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EVENTS THIS WEEK

First Adopt-a-Highway of the Year

Friday, March 27, 3 p.m., PMB

Help us spruce up the highway for spring! Remember to bring your gloves. There will be a fish fry after the cleanup. Bring your friends! Ext. 180.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Big Trash: You Got It, We Want It

Saturday and Sunday, April 4-5, All Day, PMB

Do you have big, ugly trash like broken-down appliances, worn-out mattresses, and outdated furniture? We'll take it! We can only accept items from your property here at Innsbrook so get that spring cleanup underway! We cannot accept items that require special disposal (i.e. oil). Remember, bulky trash is never permitted in the dumpsters at the Innsbrook trash depots. Ext. 163.

Easter Egg Hunt

Saturday, April 4, 11 a.m., FH

Bring your family out for our annual Easter Egg Hunt and meet the Easter Bunny (hunt will be held rain, mud, or shine). The Easter Egg Hunt will start at 11 a.m. sharp. Kids will be divided into three age groups: ages 4 and under, 5 to 9, and 10 and up. To make sure everyone has a good time, we are asking that children collect 10 eggs. Ext. 180.

Camp Innsbrook: Easter Activities & Games

Saturday, April 4, Following Easter Egg Hunt, FH

At this Camp Innsbrook, there will be activities, games, and prizes after the Easter Egg Hunt. Kids can fill out a card by participating in games and every filled card is a chance to win! Prizes will be drawn at 12:15 p.m. and you must be present to win. Games will be canceled if it rains. Ext. 180.

Catholic Service

Sunday, April 5, 9 a.m., FH

Protestant Service

Sunday, April 5, 10 a.m., HC

Easter Grand Buffet with the Easter Bunny

Sunday, April 5, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., AC

Join us for a memorable Easter Sunday with family and friends, great food and the one-and-only Easter Bunny! Our buffet dinner is \$26 per person for adults and \$10 for children ages 4-12. Ages 3 and under eat free. The menu includes an omelet station, carved ham and slow roast pork loin, chicken marsala, biscuits and gravy, mac and cheese and more! See the full menu at www.innsbrook-resort.com/dining/events. Reservations are required. Private dining rooms are also available; please call for pricing and reservations. Ext. 0.



Fishing Tournament

Saturday, April 11, 6:30 a.m., FH

Meet at the Oh'Fisnal Scale for our annual tournament. Trophies awarded. Free to all. Rules and Regulations: The tournament will begin at 6:30 a.m. Alpine Lake will be closed for fishing. This is a two-person bass tournament; ten bass 12" or larger. Kids can catch any size and type of fish. Weigh-in will take place at the Oh'Fisnal Scale at the Farmhouse at noon sharp. Trophies will be awarded after weigh-in. Questions? Call Jeff at ext. 193.

Historical Society Porch Music Series:

Sperrang Fiddlers

Saturday, April 18, 2 p.m., LC

Take in the colonial sounds of the Sperrang Fiddlers from the Lindbergh School District on a beautiful spring afternoon at the historic log cabin. Bring your lawn chairs, blankets and coolers for a wonderful show! FREE.

www.innsbrookhistoricalsociety.org

INSTITUTE NEWS

Mark your calendars for the 15th Anniversary Season of the Innsbrook Institute Summer Music Academy and Festival: **June 5-13, 2015!** There are numerous ways you may participate:

1. Donate your condo, chalet or home for student or artist housing, or for student practice space.
2. Volunteer in the Institute office, at the Box Office, as an usher, or provide snacks for students. (Housing sponsors and volunteers receive complimentary concert tickets!)
3. Become a sponsor. Sponsor benefits include early seating selection and fundraiser selection.

For information on how you can be involved, contact the Institute office at 636-928-3366 ext. 218 or at info@innsbrookinstitute.org.

INNSBROOK NEWS

Construction Updates

New Amenity Complex:

As spring and summer draw near, we want to update you on what is happening at Innsbrook. It is with heavy hearts that we announce that the pool will not be open this summer season. The main contributors to the delay have been weather, permitting and design.

Certain new processes implemented by applicable government agencies have made it clear to us that we need additional approvals to move forward with this project, and until we get that approval we cannot proceed. We have never run into this issue before..... and it came as a total surprise.

While waiting for the weather and permitting issues to be resolved, we have been able to take that additional time to further improve the design of the facility.

What do we need to start construction?

- Cooperative weather
- Approved permits
- Finalized designs

Once these conditions are met, we are confident that the pool facility will be on a six month construction schedule. We will keep you informed of the progress on our website and again in the spring *Innsight* newsletter.

