Ivy Hill Homeowner's Association Newsletter

September 2020



Banner Photo by Bill Hite

IHHA President's Message

Are you starting to feel like the young runner in the banner photo above? I sure do. We have been down a long road this year, but there is still a long road ahead of us. The end of Summer is coming. It has been an unusually warm, humid, and rainy season. Now school is starting amid the COVID-19 pandemic.

Brian and Vickie Runk attended the August meeting of the IHHA Board of Directors to answer our questions. Some of their responses that you may find interesting include:

- Ivy lake remains closed, except to those who have property on the lake. This is due to both
 the virus and continuing problems with non-Ivy Hill trespassers. Runk & Pratt remains
 committed to the idea of annual membership-based lake access limited to Ivy Hill residents.
- Runk & Pratt has entered into a partnership with Ron Wise to continue development of the former Grandview Townhome development on the old Ivy Hill airport. The development has been renamed Ivalace by the Greens.
- The proposed senior living center between holes 6 and 7 is no longer in the plans. Instead, an 80-unit senior living center will be constructed on the parcel up at the corner of Perrowville Road and Forest Road behind Runk & Pratt's 30,000 sq ft school of nursing and senior daycare center (formerly Food Lion). The senior living center will have a mix of independent living and assisted living units.
- Runk & Pratt has purchased Corner Burger. It will replace Lee's Garden and the hair salon when those businesses move out of Cavalier Corner in January. Corner Burger will locate a food truck in the Cavalier Corner parking lot in the meantime. All of the other businesses in Cavalier Corner (Mi Patron, Lori's, and the gym) have agreed to renew their leases.
- Runk & Pratt is waiting on the resolution of the COVID-19 pandemic to make any further changes to the clubhouse. They still plan to renovate the second floor into a meeting place.

There are no plans to add a restaurant at this time. However, they will consider holding a once-a-month Sunday brunch there if there is sufficient interest. Vickie Runk would also like to put in a community garden where Ivalace residents could raise vegetables and flowers.

I am sorry to report that Oktoberfest will not be held this year due to the virus. We will try to do it next year.

Please read and review the Ivy Hill Reservations & Restrictions. They can be found on your website ivyhill-forest.org under Planning\Homeowner Association\Ivy Hill\Ivy Hill Restrictions.

Several problems have recently come to the attention of the Board.

- Trailers and RVs continue to be stored for extended periods on various properties, also utility trailers.
- All properties need to be properly maintained and not become a nuisance to adjoining landowners. This includes vacant lots.
- All new construction and major renovations need to be approved by the Architectural Committee before work starts.

There is still time to join the Ivy Hill Homeowners Association (IHHA) for this year. There is a list of those who have joined so far starting on page 5 of this Newsletter. If your name is not on the list, please consider joining the Association. We need everyone to join. See the form on page7 or use one of the alternate methods to pay your dues that are detailed on that page.

Our expenses have not gone down despite the pandemic, if anything they have increased. Plus this year we have to redo the Gazebo roof at the main Ivy Hill entrance.

We held a socially-distanced work party at the Ivy Hill main entrance a few weekends ago. A group of volunteers cut the suckers off all of the trees along the divided entrance, branches that were overhanging the roadways were pruned back, the landscaping along the serpentine wall was cleaned up, and the fallen split-rail fence adjacent to serpentine wall on the in-bound side of the entrance was removed. Thank you to Susan Nicholas & her son, Jeff Wishon, Sandi & Mike Caldwell, Karen Schwabe, and Lew Walton!

I hope you have had a reasonably enjoyable Summer under the circumstances. Please be safe.

Tom Haertel, IHHA President

Ads in the IHHA Newsletter are only \$25 per issue and reach more than 600 Ivy Hill households.

Contact the Editor at:

IvyHillForest@gmail.com



New Neighbors

Please welcome the following new residents to the Ivy Hill community:

- Todd & Daisy Truong 309 Eastwind Dr.
- Suzanne & Beau Conine- 100 Quail Ridge Dr.
- Paul Lautermilch 151 Fairwinds Ct.
- William & Mary Katherine Deal 1036 lvy Pl.
- Kristi & Dennis Shoen 212 Ivy West Ct.
- ZeGuo & YangYan Chen 207 Quail Ridge Dr.
- David Warden 212 Ivy west Ct.
- William & Mary Katherine Deal 1036 Ivy Pl.
- Victoria & Matthew Weaver 106 Trading Block Ln.
- Gary & Linda Todd 204 Shaker Ln.
- Amanda Igata 504 Ivy Lake Dr.
- Kevin & Selena Phillips 1203 Overlake Knoll
- Sarah & Ryan Marano 207 Eastwind Dr.
- James & Kami Scott 205 Persimmon Way
- Marc DeGroat & Ingrid Vargas 109 Deertrack Dr.
- Alyssa & Logan Squiers 319 Quail Ridge Dr.
- Joseph LaVigne & Nancy Seroka 203 Quail Ridge Dr.

