lake at this level for approximately two months while members complete their repairs. *Remember all seawall repair vendors must take the online zebra mussel course before they can begin their work.* Also, with the lower water levels, make sure to keep your boats and watercraft safe and secure.
- Remember the WLIC Annual Meeting will be a week earlier this year because of the national elections. Mark your calendar for Tuesday, November 1st. The meeting will be held at the Hilton KC Airport at 7:00pm. We hope all members will attend. You will be receiving more information regarding the meeting shortly.
- You will also be receiving some proposed changes to the WLIC Rules and Regulations for your review. Included with the changes are instructions as to how to respond should you care to do so.
- The WLIC water patrol will end their lake patrol season following the Oktoberfest celebration at C-Point Saturday October 1. We want to thank all Members for their cooperation in making our lake safe for all of us.
- The lake is experiencing a mild occurrence of Duckweed infestation during the latter months of the lake season. Duckweed is an invasive species of plant that reproduces rapidly if not contained. It looks like green slime on the lake from a distance, but is actually many, many tiny plants. During the heavy storms it washed in from



since Duckweed can float to various points of the lake very quickly, we are asking members to "skim off" the Duckweed if it appears near their property so that it doesn



their property so that it doesn't continue to spread.

• This fall, the WLIC will again partner with the Fishing Club to restock the lake. The stocking program for 2016 includes: 2,500 Catfish, 3,000 Bluegill, 2,500 Redear, 10,000 Fathead Minnows, and 400 pounds of Trout. All fish will be coming from state approved, licensed vendors -- Wallace Fish Farms and Crystal Lakes Fisheries.

Have a great Fall season and enjoy the beauty of our wonderful lake!

Resident & Community News

NEW RESIDENTS

Cody & Sarah Beck Brad & Wendy Boyd Greg & Regina Carlson Adrian Chapman & Samantha Iannone Carolyn Harmon James & Hannah Low Jorge & Andrea Martinez Michael & Kelli Morrow Jacob & Bridget Pratt Dustin Scholz Daniel & Joanna Tarr

Trunk or Treat Monday October 31st - C-Point (details page 10)

Thanksgiving Day Sail All Residents & Types of Watercraft Welcome



November 24th Meet at off of C-Point @ 10:30-11a After Party @ 12p-2p Don & Diane Coleman's 7902 NW Scenic Drive

Please bring your favorite appetizer to share among many friends and family. Don will provide his famous hot apple cider and WLYC will have beer, wine, water and sodas for everyone.

William (Bill) Genske



Our sympathies go to Guy Genske and family on the recent passing of Guy's father, William (Bill) Genske. Bill had been

living with Guy during his illness. He has 5 children and several grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Party for Parks OCTOBER 27, 2016

5:30-80M Hors o'deavors | Silent Auction Program | Cash Bar

Weatherby Lake Community Center 8320 NW Potomac

Join us as we celebrate Platte County Parks! Hosted by Friends of Platte County Parks and Recreation, enjoy a fun evening learning about our local parks!

\$15 Per Person





<u>Next Events</u> Oct. 3rd 7:00p – Regular Meeting – C-point Pavilion Nov. 7th 7:00p – C-point Pavilion

Our next meeting will be Monday, October 3, starting at 7:00 pm at the C-Point Pavilion.

We will have our November meeting on Monday Nov 7 , 2016 starting 7:00 pm at the C-Point Pavilion

This year we will have our Christmas Dinner December 13, 2016...place and time will be determined at our next meeting.

Now is the time to go out and do some fishing. As the weather gets cooler the fish start feeding up for the winter and move to more shallow water.

Weatherby Lake Fishing Club Scholarship Fund

Are you tired of storing your old boats, trailers and motors???

Donate your runabouts, canoes, fishing boats, pontoon boats, sailboats, other watercraft, trailers and motors to the Weatherby Lake Fishing Club Scholarship Fund. We will pick up your equipment. All of the proceeds from your donated items will go to our Weatherby Lake kids to help with their college education.

Any questions or for more information, call: Hank 529-

Membership Drive for 2016:

It's never too late to join or renew memberships for the 2016 year. Each family membership is only \$20.00 for the year. We will add you to our e-mails for many upcoming events in the New Year.

MEMBERSHIP TO THE FISHING CLUB \$20.00.

PLEASE FILL OUT THE FORM FOR OUR E-MAIL LIST. YOU MAY PAY IN PERSON AT OUR MEETING, OR YOU CAN MAIL YOUR CHECK TO OUR TREASURER, OR LEAVE AT CITY HALL.