We only have one chance to get this right and we are committed to making it the best it can be for our property owners.

We will continue to post regular updates on the progress at www.innsbrook-resort.com/property-owners/amenity-complex. Contact information@innsbrook-resort.com with questions and comments.

Another Boating Season is Almost Here!

Starting Wednesday, April 1, boats can be back on Innsbrook shores and beaches. Need help getting your boat out of storage? Call ext. 163.

2015 Stickers Need to Be On Your Car Now

The deadline to have 2015 car stickers on your windshield was March 1. Any property owner passing through the gate with a 2014 sticker will be stopped, asked to remove the old sticker, and be issued a one-day guest pass. Property owners who are discovered going through unmanned gates with old stickers or without stickers will have their key card deactivated. Thank you for your cooperation in helping to keep Innsbrook secure! Ext. 180.

Flex Your Green Thumb with a Garden Plot!

There are a limited number of plots available in the Innsbrook Community Garden. Plots are 10' x 15' and are priced at \$60 per plot. A one-time fee of \$60 is also assessed to new gardeners. Call ext. 180 to sign up.

The Grass is Growing

Spring is here and Innsbrook Services wants to remind you to contact them when you're ready to have your grass and other lawn services started for the season. Ext. 150.

Lose Something?

Innsbrook has a Lost and Found box at the Property Management Building. Next time you find yourself missing something you think you lost at Innsbrook, call ext. 180 to see if it was turned in.

Pest Control Services

Innsbrook Services is happy to announce that, due to customer demand, we are adding pest control services to our list of professional services offered to property owners! For homes occupied full time, we recommend spring and fall treatments. For seasonal homes and chalets, we suggest an additional summertime tune-up. Additional treatments are available on an as-needed/requested basis. Please call for a free estimate. Ext. 191.

The Retail Center is Stocked and Ready!



The retail center located just inside the doors of the Aspen Center has reopened and is stocked with firewood, homemade jams and apple butter, hat and T-shirt combos and Innsbrook-logoed mugs and glasses. More new merchandise is also on the way! *See page 4 for Aspen Center hours.* Ext. 0.

Summer Workshops

Our kids' Summer Workshops offer special opportunities for Innsbrook kids ages 6 (graduated kindergarten) through 15. Workshop themes include Minecraft, tennis and zombies! Register and find out more on our website at www.innsbrook-resort.com/community/kids/workshops. Ext. 180.

Horseback riding camps will also be offered again this June. Camp dates are: June 1-4; June 8-11; June 15-18; June 22-25 and June 29-July 2. Camps run from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. daily. The cost is \$250 per child. \$100 nonrefundable deposit per child required. Ages 6 and up (no adults, please). Ext. 300.

NATURE NOTE



Bluebirds Return

Spring is officially here and the signs of the season are popping up everywhere. The first warm days of February and March send our treasured bluebirds looking for a place to nest. Bluebirds have come to rely on nest boxes specially designed for them. A designer bluebird box has an entrance hole of precisely one and one-half inches in diameter – large enough for bluebirds but too small for most competitors and predators. Bluebirds are about four times as abundant as they were two decades ago, thanks partly to all the folks who have put up bluebird nest boxes. You'll see such boxes throughout Innsbrook, as a dedicated group of volunteers maintain them and monitor the bluebird count throughout the season (*see more on page 4*).

This Nature Note is provided by the Missouri Department of Conservation. Photo taken at Innsbrook by Suz C Marketa Campbell.

IBK CLASSIFIED ADS

For Sale

For Sale: Minn Kota portable Marine Battery Charger, model MK210P. Good Condition. 10 amps total output. Two charging banks. Automatic 3-stage charging. Short circuit and reverse polarity protection. Retailers over \$90. Asking only \$60. Call 636-284-6305. 3/26

For Sale: Minn Kota Endura trolling motor. Runs good. 40 lb thrust. 5 forward and 3 reverse speeds. Transom mount. Lightly used. Asking \$65. Call 636-284-6305. 3/26

For Sale: 7-foot Colorado XT fishing pontoon. Can take a trolling motor. \$300. Call 314-566-4266 or email gjmizzou@gmail.com. 3/26

For Sale: Pelican 5-person pedal boat. Only 7 or 8 years old. Great condition. \$350. Call 314-566-4266 or email gjmizzou@gmail.com. 3/26

For Sale: Ready for bonfires and s'mores? A delivered stack of split and seasoned firewood 3 feet tall by 4 feet long for only \$45. Contact Karl at 314-393-3249 if interested. 3/26

For Sale: 21-foot aluminum canoe plus 2 oars and two life jackets in great shape. \$350. Call Jerry @ 636-293-4045 or email jerry@newlinedirect.com. 3/26

