



Summerfield Summary

SCA BOARD CANDIDATES

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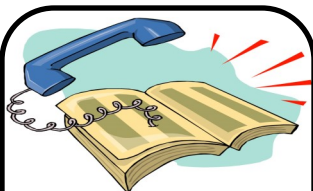
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office**

Our 2022 Nominating Committee met in April and reviewed several nominated residents for consideration of our upcoming Board positions. Our nominating committee narrowed the results down to three fantastic candidates who will be elected to our Board of Directors at our Annual Board Meeting in July. Huge Thank You to our Nominating Committee for your role in this process!! Our Nominating process is detailed in the Bylaws available on our website, www.summerfield55.org, or outside the Clubhouse office.

As noted in our SCA Board Meeting Minutes, the three candidates are Stephen Blake, Dianne Phelps and JJ Gattuccio. Please see their bios on page 6.

We will have a **Meet The Candidates Night June 23rd at 7 PM in the Clubhouse Lobby**. Please come on down for a tasty treat and meet our future Board members.

Submitted by Jennifer Stiffler

Meet Your Administrator...

By now, many Summerfield residents have met our new Administrator, Jennifer Stiffler, who started on the job March 21st. While Jennifer has a lot of management experience, the HOA business is new to her as her career has been spent in the culinary field. But she is enjoying the career switch and finding that her background and past experience are serving her well outside the restaurant business.

Jennifer's original dream was to own her own bakery, which is a very hard goal to achieve. A native of Anchorage, Alaska, she started on her chosen career path by graduating from Oregon State University with a bachelor of science degree in nutrition and food management with an emphasis on restaurant management.

After graduating from OSU, Jennifer lived in Portland for a few months before moving back home. Still dreaming of a culinary career, she applied and was accepted at the legendary Le Cordon Bleu Culinary School in Paris, but at the last minute bought a plane ticket for Portland instead of Paris.

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While working in restaurants in the metro area, she got an associate degree and graduated with honors from the Art Institute of Portland Culinary School.

Over the years, Jennifer worked at Sur La Table, Pizzicato Inc. and Toro Bravo Inc. She met her husband Jordan while working at a restaurant, and he is still in the restaurant business. They got married and moved to Tigard in 2018. "We bought our house 1 ½ years ago and wanted a fixer-upper, and we got it," she said. "It's fun to get our hands dirty."



Jennifer took time off from work when the Stiffles had their two sons, Liam, 4, and Caleb, 1, and going back to work after 22 years in the restaurant industry, she decided it was time for a career change. When job-hunting earlier this year, Jennifer was looking at administrative assistant jobs, and the Summerfield job – not far from her new home – almost fell into her lap.

"I wouldn't want to work in a restaurant I wouldn't eat in, and I knew I didn't want to work in a cubicle crunching numbers for someone I had never met," she said. "I looked at different jobs and while interviewing at a temp agency was told about this job."

After taking time off from working, Jennifer said, "I'm excited to be back providing for my family." Two months into the HOA business, Jennifer loves the Summerfield job. "It allows me to use my management skills and be the mom I want to be," she said. "When I was working at restaurants, the hours were demanding, and I was on-call on the weekends. This job is like a breath of fresh air. I have to be able to pivot from one thing to another just like I did in the restaurant business."

Submitted by Barbara Sherman

R E S P E C T During Major Projects

R-Regard others and their welfare when you have a **major project** on your property. Is the sidewalk open? Is the street safe?

E-Establish a relationship with your neighbors when you are planning a **major project** and keep an open communication with them. Keep neighbors informed when major delays occur.

S-Stake out boundaries on your property during **major projects** that allow walkers access to sidewalks, if possible.

P-Patience, during a neighbor's **major project**, is essential in this year of contractor and material shortages!

E-Eliminate dangers during a **major project** by making sure materials stored in the street and/or sidewalks are clearly marked.

C-Critical Comments during long-term **major projects** should be set aside. Residents strive to get their remodel completed quickly.

T-Take Time to appreciate all **major projects** that enhance the appearance of Summerfield.

Thank You!

Submitted by Bev Anderson and Mary Kay Stroum, A/L Co-Chairs





President's Message

HAPPY JUNE... Summer arrives this month and hopefully warm, sunny weather. The pool is open, the tennis/pickleball courts are clean, the golf course is manicured, sidewalks are patched, flowers are in bloom - all we need to do is get outside and enjoy!

THANK YOU... A big thank you goes out to **Barbara Sherman** for the work she has done these past months to create and publish our monthly **Summary**. Barbara has a true gift for writing (she did it professionally for many years) and for editing and putting together an interesting and informative publication. Barbara, your time and expertise have been greatly appreciated!

While I am commenting about the Summary, 'thank yous' go out to the proof-readers, Sharon Hughes and Diane Ragsdale. They make sure every "i" is dotted and every "t" is crossed in all the articles submitted for us to read. It takes time and a fine-tuned eye to do this. Sharon and Diane, you are the best!

The Summary is now turned over to our new Administrator, Jennifer Stiffler. She is very excited to put her hand in the mix for more great editions of the Summary. And I hope everyone reads the Summary from cover to cover. It's the Summerfield lifeline for all that goes on in our wonderful community.

SUMMERFIELD UPDATES... Be sure to read the bios on page 6 of this Summary on the candidates nominated for the 2022-2023 Board of Directors. Also, I encourage you to come and meet them on Thursday, June 23rd, at 7 PM in the Clubhouse Lobby. If you do not know them, this is a good opportunity to see who our community will be approving for the next SCA Board at the Annual Meeting on Monday, July 11th, at 7 PM. More information on this meeting will be in the July Summary.