SEND TO:

JOHN BUGG ,10301 NW 72nd ter WEATHERBY LAKE, MO 64152

If sending check make out to WLFC , or Weatherby Lake Fishing Club

NAME_

EMAIL: ____





<u>Next Event</u> October 31st - Halloween Trunk or Treat 6:00 - 7:30pm C-Point

I'm starting this month off with a huge Thank You to all of our families who donated items, made financial contributions and volunteered during our annual Families Club Garage Sale. We worked very hard and had lots of fun raising money for our youth events! We're all looking forward to a great year of amazing youth activities, beginning with our upcoming Trunk or Treat!

Our annual Trunk or Treat will be held October 31st at C Point from 6pm to 7:30pm. We ask that all cars handing out candy be in place by 5:45pm so that when the kiddos start, the traffic is at a minimum. We will be providing homemade chili and hot dogs again this year along with beverages. So plan to have dinner with us during the fun. There will be a donation jar set up for you to make a contribution to our events if you missed your chance during the garage sale! We are very excited to be holding this event for its 3rd year in a row. Last year we had over 200 people come out and play with us! We will have awards for the different categories of decorated trunks, so do it up right and go all out to impress the judges! Also, when parking for the Trunk or Treat, we start our lineup of cars closest to the pavilion and then follow the line towards the entrance. If you are not handing out candy, please park right by the entrance gates. We will have someone letting

you know when the space between the pavilion and bathrooms is full. We will not allow cars to drive through the trunk or treat area once it has begun at 6pm or the parking spaces are full. No exceptions. There are simply too many little ones wandering and playing for it to be safe. We hope to see all of you there ready to have some spooky and safe Halloween fun that night!

It takes a village to raise a child. Aren't you glad we live in a great one?

Ashley Footer Sarah Umcheid



<u>Next Meeting</u> October 18th – 7p – Pat Medill's November 15th 7p – Location TBD

Our sincere thanks to Mike McDermott and the Grass Pad Staff for their wonderful program and generosity at our September gathering.

October's meeting date is Tuesday Oct 18th to be held at 7:00pm at the home of Pat Medill

Our presentation will be "Gardeners Yoga" by Wendy Landry. We will then conduct an open discussion with members to plan for future meetings and activities. Come join the fun!

November's meeting will be Tuesday Nov 15th

(note this is the 3rd Tuesday because of the election) We will meet at 7 pm for a "Holiday Décor" theme location to be announced.

For more information contact any of the officers below.

Cathey Bossert, President	(816) 437-8525
Sarah Umscheid, Vice President	(816) 701-6420
Kathy Birmingham, Secretary-Treasurer	(816) 741-1753
Bernie Botbyl, Hospitality/Programs	(816) 326-8268
Kathy Lapp, Corresponding Secretary	(816) 741-9322





<u>Next Meeting</u> October 7th – 7p – 9 p Location TBD

Happy October & November!

The Irish American Club will start having monthly meetings from October through April.

If you are interested in participating in the WL St. Patrick's Day event to support our local police force, our meetings will be on the first Thursday of every month, starting Oct. 7, 7-9 pm...location to be announced.

We will post location updates on the WL Families Club's Facebook page. Speaking of which, please check out the Families Club's Halloween event this month.

Also, on October 12, please take some time to gaze out upon our waters, and raise a pint to observe the Discovery of America by the Celtic monk St. Brendan in the 6th Century AD.

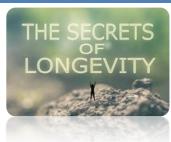
Thank you,

Weatherby Lake Irish American Club



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October 19th Tai-Chi C-Point Pavilion

November 16th - TBD

We all know someone who has died a terrible death as a result of first or second hand smoke. But the smokers are getting less and less. In fact, check these facts out and quit today!

92.2 % of those with a Bachelor's degree DO NOT SMOKE.

94.4 % of those with greater than a Bachelor's degree DO NOT SMOKE.

It is now known that cigarette companies purposely hid known facts about dangers of their product from us for several years.

Weatherby Lake is a prestigious and classy Community. Let's keep it "First Class".

