



THE VILLAGE VIEWS



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"Winter's Breeze" by Gary Barton



EVENTS THIS WEEK

New Year's Eve Celebration

Tuesday, December 31, 6:30 p.m.-12:30 a.m., CC
Join us for a New Year's Eve celebration at the Conference Center. Bar service starts at 6:30 p.m. with à la carte dinner service from 7 to 9:30 p.m. Bring a neighbor and a board game and stick around after dinner for a chocolate buffet from 10 to midnight. End the night with fireworks over Lake Aspen. Go to www.innsbrook-resort.com/events/new-years-eve for more information and the full menu. Reservations required. Ext. 0.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Condominium Owners' Meeting

Saturday, January 25, 9-10 a.m., CC
Please join us at the annual Condominium Owners' Meeting. The meeting for those participating in the Rental Program will immediately follow. All are invited to attend.

Assessment Survey Closing Soon

The annual assessment survey for Innsbrook property owners is open online at:

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/2013IBKsurvey>

Both the Innsbrook Corporation and the Property Owners' Association study the results carefully and incorporate your ideas and ratings into our future plans. We study every comment and suggestion to gain insight into how to make Innsbrook better. And we call you back, when requested, to respond to your questions and comments. The survey will close on December 31, 2013.

If you would like a paper survey mailed to you, please email Karen at Karen.Denson@innsbrook-resort.com or call ext. 180.

Village Views Schedule Change

Starting in January and until the end of March, *The Village Views* will be published every OTHER week. This means that in January, there will be a newsletter published on the 2nd, 16th and 30th. For the most up-to-date news throughout that time, and as always throughout each year, visit www.innsbrook-resort.com/property-owners/news and follow us on Facebook at www.facebook.com/InnsbrookResort.

INNSBROOK NEWS

Snow Removal - Sign Up TODAY

Get your name on the list now for full-season snow removal service for your driveway (automatic snow clearing with snowfalls of 3"/\$40 per service). All property owners wishing to sign up for snow removal must also sign a waiver, found online at

www.innsbrook-resort.com/property-owners/forms, before they are considered to be officially on the list. Call ext. 180 to sign up.

Lakes Lowered

The lowering of Lake Aspen for maintenance began this month. While Lake Aspen and Lake Lucern are low, it's a good time for dock maintenance, sea wall repair and shore line work. Please call Keith Thompson at ext. 177 or email keith.thompson@innsbrook-resort.com for more information about sea wall maintenance and repair.

Innsbrook's Little Red Library

Stop by the Innsbrook Library to pick up a good winter read! The Library is located by the Stables in the little red shed next to the Farmhouse. There are plenty of great titles to check out or you can donate books that you would like to share with others. And now, due to popular demand, audio books are available.

Recycling Notice

When collecting your recycling, please put all your loose paper into trash bags before placing it into the recycling bins. There has been a lot of paper blowing out of the recycling truck as it moves through the community due to loose paper.

Order a Custom Lot Sign

Show your Innsbrook pride by ordering a custom lot sign for your property. The green and white signs that display your lot number have the same design as Innsbrook street signs, featuring the Innsbrook crest. Signs are \$50 each, or \$75 for sign and stand, and measure 12" x 8". Call Karen at ext. 180 to order your sign today. We will call you when your sign is ready.

Comment On Reifsnider Forest Management

The Missouri Department of Conservation is seeking comments about the proposed 10-year management plan for Reifsnider State Forest, located just west of Innsbrook on Schuetzenground Road. View the plan, which includes a link for supplying comments, at www.mdc.mo.gov/areaplans. The public comment period close Dec. 31. Conservation Area Management Plans focus on natural resource management and public use on conservation areas.

IBK CLASSIFIED ADS

Wanted: Gas powered golf cart in good condition. Contact Brian at (314) 580-7233. 12/26

Remodeling Sale: White 13-cubic-foot Frigidaire refrigerator, purchased last Memorial Day weekend - \$200; green and tan sofa and love seat - \$50; table and 6 chairs/natural finish - \$50. Call Claud: 618-210-5479. 12/19

Free: 9-ft. artificial Christmas tree. 636-791-2020. 12/12

Buying and Selling: Lionel Trains and accessories. Contact Chuck at 636-745-9463. 12/12