ANOTHER THANK YOU... To each of you who give of your time and energy in any way in Summerfield, **thank you, thank you, thank you!** Summerfield is the amazing place that it is because of you! Happy Summer!

Sharon Strain, SCA Board President



Clubhouse Tours offered monthly

Welcoming new residents! Come and take a tour of our stunning Summerfield Clubhouse. Monthly tours are offered on the 1st Wednesday of each month from 1 PM to 2 PM. Tours will start promptly in the Clubhouse fireplace lounge area.

June 1st from 1 PM—2 PM.

There will be a Q & A session at the end of the tour.



For questions, call Coordinator

Robyn Dezendorf at 503.407.9102

*Submitted by Robyn Dezendorf –
Newcomer Welcome Committee*

Come One, Come All

Wake up and smell the wafting aroma of coffee...



**Monday morning from
9:00 to 10:30 AM in the
Clubhouse Lobby**

What a great way to start the new week! Meet people from all over Summerfield. Bring your neighbor. We also serve tea and cookies. If you have questions, Call Connie Jones at 503.816.8563.

SCA Board Meeting

This report is a recap of the meeting. For details, see the minutes on the Clubhouse bulletin board.

May 9, 2022

President Sharon Strain called the meeting to order at 9:00 AM. No visitors signed in to speak. Minutes accepted from the April 11th, 2022, regular Board Meeting.

Golf Pro Shop Report – R. Lindsey: It was said that “weather drives business” in golf. With 16 measurable rain days and two days closed for aerification, golf numbers were down from previous trend yet still ahead of pre-Covid numbers with 2,973 rounds played. The Chapmans have started for the 2022 season.

City of Tigard Liaison Report – Sherman: Barbara Sherman relayed that the current Mayor of Tigard, Jason Snider, is unable to run for re-election due to length of service to the City Council. Groundbreaking for the Universal Plaza off of Burnham Rd. is set for June beginning with a tile-based, sensor-run splash pad and light display, and the second phase will include a covered picnic area.

Treasurer’s Report : Operating account: April 2022 total income of \$53,259.72. April 2022 total expenditures of \$105,244.64. Cash on hand as of 4/30/2022 \$924,728.95. Reserve account: April 2022 total income of \$88.38. April 2022 total expenditures of (5,321.52) General reserve balance as of 4/30/22 \$1,412,850.87. New Buyer Fee income for April \$12,000. New Buyer Fee expenses for April \$(5.00). New Buyer Fee interest & income \$7.94. New Buyer Fee account balance as of 4/30/22 \$204,410.17. Total General Reserves plus New Buyers Fee Account as of 4/30/22 \$1,617,261.04. Checks written in April: From Key Bank Operating checking account regular checks: # 19080-19138. Paychecks: #50347-50350. #1111-1115 from US Bank Reserves checking account checks and # 235 from Washington Federal Reserves Checking Account checks. Motion made (Hughes), seconded (Madden) and approved to accept the entire Treasurer’s report.

Administrator’s Report: Working with lawyers regarding outstanding assessment fees for one resident household. In addition, working with lawyers regarding updating any governing documents verbiage that could be seen as discriminatory as required for a House Bill passed late last year. It was a great experience



working with the nominating committee to obtain our top three candidates for the upcoming Board.

Unfinished Business:

A. Revised Lawn Mower Reel Funding
Motion made (Madden), seconded (Johnson) to accept updated price of \$16,253.65 for the three lawn mower reels required to complete the purchase of the new lawn mower in 2021. Motion passed.

New Business:

B. Pool Chemistry Controller
Motion made (Johnson), seconded (Kellogg) to accept updated price from Pool and Spa House to upgrade the pool chemistry controller as price has gone up from \$6,412.45 to \$7,472.20. Motion passed (4-1).

C. Sidewalk Repairs Update

Motion was made (Johnson) seconded (Madden), to accept additional \$200 charge for curve correction necessary on Alderbrook Drive sidewalk repair due to tree inhibiting 48-inch allowance for ADA compliance. Motion passed.

D. Revision of Summerfield Entry Sign on Durham Road

After Board discussion, motion made (Madden), seconded (Kellogg) to require Marketing Committee to revise the plan for the sign revision, including a detailed breakdown of work to be done, including bids for the work with exact numbers. Motion passed.

E. Proposed Veteran’s Day Complimentary Golf and BBQ

Motion made (Madden), seconded (Johnson) to enact an annual Veteran’s Day Complimentary Golf Day & BBQ, allowing any veteran to sign up for a free round of golf, resident or non-resident, as tee times permit. Motion passed.

F. Announcement of 2022 Nominated Candidates

Madden announced that the Nominating Committee met, discussed, reviewed and voted on the 6 candidates who accepted

their nominations for Board consideration. As there are three outgoing Board members, the top three were selected as official Board candidates to be voted on during the July Annual Meeting. A Meet the Candidates night is set for June 23rd.

The Candidates are Steve Blake, Dianne Phelps and JJ Gattuccio. Unless written petition with 25 resident signatures is turned in prior to the Annual Meeting, these three candidates will be voted in as the newest Board Directors.

Directors’ Roundtable:

Madden – Liaison to Greens, Pro Shop, Marketing: Greens Committee has postponed any discussion regarding a wall on the ninth hole indefinitely.

Clancy – Liaison to Architectural/Landscape, Sub-Associations: absent.

Knutson – Liaison to Disaster Preparedness, Volunteer Appreciation: absent.

Hughes – Liaison to Clubhouse, Library, Summary: Library Committee – Fabulous as always and very busy. Summary – huge thank you to Barbara Sherman for the wonderful job. Administrator Jennifer Stiffler to take over Summary for June edition. Hughes expressed need for all Clubs and Committees to be reminded of requirements for submitting requests that the SCA office will handle.