Designating smoke-free outdoor areas just makes sense because it:

- Promotes healthy communities;
- Builds health your social norms;
- Create a healthier environment for children and families;
- Promotes more positive role model is for children by parents or others;
- Decreases chronic health conditions due to exposure to tobacco smoke;
- Decreases ER and medical visits due to allergy and asthma attacks from exposure;
- Secondhand smoke and trigger asthma attacks increasing the risk for blood clots and harm blood vessels;
- Decreases secondhand smoke exposure to non-smokers;
- Decreases exposure to the toxins and cigarettes;
- Is green and helps maintain our environments. Cigarette butts are the most littered item in the world, and they create high fire hazards;
 - Helps break the connection between sports and tobacco and recreational leaders become tobacco free role models;
- Supports healthy or behaviors among youth;
- Helps smokers quit, reducing the number of cigarettes smoked;
- It helps nonsmokers to remain smoke-free; it reduces cost to smokers;
- Reduce his maintenance cost;
- Reduces deaths caused by smoking.
- Tobacco smoke contingent least 172 toxic substances and tons of carcinogens.
- Municipalities in MO like Kansas city, Lees Summit, et al., have already made all parks smoke free. In fact, in the US over 1,266 municipalities (which include several parks each) have already made all parks smoke free, and hundreds of beaches are smoke free (Citation from The American Nonsmokers Rights Foundation).
- Outdoor second hand smoking is highly toxic to children, and under certain conditions just as toxic as indoor smoke, and as if the child was smoking the cigarette themselves. Outside second hand smoke causes the same problems smoking causes, and it creates a substantial risk to the development and health of children, toddlers and infants, as their body (organs) develops.
- In a developing child, second hand smoke causes and aggravates asthma, sinusitis, rhinitis, cystic fibrosis, chronic respiratory problems such as cough, bronchitis, pneumonia, increases the number of ear infections a child will get by the swelling and obstruction and increases fluid caused by second hand smoke, in their ears, which then causes pain, inflammation, and infection. Second hand outdoor smoke also causes higher risk for hearing loss and a host of other conditions.
- Cigarette butts Littered everywhere in the beautiful community of Weatherby Lake. Cigarette butts are an unacceptable form of liter subject to fines. It's like any other type of liter. Yet you can find cigarette butts EVERYWHERE in our community, including parks, playgrounds, and other areas where children congregate.
- Inquisitive babies, Toddlers, children and animals can ingest cigarettes flicked on the grass causing stomach disorders including pain, toxicity, vomiting, and malnourishment in animals. In some cases it causes death.
- Barefoot babies, toddlers, small children and adults can step on a lit, flicked cigarette.
 - Cigarette butts contaminate our environment, affecting our landscaping, lake water, trees, etc. The run off from cigarette butts laying around gets into the water, killing and mal nourishing fish and other wildlife. We now know the smoking industry purposefully hid the problems caused by smoking for several years.

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Michael C. Hudak - drhudak@sbcglobal.net 816-898-7877

W O M E N S C L U B



<u>Next Events</u> Thursday, October 13, 2016; 7:00pm Fall Bonfire – Linda Cone's (10204 NW 73nd Terr}

Thursday, November 10, 2016; 7:00pm Community Center

The Women's Club had a great turnout at the Season Opener on Thursday, Sept 8th. Lots of new faces and returning members attended as we discussed plans for the upcoming season. Thanks to everyone who provided input on future program ideas.

Our next meeting is on Thursday, Oct. 13th. We will meet at Linda Cone's house – 10204 NW 73rd Terr -- at 7:00pm for a bonfire, s'mores and other fall treats. (*In case of inclement weather, we will meet at the Community Center for some indoor "Fall Fun"*)

November's program is still in the planning stages as we evaluate the program feedback we received. Look for more information via email. Save the date of Thursday, Nov. 10th, 7:00pm at the Community Center. We will plan to collect food donations for Harvesters.

If you are interested in supporting one of

our previous presenter's causes, consider participating in the Bill Cross 5K Walk/Run at Zona Rosa on Sunday, October 9th at 8:00am. For more information, visit:

https://raceroster.com/events/2016/982 7/2016-bill-cross-5k-walkrun-forbacksnacks.







<u>Next Event</u> October 29th: Adult Halloween Costume Party/Pot Luck 6:30pm C-Point

To all Weatherby Lake residents, Weatherby Lake Yacht Club members, and future members: Wow, this Summer has flown by and only a few Yacht Club events remain on the calendar. Please join us for the following events:

Halloween Adult Costume party pot luck to be held at C-point on Oct. 29th starting at 6:30, \$10.00 for drinks. The First hour will be a savanger hunt for tricks or treats. Watch for WLYC e-mail blast for the details.