For Sale: Boyds Bear Collection: 14 medium-large bears, 30 small bears. Including limited edition, retired, Christmas, collectors value guide and seven accessories. Call 314-941-3775 to make an offer. 12/5

For Sale: Precious Moments Collection: 25 figurines, 4 collectables and the nativity set. Additional items to the nativity include: camel, cow, donkey, and nativity cart. Call 314-941-3775 to make an offer. 12/5

Open to all property owners; items can be for sale or trade. Ads for autos, services, real estate prohibited. 35 word limit including contact name and number. Items are posted for 4 weeks. Deadline for submission of ads is the Monday before publishing date. To place an ad, call 636-745-3000 ext. 180 or send an e-mail to news@innsbrook-resort.com. Innsbrook reserves right to edit or deny material submitted and takes no responsibility for the accuracy of ads. Limit 4 ads per person per week.

INNSBROOK CLUBS

Monday Night Bible Study

The Monday night Bible study has stopped until January 6. On January 6 and 13 it will be held at Susan and Jerry Abernathy's home at 465 Foxfire Crossing. Call 636-745-7943 with questions. On January 20 and 27, Bible study will be at the Hachtel's at 475 Fairway View.

Log Cabin

Restoration work on the log cabin has been suspended until the new year.

Patriot Packages

Last week Patriot Packages shipped 300 dozen home-made cookies to our young men and women in war zones. Our hope is, with this small bit of home, it will warm their hearts and make the Holidays less lonely. We thank all the wonderful, giving Angels that helped with this project. Our soldiers are not forgotten. We will resume our packing mission in March.

Have a club that you'd like included? Call 636-745-3000 ext. 180.

NATURE NOTE



Bird Vision

Birds of prey probably see better than any other living creature. They can see as much as eight times better than we can. Owls can find mice in light 10 to 100 times dimmer than that needed by the human eye.

A bird's eyes often outweigh its brain and produce large images in sharp detail. Some birds' eyes are also capable of instantaneous shifts of focus, essential to birds that hunt while flying at great speed, as well as those that hunt flying prey.

A predatory bird's eyes are on the front of its face, which lets it focus both eyes on one object, called "binocular" vision. This enables the bird to determine the size of an object and its distance. Most birds have eyes on the sides of their heads, letting them see different things with each eye. This "monocular" vision allows birds to scan two large areas.

Birds not only see well, they see in color.

This Nature Note is provided by the Missouri Department of Conservation.

VILLAGE NEWS

Upcoming events at the Village Hall, 1835 Hwy. F

Planning and Zoning Meeting

Wednesday, January 8, 7 p.m.

Board of Trustees Meeting

Tuesday, January 14, 9 a.m.

Candidate Filing

Candidate filing for the Board of Trustees continues until Tuesday, January 21 at 5 p.m. at the Village Hall. Qualifications for Trustee are: 21 years of age or older, citizen of the U.S., resident for at least one year preceding the election, and qualified voter of the Village of Innsbrook. Election Day is April 8, 2014.

INSTITUTE NEWS

Looking for the perfect gift? A gift of music from the Institute is never the wrong size or color, it's always exactly right. Contact the Institute to purchase the gift of music at 636-928-3366, ext. 218.

Smith House Concert

Sunday, March 9, 2014, 3 p.m., Smith Home, 3414 Hawthorne Blvd., St. Louis, MO, 63104

This house concert, at the Compton Heights home of Ken and Marjorie Smith, will feature Innsbrook Institute Artistic Director David Halen. The event includes hors d'oeuvres and beverages. \$50 per person - Only 25 spots remain.

Custom Box-Making Workshop and Lunch

Friday, May 2, 2014, 10 a.m.-4 p.m., Buschman Home, 500 Woodlake Dr., Innsbrook

Participants will learn the principles of hand-constructing decorative boxes and will make both paper and board boxes with lids. This day of creativity includes home-baked treats and lunch at the Innsbrook home of Larry and Linda Buschman. Class fee includes all necessary supplies; attendees are encouraged to bring decorative papers and accessories to personalize their boxes. \$100 per person - Only 6 spots remain.

Innsbrook Institute Presents:
Stephanie Trick and Paolo Alderighi
Saturday, January 18, 2014, 6:30 p.m.
College United Methodist Church, Warrenton, MO



General Admission- \$25
Preferred Seating- \$35

Tickets may be purchased by calling ext. 218
or online at

www.innsbrookinstitute.tix.com

GOLF NEWS

Cool Season Rates Now Available

There's still plenty of great golf weather ahead! With our Cool Season Rates, effective now, you can save up to \$20 per person on weekends and up to \$13 per person on weekdays compared to our Regular Season Rates. Call the pro shop at ext. 203 or visit us online at www.innsbrook-resort.com/golf/events for more information.

