

Meet Your New Board Members

Dave Lyon, the WLHA treasurer, was elected for a 3 year term. In addition, he is a volunteer at Ball Hospital where he is vice-president of the Hospital Auxiliary. Dave works with Meals on Wheels and, during tax season, helps the elderly and low-income prepare their returns. Dave plays golf and enjoys reading.

Dick Conaway, WLHA Secretary, is retired from Muncie Central High School where he taught chemistry and coached wrestling and football. He also coached football at Delta High School. Dick keeps the lake in good shape. He enjoys fishing and spending time with his grandchildren. Dick was elected for a 2 year term.

Wanda Concannon was elected for a 2 year term.. She has lived in Willow Lake for three years. Wanda helps with the books at Concannon's Bakery and has helped with several projects sponsored by WLHA including organizing and manning the bake sale table at the annual rummage sale.

Ray Brassart, an attorney specializing in trusts and estates, was elected for a 1 year term.. He is active in Grace Episcopal Church where he serves on the finance committee. Ray enjoys gardening and plans to look after the common gardens this spring.

Jack Donati, WLHA President, was elected for a 3 year term. He has served in elected offices for over 18 years. Among these are member Muncie School Board, County Auditor, County Clerk and City Clerk. He served as a Juvenile Investigator for the Muncie Police Force. Jack served two years on the board of the National School Board Association. He is a Ball Hospital Volunteer and a member of the board of Industrial Center Federal Union.

Dick Hall referees girls' softball in the spring and evaluates officials for the IHSAA during the winter. He works three days a week at Meeks. Dick enjoys fishing and spending time with his grandchildren. He was elected for a 1 year term.

NO SOLICITATION

Willow Lake is a private community and there is a NO SOLICITING policy. Signs are posted. Do not hire or buy from anyone that you did not contact personally.

You should call the Sheriff's Department with specific information if an unknown person comes to your door and

- Attempts to sell you anything or
- Wants to perform some kind of service or work for you.

DO NOT PERMIT SOLICITING TO OCCUR

New Folks Under the Willow

Some of our new neighbors here at Willow Lake includes:

Barbara Tweedy
Oral Lee Meesenger
John and Patricia Brunette
Mary Pitts

Welcome to the neighborhood...



A Few Cold Weather Tips

Inevitably, Summer on the Pond is followed by Winter on the Roof and there are some key actions we need to take to keep our homes safe from winter's attack.

- ❖ Keep the thermostat no lower than 65 degrees to avoid frozen pipes. Do this even when you are away from home.
- ❖ Disconnect outside water hoses.
- ❖ Keep furnace filters clean.
- ❖ If you plan to be gone for even a short trip, remember to shut off the water.
- ❖ When snow is predicted, please try to keep cars in the garage so the snow plow can clear the driveways. Snow is plowed if there is an accumulation of two inches or more.

NOTICE: Melissa Voss is the new contact person for newsletter information.

The Thanksgiving Holiday...

...is a good time to remember to say "Thank you" to a few of our Willow Lake neighbors who have helped all of us.

Thanks to:

- **Carolann Mikeseel** and her committee for the fun and delicious Luau dinner.
- **Kay Baldwin** for writing the newsletter to keep Willow Lake residents informed of activities and events.
- **All nine of the board candidates** who stepped forward and were willing to shoulder the responsibilities of managing the WLHA.
- **Dick and Beth Hall** for cleaning our street lights and changing the bulbs.
- **Elaine Thresher, Judy Donati, and Carolyn Besser** for organizing the monthly dinners.
- **John Ryder, Frank McGuire, and Frank Arthur** for overseeing the board election.
- **Jim Hedge** for the mini auction he held at the clubhouse. It was great fun, with Jim serving as the auctioneer. He contributed the proceeds to the clubhouse kitchen

A special thank you to outgoing board members **Peggy Taylor and Larry Besser** for their service and dedication to our community.

Monthly Association Assessments

Please be careful to pay your monthly fees on time. Don't put a board member in the position of having to call and request payment. Use the convenient drop slot to the right of the front door at the clubhouse.

Also, you can pay in advance. Take the burden of monthly payments off of yourself by paying for several months at the same time.

WLHA HOLIDAY EVENTS

WLHA ANNUAL CRAFT BAZAAR SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 12 8 AM – 2 PM

A great place for special holiday gifts and decorations. Hand-knitted Xmas stockings, adult's and children's hats, Xmas ornaments and more. Fancy crocheted scarves, embroidered table runners, hand-crafted wooden bowls, Christmas wreaths, topiaries, ceramics, folk art, and more. Concannon's Bakery will offer pastries, candy and specialty popcorn.

Pork loin sandwiches will be available at 11 am.

10% of sales will go to WLHA.

NOVEMBER 19

Holiday Breakfast at the clubhouse. This will be a full breakfast. Reservations required.

DECEMBER 17

More information coming to your mailbox soon.

Association Representatives

Your homeowner representatives continue to meet twice monthly. Feel free to attend any of the board's meetings, normally held the 2nd Thursday at 3:30 pm and the 4th Thursday at 7 pm. You may also check with Pam in the developer's office or one of the homeowner's representatives listed below to confirm time / date.

Ray Brassart	Dick Hall
Dick Conaway	Dave Lyon
Wanda Concannon	Pam Jefferson
Jack Donati	

Communication Team

- Jack Donati collects information for the bimonthly newsletter. Call him to contribute important or fun information we all need to know.
- Melissa Voss takes the newsletter information that you give Jack, combines it with notes from Association meetings and produces and distributes the newsletter.
- Elaine Thresher maintains clubhouse bookings. Make your reservations early to guarantee date and time.
- Jack and Judy Donati get clubhouse reservations from Elaine then publish and deliver the monthly calendar.
- You can help. Send information to Jack or Melissa and offer to lend a hand regularly or occasionally.