Sail Boat racing awards banquet Nov. 12th, 6:30- 10:30 at the Community Center. Cheering is allowed!

Thanksgiving Day Sail, pontoon, float, kayak, or whatever watercraft you choose Nov. 24th and pot luck! This is the 25th year the Coleman's have hosted and this will be the last for them. So, let's show the support and make it a great event. Out on the water and boat 11:00 to 12:00 noon and warm up with Don't famous apple cider plus other yummy treats! 7902 N.W. Scenic Drive. No event in December or January

from the Yacht Club. So enjoy the Fall and we thank you for your participation this year. More Fun to come in 2017!

Warm regards,

Kimmer Commodore

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A monthly social gathering, to meet new friends, in the homes of our neighbors

On the third Saturday of each month from October through May, except in December, volunteer Weatherby Lake residents rotate hosting a casual social gathering in their homes. There are two options for the events each month, either an informal dinner, or a cocktail party. You can choose to participate in either one. Six to ten residents are randomly assigned to each host home, but neither the host nor the guest knows the other neighbors attending their event.

Informal Dinner Party 7PM - ?			
Guest	Provides 1 pre-determined side dish and BYOB		
Host	Provides their home, the main dish, soft drinks, water, coffee and tea		

Cocktail Party 7PM-9PM				
Guest	Provides 1 appetizer of their choice and BYOB			
Host	Provides their home, 1 appetizer, soft drinks and water			

The focus for both of these events is not the meal, but rather on meeting new neighbors, developing new friendships, and getting better acquainted with each other.

I want to participate, what do I do?

- Everyone in Weatherby Lake can participate either as a host, or as a guest.
- The number of host homes and participants will dictate the number of events that will be held for that particular month.
- Invitations will be sent via email at the beginning of the month. You can reply to the email indicating that you would like to host or be a guest, and what function you choose: dinner or the cocktail party
- You will be provided a food and location assignment for that month's event when you respond
- Hosts for the gatherings are voluntary the host decides how many guests that they can accommodate at their home

The next Know Thy Neighbor gathering will be on October 15 at 7PM

If you would like to receive these monthly announcements, send your name and email address to:

knowthyneighbor@yahoo.com

or contact Laurel Sumpter at 816-785-9817

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NEIGHBORS HELPING NEIGHBORS

Caring and Temporary Assistance for Weatherby Residents in Time of Need

NHN is a community program for all of us to help each other in times of need, such as illness or other circumstances that limit our abilities, the death of a loved one, shut-ins, or in any way that one might need simple short term assistance. We do not take the place of professions or replace family responsibilities. We are your next door neighbors who are willing to volunteer help where we can, and we need YOU to help be a part of watching out for one another. Is there a category below that you might like to be a team member? Typically, you would not be called on more than once or twice a year.

For general questions and information, contact Pat Medill, 741-1569 PRMedill@aol.com

CHILD CARE: Babysitting in an emergency situation. Bernie Botbyl 326-8268 BTBStar@aol.com

COMMUNICATIONS: Being a part of a phone chain if urgent information is necessary. Judy Maher 587-2213 judykm@kc.rr.com

COMMUNITY RESOURCES: Refer reliable assistance in any category that we have a screened referral. **Jan Leonard 547-0058** jan-rich2@kc.rr.com.

GRIEF SUPPORT: Offer comfort and friendship to someone grieving the loss of a loved one. Help locate grief support groups. Share a message of hope. **Kathy Birmingham 741-1753** <u>d.birmingham@sbcglobal.net</u>

HOME MAINTENANCE: Offer assistance once or twice with minor tasks, or help with referrals. Examples: Lawn mowing or snow removal until a permanent service is located. Need contact volunteer.

