



## President's Message

Fred Tygart

The summer began on June 2nd with a community planning workshop initiated by Larry Smith, President of the Wolf Laurel Roads Maintenance and Security HOA (RMS). It was attended by representatives of The WLPOA, WLRMS, Blue Mountain POA, Wolf Laurel Country Club, The Preserve, the Buckhouse Bed & Breakfast and several local realtors. The purpose was to identify community issues and to encourage better communication among those entities which comprise the Wolf Laurel community.

Each of us had an opportunity to describe our structure, function, resources and concerns after which we were divided into discussion groups. The participation within each group was lively and many issues were addressed. Most of the topics discussed were particular to each entity's functions, responsibilities and future plans; however, it was apparent that coordination among and better communication by us is needed.

Two major issues discussed by each group was how to best use the motel property acquired by WLRMS in January, 2016, and how to close the expensive waste water treatment plant jointly owned by WLRMS and WLPOA. No consensus was reached as to the motel, although it was suggested that the property may be suited for use by the WLRMS for their maintenance and equipment storage operation if needed. As to the waste water plant, I advised that the initial soil testing had been completed and that it indicated that the Village property will accommodate a septic system. That is good news for us all.

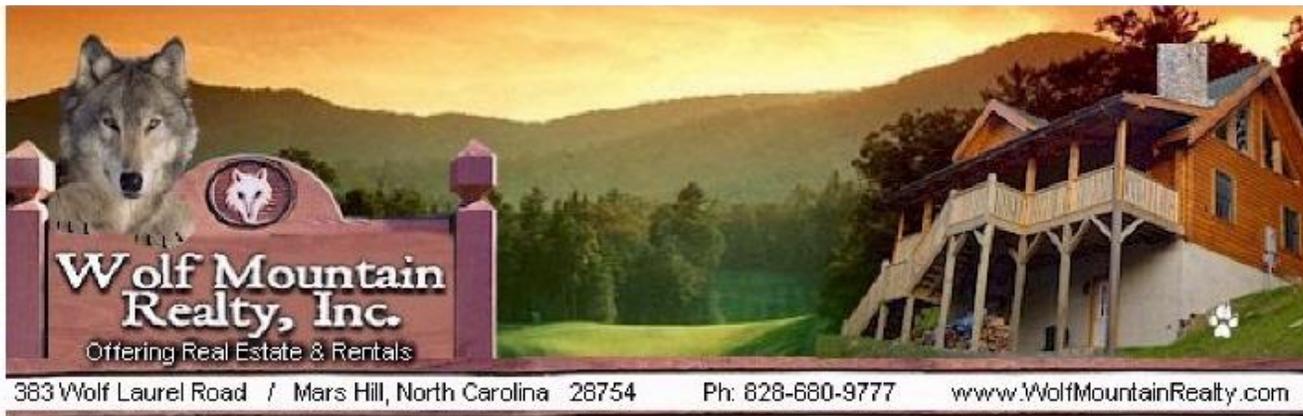
We concluded with a spokesperson setting out the major concerns identified by each discussion group. The meeting was unprecedented and has set the stage for similar future meetings to resolve mutual concerns and improve communications.

As to the WLPOA, our Village maintenance program which began last fall has now been completed for the most part. Because the majority of this maintenance involved structural repairs, it is not readily apparent what was done. The new liner at the pool has been installed and looks great. Cosmetic improvements are ongoing with pressure washing of the wooden decks at the Community Center and pool which will be followed by an application of a timber oil and sealant. This will dramatically improve the appearance and extend the life of the decks.

The overall appearance of the Village is excellent. Please take time to come down and tour the facilities as I think you will be pleased. If you see anything that is of concern, please let Cindy or one of the staff know. Service to our members and maintenance of our facilities are our top priorities. When you or your guests visit the Village we want you to have a good experience and be proud of the Village and all of its facilities. Have a great summer!

The off season has also been eventful in that the needed repairs to our facilities have been ongoing and will be completed for the opening of the season. The Community Center's issues have been addressed top to bottom with roof/chimney stack repairs, shoring up of supporting floor joists in the library and main floor, and

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Greetings Wolf Laurel Community,

Can you believe we are almost at the end of the summer? Before this year flies by, we wanted to take a moment to thank you for your business and friendship. We would not be in business without your support.

This year so far has brought many sales and rentals to our office, below we wanted to include some of the stats from our office from 2016, so far. We have been part of the following real estate sales transactions;

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160 Wolf's Head Court

292 Weaver Lane

184 Hampton Gap Road

339 Granny Lewis Lane

263 Lucas Lane

409 Upper Haw Lane

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16 Vance Cemetery Lane, Weaverville

148 Misty Lane, Burnsville

345 Oak Lane, Mars Hill, Mtn Home Estates

160 Oak Lane, Mars Hill, Mtn Home Estates

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560 McKinney Gap Road

216 Hampton Gap Road

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5&6 Oak Lane, Mars Hill, Mtn Home Estates

2 Oak Lane, Mars Hill, Mtn Home Estates

9 Oak Lane, Mars Hill, Mtn Home Estates

We are looking forward to exciting new business endeavors in the remaining 2016 year. Please remember us for any real estate or rental needs you may have. We are delighted to serve you and greatly appreciate your business.

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correcting structural defects in the surrounding deck. Also, the steps and handrail from the lower to upper parking lot have been repaired. A new liner for the pool will be installed together with deck improvements. The structural defects to the Angelica Ridge Pavilion are on our contractor's schedule to be corrected. Many thanks to Dick Moeller, our Facilities Committee Chair, for all of his efforts on these projects.

Excitement is building for everyone's return to Wolf Laurel for another enjoyable summer. This edition of

the Top of the Bald sets out all of the activities and events planned by Earlene Shofi, Cindy Tucker, and the Amenities Committee. Earlene makes it happen along with Rich Ashley, Editor of the TOB. What an outstanding job these folks do! As I have said before, your first stop upon your return (after unloading the groceries) should be the Community Center to be updated on everything that is happening. Hope to see you on the mountain!

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## 4th OF JULY IN WOLF LAUREL

Festivities started off July 2nd with a lively crowd gathering at WLCC for the golf cart and doggie parades. Kicking off the celebration, riding in a sleek convertible, was Mimi Churchill, waving royally to the crowd. She would not divulge the designer of her lovely dress and chapeau. The doggie parade ensued with many contestants all dressed up and eager to please, with wagging tails (including five rescued dogs, up for adoption). This was followed by intricately decorated golf carts in patriotic themes and colors, decorated by Wolf Laurel families.