If you know of a new resident in Ivy Hill, or a house that has changed hands, please contact the IHHA at IvyHillForest@gmail.com so we can update our database and arrange for them to be greeted.

Ivy Hill Ladies Association

Greetings Ladies of the Ivy Hills.

It looks like this year was the year of one social event; Mardi Gras. And because of the current atmosphere, we will not have a winter get together this year either. Maybe early next year...

There are still some members who haven't paid their dues for this year. Contact Barb Walton if you are one of them. Thank you.

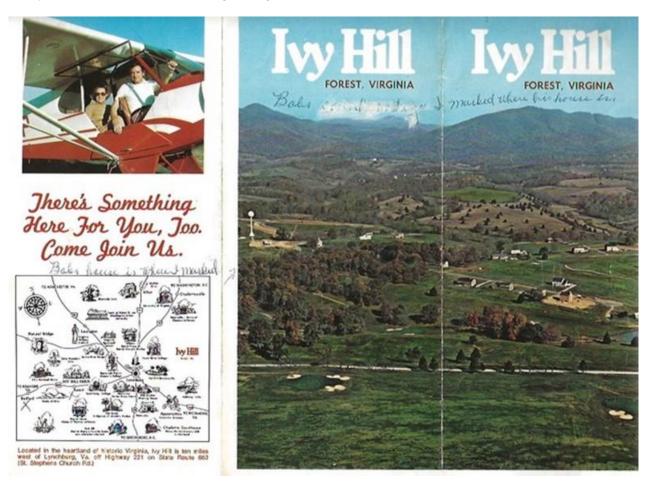
Our fall meeting is happening on Wednesday, October 7 at 4:00 pm at the clubhouse. Weather permitting, we will gather outside as we did for the long-awaited spring meeting. And I will request they take down the umbrellas for all of us, but mostly for dear Karen, who unfortunately got whacked by one in the spring. If the weather turns pesky on us, we can converge in the big room inside.

Cheers and a hug,

Vicki Sharrett, IHLA President

Ivy Hill History

This is a slightly-worn copy of the front side of an early tri-fold flyer advertising the lvy Hill community. The exact date is unknown, but judging from which houses are visible in the arial view and how young the trees were along the golf course, it was probably published before 1980. The couple in the red and white high-wing airplane were Allen & Fern Harvey, the original developers of lvy Hill. Allen was an ex-military pilot who kept a plane here in lvy Hill for many years. The new Ivalace by the Greens townhouse development is being built in part on his former runway. The spectacular arial photo on the right was probably taken either from his plane or by his son-in-law who was also a pilot. The flip side of the flyer also has some interesting vintage photos. We'll feature it in a future Newsletter.



If you have any old photos or interesting historical information about Ivy Hill and the surrounding area that you would like to share with the community, contact the Editor at IvyHillForest@gmail.com

Architectural Committee

If you are planning new construction on a lot that you own in Ivy Hill or major renovations that will change the exterior appearance of your home or property, please contact the Architectural Committee and seek approval before you begin to build. Copies of the Request for Architectural approval form can be found on the Ivy Hill website (ivyhill-forest.org) at Planning/Ivy Hill Architectural Committee.

The Chairman of the Architectural Committee is Rene Koch. He can be reached at <u>renekjr@msn.com</u> or 525-2935.

IHHA Members 2020

The following homeowners joined the Ivy Hill Homeowner's Association and paid their 2020 dues.

Thank you for your support of the community!

David & Barbara Abbott Alen Alejandro Bert & Debby Allen Stephen & Debra Allen Bill & Jennie Allman Larry & Nancy Anderson Juan & Maria Aponte Mike & Debra Apperson Scott Ashman & Angie Power Ashman Diane Austin Dave & Lisa Baggett Don & Teri Baker Heidi Baker & Dustin DeWitt Leslie & Patricia Baker Ken & Dana Ballard Randy & Marion Becker Deborah Benyo Gary & Linda Blair Thomas & Mary Boatner Cleta Bohart Bobby & Ella Bomar Robert & Tonya Bomar Don & Rose Bowman Chad & Allison Brady Richard & Kathleen Brooks Dennis & Linda Brown John & Nevada Brown Lamont & Helen Brown Bryan & Rhonda Buracker John & Bobbie Butler Michael & Sandra Caldwell Louis & Susan Cambeletta Haywood & Laverne Canada **Deborah Cebry** Sally Chen & Hang Liu Ken & Carol Christensen **Bob & Peggy Christmas** Jose Antonio Cintron Sostre & Victoria Maria Ulloa Sardinas Mark & Jaclyn Clement