For Sale: 9 foot Christmas tree. Bought from Seasonal Concepts for \$600. Asking \$75. Pictures available. Call Lynda at 314-494-9686 or email Baker0928@charter.net. 3/26

For Sale: Torqueedo 503S. Compact lithium battery and trolling motor. Ideal for fishing or sail boat. Like new. \$1,200. Call Bob at 314-221-6313. 3/26

Moving Sale: Saturday, April 4, 9 a.m.-1 p.m. No early birds! 142 Innsbrook View Dr. Leaving 20 years at chalet. Limited parking. 314-265-5947. 3/26

For Sale: Everstar portable AC unit. Home Depot \$400. Asking \$100. Brand new Stihl weed eater FS40C Model. \$100. Call 314-265-5947. 3/26

For Sale: Old theater chair; wooden ironing board; wooden rocking chair; wheelbarrow; wire dog crate; wheelchair; German needlepoint wall hanging; kids' small red wagon; Grafonola record player, plays 70 RPM records; 10-speed bicycle. 636-734-5002. 3/26

For Sale: 1960s memorabilia; Coke and Pepsi memorabilia; Pepsi signs and Pepsi cooler; kids' International Harvester pedal tractor; cowboy boots; round wooden table with four matching chairs; lamps; baseball cards and Cardinals memorabilia; and much much more. 636-734-5002. 3/26

For Sale: Wilson Women's Starter Golf Club set and Bag - 8 Irons - 3 Drivers - 1 Miami Dolphins Cover - No Putter. \$50 OBO. Can email Pic. Matt 636-675-9313 or mjn800@hotmail.com. 3/12

For Sale: Primo Top-Load Water Dispenser Model 900128. Primo White Water Dispenser accepts all 3 and 5 gallon bottles. \$25 OBO. Can email pic. Matt 636-675-9313 or mjn800@hotmail.com. 3/12

For Sale: 16-foot pontoon boat. Needs work. \$2,000. 314-313-3412. 3/12

For Sale: Folding 3-person Porta-Bote (boat) 10' 8", like NEW \$1,000. Honda Smart Drive lawn mower, electric start, like NEW: \$350. ACCO Rexel Cross Cut, industrial 14-sheet capacity shredder: \$350. Call Ken Winn: 314-431-4818. 2/12

Wanted

Wanted: 16-foot pontoon boat. Call Ed at 573-470-5981. 3/26

Wanted: Twin beds excellent condition, seldom used. Call 636-745-3460. 3/26

Wanted: Flatbed trailer. Call Carolyn at 314-401-5999. 3/12

Wanted: Interested in a Pontoon (larger size) and Lily Pad (or other brand)... Please send pics of boat and information to jstertzbach@gmail.com or call Jessica at 740-334-1810. 3/12

Wanted: Golf cart. Call Bill at 636-248-5625. 2/26

Wanted: Old watches for new hobby - will pay \$ for old mechanical wrist watches - working or not - prefer men's. Please - no Timex or battery/Quartz models. Call Jim Teeple at 636-745-0708 or cell: 314-914-6041. 2/12

Buying and Selling: Lionel Trains and accessories. Contact Chuck at 636-745-9463. 2/12

Open to all property owners; items can be for sale or trade. Ads for autos, services, and 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. Innsbrook does not endorse these ads and takes no responsibility for their content or accuracy. Limit 4 ads per person per week.

PLANT PROFILE

Lady's Mantle - "*Alchemilla mollis*"

Easily grown in average, medium moisture, with well-drained soils in full sun to part shade, but tolerates close to full shade. Prefers part afternoon shade in hot summer climates. Performs well in moist garden areas. Freely self-seeds in the garden to the point of being somewhat invasive in optimum growing conditions. Prompt removal of spent flower stems will not only prevent self-seeding but may also encourage a sparse, late summer re-bloom. Divide plants as needed. In hot summer climates such as St. Louis, Lady's Mantle leaves may scorch in full sun exposures or if soils are permitted to dry out.

Type: Herbaceous perennial

Family: Rosaceae

Native Range: Eastern Carpathians, Caucasus

Zone: 3 to 8

Height: 1.00 to 1.50 feet

Spread: 1.50 to 2.50 feet

Bloom Time: June

Bloom Description: Chartreuse

Sun: Full sun to part shade

Water: Medium

Maintenance: Medium

Flower: Showy, Good Cut, Good Dried

Leaf: Colorful

Tolerate: Rabbit, Deer



This plant is yet untested by the Innsbrook Garden Club. I ran across it in Wisconsin where the deer did not bother it. The leaves are fuzzy and deer usually do not nibble them. The research says it is deer resistant and may be grown in full sun or partial shade.