Johnson – Liaison to Swimming Pool, Common Area Landscape, Courts: Swimming Pool is open.

Kellogg – Liaison to Clubs/Activities, Neighborhood Watch, Newcomers: Motion made (Kellogg), seconded (Madden) to accept Carene Svoboda as temporary chair of Newcomers Welcome Committee. Motion passed.

Strain – Liaison to Directory, Fair Housing, Website: Website Committee is meeting in June, progress is coming along with the new website.

Meeting adjourned at 10:08 AM. Next regular Board Meeting is June 13th, 2022, at 9:00 AM.

GARDEN CLUB

Twenty members of the Summerfield Garden Club visited one of their favorite nurseries, the Garden Corner in Tualatin, on May 9th. After owner Jonn Karrseboom gave a talk about some of his favorite plants and offered some timely tips on gardening, the ladies went shopping for beautiful flowering plants. After they had all made their purchases, they enjoyed lunch at nearby La Industria restaurant.

On Friday, June 10th, the Garden Club is visiting Newell Pioneer Village, a collection of four historic buildings near St. Paul, with the centerpiece being the 1852 home of Robert Newell, a prominent figure in early Oregon history. Also on the historical site are the Pioneer Mother's Memorial Cabin, the 1848 Butteville Jail and Butteville Academy, a one-room school, all surrounded by plantings like those in favor in the 1800s.

Lunch will be at Filbert's Farmhouse Kitchen in Aurora. We have a lunch reservation for 15 people, the maximum number allowed for a reservation, but if there are more people in our group, they should be able to get tables on their own in the restaurant.

We will meet at the west end of the Clubhouse parking lot at 10:20 AM to leave at 10:25 AM. To sign up for the trip, email Barbara at lionsherman@comcast.net by **Thursday, June 2nd**, as the Daughters of the American Revolution, which operates the Village, needs to know the size of our group a week ahead of time. Also, please indicate if you will be a driver or a passenger for arranging carpools.

Submitted by Barbara Sherman



UKRAINIAN PERFORMANCE

Summerfield residents Mark and Helena Greathouse, who are an international musical performing duo, will present their one-hour show "You Do Speak English, Don't You?" benefit performance for Ukraine on **Sunday, June 12th, at 3 PM. in the Clubhouse Ballroom.**

Through song and dance, the family-friendly, cabaret-style variety show depicts the couple's real-life love story of how they met in Europe, married and moved to Mark's native Oregon. Helena grew up behind the Iron Curtain, and the show features Czech folk songs and Mark's original songs as well as several familiar songs and parts of instrumental numbers, all interspersed with short, humorous dialogues highlighting challenges Helena and Mark have experienced in their lives as a Czech-American couple.

A question-and-answer session follows the performance.



Submitted by Mark and Helena Greathouse

Your Upcoming Board Candidates Bios

Stephen Blake

Steve was East Coast born in Newark, New Jersey, and attended Fairleigh Dickinson University to receive a Bachelor of Science degree in Accounting. Steve went on to purchase a group of Army Surplus stores and saved the business from going under by rebranding the stores as a camping gear and apparel store. As CEO of Sunny's Great Outdoors, Steve brought the store chain to a total of 26 stores. Steve has also worked as Executive Vice President and COO of Webster Clothes, a national chain of men's apparel stores.

Very active in his community, Steve also held the position of board member, Vice President and President of his Synagogue Congregation Neveh Shalom of Portland, which is the largest conservative synagogue in the NW.

Steve and his wife moved to Summerfield a year ago because they liked that Summerfield offered an active life style that met their needs. Steve is most proud of his family, which includes three children and four grandchildren, some of which reside in Portland, LA and Baltimore.

Steve's interests include playing golf, reading, enjoying wine, grilling/smoking foods and trying to get out and travel as much as possible.

Dianne Phelps

Originally from Sacramento, California, Dianne and her husband moved to Portland so her husband, Kip, could get his Master's degree and Dianne could finish her degree in education. Dianne was an elementary school teacher in the Tigard-Tualatin School District for grades 3 through 5, teaching the Talented and Gifted Program and working in the computer labs until she retired. Dianne is very proud of being an educator and prays that the children she taught have benefited from her teachings and being in their life.

Dianne has three children who all live in the area as well as four grandchildren ranging in ages 7 to 16. Dianne has lived in Summerfield for 15 years and came here because she and her husband were very familiar with the community as her in-laws were residents at Summerfield as well.

Dianne has been incredibly active in Summerfield, having served in many roles for Townhouse Association #3, Clubhouse Committee co-chair and social chair for their neighborhood. Dianne is also active playing golf, singing with Encore, line-dancing, swimming, playing pickleball and just walking through the neighborhood.

JJ Gattuccio

JJ was born in Rochester, New York, spent many of her younger years in Southern California. She married shortly out of high school and moved to Oregon to follow her husband's work.

After experiencing divorce with young children, JJ made her way back to college and raised her children, providing for their every need and building a life from scratch. This is one thing that JJ is most proud of in her life as it has shaped her character and her life philosophy that "*Life is what you make it.*"

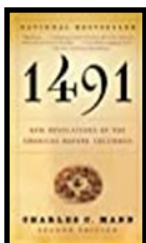
JJ did remarry a wonderful man in 1983, who passed away in 2002, around the same time JJ's children were grown and setting off to start their own lives. JJ found herself downsizing her home so that another family could have the opportunity to grow there. Building a new home in NW Portland, JJ lived there for 10 years and served on the HOA board before deciding to downsize again finding herself in Summerfield. JJ says she couldn't have picked a better place to live.

