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Grove Park Life - HOA

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1720 Monarch Court



1280 Poplar Grove Lane





1050 Grove Park Lane





Making It Happen ETOWAH MEADERY & DAHLONEGA BREWERY

3003 Morrison Parkway N. Dahlonega, GA 30533

It all began in their Grove Park garage.

Less than 8 years later, **Blair and Sharon Housley** have built a thriving business realizing Blair's dream – to start his own meadery. Today, that garage start has evolved into the successful Etowah Meadery and Dahlonega Brewery. Asked if it has been arduous work, Blair is quick to answer, "I haven't felt like I'm working for 7 years," He's doing what he loves.



Nestled in the hills of Dahlonega, the business continues to grow having expanded from a hugely successful meadery, making honey-based wines, to being the first farm winery in Georgia to also get a brewer's license. "The state laws on wine and beer are quite different. It can get complicated." Blair says. Success created the expansion.



The expansive indoor and outdoor areas

offer the perfect atmosphere to enjoy award-winning creations and sample dozens of mead flavor profiles including sparkling versions. Also featured are craft beers, stouts and ales, with names as creative as the original art on labels by a popular Dahlonega artist and Sharon as well. Psycho Blonde, Instant Retirement, and Sweet Hot Fuzz- with a kick of peachy-habanero pepper, are just a few!



The meadery/brewery is also available for birthday parties, club meetings, and any special event. Dahlonega Brewery has a packed house on Thursday Trivia Night, Saturday live music and Sunday afternoon comedy shows, "We also have space for the kids to enjoy activities. We provide light snacks to have with the tastings, but the focus is creating atmosphere to taste our brews and meads," Sharon says. The public is welcome to bring in their own food for events or when visiting for a tasting.

For gift giving, there are gift cards, baskets, and bottles of wine. Blair adds, "We can ship wine direct to consumer, but due to state restrictions, not the beers." Visit and discover "the buzz" about honey wine and uniquely crafted beer. Blair and Sharon welcome all their Grove Park neighbors! Visit the website for more information. etowahmeadery.com









Making A Difference Friends & Neighbors Together For A Cause



Grove Park neighbor **Sandy Boyd** went through a life changing event over two years ago – A diagnosis of breast cancer and journey to full health. Now cancer free, Sandy is grateful. *"I truly believe I am here because I can make a difference."*

Sandy and friends, including Grove Park neighbors Keri Sharp and Sara Newsome, created "Team Tig Bitties" and walked last year in the Georgia 2-Day Walk for Breast Cancer, an annual Atlanta event to raise money for breast cancer health.

"We did it last year and we came back to once again, walk 30 miles in 2 days in 2023!" Sandy says. The money raised by walkers stays here in Georgia to support breast cancer programs throughout the state. **Tig Bitties** raised over \$9,000 including matching gifts in 2022. This year, the team, surpassed that! Their daughters also walked with them this year, making the event even more special. "We walked to celebrate with those who have survived like me, and walked for those who are unable to."

It is NOT too late to donate to "Team Tig Bitties," even after the walk! Scan the QR code before the end of October and help fund assistance and breast cancer research right here in Georgia!



DONATION COUNTS UNTIL THE END OF OCTOBER



Welcome

New Neighbors

1620 Willow Park Way Jonathan & Svetlana Petersen

1295 Spring Oak Way Siddhartha Chatterjee & Anwesha Goswani

1275 Willow Park Way Legair Anderson & Alvita Wood

1115 Pin Oak Court Jeffrey & Stefanie Abbott

1250 Poplar Grove Lane Shawndeep & Tehneen Kahlon

RESERVING AMMENITIES

Pickleball Players

Court 1 is designated for "Pickleball" and has been split into Court 1-A and Court 1-B. REMEMBER to book each court separately.

Tennis Players

Both Courts are still available to reserve for tennis, but If Court #2 is available, please reserve before booking Court #1. Book each court separately.

Booking the tennis or pickleball courts does NOT automatically reserve the pavilion!

Check for pavilion availability before making plans. Other events could be booked. For residents booking the tennis, pickleball courts or pavilion for the first time, there is a registration process through the website. ONLY GROVE PARK RESIDENTS can book amenities. A Grove Park resident must accompany guests.

Reserve through our website www.groveparklife.com/reservations



Kim & Steve Bacastow

Chank You

...to organizer Kim Bacastow and to the Hovis Family for making our community more beautiful.

OUTREACH



Carrie Clement Leslie Avra

OUTREACH has been busy in the last couple of months! Nothing makes us happier than that. We have provided meals for a couple of families and helped one of our ladies with her overgrown flowerbed. I have to say, that it was fun being a part of it all! We also called on one of our team members to sit with someone who was going through a challenging time. It was a blessing. Keep an eye out for our upcoming New Neighbor Tea that is in the planning stages. This is an opportunity for those who have just recently moved in to get to know their neighbors. All the ladies in the neighborhood are invited to come and make our new neighbors feel at home. If you are interested in being a part of the Outreach team, email groveparkoutreach@gmail.com or call 678-230-4729.

SANDERS R O A D CLEAN-UP



The Hovis Family

VETERANS DAY November 11, 2023

- Honoring All Who Served –

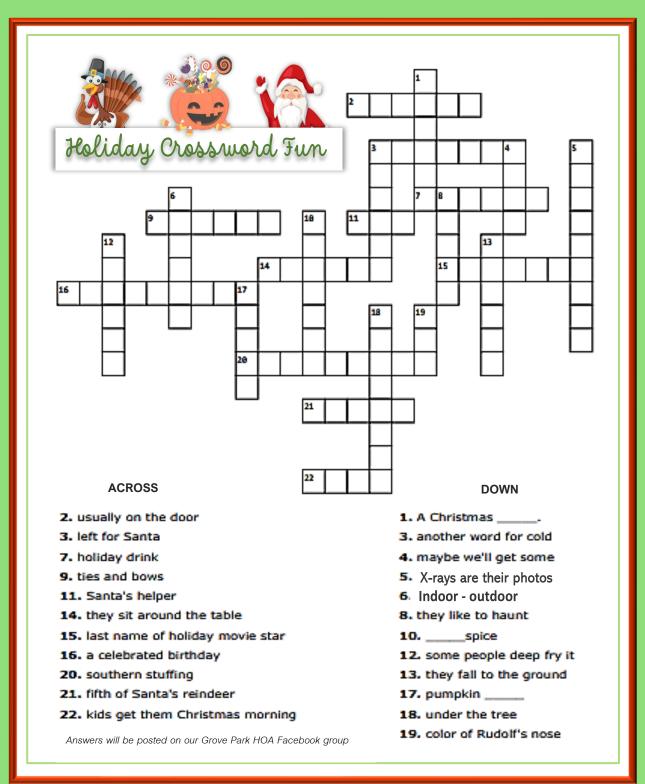
Grove Park Veterans

Mack Butler Donna Farmer Jim Gillespie Blair Housley Clay Ragsdale James Stetson Dale Thomas Sam Williams

Summer Events Scrapbook







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