

# THE VILLAGE VOICE



## New Orleans Trip



## Soup & Sandwich



## Bunco



## Fishing



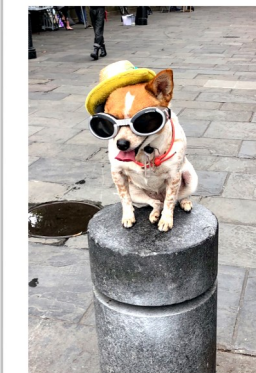
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## New Orleans by AMTRAK

We had a fun busy five day trip to New Orleans. We ate at the Commanders Palace in the Garden District. We went all over New Orleans on a Bus Tour. There was so much to see. We rode the trolleys and did miles of walking each day to see the sights. We found good places to eat all over New Orleans.

This little dog all duded up working for tips, as he sat on this post like a little statue.



Pupper Dog

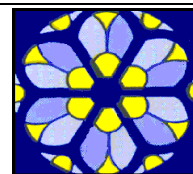


*Tammy Talk*

Welcome to June! The weather is warmer and the bugs are getting swarmier!

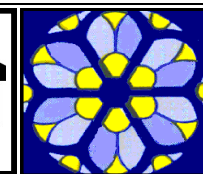
Is that even a word? If it's not, we'll make it one! We have so many good things in the works for the village. New neighbors, increased revenue opportunities, and have you heard.... We should have our POOL BACK by mid to late June! Soooo many exciting things! Don't forget, the air show is June 29<sup>th</sup>, and Westminster Village will be sponsoring the beer truck. I will need some volunteers to help make this a success. Call me and let me know what your talents are.

I have received some of the evaluation forms that we sent out to everyone, but only a few? If you have yours, I ask you please to fill it your evaluation form so that we can hear you and your concerns. I can answer some of the suggestions that have been made so far. We are currently refurbishing existing homes. If you would like to see what progress we've made, please feel free to call me and I can take you to show you. We are very proud of them, and it does have to happen one at a time basically. I have contacted animal control several times about the 4 stray dogs that I've seen. They tell me that they will come and set traps, but I have not seen them yet. We are however, still trying. It has been suggested that we open a gym in the Ramey center. That would carry a liability insurance that would take any and all roof money we are trying to raise. I have expressed interest in wanting to maybe rent the Ramey center out for different things, but the residents would prefer to keep that for themselves and that is very understandable. (Continued on page 2)



### Our Mission Statement

Westminster Village is committed to providing an environment that encourages and enables our residents to enjoy life to the maximum of their capabilities in a relaxed atmosphere of security, comfort and dignity.





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Please know that you are heard and that we are all working very hard to address and take care of everything to make this a great place to live for everyone.

We have been meeting with local and state governments so far to address things like funding for rehab, street repair, fixing flood areas, getting strays picked up among lots of other things. Before you know it, I'll be spending time in Little Rock, at our States Capitol, rallying for our property. Also, Cindy has been painting dulled out signage around the property too. Anything we can do to make Westminster Village a brighter and happier place to live, we are all for it! We are doing several fundraisers, if you would like to participate in helping to raise funds, you are more than welcome. Currently we are selling tickets for a 50/50 drawing and will hold a drawing once a quarter. Sell them to your family friends and church family. Please continue to keep us updated on what you see that needs to be improved! Hope to see you all at scheduled events and at the Air show June 29<sup>th</sup>!