At Summerfield, JJ has served on her HOA board, Townhouse Association #3, as social chair 2 years and as president for 6 years. JJ also belongs to the Women's Golf Club, the Art Guild, Knitting Group and Book Club. She says, "I thought retirement would be a lot of sitting around, but I filled my life with so many projects that I find joyful."

Submitted by Jennifer Stiffler

Book Club

The June book club will be held in the Conference Room on June 14th, 2022, at 2 PM. Don Bartell will be leading the discussion of the book **"1491: New Revelations of the Americas Before Columbus"** by Mann. In 1492 Columbus sailed the ocean blue. This book explores who was living here the year before that and many, many years before that. This goes way beyond what we learned in high school. Not a real fun read but very, very interesting and educational.



Many thanks to Jan for leading the discussion on "Half Broke Horses" for the May book club meeting. For those looking to the future, the book for July is "The Good Earth," and Carol Brenneman will be leading this discussion of the book many of us had to read in high school. Let's read it again to find out why. *Submitted by Neal Sanders*

Get Moving with Tai Chi, QiGong and Yoga

Feel Your Best! Gently Stretch!

What a wonderful way to start the day. Gently stretch your body, relax your mind, and appreciate each new day. Tai Chi, Qi Gong, and Yoga are great ways to find a better sense of balance and gain more energy.

Tai Chi and QiGong: MWF 8:00-8:30 Lakeview Room & Ballroom

Yoga: MWF 8:30 - 9:00 Lakeview Room

No experience necessary. Classes have gentle, simple moves. Call Connie Jones with questions at 503.816.8563.



BOOT SCOOTERS

Same days - new times for the Boot Scooters line-dancing group. To help newly graduated "ultra-beginners" gain confidence in their dancing, a new time has been set aside just for you!

On Wednesdays from 1 to 1:30 PM, some of your fellow dancers will lead you in familiar dances. At 1:30 PM, I will continue by focusing on one dance that will be new to most of you. The remainder of our regular Wednesday class will conclude at 3 PM.

Monday evenings we'll meet from 6 to 7:30 PM. I'm looking forward to continuing this journey of dance with all of you. *Submitted by Diane Christensen*

Summerfield Website Update

Work continues on creating our new website, and we are excited about the changes taking place. You won't see any changes until the new website is launched, but our work on the Home Page is nearing completion, and we are continuing to make changes to the content display. The team is looking for a resident who might like to do some photography work for the team. We are looking for someone with photography experience who would be willing to take pictures of activities in our community.

If you are interested, please call me at 503.639.6938.

Submitted by Leigh Wilcox



Aloha! A luau! SWGC Ladies, don't forget to sign up for the July 19th **King City Exchange**. Sign-up is June 6 to July 8th. This is one of the most fun events for us during the summer.

Both clubs look forward to the Exchange and it's our turn to host this year. So, plan on **9 holes of golf** (with a few surprises), then change into your tropical garb, and step into a **tropical paradise for lunch**. There are prizes for golf and best costumes. See you on **July 19th**. You won't be disappointed! **Mahalo**.

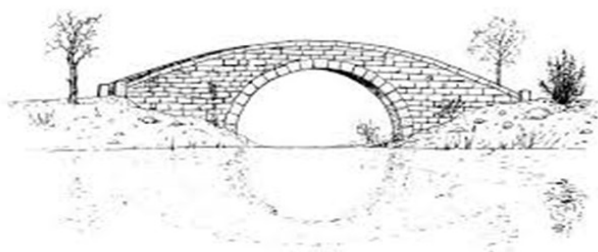
Submitted by Robin Nash

Art Guild

Have you ever seen a beautiful arched-shaped door or a stained-glass window and wondered what was on the other side? Have you ever wanted to open the door of a vintage car, slip inside and take a trip somewhere new?



Working with mediums including oils, acrylics, watercolors, pastels, and photography, the Art Guild invites you to see their latest works and let your imagination travel through a myriad of Arches and Doorways.



For Guild Members, our next meeting is scheduled for Monday, June 20th, at 3 p.m. in the Clubhouse Art Room. Please plan to bring a piece you're currently working on and/or an older piece you'd like feedback on. We look forward to seeing you there.

Submitted by Lori Owen

Travel Club

Our Summerfield Travel Club will be meeting Friday, June 24th, at 10 AM in the Lakeview Room of our Clubhouse. This month, Joyce Bates, with 20 years of experience and owner of Sun Connections Travel & Cruises, will present domestic cruises both on rivers and coastal waters. Sail out of New Orleans, or St. Louis, down the Columbia River or do Southern cruises.

So many to choose from and so little time. Come and see what traveling closer to home during this uncertain time can do for you. Bring a friend and let's travel. If you have any questions, call Paula Henry 503.713.8092.



Submitted Paula & Marshall Henry

Just Friends-Singles

These activities are open to ALL singles in Summerfield.

Planning Meeting on Saturday, June 4th at 11:00 AM in the Conference Room, and we will go to lunch afterwards. Bring ideas for some fun summer activities!

On Sunday, June 5th, The Tualatin Valley Symphony will perform The Pines of Rome by Respighi and selections by Bax and Ewazen at 3:00 PM. It will be at the Northwest Christian



Church, 13405 SW Hall Blvd., Tigard, 97223 (across the street from the Tigard Library). **The cost is \$10 for seniors. Meet at the Clubhouse at 2:30 PM to carpool.**

Let's go to breakfast on Thursday, June 16th, at Davidson's Restaurant, 12830 SW Pacific Hwy., Tigard, 97223.



Meet at clubhouse at 9:00 AM to carpool.



On Tuesday, June 21st, let's enjoy a Happy Hour at McCormick & Schmicks Seafood Restaurant, 17015 SW 72 Ave., Tigard, 97224. There is a minimum beverage purchase of \$3.40

per person. Check out their menu for Happy Hour at www.mccormickandschmicks.com

To carpool - meet at Clubhouse at 3:30 PM for a 3:45 PM Happy Hour.



