SAFARI NEWSLETTER JUNE 2024

Hello fellow Safarians! June is officially here, and summer is right around the corner.

<u>Yearly May Membership Meeting</u> – There was a good turnout for the meeting, which hadn't been held in person for several years. Members got to meet new members and board members, and it gave members an opportunity to ask some good questions. You can watch the video in MySafari under MySafari Videos.

Thank you to volunteers Michele Kohn and Cheryl Speer for registering members for the meeting, Charlotte Jenkins for her kitchen preparations for the meeting, and to Marci and Don Bennett for their donations of delicious pies for the Pie Social following the meeting.

<u>Yearly Yard Sale</u> - The Parkwide Memorial weekend yard sale was a great success as well with some members generously donating their proceeds to the upkeep of the Dog Park. Thank you to Cheryl Speers for coordinating the event.

<u>June Special - JTWRS</u> - If you would like to add a family member to your membership, the \$100 fee normally required will be waived for the month of June. This is especially important if you are the sole member listed on your membership as it will avoid your membership going into the probate process. It is referred to as Joint Tenancy with Right of Survivorship, or JTWRS. Please contact Karen Frampton, Board Secretary, at framptonksafari@gmail.com with any questions.

<u>Thank you</u> - There were two member donations this month to the Playground fund. Mike and Gay Shambaugh and Buzz Boren were so kind to donate funds and labor and materials for the upkeep of the playground.

<u>Site Improvement Permits</u> (SIPS) – Please remember if you are going to make any improvements or changes, i.e., add a fence, bring in a new trailer, move a trailer, build a shed, etc., please check with a board member before proceeding to verify if a SIP is required for your project. Please contact Kyle Wiseman, Safari V.P., at kwisemansafari@gmail.com.

<u>Site Inspections</u> – Inspections will be conducted on Tuesday, June 4th this year. Board members will be walking around sites to conduct these inspections.

<u>Declaration of Candidacy</u> – If you plan on running for one of the upcoming board positions (Vice-President, Treasurer, Financial Director, Assistant Secretary/Treasurer), your declaration form must be received by July 6th to <u>framptonksafari@gmail.com</u>. The duties of each position are listed in the Safari By-Laws.

<u>Exercise Class - Low Impact Strength Building</u> – The class is now being held in the lodge on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 10:00 to 11:00 by Mary and Mike Chase. Bring a floor mat and small weights if you would like, but weights aren't required. It's a good way to strengthen bones, stretch muscles, and meet new friends!

As always, if you have any questions or concerns, please contact a board member or send an email to safari3205@gmail.com

Thank you to all our members for your help to continue to make Safari a great place to be a part of. We're looking forward to meeting new members and to the fun activities ahead for summer. Hope to see you!

The Board