



Notes In The Woods

August, 2019

HUNTINGTON WOODS HOA MEETING

TUESDAY, AUGUST 6, 6:30 PM

HOLY TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH, 547 6TH ST NW

HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE!

YOUR ATTENDANCE SUPPORTS OUR COMMUNITY

Keeping in Touch

Our recovery from the heavy rain in June is nearly complete with the exception of three townhomes that were flooded, one with heavy damage. Our work on the improvement of the drainage in that area is continuing.

Numerous issues from the heavy rain were roof leaks around skylights, which were resulted from the lack of periodic skylight maintenance. Skylights should be inspected, cleaned and caulked every 2 to 3 years. This service must be performed by a contractor approved by the HOA. The homeowner is responsible for the cost of this service.

The Huntington Woods swimming pool is maintained for the benefit and enjoyment of our entire community. When using the pool area please adhere to appropriate public behavior and follow the rules posed for the safety and enjoyment of everyone.

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KNOW THE POOL RULES!

Hours Open: 7:00 am to 9:00 pm

- Pool is to remain locked when not in use
- Always lock the gate when you are last to leave pool
- All guests must be accompanied by a homeowner
- Swim at your own risk - no lifeguard on duty
- Children under the age of 14 must be supervised by an adult
- Swim diapers are required for children who are not toilet trained
- No running, rough play, loud music or general misconduct is permitted
- No pets, glass containers or sharp objects of any kind are permitted in the pool area
- Pool phone is installed for emergencies only
- Clean up after yourself, leave umbrella(s) in closed position and lock the gate if you are the last to leave

Welcome To Our New Neighbor

Patricia Drolet, #1717

**** NEW TELEPHONE NUMBER ****

Your HW Neighbors Are Recommending

Richard Thompson - 828.828.2697

Skylight cleaning & In-home repairs

Our Friend and Neighbor

Kelly Fulbright and her sweet people-loving dog, Bruno, are our new Huntington Woods neighbors at 1737. About four years ago as a realtor, Kelly sold a townhome here. Little did she know then that Huntington Woods was to be her future home.

At that time, Kelly and her husband, Fred, were living in a quaint rock cottage on ten acres near Vale that they loved. Fred had inherited their home through his family and they had done some remodeling to fit their needs and leased the ten acres to a dairy farm.

Kelly grew up in North Carolina and Virginia, moving around due to her father's career as a disc jockey. Her summers were spent with her grandparents at the Outer Banks.

She graduated with a business degree from UNC-Greensboro, then moved to Hickory to work at Comm-Scope. In her position as travel coordinator, she scheduled and coordinated the airplane fleet for CEO, Frank Drendle. She worked with scheduling itineraries and scheduling pilots.

Kelly and Fred, the class clown, met in high school, but didn't become interested in each other until after college. After marrying, they lived in Hickory for five years until a promotion for Fred took them to Raleigh where he worked for Nortel and she was in administration for Burroughs Welcome, which is now Glaxo

Their next move came when Fred became IT Director for Baxter International (healthcare products) in Marion. It was at that time that they renovated and moved to their little Rock cottage at Vale.

It was during this time that Kelly worked to complete her master's degree in business.

Baxter produces medical IV bags and in the production process they need pure spring water. The company is located in Marion because of the springs located there. For a period of time they also lived in Ireland, because Baxter sent Fred there as IT Director for the Castlebar location which produces dialysis products.

After returning home, Fred developed a fissure of the lower intestine, which did not burst, but did require surgery and resulted in the loss of his spleen. From that time on he had recurring health problems. Fortunately, Baxter retained his employment and allowed him to work from home.

Although during those years, Kelly did not work fulltime, she did some part-time work as a realtor. Her primary focus was being a caretaker for Fred when needed and also in caring for his adopted mother, as she became the victim of dementia. Fred passed from a heart attack at the age of 57.

There were also good times in those years. Fred's immune system was delicate so he had to be very careful when around people, but the doctor said he could travel during the cooler months. They loved traveling, and made it an annual practice to travel all over the world for Christmas and New Years. Some of their trips were to London, Paris, Lucca in Tuscany, Barcelona, and Hawaii. London and Barcelona at Christmas were among her favorites.

Kelly now works for Lowes home improvement at the store on Highway 70 as the human resource face and liaison between the store and corporate administration. She feels she works with good people and enjoys her job.

Dance, music and writing have always been very much a part of Kelly's life. She fondly reminisces about being a dancer in college. Later, in Hickory, while she and Fred were members of the Jaycees, they helped lead the development of the music series, Hickory Alive, and the annual Oktoberfest.

Writing is one of her primary interests now. Although she has not put any of her work out for publishing, she feels she has a lot to write about. During the period of caring for her mother-in-law, Kelly learned so much about her as she moved through the stages of dementia. There is much of all that she learned that she would like to write about.

For the future, Kelly is planning to continue her love of traveling. She is very close with her niece and nephew and her plans include traveling with them.

Welcome to Kelly and Bruno. Kelly is looking forward to life her in Huntington Woods and we are happy that she is now Huntington Woods neighbors.

Out and About

HICKORY FARMERS MARKET

Apr 20 - Nov 30

Apr: Sat 8:00 am - 1:00 pm & Wed 10:00 am - 2:00 pm

Nov: Sat 10:00 - 2:00

Union Square Downtown Hickory

Parking Lot for Lowes Food Children's Park

CLEVER CLEVER KATIA

Summer Rug Bug Theatre, A Project of Hickory Rotary Club
Plays performed by young actors for the youngest audiences

Aug 8 - 17: Thur 2:30 pm; Fri 11:30m am; Sat 2:30 pm

Hickory Community Theatre

30 Third St NW, Hickory

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