Miniature Golf + Lunch at Tualatin Island Greens, 20400 SW Cipole Rd., Tualatin, 97062, on Friday, June 24th. The cost for one round is only \$5.00. Check out the menu for the

Island Grill at www.tualatinislandgreens.com.

Meet there at 11:00 AM to play a round and then plan on a delicious lunch featuring Taco Tuesday, feature of the day, or your choice of a good variety of tasty dishes.

Questions? Call Linda Henning at 858.481.6868 or attend the meeting on June 4th.

Submitted by Nancy Vink

Pickleball Club News

Hurray, the summer season is upon us! It's time to dust off those court shoes and get some exercise while having a lot of fun. The Pickleball Club has moved to summer hours, which start at 9:30 AM every day of the week.

We will have a summer season kick-off meeting on Monday, June 6th, at 9:30 AM on the court. All Summerfield residents interested in or curious about pickleball are encouraged to join us. For those who haven't played before, we will explain the rules, go over scoring and demonstrate how to play. We will provide snacks and bottled water. We also will be collecting dues from current members (\$5 per year) and discuss club membership rules.

If anyone wants to try pickleball on their own, the club has loaner paddles and balls in the shed to the left of the gate on the courts.

Questions? Call the pickleball club chairperson Kevin Siminski at 805.427.1236.



Mahjongg (American)

Come play MahJongg (American) with us on Tuesdays between noon and 4 PM in the Clubhouse Game Room.

Mahjongg is a game of skill, luck and strategy that many claim help keep their minds sharp and alert. Come join the fun!

If you have questions
Call or text Tish at
503.314.1575.



AARP Safe Driver Class for Summerfield Residents

Summerfield will offer an AARP Safe Driver class for Summerfield residents only on **June 10th** in the **Clubhouse Conference Room**, from **8:45 AM to 4:15 PM**. There will be an hour break for lunch. There is limited space available in the class.

The class, conducted by an AARP representative, covers various techniques to help you reduce traffic violations, crashes, injury risk and other specific areas.

There is a sign-up form on Summerfield Clubhouse bulletin board. Payment by check preferred: **\$20, AARP members; \$25 non-members. No debit/credit cards.** Your payment via check should be made out to AARP. Provide your name, phone, and email on the registration list. Payment will be collected from participants at the start of class.

Submitted by Clare Engle

Water Aerobics Has Begun

Water Aerobic sessions run Monday through Friday from 10:00 to 10:45 AM in our heated pool (even in the rain, but we will cancel if there is lightning). We work out with easy exercises played on 45-minute CDs - one program on Monday, Wednesday and Friday, and another program on Tuesday and Thursday. Bring a pool noodle or floaties if you wish. Volunteers set up the daily sessions. The cost is \$5 for the season. Come try us, then pay if you want to continue. Bathrooms, showers, and lockers are available in the locker rooms downstairs. For more information, contact Sandra Serpas at 541.521.8887.



Submitted by Sandra Serpas

Clubhouse Committee

Another busy month for this committee. In April we were finally able to say goodbye to the Restroom project. How do you like the new sinks and quartz counters? There is also some fun new wall art in the Pro Shop Restrooms and beautiful new art in the main floor Restrooms.

In case you missed it, the Summerfield/Tigard history, previously located in hallway, has been preserved and placed into a beautiful coffee table scrapbook. It will be out for your viewing pleasure soon.

In its place on the wall, please check out the crochet/knitting display and pictures of residents enjoying their favorite activities.

A special thank you to Debbie Simpson for sewing the new pillow covers and to Lydia Cooper for donating the fabric.

More to come in the near future.

Submitted by Diane Christensen

Dementia Caregiver Support Group

Dementia is known by various names, not just Alzheimer's. No matter what type or stage, we can help you understand and deal with your loved one's condition. Next meeting starts at 1 PM. on Monday, June 20th, in the Clubhouse Conference Room.

Submitted by Gerry Craig



Come join us for a fun-filled evening of Bunco. We meet on the second Monday of the month from 7 to 9 PM in the Clubhouse Game Room.

See you on June 13th!

For more information, call Esther Vickstrom at 541.921.1346

SCA WELCOMES BACK DANCE AT LONG LAST!

Please join us for our first 2022 dance in our beautiful new Ballroom on **Saturday, June 25th, from 7-10 PM.** **Tickets**, \$10/residents and \$12/non-residents, will be sold in the Clubhouse **on Mondays, June 6th, 13th and 20th, from 9 –11:30 AM.** You can reserve a table for 4, 6, or 8 with names and full payment. Tickets at the door are \$12 for everyone.

One of our favorite past bands, **Billy and the Rockets**, will perform a variety of favorite oldies and dance tunes to entertain everyone - singles, couples, and line-dancers.

It will be a fun, long-awaited evening with live music, light snacks, soft drinks, and BYOB beverages. Come with or without a friend or partner to dance, listen to music, catch up with old friends, and make new friends!

Please have your Covid vaccination card available when you purchase your tickets.

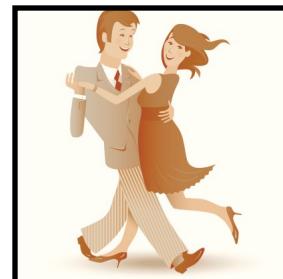
Questions? Tickets?