Topping off the Wolf Laurel celebration of our country's 240th Independence Day, July 4th, was fun in the Village. The band "Simple Folk" played crowd-pleasing, toe-tapping, gotta-dance music. There was plentiful cotton candy, snow cones and popcorn. In addition, giant inflatable mountains to climb were set up for the kids to conquer. The Ebbs Chapel Volunteer Fire Department parked their fire truck in the Village for the children to enjoy climbing on and exploring. Then the Marshall Volunteer Fire Department provided us with a spectacular pyrotechnics show for all to enjoy, loud, brilliantly bright and smoky, all underneath perfectly clear skies.



This wonderful exhibit of pride in our country, celebrated with music, friends, family and the best close up fireworks anywhere could not happen without the wonderful support of our Wolf Laurel community. We sincerely thank those who made generous contributions, big and small to keep this celebration successful. The contributors are listed in this edition, but we also want to mention those of you who watched from your own deck or elsewhere. Thank you, as well, for purchasing tickets even though you were not in attendance. What incredible community spirit!!



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## 3rd Annual Wolf Laurel Memorial Day Ceremony

It was a bright sunny day at Wolf Laurel, one of those picture perfect days - not too hot, not too cold, not too windy, but just right. It was the Memorial Day ceremony held at the Wolf Laurel Country Club – a perfect day to come together to see who had already returned to the mountain for the summer season. Many times we jokingly say we'll use anything as a reason to celebrate and have a party; and a nice cookout we enjoyed provided by the Country Club. But in spite of other reasons we assembled that day, the true reason, not to celebrate, but to remember, was aptly described by the guest speaker, active duty Lieutenant Colonel Mark (Chris) Andres, Commandant of the US Army Officer Candidate School at Ft. Benning, GA.

Colonel Andres began his remarks with a very moving introduction. What follows are excerpts of his message for us that day.



*Today is a solemn day, the day we remember the men and women who have given their lives in the defense of this Nation and our American way of life. Today is not a day to thank Active Duty Service members: That was on Saturday the 21st of May for Armed Forces Day. It's also not the day to thank our retirees and Veterans: that day is November 11th each year. Today is not just the day to enjoy a holiday discount and a summer kickoff barbeque. It's the day when we Americans must come together and remember those men and women who served alongside us and who died while fighting the enemies of our Nation. It's a day to also remember the Families of those Service members who continue to endure the sadness and loss of their loved one's death.*

Colonel Andres told us about three of twenty-eight friends who have died and how he used “the examples of their lives and deaths to illustrate ...the current state of the war in which America finds itself.” What follows is the third example.

*Finally, I like to talk about CPT Taylor Force. Taylor was a Field Artillery officer in the 2nd Battalion, 12th Cavalry Regiment as well as the 5th Battalion, 82nd Field Artillery Regiment, both of the 4th Brigade, 1st Cavalry Division. He deployed to northern Iraq in support of Operation New Dawn in 2010-2011 as the leader of the battalion's personal security detachment and then to eastern Afghanistan in support of Operation Enduring Freedom in 2012-2013. He was my Battalion Fire Support Officer, then went to be a Platoon Leader at FOB [Forward Operating Base] Tagab, Kapisa Province in Afghanistan. In December 2012 his platoon helped fight off an insider attack by three ANA Soldiers inside their FOB. His gunners courageously defended their part of the FOB and forced the attackers away from the Command Post and Chow Hall so that a Quick Reaction Force could kill them all and secure the base. Upon returning to Fort Hood, Taylor left the US Army in 2014 to join one of his Long Knife [4th Brigade, 1st Cavalry Division] buddies at the Vanderbilt University MBA program in 2015. On March 8th, 2016 he was killed by a knife wielding Palestinian militant while on a class trip to Jaffa, Israel. Why do I include Taylor into our Memorial Day thoughts? Because his life and death symbolizes the struggle that our civilization and way of life are in against those people who would seek to reverse all that we hold dear: individual liberties guaranteed by the rule of law, freedom of thought and expression without fear of reprisal; separation of temporal and spiritual authority; and the right to self-determination and improvement for ourselves and our posterity. Beyond the current conflicts, there is a larger storm brewing between those who would seek to limit individual freedoms—whether they be governments like Russia, Iran, north Korea, or fanatic Islamic militant organizations—and those who will stand up to safeguard them.*

Colonel Andres concluded his remarks by providing us his, up close and personal assessment of the preparedness of America's men and women who answer the call to serve their country. As the OCS Commandant, every six weeks he sits on the selection board for the US Army Officer Candidate School. Describing this experience he said,



*I am amazed at the quality of individuals who are coming both from the force and straight off the street to become Soldiers, leaders, and officers*

*I can assure you here today and all our Fallen Service Members that this generation is indeed ready, willing, and able to pick up and shoulder the mantle of responsibility that we all have worn to protect our country and way of life.*

*It is an unfortunately sobering thought that the need for Memorial Day will continue, but not because America is sending its "unwanted wretches" off to die as some countries do, but because the flower of the American youth has accepted the calling to place the defense of their Nation and their fellow Soldiers above their personal safety and financial compensation. So, to you today and to all those who have made the ultimate sacrifice, I say, "Rest Easy. Your watch has ended and the next generation has taken up the vigil. We will never forget your sacrifices; we serve every day in the hopes of living up to your example; and we can see that our relief is just as trained and dedicated as we are to defending our American way of Life."*

Thank you, Colonel Andres, for bringing us these moving examples that made Memorial Day real to many of us, and for reassuring us that we can be confident there are still men and women in our country, in spite of all the discord we see in the news, who will answer the call to serve and defend our way of life.

Colonel John Ionoff , US Army (Retired) initiated and has organized the Memorial Day Ceremony at Wolf Laurel. He is the president of the US Army Officer Candidate School Association. We appreciate his efforts to help us remember why we have Memorial Day each year. Participants in this year's ceremony were, as they are pictured from left to right, Colonel Ionoff, Gwynne



Beneke, Lieutenant Colonel Andres, Senior Chief Petty Officer Tim Donovan and Lieutenant Colonel Rich Ashley. Colonel RT Davis participated, but is not pictured.