HOUSEKEEPING: Taking a turn with lite cleaning, laundry, mail pick-up, etc. Bernie Botbyl 326-8268 <u>BTBStar@aol.com</u>

MEALS: Provide a one-time covered dish to assist during an illness or death in the family. Kathy Birmingham 741-1753 d.birmingham@sbcglobal.net

QUALITY OF LIFE ADVOCATE: Offer help and direction, especially to those alone and the elderly, to learn ways to increase their quality of life through age appropriate exercises and nutrition. Friendly visits to a shut-in with a message of encouragement. Be a trusted and confidential listener. Mike Hudak 898-7877 drhudak@sbcglobal.net

NOTE: A sub-committee of volunteers who work with Therapy Dogs is available, as well. For Therapy Dog information contact **Tony & Pat White 741-3100 PatWhite05@icloud.com**

RESPITE CARE: Help with personal needs...bathing, hair care, etc **Bonnie Kreider 587-9260 <u>Robare68@yahoo.com</u>**

SPIRITUAL PRAYER LINE: Being willing to offer spiritual support for those requesting prayers. Pat Medill 741-1569 PRMedill@aol.com

TRANSPORTATION: Provide transportation to appointments or the grocery store...or pick up needed items locally. Nancy Potter 505-1873 NPotter1@kc.rr.com

OUTREACH PROGRAM AWARENESS: Promoting the NHN program to all residents...encourage others to be comfortable in asking for help for self or a neighbor. **Traci Miller** 816-260-1846 traciekmiller@gmail.com

NOTE: If you know a reliable skilled resource for any of the above categories, please let us know: <u>PRMedill@aol.com</u>





Weatherby Single Friends is for all single residents on the Lake, including never married, divorced, or widowed. This is a great support and social group that gets together every month.

Fun outings, home dinners, creative discussions, service projects, etc. This is NOT a match-up or dating group, just good friends having fun, and supporting one another.

> Contact: Kathy Birmingham. 741-1753 D.Birmingham@sbcglobal.net

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SWAT Supporting Weatherby's Adopted Troops

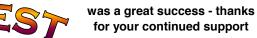
Honor Flights for Veterans

SWAT sponsors and supports honor flights for our WWII veterans - join us on Wed, Nov. 3rd at KCI airport to send off and welcome back veterans from our area. See our Facebook page for more details. Are you a Friend of SWAT ?

To stay abreast of our activities, find us on Facebook at <u>Weatherby Lake SWAT</u>

Be sure to attend to Veterans Day Memorial Service Birmingham Park

Friday, November 11th, 11 am



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What is SWAT ?

SWAT (Supporting Weatherby's Adopted Troops) was formed in 2008 to provide assistance in various forms to the Soldiers, Sailors, Marines and Airmen serving our country, now and in the past, with a particular emphasis on those who are currently deployed, and their families.

The SWAT Mission is to encourage our community's participation in making a positive difference in the lives of our Service Members and their families, as well as our much-appreciated Veterans.



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Maybe the journey isn't so much about becoming anything. Maybe it's about unbecoming everything that isn't really you, so you can be who you were meant to be in the first place.

For info on how to place an Ad in the Weatherby Lake Living newsletter, please contact Pat Medill PatMedillEditor@aol.com or call 816-741-1569.

Community Calendar

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October 1, 2016	Saturday	SWAT Oktoberfest Celebration - 6-10p - C-Point Pavilion
October 3, 2016	Monday	Fishing Club – 7p – C-point Pavilion
October 7, 2016	Thursday	Irish-American Club – 7p – Location TBD
October 13, 2016	Thursday	Women's Club – 7p – Bonfire 10207 NW 72 nd Terr.
October 15, 2016	Saturday	KNOW THY NEIGHBOR season begins - 7p - various locations
October 19, 2016	Wednesday	Longevity – Tai Chi C-Point Pavilion – 7p
October 27, 2016	Thursday	Friends of Parks: Party for Parks – 5:30p/8:00p – Comm. Cntr.
October 29, 2016	Saturday	Historical Marker unveiling history – Anders Jacks Cemetery
October 31, 2016	Monday	Families Club - Halloween Trunk or Treat - 6/7:30p - C-Point
November 1, 2016	Tuesday	WLIC Annual Meeting -7pm - Hilton Hotel
November 3, 2016	Thursday	Irish-American Club – 7pm – Location TBD
November 6, 2016	Sunday	Daylight Savings Time begins
November 7, 2016	Monday	Fishing Club – 7p – C-Point Pavilion
November 10, 2016	Thursday	Women's Club - 7p - Community Center
November 11, 2016	Friday	Veteran's Day Tribute - 11a - Birmingham Park
November 16, 2016	Wednesday	Longevity – 7p – Holiday Eating - Location TBD
November 24, 2016	Thursday	Happy Thanksgiving
November 24, 2016	Thursday	Thanksgiving Day Sail – Convene off C-Point from 10:30 to 11:00 – 12p – 2 – After Party @ Coleman's 7902 Scenic
December 1, 2016	Thursday	Irish-American Club – 7p – location TBD

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