Contact Penny Kellogg at

775.232.9420 or at

penny.kellogg@yahoo.com

Submitted by the SCA Dance Club



Summerfield Bible Study

Come join the Summerfield Bible Study as we dig into the book of Romans. We continue to meet at Southwest Church of Christ on Durham and 98th every Wednesday at 9:30 AM for fellowship and coffee and 10 AM for the study. Any questions? 503.479.5430

Submitted by Mary Kay Stroum



Disaster Preparedness: Let There Be Light

If a moderate power outage happens, or the anticipated large Earthquake occurs, you might want to see at night – maybe not all night but at least to have a meal, wash up and then try to sleep. Let's say you might need 2 to 3 hours of emergency light after sundown – here are several ways to be prepared to do that.

1. Basic candles and/or kerosene lamps: not great for reading and a little dangerous but useful if nothing else is available.
2. Flashlights: handy for seeing your way around but not much good for room lighting. Usually they are battery powered but small ones are available with a lever handle to pump and generate current to power the light for a short period.
3. Battery-powered incandescent lamps: many varieties are available, starting with battery powered camping lamps from REI or Amazon. They are usually a combination flashlight and a pop-up bigger section for full 360 degree illumination. Most run on 2 or 3 AA batteries but there are often ones with larger battery power.
4. Lithium-ion powered light emitting diode lamps: these are very efficient and can light up a large area, given a good design. One style is a 4 in. cylindrical bed-side lamp, 10 in. high, powered by internal batteries and charged via USB connections to any normal USB connection. They turn on by touch, have several levels of illumination, can light up a room fairly well and can run about 10 hours on a charge. Amazon has many different sizes and prices of these. If one has any power packs for cell phone recharging or car adapters for USB connections, these lamps can be recharged many times and support almost normal night time operations. There are also hand crank lanterns available in various sizes and powers that run off internal batteries once charged by the crank. Harbor Freight has some for a moderate price.
5. Solar powered/charged lamps: REI and Amazon have various sizes of solar-powered camping lamps and flashlights that can be used and easily recharged by sunlight. Some are combined with all-band radios and other functional purposes and can also be used to recharge other items.

The above lists give one a wide selection of types and sizes of lights for use in emergencies – you should have some form of them to be prepared for a power/light emergency in the future. (If you have an emergency and have not stocked up on emergency lights, you can always bring in the walkway lights from the garden or driveway and read by them)

If you want to learn more about this and other preparedness topics, please join us at 7:00 p.m. in the Summerfield Disaster Preparedness meetings on the third Monday of each month in the Clubhouse Conference room. We would like a larger membership for the Committee to help Summerfield residents be prepared for any emergencies.

The SCA web site also contains many topics on Preparedness: just go to sca55@comcast.net, go to "Committees" heading and find the "Disaster Preparedness" files - there are many helpful files to help you get ready for emergencies and disasters.

Any Questions? - call me at 503.352.9672 – Roy Metcalf, Committee member

Submitted by Roy Metcalf

Turf Tales: Borders Edition

When Cosmo Kramer was asked why he was such a stickler on the golf course he replied, “because there are rules, and without rules there’s chaos.” While this may have been played for comedic effect, I have recently been made aware of just what happens when there are no rules. The ungoverned lawless badlands I speak of are the golf course borders.

Over the last 16 years or so Rick had always told me that it was not something we took care of. There are two main reasons that the grounds crew has always opted to avoid maintaining these areas except for a weekly mowing as close to the edge as we can. One reason is that we simply don’t have the time/manpower to maintain these areas to a high standard. The other reason is that every resident whose property borders the golf course has a different idea for what they want done in that area. Some residents want us to take care of it and argue that it is part of the golf course and the golf crew should maintain it. Meanwhile, there are other residents who argue that it is their property and they may not want it maintained in the way that I would choose. Both of these arguments have merit and are in direct opposition with me and my crew in the middle.

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From the Golf Shop

As I’m writing this article, we have just broken the all-time rainfall record for the month of April in the state of Oregon and the month of May is trending the same. Let’s hope this changes quickly and we can get back to our sunny weather.

Due to how wet the golf course is, we are still requiring carts on cart paths only as well as still playing “winter rules.” Please be aware of the current cart path rule and whether we are in “winter rules or summer rules” when you play; I’m sure this will change in the near future.

Don’t forget to look at the calendar for upcoming events. Our summer is packed with great opportunities to play golf. Both our Men’s and Women’s Clubs are in full swing.

Upcoming Events

June 1 st – 30 th	Match Play Begins
June 2 nd	Scramble/Monthly Meeting (9 AM)
June 6 th	Chapman #2 (10 AM/1:15 PM Shotguns)
June 8 th	Men’s Club Spring Handicap (Round 1)
June 9 th	Women’s Club Guest Day – (9 AM Shotgun) followed by luncheon
June 10 th	Men’s Club Spring Handicap (Round 2)
June 27 th	Chapman #3 (10 AM/1:15 PM Shotguns)

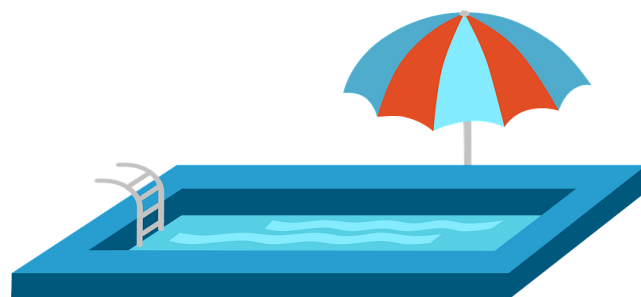
Submitted by Rob Lindsey, PGA Golf Professional

SWIMMING POOL

The pool beckons with two new large umbrellas. We plan to keep these two stationed at the west end of the pool to provide maximum afternoon shade. The two older, largest umbrellas should remain stationed on the south east end to provide maximum morning shade. These are placed at the edge of the pool, which means we still have to be careful to maintain a four-foot aisle for emergency crews. Also, please lower these whenever any wind is forecast - they are extremely difficult to retrieve from the pool if they blow over.