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## Ebbs Chapel Programs

**August 7 3 p.m.** Gershwin with a Twist, Appalachia Barn Alliance

**August 13 8 a.m.-2 p.m.** Blackberry Festival, Upper Laurel Community Organization

**August 28 4 p.m** Krueger Brothers, Madison County Arts Council

**September 11 3:30-5:30 p.m.** Terry Turner "The Voice of Legends," \$20. Visit link or call 689-3465

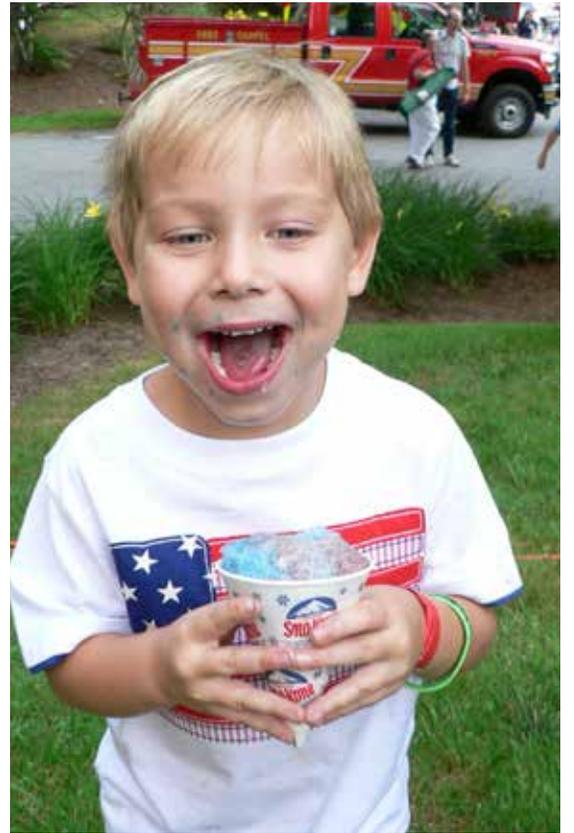
**September 24 8 a.m.-2 p.m.** Apple Butter Festival, Bright Hope Laurel United Methodist Church



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## MEET YOUR NEIGHBORS, DAVID AND LYNN SMITH

We have been visiting Wolf Laurel for more than 30 years and find it to be one of our favorite places on the planet.

We are both native Floridians, David From Ocala and Lynn From Jacksonville. Lynn graduated from FSU with a bachelor's in Nursing and David from UF with a bachelor's in accounting. We met in Jacksonville in 1977 where we were neighbors and friends before marrying in 1980. Although we had some trepidation about a mixed marriage of Seminole and Gator it seems to create stress only one day a year during football season.

We have maintained our permanent residence in Ponte Vedra Beach, Florida, since 2012. Prior to relocating to Ponte Vedra Beach, we resided in Charlotte, NC from 1998-2012 and, prior to 1998, in Jacksonville.

While residing in Jacksonville, Lynn worked as a Registered Nurse for Wolfson Children's Hospital in pediatrics and as Nurse Coordinator of the Northeast Florida Cystic Fibrosis Clinic. In Charlotte, she worked in the medical clinic at the Center of Hope, a Salvation Army sponsored shelter for homeless women and children.

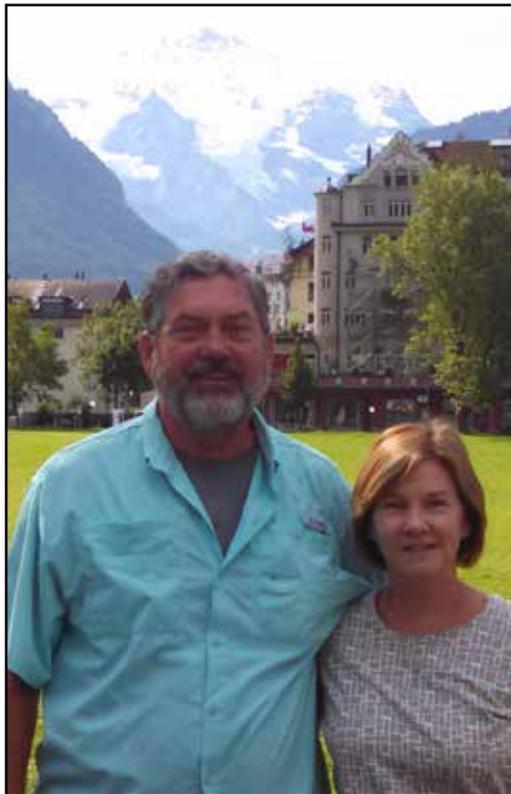
David worked, in Jacksonville, for Barnett Bank where he was Corporate Tax Director. Subsequently he worked in Charlotte for Nations Bank and Bank of America as a Corporate Tax Executive.

We built our first cabin on Chestnut Lane in 1980 with David's siblings and their spouses; Mary Lou and T.J. Jordan, Lee and Christy Smith and Rhoda and Kay Richardson. In 2002 we sold the Chestnut Lane cabin and built a new family home on Silver Fox Lane.

We spend time at Wolf Laurel in all four seasons of the year enjoying golf, tennis, skiing and hiking with friends and family and have an abiding love for Wolf Laurel, as a community of friends and neighbors residing in one of the most unique and beautiful areas in the country.

We also have vivid memories of winter storms, deep snow and sometimes deeper ruts and our two ruined Jeep Wagoneer transmissions. We are certainly thankful for the road maintenance improvements we enjoy today and for continued access to the mountain during the winter. As native Floridians, we continue to enjoy the wonderland that winter provides us on the mountain.

Our two children, Erin and Hunter, now in their 30s, learned to ski and snowboard at Wolf Laurel as children and continue to enjoy the mountain with family and friends.



Through the years we have seen many changes and improvements on the mountain but the natural beauty of the area has remained constant. Since David's retirement in 2008 we have had more time to travel and have seen some beautiful places, but Wolf Laurel retains a special place in our hearts. When we arrive for a visit and pass through the gates we breathe in the fresh mountain air and leave the hustle and bustle of the outside world behind. It is always a joy to get on mountain time.

## Happy 50th Anniversary Wolf Laurel

**Earlene Shofi**

The Wolf Laurel POA is celebrating the 50th Anniversary of Wolf Laurel by hosting a party in the Village Pavilion on August 5th, starting at 6 p.m. All on the mountain are welcome. You are encouraged to bring memorabilia, photos and good stories to show and share. We will supply party hats for you to write on, noting the number of years you've been enjoying WL, plus other party favors. Fred Buck, the perfect choice for this celebration, will be entertaining. The menu will consist of Brat dogs, buns, slaw, potato salad, sauerkraut and, we hope, baked beans prepared by YOU. All who prepare baked beans will be automatically entered in a drawing for a \$25.00 gift certificate from Ingles. Please call Cindy at 689-4089, if you wish to prepare beans so that we can keep count and enter you in the drawing. Topping the menu will be an anniversary cake to serve



all. We will supply soft drinks and water. Cost is \$10.00. Tickets will be on sale at the Village Community Center. BYOB.

## Always Something To Learn In The Village!

Be looking for both of these classes to be repeated before the end of September. These classes were given very enthusiastic reviews by participants! Don't miss your next opportunity!