Sincerely,  
Tammy Swanson  
Executive Director

CPR  
Emergency  
Training




**Sign Up if you are planning to go to the Relay for Life Saturday, June 1st 6 to 9 PM the Bus will leave at 5 PM**

**We will be selling Popcorn & Sodas Downtown Blytheville Bus will leave at 5 PM and will return to the Village when the event is over.**

## Southland Greyhound Park Tuesday, June 25th 9 AM



**You must Sign up with the front desk by Noon Tuesday, June 11th To get comps and free lunch.**

## The Big July 4th Celebration! 2 PM Thursday, July 4th



**Come enjoy a special celebration Thursday, July 4th in the Ramey Center at 2 PM. We will have Chopped Smoked Pork BBQ, Ribs, Beans, Slaw, Rolls, Cake & Watermelon.**

**We need a few volunteers to help set up, serve and clean up...**

**You must be signed up by Friday, June 28th with the front desk to have a ticket. Guests \$7 in advance. Keep your ticket to win prizes!!!**

**Happy Birthday**

## JUNE

**2nd Vera Walker  
7th Tammy McCormick  
8th June Cherry  
8th Nettie Henson  
9th Freddie White  
12th Myra Williams  
17th Cathy Daniels  
18th Brenda Martinez  
20th Ralph Looney  
22nd Sidney Laird  
26th Rodney Richards  
27th Joyce Ashworth  
27th Patricia Schroader  
30th Carolyn Johnson  
Employees  
19th James Hoskins**

## Move In Anniversaries

Donna Mosley	18 years
Frank & Brenda Martinez	17 years
Diane Somers	16 years
June Cherry	15 years
Bill Labonte & Patricia Shroader	15 years
Danny & Deannie McMillin	12 years
Vernon Burton	11 years
Janet Austin Green	11 years
Wanda Wattle & Vicki Schrimsher	11 years
John & Donna Calvert	4 years
Bob & Judy Flinn	4 years
Norrie Jacobs	4 years

## New Residents

**Melchelle Wagner & Lorene McMillen**



**Lions Club glasses box is at the front desk. Donate your old glasses to help other see.**



## Ice Cream Social

**Come join us at the Blytheville International Airport Control Tower Friday, June 21st from**

**4 to 6 p.m. for some good ole ice cream sandwiches, popsicles, ice cream cones, too many to list.**

**We will also have popcorn, sodas and fun conversation with the Ford Tri-Motor Pilots.**

**The bus will leave the Ramey Center at 5 pm or you can drive yourself.**

**It is right here on the Base.**

You have a chance to fly in a piece of history

from Thursday, June 20th – Sunday, June 23rd as one of the first mass produced airliners will be stopping by The Blytheville International Airport.

The **Ford Tri-Motor** takes you back to the 1920's, when traveling by air was a luxury. Just look at the 3 props! If you fancy yourself a history buff, you don't want to miss this. Tickets for the flight are \$77 for adults if you buy your tickets at the airport on the day of the flight.

FLYTHEFORD.ORG  
877-952-5395



**Dress Old Fashion to have Old Fashion Fun!**



## BINGO

**Birthday & Move-In Anniversary Celebration**

**Tuesday, June 18th  
3:00 PM  
Ramey Center**



**Don't forget about the 11/12 program. Earn more interest than you can get from the bank! Call the accounting office for more information about this program.**





Lets go see the  
**Memphis Redbirds**  
vs New Orleans

Wednesday, July 24th

we will leave at 4:30 PM the ballgame  
starts at 6:35. Pay for your \$20 ticket  
at the front desk when you sign up.



**Water Aerobics**  
Will begin  
sometime in  
**June.** We should  
have our swimming  
pool back in operation

hopefully before the end of June!  
This will be something we will all  
celebrate sometime in July with a  
**Big Pool Party.** To be announced in  
the July newsletter.



### Morning Exercise with Peggy

Mondays and Thursdays  
9 a.m. in the Ramey Center Gym. Bring a  
bottle of water for hydration.



**Stretch & Stress Relief** with Peggy  
on Mondays & Thursdays at 12 noon  
in the Ramey Center Gym.

Canasta every other  
Tuesday. In the Ramey  
Center. All are invited.  
Call Eileen 532-5505  
or Jennye 532-6195

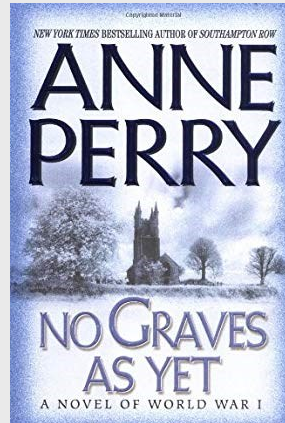


### Book Club

The Westminster Village Book  
Club will meet Wednesday,  
June 13th at 2:00 at the  
Downtown Bookstore  
on Main Street.