Lastly, experience shows that the ducks will gradually try to use the pool less and less the more we shoo them away. New members, please remember to sign in and take a cleansing shower before entering the pool. Enjoy!

Submitted by Marshall C. Henry



**MEET THE CANDIDATES NIGHT
CLUBHOUSE LOBBY
THURSDAY, JUNE 23RD
7-7:30 PM.**

Turf Tales: borders

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So I decided I would ask what the official policy was to clear up this matter once and for all. Enter chaos... It turns out not only is there not an official policy as to how, or who should maintain the borders of the golf course, but it is also a very difficult and time-consuming process to create a policy, since it would involve modifying the Conditions, Covenants and Restrictions for Summerfield residents.

So in the interest of corralling the chaos, I have a few suggestions/requests for how you can easily maintain your property line if it runs along the golf course. The key here is to create a 4-6 inch buffer area between the golf course and any wall/fence on your property line so our mower can get all the grass each week when we mow borders. The best way that a few residents have done this is to bury bricks flush to the ground and up against any wall or fence they have on the property line. This works amazingly well because we can then mow over the bricks and this gives us enough buffer to not leave a line of unsightly tall grass. Another way to create this buffer is to spray Roundup along the property line. This works just as well, I would only ask that you please don't use Casoron as it can bleed very badly under the right conditions. The other thing you can do is to weed eat and maintain the border yourself how you want it maintained.

Lastly, in the case that maybe you or your landscaper overlooks this area for some time and it becomes unsightly, I will deal with the area how I think is best to keep up the appearance and reputation of Summerfield. I can't promise we will get to it as soon as I would like or maintain it exactly how you might like, but we will keep it from getting overly chaotic. *Submitted by Zach Palmer*

FUN WITH HAND & FOOT

We have a very fun, casual group that plays promptly every **Tuesday at 1:30 PM in the Game Room**. Please plan on being there a bit early for table assignment. Late arrivals cannot not be seated as table seating is drawn, and we cannot interrupt a game that has started.

If you have never played or feel rusty, Susan is offering tutorials at 12:30 PM on Tuesdays, just prior to the regular games, to those who **RSVP** at least a day ahead. Learn the basics without the pressure of a game. You may direct questions or RSVP to Susan by phone 818.648.5356 or by email at scallihan7308@gmail.com.

The Hand & Foot group will no longer require masking unless OHA returns to mandate. Some of our players may choose to continue masking, and that is their prerogative. However, by consensus of our regular players, we will continue to require that players be vaccinated due to the number of immunocompromised or at-risk members of the group and the resurgences of this virus around the country. Again, if you feel ill, please do not attend. *Submitted by Paula Henry and Susan Callihan – Co-chairs*



SENIOR LIFELONG LEARNING

Join us in the Lakeview Room at 2 PM every Thursday. We have just three more sessions of Ancient Civilizations of North America. Our next topic will be selected by your votes.

Submitted by Gerry Craig

Women's Golf

Welcome to the beginning of Summer! Our 2022 golf season is in full swing and event planning is in progress.

This year's first monthly scramble and General Meeting took place on Thursday, May 5th. It was announced that in April birdies were made by Jan Opoka and Elena Madden (she had 2). April chip-ins were made by Robin Nash, Elena Madden, Yong Semet, Marja Gillan, Joyce Astrup and Mary Kerns. Congratulations, ladies! The next General Meeting will be held on Thursday, June 2nd, at 11:30 AM following the scramble.

The **Spring Fling Tournament** was held on May 10th & 12th. Thanks to Wendy Pfeifer and Cheryl Baldwin for co-chairing this event. Results are forthcoming.

Match Play begins on June 1st and runs thru June 31st. Players will determine the days they want to play and make tee times. No play during our regular Tuesday/Thursday play times. Rob will match players based on handicaps and will post them in the Golf Lounge. Sign-up sheet is in the file cabinet and cost is \$10 per person. Contact Joyce Knutson for additional information.

Our **Member/Guest Tournament and Luncheon** will take place on Thursday, June 9th. The theme of this fun event is "Par-Tee Time." There will be a continental breakfast at 8 AM prior to the tournament, followed with lunch catered by Dalton's. Nancy Buchanan, Carole Krueger and committee are thrilled to have 72 players who will be participating in the tournament. Let's show our guests a good time and how to par-tee!

Golf 18 will have their first outing of the season on Monday, June 20th, at Quail Valley. Play is on the third Monday from June – September. You must have an active OGA number to participate. Contact Mary Ribacchi to sign up.

The annual **SWGC Charity Golf Tournament** will be held on Thursday, July 14th. This year's recipient is The Caring Closet which supports local families and children in the Tigard-Tualatin School District. Donations are much needed for this very worthy cause. Your support is greatly appreciated!



There is an envelope in the Clubhouse golf cabinet or you can arrange a pick-up by contacting Chairperson Barbara Kelley or one of her committee members.

The **King City Exchange Tournament** is hosted by Summerfield this year and will be held on Tuesday, July 19th. This event will be catered by Dalton's and has a Luau theme. Chairperson Robin Nash is encouraging participants to wear Tropical attire/costumes for the festivity.

Hoping the month of June brings us fabulous golf weather!

Submitted by Cheryl Riggs



HOW TO IMPROVE YOUR GAME USING A SHARPIE MARKER!

Did you know that the Sharpie color you use to mark your golf ball can effect how you play? Yep! According to an article on the Golf Magazine website, it's true. It basically says if you want to improve your golf game, you need to mark your golf ball with a color that suits your mood. There's even a color chart to help you select the proper color and personality, 9 colors for 9 moods. In the same vein, it's like Tiger wearing red and black on Sunday.