### Fly Fishing Class with Joey Leonard

On Sunday, July 10th, Joey Leonard lead a class of 6 through the history and art of fly fishing. Joey is a recent graduate of Young-Harris College in Georgia and is completing his Internship here this season and his degree in Outdoor Leadership is actively in practice here at Wolf Laurel. This extensively detailed class gave participants a review of the history of the sport, the equipment and techniques.

### Personal Safety Class with Jim Deloatch

On Wednesday, July 20th, a class for 15 members was led by Jim Deloatch, year-round Wolf Laurel resident and retired Criminal Justice Instructor. Jim led discussions around why some people are more vulnerable than others and ways to reduce becoming a victim of a crime. At the conclusion of the discussion, Jim demonstrated techniques that could be used for self-defense and thwart attacks.

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## 2016 Village Club at Wolf Laurel Programs & Events

These are our scheduled events and programs as of July 15, 2016. Look for routine updates as more programs are scheduled! Updates and reminders will be sent throughout the season (with changes shown in red) via email and will also be posted on our website - <http://www.wolflaurelpoa.com> - on The Village Club page. Most Programs and Events are planned for our Village Club members, but several events this season will be open to all.

### REGULARLY SCHEDULED PROGRAMS



#### **Strength & Stretch with Mary Lou Woodiwiss & Becky Shennan:**

This class will meet each Wednesday and Friday at 9 a.m. This class is held on the Village Basketball Court or in the Village Pavilion in inclement weather. Please

bring an exercise mat, water, weights and stretch bands.

**Tai Chi & Yoga with Fred Buck:** This class will meet each Monday and Thursday at 10 a.m. beginning May 23rd in the Village Activity Center. Please bring an exercise mat and water.



**Water Fitness with Barby McQueen, Lee Moeller and LaRae Weaver:** This class will meet each Tuesday and Thursday. Bring your bathing suit, towel, some sunscreen, and we'll provide the workout equipment and a great workout!

**Walking Club with Earlene Shofi:** This group will meet at various locations on the mountain on Thursdays at 9 a.m. Different leaders will plan gentle

hikes throughout the season. Contact Earlene Shofi for more info ([earlenes@frontier.com](mailto:earlenes@frontier.com)).

**Tennis:** Regularly scheduled play for all occurs each Wednesday and Friday at 10 a.m. – noon. Bring your racquet, balls, water.

**Pickleball:** Every Sunday at 3 p.m. unless otherwise announced! For Madison County Arts Council concerts at Ebbs Chapel, start time will be at 1 p.m. on August 28.

Contact George Shennan ([gshennan@earthlink.net](mailto:gshennan@earthlink.net)) if you would like more info about this popular sport.



**Friday Night Socials:** 6 p.m. every Friday in the Village Pavilion throughout the season. BYOB & an appetizer to share. Our wonderful Bartender, Larry Smith, will provide set-ups. These socials are free unless otherwise announced. A special Friday Night Social is planned as a 'Full Moon Party' on Friday, September 16th. More details available soon.

**Monday Night Potlucks:** Every Monday at 6 p.m. in the Village Pavilion throughout the season. Bring a potluck dish or two to share, your favorite beverage, and all your picnic supplies.

**Book Club!** This group, led by Karen Gerry, will meet in the Village Pavilion. Come enjoy this opportunity to be with others who love to share their thoughts on literature. The next two books:

Tuesday, August 9th, 2:15 p.m.: Fortune's Children (the fall of the house of Vanderbilt) by Arthur T. Vanderbilt II. Discussion will be lead by Karen Gerry.

Tuesday, September 6th, 2:15 p.m.: A Man Called Ove by Frederick Backman; discussion leader to be determined.

**Dining Out With Friends:** A special schedule for visiting area restaurants, enjoying great food and company! Sign up with Gene Woolf (208-3949) or Amelia Woolf (216-9593). You can meet the group at the restaurant or carpool from the Village upper parking lot.

**Thursday, August 4th, 1 p.m.:** Lunch at The Corner Kitchen (3 Boston Way, Biltmore Village in Asheville).  
**Thursday, September 8th, 6 p.m.:** Chiesa (152 Montford Ave, Asheville); Neighborhood-style Italian.

**Community Center Art Wall: Note:** Please bring your checkbook if interested in purchasing these wonderful offerings. Exact amount in cash is also accepted – no credit cards. Checks should be made to the artist. See a Village Staff member to provide payment.



**July:** Our Art Wall is overflowing with wonderful Community Members' art! Kim Gordon's

pottery creations are now on display along with some special handmade jewelry! Larry Smith's handmade, recycled dovetailed boxes are still available for a \$10-\$20 donation till they sell out. Don't miss out on all this! Stop by and take a look! These donations all go to support the July 4th fireworks!

**WOLF LAUREL WANDERING LADIES:** Future events for August & September to be announced soon!

**SPECIAL EVENTS**

**CELEBRATION OF WOLF LAUREL'S 50TH ANNIVERSARY!** Friday, August 5th, 6 p.m.  
 Our Community has reached a wonderful milestone – 50 years! We will be celebrating in the Village Pavilion with good food – Brats with sides and a big Anniversary! \$10 per person will cover all the fun.

Tickets will go on sale in July. If you have Wolf Laurel memorabilia you would like to share at this event, please drop it by the Community Center so it



can be arranged in the Pavilion before the event. More details in our next update. All welcome!!

**1st ANNUAL VILLAGE CLUB WOOFMINSTER DOG SHOW!** Sunday, August 7th, 5 p.m.  
 Bring your pooch (or pooches) on a leash to compete in lots of fun doggie events! For our two legged members – we'll provide soft drinks & water. All else is BYOB. For four-legged guests – treats and water provided.

We'll have:

- A Blessing of the Animals
- A Talent Contest
- Doggie Race!
- Contests for Biggest, Smallest and Cutest Dogs, and more!

Prizes will be awarded to the winners! Please e-mail [wycast@aol.com](mailto:wycast@aol.com) or [cindy@wolflaurelpoa.com](mailto:cindy@wolflaurelpoa.com) to sign up.

**LABOR DAY WEEKEND OYSTER ROAST,** Friday, September 2nd, 6 p.m. A great celebration in the Village Pavilion with the freshest oysters harvested by hand and lots of side dishes. Look for ticket sales announcements and don't miss this special Friday Night Social!