The book for June is  
"No Graves As Yet"

Come join us everyone is  
welcome to attend.



### WOW

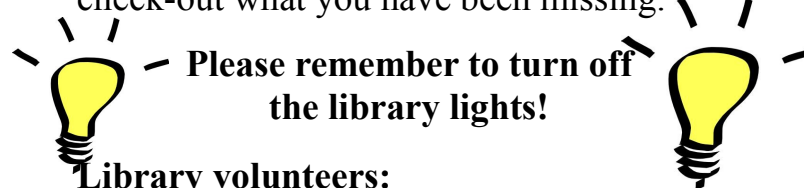
Women of Westminster Meeting  
10 AM Saturday, June 16th  
In the Ramey Center.  
Bring a breakfast items to share.

### LIBRARY NEWS

Go to the library to cool off and  
find a good book to read in June.



The books from the book club are  
donated each month to the library. Come  
check-out what you have been missing.



### Library volunteers:

Doris Marks, Loretta Heard, Eileen Thurman,  
Donna Clayton, Nancy Frame, Emma Burns, and  
Beverly Trusky.

### Faith In Action

Faith in Action offers the following services:  
Light Housekeeping - Respite Care - Local Transpor-  
tation - Letter Writing - Telephone Reassurance.  
If you need a ride you must have an application  
on file and give 24-hour notice.

**Remember, you can always find the most  
current Village Voice in full color online at:**  
<http://www.wmv.org/newsletters>



### Thunder Bayou Golf Course

is ranked # 4 in the state of Arkansas Call Tony,  
Van or Ron for more information. 532-2621.

**The Advisory Committee :** Edith Sellers, Loretta  
Heard, Jennye Carihfield, Mary Rixse, Ann Campbell,  
Gary Walker, Jack and Anita Thompson

### Westminster Village Directors

<b>Tammy Swanson</b>	Executive
<b>Cindy Williamson</b>	Administrative
<b>Leslie Acred</b>	Marketing
<b>Kendall Berry</b>	Resident Services
<b>Butch Sanders</b>	Environmental Services
<b>Angela Presnell</b>	Accounting
<b>Peggy Kenner</b>	Wellness Nurse

### Board Members

Cecil Brown, Judge David Burnett,  
David King, Bruce Young, Beth Fitzgerald,  
Helen Milam, Roger Oldham, Bob Ramey,  
Janet Robertson, Bill Sullivan,  
Glen Whitener, Pastor Mike Wey

### Board of Directors

<b>President</b>	Pastor Mike Wey
<b>Vice President</b>	Janet Robertson
<b>Secretary/Treasurer</b>	Roger Oldham
<b>Finance Chairman</b>	Bob Ramey

**Westminster Village** of the Mid-South  
Active Adult Community

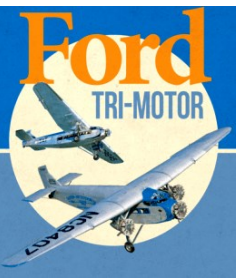
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Blytheville, AR 72315  
(870) 532-4100