To check this out, go to GOLF.COM, then type "Why the Sharpie color on your golf ball can save you strokes." Or you can just Google it. Have some fun. You never know, it just might be the mark on your golf ball that's making you get high scores. It's like the old saying, "Don't knock it if you haven't tried it."

Submitted by Ken Rose



Men's Golf

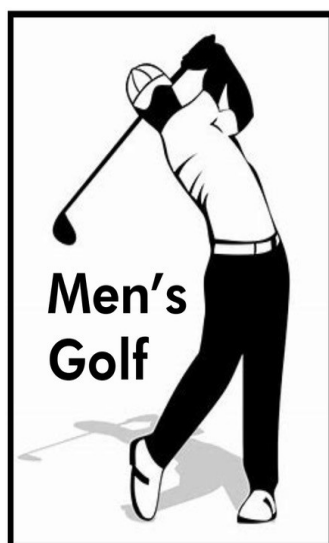
MARK YOUR CALENDAR:

Play JUNE Chapmans 6/2 and 6/27. **Rob's Best 3 out of 5:** June 1st thru June 30th. **Chapman #3:** Sign-up 6/2 to 6/21. Play 6/27. **SMGC Board Meeting:** 6/7 at 9:00 AM in Conference room. **Spring Handicap:** Play 6/8 & 6/10. **Spring Handicap:** Sign-up 5/4 to 6/1. **Member Guest (Tentative):** Start signup 6/13; play 7/22. **Two-Man Partners:** Sign-up 6/15 to 7/6.

IN MEMORY OF 2 MEMBERS: Bob Nottingham and Len Stoffer. Bob for his friendly smile and Len for his quick wit and sense of humor.

CHAPMAN DINNER on JUNE 27: The Chapman dinners are back. There will be two this year, and the first is June 27th. The dinners will be catered by Dalton's, which will be a help in getting things back to normal. The first dinner will be **CHICKEN & RIBS** with baked beans, red potato salad, watermelon, biscuit with honey and an ice cream sundae.

MAY 2nd CHAPMAN RESULTS: Old Man Weather didn't treat us very well for the first Chapman. **Rain and cold** caused a lot of cancellations, but 106 braved the weather. Hopefully on June 2nd we can put away the umbrellas and put on short sleeve shirts. **Low Gross: 1st** Tori Gallagher & Buzz Smith. **Tie 2nd:** Sandy & John Brewer/ Janice Beck & Del Jordan. **Tie 3rd** 7 couples tied for 3rd low net. **Low Net: 1st** Jan & Jerry Vanderpool. **Tie 2nd** Sylvia & Bill Dorney/Susan VanLente & Jack Vogel/Carol Hargis & Leigh Wilcox. **3rd** Cheryl Riggs & Mike Cook. **CONGRATULATIONS** also to the groups who finished 4th through 10th.



Couples KP #4: 1st Marilyn & Larry Launder. 2nd Sandy & John Brewer. **KP #6:** 1st Darlene & Jerry Durgan. 2nd Morag Abbott & Doug Blair. **Long Putt #8:** 1st Sandy & John Brewer. 2nd Janice & Bob Meek. **Men's KP #7:** 1st Wally Hadden. 2nd Herb Peterson. **Ladies KP #9:** 1st Mary Reeves. 2nd Jan Endicott. **KP #2 : Women:** Marilyn Launder. **Men:** Gene Chandlee. **Between the Lines:** 9 winners. **On #9 Green:** 20 winners. **Sonic Putt:** 2 winners. **Inside the Circle #5:** 13 winners. **Low Gross Winners:** 32. **Low Net Winners:** 58. **Raffle Winners:** 8. Thanks to our Sponsors Ken Miller, Sandy Brewer & Mike Cook, whose generous donations allowed over 90% of the players to receive an award.

CHAMPIONS BOARD: A new and permanent Champions Board will be located in the downstairs lounge in between the men's and ladies' existing bulletin boards. Details are still being worked out on the installation.

NEW COMPUTER: Because of our computer's age, and Microsoft system upgrades, the Men's Club has authorized the purchase of a long-needed computer. Thanks to the efforts of John Brewer, the new computer has arrived. The task ahead for the Scoring Team is to get the data transferred, and testing done before the changeover is made. Faster and better. Kind of like going from a Chevy Cavalier to a Corvette. Takes time to adjust to the acceleration.



EXCELLENT THOUGHT OF THE DAY: Playing the other day during Men's Club, a member of our foursome came up with this excellent bit of advice on #5 before I hit. "Avoid hitting the accidental lay-up." Guess what? Lucky the fairway had puddles!!!!!!

Submitted by: Ken Rose

Card Scores & Winners

Monday bridge - 4/18 J.Roberts 3120. 4/25 B. Lynch 4590. 5/2 S. McGuire 4310. 5/9 B. Eberle 5500.

Wednesday bridge 4/13 D. McKim 4130. 4/20 S. McGuire 4760. 4/27 C. Currie 4560. 5/4 J. Thomas 4430.

Thursday night - 4/14 S. McGuire 3100. 4/21 B. Finch 3100. 4/28 S. McGuire 3180. 5/5 B. Finch 3410



Thursday duplicate - 4/14 1st D. Nnagle/ N. Sahler. 2nd J. Nelson/ B. Fuson. 4/21 1st B. Meier/ D. Nangle. 2nd J. Nelson/ M. Henry. 4/28 1st B. Forward/C. Forward. 2nd R. Pagua/ V. Pagua. 5/5 1st B. Forward/C. Forward. 2nd B. Meier/ J. MacNeill.

Submitted by Maggie Scarborough

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