<b>Village Hours of Operation (7 days a week):</b>	<b>Community Center:</b>	<b>Village Pool</b>
August	8:30 a.m. – 8:30 p.m.	10 a.m. – 8 p.m.
September	8:30 a.m. – 7:30 p.m.	10 a.m. – 7 p.m.
October	8:30 a.m. – 6:30 p.m.	closed

## The Village Wolf Cubs Kids Camp 2016!

We had almost PERFECT weather for the week, lots of fun things to do, a wonderful and experienced group of instructors and a wild, crazy, sweet, amazing, fantastic group of 34 kids for our Wolf Cubs Camp this year! I fully expect that we'll be seeing a few professional athletes, artists, scientists, engineers and entertainers coming out of this group when they are older... Activities available to the campers were almost endless – swimming, basketball, kick ball, creek stomp, bottle rockets, egg drop competition, slime (!), tie dyeing, water balloon 'fight', crafts galore (Oh, the pom-pom critters! And beads everywhere!), interesting experiments, fish feeding, Village wildlife observation, corn hole, terrariums, howling, a treasure hunt (now they all know what lamb's ear looks like!), and the best healthy snacks

around – watermelon being particularly popular on a hot summer day. Every day we all went home tired, but well entertained! A cool wildlife education program by Naturalist, Carlton Burke called 'Appalachian Wild' ended our camp with local critters stealing the show – snakes being the most popular – as always. A great idea was presented early during the week by Brock and Molly Heston and their mom. With lots of canned goods in the kitchen at their cabin and not really wanting to pack it all up to take it back home, they thought about getting all the campers' families to donate non-perishable items to Manna Food Bank in Asheville. It was a great success with donated items weighing in at over 85 pounds at the end of the week! Thanks to all the parents and grandparents for letting us have your wonderful KIDS for all the fun times! The Village is very quiet this week. Since a picture is worth a thousand words, here's a sampling of photos from The Wolf Cubs Kids Camp 2016.



## WLRMS Announces 2016 Election Process

(June 20, 2016) WOLF LAUREL, N.C. – The annual election for the Wolf Laurel Road Maintenance and Security (WLRMS) Board of Director seats is upon us.

Last year, the Board agreed to move up the election schedule so that new Board members can be seated and have a more productive on-boarding process before many residents leave the mountain in the fall. The election this year will be held Thursday, Aug. 18. The slate of candidates must be identified at the Friday, July 15, Board meeting which is open to property owners. Three members of the current Board have elected to leave the Board when their terms expire this year. RMS is seeking six capable property owners who are

interested in standing for election for the three vacated seats, for three-year terms.

“The Board strongly believes that the election of talented leaders is crucial to ensuring a strong, vibrant future for our entire community,” said WLRMS Board member and Chairman of the Election Committee, John Beneke. “If you have interest in sharing your talents, skills and enthusiastic commitment toward that effort, we would love to hear from you. This Board works hard, but the work is gratifying.”

Community supporters who wish to stand for election to the RMS Board are encouraged to contact Beneke at [JohnPBeneke@gmail.com](mailto:JohnPBeneke@gmail.com) or any other RMS Board member.

For those who wish to serve in other ways, the RMS Board is also looking for people who can assist the various standing committees on the Board. A community of Wolf Laurel’s size requires involvement and engagement by the property owners to meet the community’s needs. To learn more about the WLRMS Board and the standing committees, please visit the Board tab on the WLRMS web site, [wolflaurelroadsandsecurity.com](http://wolflaurelroadsandsecurity.com).

The WLRMS Board hopes that you will consider serving your community by either standing for election this year or serving on a committee.

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## Wolf Laurel RMS Board of Directors Reports Results of Initial Community Survey

High 55-Percent Response Rate Indicates Community Enthusiasm for Survey and Wolf Laurel

(June 10, 2016) WOLF LAUREL, N.C. – The Wolf Laurel Road Maintenance and Security (WLRMS) Board of Directors is eager to announce the results of its first 2016 community survey. The anonymous survey, which ran May 28-June 5, drew 358 responses from the sample database of 649 WLRMS stakeholders drawn from the WLRMS email files. This resulted in a robust response rate exceeding 55 percent.

“The Board enthusiastically thanks the community for its strong response to this survey,” said WLRMS Board member John Ames, chairman of the WLRMS Communication and Community Relations Committee. “This survey was an informal test to validate the email survey software and process, and evaluate community response. We’re happy with the ease of the technology and the high response rate. We hope that the community will continue to provide high levels of response for future surveys.”

The full survey report is posted on [WolfLaurelRoadsandSecurity.com](http://WolfLaurelRoadsandSecurity.com). Here are some interesting survey highlights:

*62 percent are partial-year residents  
19 percent are full-time residents*

*57 percent spend between two to six months annually at WL  
13 percent are lot owners  
53 percent of partial-year residents say their other residences are in Florida, followed by North Carolina (21 percent) and South Carolina (13 percent)  
41 percent of partial-year residents say their other residences are in a state that borders North Carolina  
43 percent have owned their property in Wolf Laurel less than 10 years, and 24 percent have owned their property more than 21 years  
The top-3 most-popular activities for Wolf Laurel homeowners are visiting Asheville and neighboring communities (68 percent), relaxing with friends (67 percent), and hiking (62 percent)  
78 percent of respondents recommend Wolf Laurel as a vacation and/or residential community, with only 5 percent reporting that they do not recommend Wolf Laurel.*

Some of the questions featured comment boxes. The anonymous comments were appreciated and informative to the board, but were unquantifiable and therefore not published. They were also helpful in identifying areas of community interest for future surveys.

“This new communication tool will better inform all of us in Wolf Laurel as we strive to build a stronger sense of community connection and consensus,” said Ames.

The survey will continue to be based exclusively online as a way to control costs and quicken the pace of interaction with the community. The WLRMS Board intends to keep refining and expanding the Email databases so that the surveys can represent as many community voices as possible.

Please encourage your friends and neighbors in Wolf Laurel to provide their email addresses to WLRMS so they can participate in future surveys. Residents who wish to provide or update their email file to WLRMS should do so with WLRMS Director of Security Sandy Gwozdo, at 828.680.9162 or [Sandy@WolfLaurelRMS.com](mailto:Sandy@WolfLaurelRMS.com).

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### **Wolf Laurel RMS Board of Directors Reports Results of Second Community Survey**

(July 15, 2016) WOLF LAUREL, N.C. – The Wolf Laurel Road Maintenance and Security Homeowner's Association (WLRMS) Board of Directors has completed its second Community Survey. The anonymous survey, which ran July 1-10, drew 343

responses from a database of 720 Email addresses representing homeowners, lot owners and residents of Wolf Laurel, Blue Mountain, Deer Run and The Ridges. The response rate was a robust 48 percent. A copy of the complete survey can be viewed [here](#).

#### **Did You Know...**

The Wolf Laurel Security Gate processed more than 82,000 vehicle transits into the community in the last 12 months?