Have you noticed any first signs of spring yet? As you dream of spring planting, remember the VIGC Spring Plant Sale is on **Saturday, May 9**, and will be our major fundraiser this year.-
Lynn Laws, Innsbrook Garden Club President

GOLF NEWS

Ladies Golf Luncheon

Thursday, March 26, noon, AC

Please RSVP to Jul Thompson at julnreg930@centurytel.net by **March 18**. Questions? Call Madonna Laws: 314-574-4138.

Opening Day Golf Tournament

Saturday, April 11, 4 p.m. shotgun start, GC

Join us as we celebrate the opening of our new Pro Shop and the upcoming home opener for the St. Louis Cardinals! For this 9-hole event, our course will be converted into a Par 3 course. There will be some short par 3s and others that are a bit longer, but on all of them players will be teeing off from some interesting locations! Space is limited so call the Pro Shop at ext. 203 to sign up today. Details for the event are:

- 4-person shamble; 3 best ball of the 4
- Baseball-themed buffet included following play
- Results and prizes during dinner
- \$35 per player for Innsbrook property owners
- \$40 per player for non-property owners

2015 Annual Golf Passes – It's Not Too Late!

Get your Annual Golf Pass soon to get the most bang for your buck! We have three options to choose from this year: Birdie Pass; Season Pass; and Weekday Season Pass. There are a limited number of passes available in each category. Go to www.innsbrook-resort.com/golf/passes for more information. Purchase your Annual or Birdie Pass at the Pro Shop or by calling ext. 203.

INNSBROOK CLUBS

Innsbrook Bluebird Monitors Update Nesting Boxes

Thanks to the generosity of the Innsbrook Garden Club and some wood scraps from the Innsbrook Log Cabin renovation, almost a fourth of the bluebird nesting boxes that are monitored weekly in Innsbrook will be replaced this spring. A dozen Innsbrook property owners monitor 106 bluebird nesting boxes throughout our community on a weekly basis during bluebird nesting season, which starts soon. The project was started almost 20 years ago by the late Dr. Bob Clark, who also founded the Innsbrook Garden Club. Over that time, we have fledged over 6,000 bluebirds. Many of the original nesting boxes needed replacement.

Over the winter, a team of the monitors got together and built 25 new boxes, which will be installed in time for the start of bluebird nesting season. The design of our nesting boxes has evolved over many years to not only provide good shelter for the birds, but to be easy for the monitors to check and clean.

Garden Club Spring Membership Meeting

The Innsbrook Garden Club invites all members and perspective members to their Spring Membership Meeting on Friday, April 17 at 10 a.m. at the Aspen Center. Our guest speaker will be Leslie Limberg speaking on "Low Maintenance Shade Gardening". Membership dues of \$20/family may be paid at that time. Please RSVP to Shirley at 636-745-0088 or saritsema@gmail.com.

Please note that this is a property owner-run and organized club. If you have club news you'd like to share, call ext. 180 or email information@innsbrook-resort.com.

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

Main Gate	☎ ext. 400 Manned 24-hrs./day	Guest Services	☎ ext. 0 Monday - Thursday 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. Friday & Saturday 8 a.m. - 6 p.m. Sunday 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.
West Gate	☎ ext. 401 Manned Friday - Monday 8 a.m. - 4 p.m. 24-hour key fob/card access	Country Market	☎ ext. 333 CLOSED for the season.
Prop. Mgmt. Bldg.	☎ ext. 180 Monday - Friday 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.	Golf Course/Pro Shop	☎ ext. 203 Daily 9 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Foxfire Room at the Aspen Center, through March 31	☎ ext. 0 Monday - Tuesday CLOSED Wednesday - Thursday 11 a.m. - 3 p.m. Friday - Saturday 11 a.m. - 9 p.m. Sunday 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.*	Clubhouse Bar and Grille	☎ ext. 207 CLOSED for Renovations
Foxfire Room at the Aspen Center, beginning April 1	☎ ext. 0 Monday CLOSED Tuesday 11 a.m - 3 p.m. Wednesday - Thursday 11 a.m. - 9 p.m. Friday - Saturday 11 a.m. - 9:30 p.m. Sunday 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.* *Breakfast from 9 a.m. - noon.	Fitness Center	☎ ext. 600 Daily 5 a.m. - 10 p.m. <i>Rentals upon request at Guest Services desk.</i>
		Innsbrook Institute	☎ ext. 218 Monday, Wednesday, Friday 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.
		Village Hall	☎ 636-745-8844 Tuesday - Thursday 8 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.