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Glen & Nickie Gentry Jean & Jacquie Gibson Martin & Laurie Giudice Wayne & Judy Glass Caroline Gooch Barry & Terri Gordon Michael & Karin Gould Russ & Lois Griffin Warren Grout Anthony & JoAnn Gulluscio Bill & Laurie Guzek Tom Haertel Robert & Alison Hall Joshua & Megan Hamilton Phyllis Hart Bob & Brenda Harvey David & Susan Haslet Leslie & Linda Hawthorne Jerry & Rose Heilman Stephen & Dawn Hemeon Calvin & Denise Henning Carol Hinkle Jim & Ann Hite Chris & Morgan Holt Adam & Bridget Houlihan Chris & Julie Huseman Bob & Betty Ann Hyssong Wim & Mary Imron Sandra Jacquemin William & Kathleen Janky Tina Janowyez & Paul Dufilie Roy & Edna Jessee Jim & Karen Johnston Ted & Nancy Jones John & Mary Ann Keith Heidi Kind-Wolf & Karl Wolf Steve & Leegie Kirby Marc & Trenda Kleinman John & Lisa Klingenfus Timothy & Susan Klopfenstein Kay Kominic

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Brian & Christy Stanley

Join the IHHA!

Your financial support is needed to continue the various projects of the Ivy Hill Homeowner's Association.

Your membership of only \$40 per year supports activities such as:

- Landscaping and mowing at entranceways
- Mulching, seeding, pruning, and weed control
- Maintenance of entranceways
- Lighting at the entranceways
- IHHA Newsletter, Ivy Hill Community Directory, IHHA Website, and IHHA Insurance
- Holiday decorations at the entranceways
- Email hot line for lost & found items, wayward pets, and community information & alerts.

We would very much appreciate your support in 2020.

Also, if you do not think that you have received your copy of the 2018-2020 Ivy Hill Directory, check the last box in the form below when you join or send us an email at ivyhillforest@gmail.com. We will be glad to get a copy to you if our records agree.

You can now pay your membership using PayPal. Follow the *IHHA Membership* link under *Planning* at http://ivyhill-forest.org. You may also use the convenient "Bill Pay" feature of your on-line banking to remit your membership payment.

Lastly, your check is always welcome. Fill out the form below and mail it along with your check to the Ivy Hill Homeowner's Association at the address at the bottom.

We would also gladly accept donations in any amount at any time during the year!

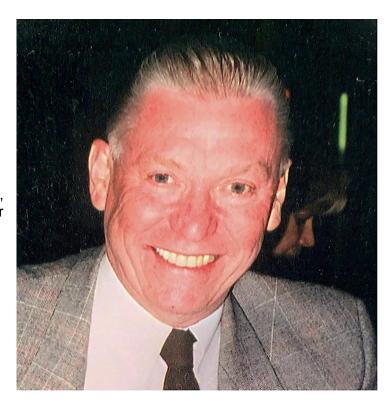
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Ed Schwabe

It is with great sadness that we report the passing of Ed Schwabe. Ed was a long time member of the IHHA Board of Directors and served multiple terms as our President. His many contributions to the Ivy Hill community will be sorely missed. He was a good friend.

There wasn't much that Ed wasn't interested in and he always had all of the necessary equipment for each of his hobbies. These included photography, amateur radio, sailing, boat building & restoration, woodworking, car & truck restoration, high performance engines, fishing, gun collecting, archery, bee keeping, crossword puzzles, drawing, painting, beer brewing, wine making, wood carving, gardening, trains, and coin & stamp collecting. Ed also had a private pilot's license, was an amateur astronomer, and was a Civil War re-enactor. He loved watching movies, reading, playing pool, animals (especially dogs, birds, deer, and possums), and his loving wife of nearly 39 years, Karen Schwabe.



Ed honorably served in the U.S. Navy from 1958 to 1962. He was a successful business man working for Virginia Electric and Power for a couple of years before joining Bell of PA and subsequently AT&T were he worked for almost 30 years before his retirement. He also worked for a couple of communications equipment vendors and did consulting work for Camden County NJ.

Ed was a 32nd degree Mason and former Worshipful Master of Forest Masonic Lodge #245, a member of the Scottish Rite, and Shriners. He was also a past Worthy Patron of the Forest Eastern Star Chapter #143, past president of the Friends of the Forest Library, and a board member of Forest United Methodist Church.

Rest in peace Ed.

Dave Sharrett's Persian Carpets

Dave Sharrett's love affair with Persian carpets began when he was a very young boy living in Baltimore. His grandparents had a room sized Sarouk in their living room they had purchased at McDowell's in Baltimore in the early 1900's and he would run his toy fire engine along the wide borders pretending they were streets. He inherited that Sarouk decades later, in the early 1980's, and his oldest son ran his toy cars along those same borders. His grandparents also had two Hamadan village rugs in their foyer, beautiful sturdy little mats which guests would wipe their shoes on. Those mats, well over 100 years old, are still going strong, covering hardwood floor in their guest bedroom. If you are interested in learning more about this unique interest visit www.jamesriverrug.com.



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