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# RESTAURANT RAMBLINGS

Gwynne Beneke

Keeping up with the closings and openings of restaurants and vendors in the Asheville area can be a challenge. The world of food in these parts is always flexible and sometimes volatile in its comings and goings.

Example: we just heard that The Fresh Market stores have been sold to a conglomerate that will change the chain considerably. About 30 stores will be closed, about a hundred items will disappear from the deli, staff will be downsized, and many items from the shelves will be discontinued. The neighborhood feel will definitely be affected. Will the background classical music disappear? Probably. At the same time we are watching the building of a PUBLIX grocery in Weaverville, across the street from Ingles.

The sophisticated food shopper is bound to find just what he/she needs somewhere! Recently we searched Fresh Market, Earth Fare, Whole Foods, Harris Teeter and Ingles in north Asheville, and finally found what we were looking for at Publix! Just a bag of Terra blue potato chips. We bought several as the Publix was on South Hendersonville Road. Maybe we've become just too picky! We are spoiled (and happily so) by the lush and fun Farmers' Markets in the area. Where else can you find tomatoes and lettuces and all manner of colorful vegetables harvested early the same morning? And "farm to table" – truly, honestly farm to table food? Don't be fooled by just the advertising. If you see a Sysco truck parked ANYWHERE, ANYTIME, that eatery is NOT farm to table!

One truly and honestly "farm to table" venture is a relatively new restaurant in downtown Asheville at 77 Biltmore – LOCAL PROVISIONS. It's almost hidden with a handmade sign on the front door; it's just south of the parking lot for the deli that used to be LAUREY'S (now 67 Biltmore) and across the street from the Co-op. It opened in late fall last year, so we only visited it recently for brunch. Open for dinner and Sunday brunch, the menu is simple and changes frequently. Six of us were there for brunch recently. I had the scrambled eggs (rich, fluffy, well seasoned) topped with 4 of the best fried oysters ever – topped with tiny caviar roe. OMG! Also fresh vinaigrette-marinated cherry and quartered tomatoes. Vine ripe. Real flavor. Hard to find in restaurants. Others: Croque Madame, over easy eggs and biscuits; surprisingly there was no Eggs Benedict on the menu! Although it can be one of my favorite dishes, I know NOT to order it at even some good restaurants as Hollandaise can be iffy. It was

somehow pleasing NOT to find that dish on the menu! The dinner menu was spare but straight forward – four or five entrees, simple starters and salads with a subtle twist, obviously provided by the talented owner/chef, Justin Burdett. Reservations can be made on Open Table or call 828 424 7815. The service was excellent, if just a bit slow. All our party decided to talk this one up! It deserves your attention. They are eager for our trade and interested in contributing to the Hospice Silent Auction – a definite plus!

Speaking of "farm to table" have you heard of the little farm in Mars Hill, THE FARMER'S HANDS, that is



serving dinners and conducting culinary workshops? We just learned of this venue recently and have not attended any events, BUT it is very high on our "must do" list. The couple have very impressive backgrounds in farming and cooking, if you can call a New York and Vancouver experienced chef a "cook!" The pictures on the website, [www.thefarmershands.com](http://www.thefarmershands.com), are charming, and we can't wait to attend one of their outdoor dinners. Anyone interested?

We're still looking forward to the opening of BONE AND BROTH, the traditional English Pub-style eatery, scheduled for sometime in July. Sandwiched between The City Bakery and The Chop Shop on Charlotte Street. Relatively small with seating indoor/outdoor for 92, the owners of Bone and Broth plan to access both popular venues for their goods. They plan a "whole animal" menu and will provide the currently popular "bone broth," a health food phenomenon. While meat-heavy, there will be some items for vegans. The chef will be West Asheville native, French Culinary Institute-educated Jeff Medford, who has been working in NYC. One of my fondest memories is walking into a London pub and savoring slices of the "joint-of-the-day," a savory steak and kidney or shepherd's pie on a cold December day! I doubt that this well-planned with experienced staff eatery will disappoint. When it opens I'll try to put out an alert. Should be fun on a chilly late September day.

It's hard to believe that the summer is almost half over. Here's hoping that your time on the mountain has been relaxing and fun!



Fourth of July Fireworks photos are courtesy of Rebecca Duncan and Rebekah (Becky) Shennan



# Website Technology Upgrade

Jim Landry

By now you should be acquainted with the new look of our WLPOA website. It's the results of moving to a new host service, and hopefully you have found it easy to navigate and pleasing to the eye. The presentation is not meant to entertain, but instead, to provide you with pertinent information as directly as possible; therefore, distracting graphics will be kept to a minimum.

For the last 10 years the website was developed on a single home computer using a conventional program and programming code.

For example, the following code:

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<p class="style275"><span class="auto-style15"><em>Welcome to The Mountain</em> </span><strong><em><br class="style416" /></em></strong><span class="auto-style18"><strong>Please keep Your Email Address Current</strong></span></p><font FACE="TimesNewRomanPS-BoldMT" SIZE="7"><p ALIGN="CENTER" class="auto-style17">WLPOA Community Center Hours:</p>
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Would produce on the screen:

Welcome to The Mountain  
Please keep Your Email Address Current  
WLPOA Community Center Hours:

As you could imagine, it took a bit of time to make it all work. This is especially evident when having to adhere to W3C (World Wide Web Consortium) rules of website development. The new service eliminates that concern by ensuring the technical quality of web pages and conformity with web standards, browser compatibility and site usability.

Times change and technology improves. The new program is "cloud" based using copy-paste and direct entry text and at a low price. It's actually fun to create and relatively fast. With the program and worksite being in the "cloud," the site can be updated from any computer anywhere. The technology has been out there for many years and is continually improving to the point that it was time for the changeover.

Please visit the site often to keep up with what's happening in your community. It's updated as needed - usually several times a week. There is a photo gallery, so send us your NC scenery and action photos.



# Billy Beagle and His Horrible Escape

Gene Woolf

One day Billy Beagle was playing in the yard. It was a pretty day. It was late in the afternoon. The sky was blue, the grass was green, and the wind felt good on Billy's back. He had been chasing Mr. Rabbit, but he could not catch him. Mr. Rabbit ran behind some bushes, and Billy did too.

But just then Billy saw a little hole in the fence. "Maybe Mr. Rabbit went that way," thought Billy, so he wiggled through the hole. His humans, Suzie and Joe, had told Billy he was not supposed to leave the yard, but he really wanted to catch that Rabbit.

"Oh wow, I am free," said Billy. "I can escape and run anywhere I want to." Billy ran up the big hill, then he ran down the big hill, then he ran through some bushes, and by some big trees. "Now where is that Rabbit?" said Billy. "Which way did he go?"