Join the Tuesday Senior Scramble

Men and women age 50 and over are invited to join our two-person senior scramble. Singles will be matched up. \$25 per person, seniors receive 18 holes of golf with cart. Players should plan to be at the Pro Shop at least 30 minutes prior to start time. No advance sign up. Contact golf@innsbrook-resort.com or ext. 203 for details.

Winter Golf Closure Policy

Pro Shop and Golf Course hours/status varies November-March based on weather/ground conditions, whether there are advanced tee times or not, and the day of the week. Advanced reservations are required; please call ahead to make sure the course/pro shop are open before driving out. The course is subject to being closed on weekends if conditions don't favor play and there are no advanced tee times by Friday afternoon. In order to secure updated information on the course/pro shop status, please contact:

1. The pro shop at 636-928-6886, ext. 203
2. www.innsbrook-resort.com/golf/news
3. Director of Golf Mark Waltman:
 - Pro shop, 636-928-6886, ext. 206
 - Cell phone, 314-306-4821
 - Email, golf@innsbrook-resort.com

Visit us online at www.innsbrook-resort.com/golf to get details on all our golf programs, book tee times and learn about golf events.

One-Year Birdie Passes

New for 2014, Innsbrook Resort Golf Course is offering one-year Birdie Passes. For as low as only \$149 plus tax, you can play through December 31, 2014 with **no greens fees!**

5-Day Membership <i>Monday-Friday, anytime</i>	\$149/yr. plus tax
6-Day Membership <i>Monday-Friday, and after 3 p.m. on Saturday, Sunday and Holidays</i>	\$199/yr. plus tax
7-Day Membership <i>7 days a week, Monday-Sunday and Holidays</i>	\$249/yr. plus tax

For questions or to sign up, call ext. 203 or email golf@innsbrook-resort.com.

HANNEKEN'S SPECIALS

Friday-Saturday Special

Stuffed Chicken Breast - \$14.95.

Marinated boneless chicken breast stuffed with apples, almonds, cranberry, and cornbread dressing baked and topped with a chardonnay citrus butter served with mashed potatoes and daily vegetable, includes our choice of soup or salad.

HOURS OF OPERATION ☎ CALL 636-928-3366 or 636-745-3000 plus ext. listed

Prop. Mgmt. Bldg.	☎ ext. 180 Monday 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. Tuesday 9 a.m. - Noon Wednesday Closed Thursday-Friday 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.	Main Gate	Manned 24-hrs./day ☎ ext. 400
Conference Center <i>Note: Hours extended based on business.</i>	☎ ext. 0 Sunday - Thursday 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. Friday and Saturday 8 a.m. - 7 p.m. <i>Closed December 26 for the holidays</i>	West Gate	☎ ext. 401 Manned Friday-Monday 8 a.m. - 4 p.m. 24-hour key fob/card access
Gift Shop	☎ ext. 0 Same as Conference Center — <i>see above</i>	Hanneken's Restaurant	☎ ext. 207 Monday - Tuesday Closed Wednesday-Thursday 11 a.m. - 3 p.m. Friday-Saturday 11 a.m. - 8 p.m. Sunday 8 a.m. - 3 p.m. Now serving breakfast until 12 p.m. on Saturday and Sunday <i>Closed December 26 for the holidays</i>
Swimming Pool	☎ ext. 0 Closed for the season	Hanneken's Bar	☎ ext. 209 Monday-Tuesday Closed Wednesday-Sunday Open daily at 9 a.m. <i>(Based on winter weather and course play)</i> <i>Bar Menu: hot dogs, hamburgers, brats, snacks and breakfast sandwiches</i> <i>Closed December 26 for the holidays</i>
Fitness Center	☎ ext. 600 Daily 5 a.m. - 10 p.m.	Golf Course/Pro Shop	Varies; please see Winter Golf Closure Policy above
Innsbrook Institute	☎ ext. 218 Monday, Wednesday, Friday 10 a.m. - 3 p.m.		
Country Market	☎ ext. 333 Closed for the season		