

March 1, 2010

# Villas Vidette

*The Official News and Notification Forum of the Villas of Bailey's Grove*

## ATTENTION - IMPORTANT NOTICE!!

THE MARCH 3RD, 2010 BOARD MEETING HAS BEEN CANCELLED DUE TO A LACK OF AGENDA ITEMS.

## HAVE A PROBLEM? CONTACT REALICO



Again, we ask all homeowners to contact REALICO with any problem or concerns. Call our Property Manager, Mary Harrison, at 942.7055 ext. 8 or email her at [maryh@realico.com](mailto:maryh@realico.com).

**Please don't contact or bring concerns to individual Board members. Our Property Manager will forward your concerns to the Board.**

## REMINDERS

### Parking Reminder

Please have all of your visitors park in your driveway before parking on the street. Our roads are narrow, even more so during the winter months due to the build up of snow.

**We must keep our roads open to all homeowners, service vehicles, and emergency vehicles.**

### Save Plastic Newspaper Bags

Please continue to save your large plastic newspaper bags from the Sunday paper. Please bring them to Marge's house (5987 Mill Point Ct.) or call her at 656.8661 and she will pick them up.

### Recycling Dates

Recycling days in March are Friday, March 12<sup>th</sup> and Friday, March 26<sup>th</sup>. Please remember to secure your recycling bags.

# SOCIAL EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES

## HAPPY HOUR

Our next Happy Hour will be on Wednesday, March 31st at the clubhouse from 6:00 - 8:00 pm. Please bring an appetizer to share and your own drink.

## THE VILLAS MEN'S CLUB - EDUCATIONAL SERIES

The Villa men will meet on Monday, March 1st and Monday, March 15th at the clubhouse from 6:00 - 8:30 pm. The men have just started a series on religions. Pizza will be ordered. Please bring your own drink.

## THE VILLAS MEN'S CLUB - LUNCH MEETING

The Villa men will meet for lunch on Tuesday, March 9 at 11:30 am at the First Wok (2301 44<sup>th</sup> St.).

## BOOK CLUB

We will meet on Wednesday, March 10th at the clubhouse from 2:00 - 4:00 pm to discuss the novel The Time Traveler's Wife by Audrey Niffenegger. This book is a love story about a man with a genetic disorder that causes him to time travel unpredictably, and his wife, an artist, who has to cope with his frequent absences and dangerous experiences.

## VILLAS LADIES LUNCH

The Villa ladies will meet for lunch on Thursday, March 17th at 11:30 am at Marie Catrib's of Grand Rapids (1001 Lake Drive Southeast). Check out the great menu in advance at [www.mariecatribs.com](http://www.mariecatribs.com).

## THE VILLAS MEN'S CLUB - VISIT TO MOSQUE

The Villa men have arranged a tour of the new mosque on East Paris (north of 32nd Street) on Tuesday, March 2nd at 6:30 pm. **OUR GUIDE, MOHAMED SALEH, HAS ASKED THAT WE BE AT THE MOSQUE BY 6:15 PM SO WE CAN START THE TOUR ON TIME.**

**All Villa homeowners are welcome to join the Villa men on this tour. WOMEN MUST WEAR LONG PANTS, LONG SLEEVES AND A SCARF THAT CAN COVER MOST OF THEIR HAIR.**

We will go out to dinner after the tour.

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Lake Baikal, located in Siberia, is the earth's deepest lake, plunging to more than a mile below the water's surface in some areas. Located close to the Mongolian border, Lake Baikal holds a massive amount of water - approximately 20% of all the liquid freshwater reserves on earth - more than any other freshwater lake on the planet!!