Billy ran on and on and on. He ran by a little creek, he ran behind an old barn. He ran through some more trees. These trees were bigger, and it was dark where they were.

After a while Billy got tired. He was tired of running. He was tired of barking. Billy did not know where Mr. Rabbit had gone. Billy came to a road. "I think I will go back home," thought Billy. It was getting dark now, and the wind was blowing hard. This is a road, and I know the road goes back to the house. So Billy started up the road to go home, but he turned the wrong way!

Billy walked on and on. It was getting darker and darker. The wind in the trees was making sad and scary noises, and Billy was scared. "I don't know where I am," he thought. "And I am hungry, I want my dog food. I want to see my people. Why did I go through that hole? What will happen to me? I don't know where I am. I am really, really lost."

Billy came to a curve in the road and he went around it. Then he saw some lights, and a little house in the woods. "Maybe there are people there," he thought. "Maybe they will help me find my way home. Maybe

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they have dog food." Billy started up the path to the little house, but just then two very big dogs came rushing out. "Don't come here," they barked. "This is Our house! Go away, we don't want you here. We will bite you." They were very, very big dogs, and Billy was afraid of them, so he turned away and walked on down the road. He was so sad, and scared, and lonely.

Then Billy heard a car coming down the road. Its lights were bright, and it was going slow. "Maybe they will stop and help me," thought Billy. "Maybe they will take me home." But the car did not stop. In the dark the driver could not see Billy, so the car passed on by.

By then Billy was very tired. He was so tired that he sat down on the bank beside the road. He smelled a little bit of water in the ditch by the road. The water did not taste good, but he drank some anyway. Then he lay down under a big tree, and he panted and panted. He rested his head on his paws. He was so tired that he fell asleep. Then Billy had a dream. He dreamed it was warm, and that he was in his yard, and that Joe was

calling for him to come to get his supper, to come get his dog bone. He dreamed he was not lost. He heard Suzie calling and calling, "Billy, come, Billy, come". Then Billy woke up. Billy had very good ears. From far, far away he heard "come, Billy, come, come". He jumped, he barked and barked. He was not dreaming! That was really Suzie. Then Billy heard a car coming on the road, coming slow, very slow. And the car would stop, and he could hear Suzie call "come, Billy, come," so Billy ran back up the road as fast as he could, and barked and barked, and ran and ran, and around the curve he saw the car lights, and he ran up to the car. Joe saw him coming and opened the car door. Billy jumped into the car. He wagged his tail as fast as he could. He gave Suzie and Joe many licks on their face. They were grinning and laughing. They said "You silly dog. We are so glad we found you. Let's go home and you can eat your dog food."

Billy thought, "O.K., O.K. I am so happy. I am tired and hungry, but so happy. I will never, never go through that hole in the fence again. Never."

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## Pat Conroy in the Library

One of the icons of recent American literature left us this March. Pat Conroy died at age 70. Both Amelia and I knew him – a fine man, with a wicked sense of humor.

One day when I was manning the sales counter in our Charleston bookstore and dealing with a customer, I vaguely noted a man wearing an Atlanta Braves baseball cap enter the shop and make his way to the back, but paid him no other notice. A few moments later my customer, more observant than I, quietly said "I think that man is writing in some of your books." Well dagnabbit, I must put a stop to this. I hurriedly finished with the sale and scurried to the back, where the man looked up at me with an impish grin and said "I hope you don't mind: I am Pat Conroy, and I signed all my books for you; you can make more money that way." Great conversation followed then and later.

Another time, Amelia was running her shop when Pat came in. He came up behind a young man buying *The Lords of Discipline*, Pat's novel about life at the Citadel. He startled the young man by saying "I'm Pat Conroy, and I'll be glad to sign my book for you." Pat talked with him for an hour, and the young man later told us what a thrill the conversation was, something he

would always remember. Pat was a social creature, very interested in others and the world around him, and it shows in his writing.

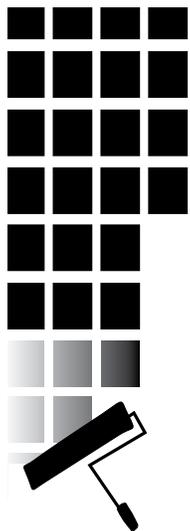
The Wolf Laurel library has all of his major books, in one form or another. In chronological order they are:

1. *The Boo*. ( 1970 ) Pat's first book. This is a non-fiction account of his instructor at the Citadel, Thomas Courvoisier. Quite interesting and funny.
2. *The Water is Wide*. Non-fiction account of Pat's teaching experience at an all black school on Wadmalaw Island, off the South Carolina Coast. Again, very funny, but also quite moving.
3. *The Great Santini*. (1976). My favorite of all his novels, and the one that first described his family with all its warts, including his abusive father, the Santini. This theme appears, in one form or another, in almost all of his writing.
4. *The Lords of Discipline*. Another very well written, albeit long, account of his student days at the Citadel. This is the book that created a lot of hostility from Citadel alumni as it deals with what Pat describes as the very hard, strict, unforgiving and harsh environment of a military academy. In a way it is an airing of the school's "dirty linen." Yet Pat always loved the school, and always claimed to be proud to "Wear the Ring" of a Citadel graduate.
5. *The Prince of Tides*. His most famous novel, an American best seller, set in an around Beaufort, and revisiting the themes of the *Great Santini*.
- 6 and 7. *Beach Music*, and *South of Broad*. Long, way too long, novels dealing in deep, deep, depth with Charleston and the Carolina Low Country, but still widely read best sellers.
8. *My Losing Season*. A long account of Pat's experience as a varsity Citadel basketball player. The abusive Santini pops up again, as does the rigid life at the school. Quite interesting, especially if you like sports books, and again, can be quite funny.

An interesting note: 2, 3, 4, and 5 were all made into films, *Prince of Tides*, with Nick Nolte, the most noted.

### A Request for Feedback.

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# Have you met your neighbors? Getting to know the Wolf Laurel Village wildlife!

(Part I of 2)

Joey Leonard

## Thamnophis- The Garter Snake



Garter Snakes are usually between two and four feet long as adults, and are often found near aquatic environments. These little snakes are common around the Wolf Laurel trout pond. Many believe them to be non-venomous, but recent discoveries show that they do in fact produce a very mild venom. Be

assured that they do not hold enough of this venom to harm any large being, for most of their diet consists of critters that are much smaller and can be swallowed whole: small frogs, tadpoles, lizards, worms, rodents, small fish, and occasionally eggs. You can see them basking in the sun on large boulders, or laying low in the grass near these optimal heat sources. Many people find Garter Snakes to be welcome residents of their lawns and gardens because they help to eliminate pests that like to graze on fruits, vegetables, and ornamental plants.

