

# Hawaiian Nextdoor Express



## Fall 2019



### Husker Nation is here !! Nebraska Football

#### 2019 Football Schedule

Win	Aug. 31 - S. Alabama	Home
	Sept. 07 - Colorado	Away
Win	Sept. 14 - NIU	Home
	Sept. 21 - Illinois	Away
	Sept. 28 - Ohio State	Home
	Oct. 05 - Northwestern	Home
	Oct. 12 - Minnesota	Away
	Oct. 26 - Indiana	Home
	Nov. 02 - Purdue	Home
	Nov. 16 - Wisconsin	Home
	Nov. 23 - Maryland	Away
	Nov. 29 - Iowa	Home

Check out Platteview Sport schedule at [pfs.springfieldplatteview.org](http://pfs.springfieldplatteview.org)

### HVLA Annual Meeting

Was held on Tuesday, August 6 @ 6:30pm at the Sarpy County Sheriff's office. New HVLA Board members were announced – Rhonda Distefano & Tom Strignez along with yearly business was covered. Minutes are on Nextdoor and the HVLA website.

### HVLA Board Members

- President - Gene Kloewer
- Vice President - Merle Dinslage
- Treasurer - Rich Kuper
- Secretary - Rhonda Distefano
- SID Rep - Tom Strignez



### SID Members -

- 1 Dave Wennstedt - Chair
- 2 Dave Barry - Clerk
- 3 Shellie Zeeb - Trustee
- 4 Kevin Coats - Trustee
- 5 Dick Heideman - Trustee



### Annual Luau Picnic

The LUAU was a HUGE success over at the village beach. We had approximately 200



people who attended who played games, swam, ate **great** fried chicken & all the fixens. Jeff Benson won a split the pot and everyone had a

great time socializing with new and old Villagers. A **BIG** thank you to the Social Committee – Lisa Sleddengs, Jeannie Koziol,



Dagmar Benson, Lynn Schense and Ginger Apprich for organizing the Luau plus all the volunteers who helped set-up, served food, donated items and helped with tear down. The Luau could not be a success without all of the great volunteers!





Watch the Luau on YouTube at:

<https://youtu.be/vzycHdSm3rg>

### Social Committee Activities

Keep your calendars open for the Fall Festival on October 27, Holiday Party on December 7 and Game Night. More info will be provided closer to the activities. Contact Lisa Sleddens at [Sleddens@cox.net](mailto:Sleddens@cox.net) if you are interested in being a committee member or volunteering for an activity.

### Fall Festival

Come and join in on the FUN on October 27<sup>th</sup> from 1:00 to 4:00 at the Gun Club. Dress up in your favorite costume and enjoy painting, crafts, hot dogs, drinks and more. Watch for more details

later this Fall on Nextdoor and marquee.



Good Bye to:

- Tom & Pam Field #89
- Shirley Bruckner #97
- Tim & Dianne Ihry #185

**Ted and Dawn DeTurk**

The Village will miss you spearheading activities here at the lake.

## Village Happenings

### Food Drive for Freya

Jessi & Jeff Michel are hosting a food drive in memory of their daughter, Freya. She passed in March and would be turning 6 months old this month. There is a collection tote on their porch. (8312 Molokai Dr.) LifeHouse will distribute the food during their outreach event on September 28. More info on Nextdoor.

**John & Rita Stites** posted on Nextdoor "Jeremy's morning catch"

**That is one BIG Carp !!**



### Fall Garage Sale

Joanie Fritz took the lead organizing the Village garage sale on September 6, 7 & 8. Dixie Dunn provided a new garage sale sign after the old one could not be found.

**Thank you both !**



### FUN times on the lake



### Book Club

Fall is here making it a good time to curl up and read a book. HV has a monthly book club, so if you like to read or just want to meet some new neighbors, please come join us. The book chosen is Mount Vernon Love Story. We will be meeting at Carol Rath's house, 16607 Ala Moana Cir on Wed Sept 25th at 6:30. We hope you can join us.

### Aloha to New Neighbors:

- Elden & Cindy Hamata – Molokai #89
- Terry & Virginia Clark – Molokai #97
- Jeff & Jessi Michel – Molokai #185

### Ladies Night out at the Lake

Hosted at Vicky Kilgore's house on August 16. Shelly Ekeler – Vicky's sister – helped host the party. Fun was had by all.

### New Beach Dock -

Thank you to Tom Marshall who donated the dock and Gene Klower, David Stangl & other volunteers who helped to get it installed.





## What to Know at the Village ?

- HVLA website is – [hvla.info](http://hvla.info)
- Nextdoor – Village communication site.
- Village Directory – HVLA website

Village information is posted on the website and Nextdoor. Contact the HVLA secretary if you would like to sign up on Nextdoor. Contact Jeannie Koziol to update your info on the directory and Rhonda Distefano for the website.