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# Village Voice June 2019



## Sun

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## Sat



	<b>Go</b> <b>Westminster Village</b> <b>Relay for Life Team!</b>	CH = Craft Hut RC = Ramey Center BAFB = Blytheville Air Force Base	<b>May 30</b>	9 AM Exercise Class RC 10 AM Coffee NEA Queens Vietnam Wall Memorial & Lunch  Wellness Clinic 10 - 11:45 AM 12 noon Stretch & Stress Relief -RC 1 - 4:30 VA in the Library 4PM - Billiards - RC	<b>May 31</b>  5 PM Hamburgers & Hot Dogs at the Ramey Center.	<b>1</b> <b>Relay for Life</b> <b>6 to 9 PM</b> <b>Downtown pg 2</b>
<b>2</b>	<b>3</b> 9 AM Exercise Class RC 10 AM Prayer Group Wellness Clinic 10 - 11:45 AM 12 noon Stretch & Stress Relief -RC 5:30 Tops	<b>4</b>  4 PM - Billiards RC 6 pm Canasta RC	<b>5</b>  11 AM Popeye's Chicken	<b>6</b> 9 AM Exercise Class RC 10 AM Coffee  Wellness Clinic 10 - 11:45 AM 12 noon Stretch & Stress Relief -RC 1 - 4:30 VA in the Library 4PM - Men's Billiards - RC	<b>7</b>  5:30 PM Line Dancing RC 6 PM Mexican Train Dominoes RC	<b>8</b>  <b>Dirty Bingo</b> <b>2:30 PM - RC</b>
<b>9</b>	<b>10</b> 9 AM Exercise Class RC 10 AM Prayer Group Wellness Clinic 10 - 11:45 AM 12 noon Stretch & Stress Relief -RC 5:30 Tops	<b>11</b> Southland Casino Deadline 12 noon to sign up!  4 PM - Billiards RC	<b>12</b>  11 AM Kennett Dairy Queen & Aldi's  2 PM Book Club RC pg 6	<b>13</b> 9 AM Exercise Class RC 10 AM Coffee Activity Meeting  Wellness Clinic 10 - 11:45 AM 12 noon Stretch & Stress Relief -RC 1 - 4:30 VA in the Library 4PM - Billiards - RC	<b>14</b>  10:30 AM Ron's Catfish Jonesboro  5:30 PM Line Dancing RC 6 PM Mexican Train Dominoes RC	<b>15</b>  10 AM WOW Breakfast meeting RC pg 6
<b>16</b> <b>Fathers</b> <b>Day</b>	<b>17</b> 9 AM Exercise Class RC 10 AM Prayer Group Wellness Clinic 10 - 11:45 AM 12 noon Stretch & Stress Relief -RC 5:30 Tops	<b>18</b> 1 PM Advisory Meeting 3:00 Birthday Move In BINGO Party -RC pg 7 4 PM - Billiards RC 6 pm Canasta RC 	<b>19</b> 10:00 AM Boomtown Buffett & Shopping 	<b>20</b> 9 AM Exercise Class RC Kendra - BUNCO  Wellness Clinic 10 - 11:45 AM 12 noon Stretch & Stress Relief -RC 2 PM Board Meeting -RC 1 - 4:30 VA in the Library 	<b>21</b> 2 PM Crafty Ones CH  5:30 PM Line Dancing RC 6 PM Mexican Train Dominoes RC  4 to 6 pm Ice Cream Social at the BAFB Tower pg 7	<b>22</b>  <b>Dirty Bingo</b> <b>2:30 PM - RC</b>
<b>23</b>	<b>24</b> 9 AM Exercise Class RC 10 AM Prayer Group Wellness Clinic 10 - 11:45 AM 12 noon Stretch & Stress Relief -RC 5:30 Tops	<b>25</b> Southland Casino 9 AM pg 2  4 PM - Billiards RC	<b>26</b>  10:30 AM Las Brisa's	<b>27</b> 9 AM Exercise Class RC 10 AM Coffee  Wellness Clinic 10 - 11:45 AM 12 noon Stretch & Stress Relief -RC 1 - 4:30 VA in the Library 4PM - Billiards - RC	<b>28</b>  5:30 PM Line Dancing RC 6 PM Mexican Train Dominoes RC	<b>29</b>  BAFB Fly-In & Air Show 7 AM to Noon ~ Noon to 4 PM Arkansas Aero Plex
<b>30</b>						