## Myotis Lucifugus- The Little Brown Bat



You can find these flying around the Wolf Laurel Village in the evenings and early in the mornings

from Spring to Autumn. Little Brown Bats, like all bats, utilize echolocation to prey on bugs. Their insectivorous diet consists of moths, beetles, flies, wasps, mosquitoes, and other flying insects. They maintain three types of

roosts: a day roost, a night roost, and a hibernation roost. Little Brown Bats do not truly hibernate during the colder months, but they instead enter a state of torpor (mental and physical lethargy) while roosting together for warmth. They use their day roosts to rest after hours of nighttime hunting, while using the night roosts for breeding and keeping warm. It is speculated that day roosts are used to keep predators away from the more important night roosts. The healthy, diverse population of insects at our trout pond is sure to keep these flying mammals hanging around.

## Tamias Striatus- The Eastern Chipmunk



These cautious foragers are fond of areas where the ground is soft, yet still contains plenty of rocks and roots to build their

burrows around. They are omnivorous, dining on a range of beetles, worms, larvae, seeds, fungi, berries, and the one food that all flower gardeners know chipmunks love: bulbs. Using the pouches that are their cheeks, they can move dirt and debris to build their burrow or gather another stock to stash for their winter horde. The chipmunk does not hibernate, but enters a state of torpor just like that of the Little Brown Bat. In many areas the chipmunk is now being considered a pest, but few know that these little burrowers play a key role in the natural redistribution of fungi spores that cannot travel in the air (such as the coveted Truffle). The Wolf Laurel Village plays host to a healthy population of these elusive, endemic creatures, so if you don't scamper off in a hurry you are bound to see one!

## Limenitis Arthemis Astyanax- The Red-Spotted Purple Brush Foot



This butterfly makes its home from Canada to Mexico, but are not found in the American West. Few people know that it actually mimics a poisonous butterfly (the Blue Swallowtail)! It is the diet of the butterfly

that determines its toxicity, but the Red-Spotted Purple Brush Foot has no such diet. They mainly feed on flowering trees, with a particular love for birches, willows, aspens, cottonwoods, ironwoods, beeches, elms, chokeberries, and hawthorns. As with all butterflies, these too go through a four stage metamorphosis composed of an egg stage, a caterpillar stage, a pupal stage, and an adult stage. Adult brush-footed butterflies (formally called Nymphalidae) do not have the long, anterior appendages on their wings that swallow-tail butterflies do, but these are only two of the six official butterfly families. The Red-Spotted Purple Brush Foot is one of many wonderful bugs that helps to pollinate our flora and maintain a balanced ecosystem around our pond.

### **Oncorhynchus Mykiss- The Rainbow Trout**



(Left: Ten-year old Sarah Akers. Thank you to the Akers Family, as well as Bob and Crellen Byrd, for this wonderful photo!

Below: Rainbow Trout schooling together just after being stocked into the pond.)

Trout fishing has become a very popular sport in America since the 1950's and more people get out on the rivers and streams every season. Rainbow trout, like other trout species, feed on nymphs and naiads that are hatched into the water by their adult relatives. They can also feed on any bug that either lives on the surface of the water or falls onto it, so long as they can fit it into their mouths.

The dietary patterns of a trout can be somewhat baffling, for there are times when a group of trout will



lock on to a certain food source (such as mayflies that are hatching into the air). While great to eat they can be difficult to catch, for they can become very sizeable fish. Rainbow trout also have very sensitive lips, making their capture all the more challenging.

### **Argia Apicalis- The Blue-Fronted Dancer**

Though they are often mistaken for a species of dragonfly, damselflies do live a somewhat similar lifestyle. They begin as an aquatic nymph, not a naiad, which means they look similar in the nymph stage to what they will look like as adults. As nymphs they will prey upon other immature, aquatic insects. Adults feed on aphids, gnats, little mosquitoes, and other small insects. They tend to wait on these prey items to come to them, rather than seeking them out in the air. The Blue-Fronted Dancer is commonly found throughout the United States, as well as some parts of Canada and Mexico. They are both beautiful to watch and a sure sign that an ecosystem is thriving.



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## WELCOME New Members!

We are pleased to welcome the new members below that have joined WLPOA since publication of the fall 2015 TOP OF THE BALD. Please seek them out and let them know of all the exciting opportunities WLPOA has to offer, and invite them to an upcoming event.

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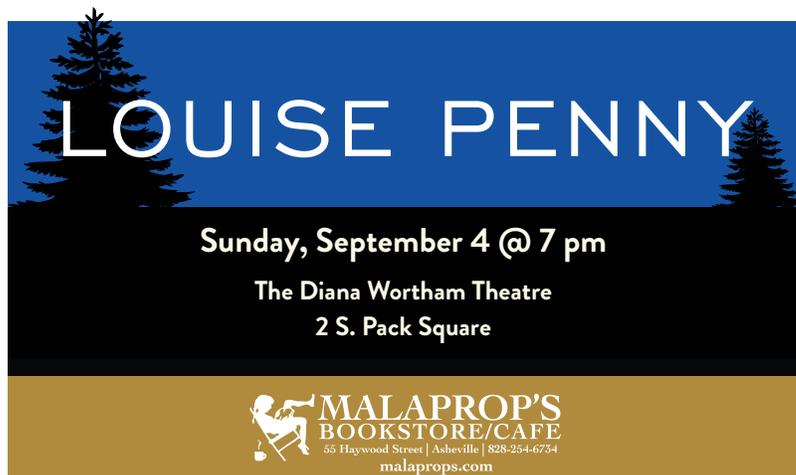
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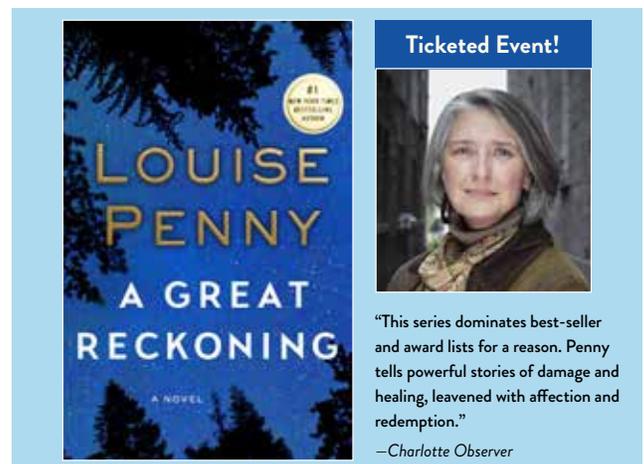


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