## Names to know this Fall - Gate Keepers - 2019

Chris Ekeler 402-714-0889  
Tom Strigenz 402-669-0089, Frank Sommer 402-639-6682, Larry Stastny 402-592-0021  
Mark Seip 402-681-2881, Rhonda Seip 402-250-1909, Jeff Stangl 402-305-1838 or 402-778-2320, Bob Shaffer 402-677-1184, Chad Mayland 402-669-0988, Martin Apprich 402-690-3638, Chris Mellott 531-389-1794, Brant Meink 402-301-9392, Dennis Bechtold 402-968-8466, Shelley Ekeler 402-208-0351  
**If you need to put in/take out your boat give them a call. Please call 24 hours in advance.**

## News from the HVLA Board

A *NEW* pavilion is going up at the Village beach. The pavilion will be 24 x 36 feet with a ceiling. What a GREAT addition to our community. Watch for the construction to



begin hopefully this fall. Pine trees are being removed from the beach area and

replacement trees are being considered. Thank you Merle Dinslage, Gene Kloewer, Kevin Coats and others for your hard work.

HVLA minutes on Nextdoor and the website.

Two **new** Board Members were announced  
**Tom Strigenz & Rhonda Distefano**

## News from SID

Meetings are held 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of every month at the Sherriff Office on 84<sup>th</sup> and Platteview. The meeting times may be changing after the first of the year to every other month. Meeting is open to all Hawaiian Village residents.

Annual Budget year is July 1 through June 30.

- 2018/19 Budget year home valuations were \$65,745,672
- 2018/19 tax levy was .36 for our Bond and .30 for General Expenses = total .66/\$100

which brings in approx. \$430,000 to our SID to pay for our Bond payments, sewer plant maintenance, engineering, legal, insurance, trash removal, accounting, repairs to streets, mowing, and electricity for street lights and sewage plant.

Major 2018/19 Activities:

- Called our Series 2012 and 2014 bonds totaling \$2,545,000 with a weighted average interest rate of 4.56% and reissued a new Series 2019 bond at a weighted average interest rate of 3.56%
- Completed the change out of all home water meters and the conversion to Papillion Water. The SID paid for the meters and installation totaling \$86,000.
- Covered the costs of the March flooding issues: Including costs for lake pumping, emergency water from Papillion Water for 5 months up to July cutover, repairs to boat storage area, sewage lift station and plant repairs, levee engineer and evaluations, rip rap and repairs to west lake levee, grading and seeding as well as upcoming costs for repairs to south lake levee. Total cost \$165,000.

Papillion Water contacts:

Nick Adams 319-329-3914

Rich Heydenreich 402-618-7202

Sewer issues & water main and hydrant leaks:  
Peoples Service Matt Wilson 402-689-3450

Names – Email address – Phone Numbers for Board Members located on HVLA website.

**Sarpy County Community Corrections needs plastic bags for service project**

Clients involved with Sarpy County Community Corrections have been making mats out of plastic grocery bags. Once completed, the mats are donated to homeless shelters in the area. Each matt requires 500 bags. Collect your bags and watch for details later where to drop them off on October 27<sup>th</sup>.



**Back on the trail! - Uncle Donn's Dogcare**  
Dog walker "Uncle Donn" is back on the trail! If you walk your puppies around the lake or even if

you don't your puppies will know Donn – The Dog Whisperer ! After a break for medical reasons I am happy to report that he is all good to go,go,go! If you need a puppy sitter call 402-676-8528.

**Wonderful Neighbors in the Village**

With friends Pam and Rich Kuper and Mike and Meaghen Wostoupal's extended family - who were doing a stay vacation - the Johnson's were able to remove their damaged boat dock and move their shore station. The Wostoupal's family wanted to do something for the flood victims during their stay vacation. The project was right next door.



**The Little Library**

The little library has been restocked with new books and puzzles. Thanks to the Dinslage's and Fleischman's for their donates. The little library's one year celebration is November 1st.



\* Stay tuned for a rock painting party for little kids and a book drive at our October 27<sup>th</sup> social function! Thanks for using our little library!

**Everyone Loves a Parade**

Watch the Platteview Homecoming parade at <https://youtu.be/PFI4LVzpQD8>

**We have a Runner at the Lake**

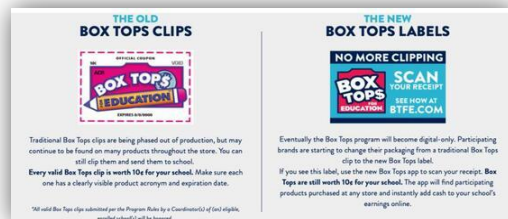
AJ Raszler is a super talented cross country runner who won EVERY cross country race he entered as a seventh grader and won his first one as an 8th grader.



Many people at the lake probably have seen him running around the lake practicing.

**Boxtops for Platteview Central**

Platteview Central collects boxtops all year-- each box top from General Mills is worth \$0.10. If you would like to help support our



local school my class would love to have them. Email me - Arlis Scanlan at [ascanlan@springfieldplatteview.org](mailto:ascanlan@springfieldplatteview.org) and I will pick them up OR you can drop off at my front door. Address is 16502 S 78th Street. General Mills is slowly phasing out the "clipping" of the paper box tops and moving to a digital system where you just scan your grocery receipt and it puts the money directly into our schools account.

**Info and flyer boxes**

Are at the entrance and boat entry gate. Stop and pick up a flyer or the newsletter.



**News for the Marquee or Newsletter**

If you have a special announcement and would like it on the Marquee or have info for the newsletter send your requests to Lynn Schense at [Lakelivingls@aol.com](mailto:Lakelivingls@aol.com) or through Nextdoor.