

Happy Fall to All,

I can't believe that it is already fall and we are having our final bonfires, dinners and celebrations before we all depart for our winter destinations. It seems like every year we talk about how fast the season goes. The fact that we think time has flown just means that we want more time together, which is always a good thing.

This year was definitely the year of activities! I've heard so many comments concerning all of the fun events going on and that there was always something to do. We owe so many thanks to not only those who coordinated events, but to all of the volunteers that made them happen, and those who shared new ideas for activities to come. I can't wait to see what next year brings!

We would also like to thank those who have put their time and energy into the beautification of the park, from landscaping and planting, to cleaning and organizing, along with helping out neighbors with projects and repairs. This is truly an amazing community!

Although it meant saying good-bye to some of our beloved community members as they pursue other adventures in life, we were thrilled to welcome such an array of new owners to our park this year. So many have already made a difference here and we encourage everyone to get involved in something that interests them. We also openly welcome new ideas, so bring it on!

Lastly, I would like to personally thank my fellow board directors for all of the hard work they have put into the park this summer. From keeping us financially solid to keeping us physically functioning, this could not be done without all of their hard work and dedication. I would also like to thank the ones who really run the show, and that would be Joan and Chris, who keep this park functioning and make sure our owners are informed and taken care of. We couldn't do it without you.

I would also like to thank those who have supported me, advised me, informed me, and even disagreed with me during my first few months as your president. I have learned a lot and equally have more to learn. Like you, I am an owner in this wonderful park, and want what is best for all of us. Please feel free to contact myself, or any board member, even if we are all not here in the park, with ideas, suggestions or questions. All communication is welcome. We don't know your concerns if you don't tell us!

As we move into the "off season", please don't forget about one another. As you travel, stop in and visit one another. If you stay in the area, get together with your neighbors and catch up on what's happening in your lives. We may not be a golf cart ride away, but we are still together.

All the best to you in this off season. May you be happy, healthy, and ready for Willow Run 2027!

Warmest Regards!

Lisa Connell

What New is Coming for 2027

We are always looking for suggestions of what you, the owners, would like to improve here in the park. Please Email the Willow Run office (willowrunrv@gmail.com) with your suggestions, ideas, and specifications. Here are some items that are already in the works:

Pool and Bathroom Areas

Installation of changing tables
Benches in women's shower area
Exhaust fans in women shower area
New pumps and Pool Chlorinators
New lounge chairs
Proposed pool manager
Update pool signs
New Whiteboards

Clubhouse

Road and sidewalk repairs
Clean-up and landscaping
New electronic sign for events
New cleaning maintenance
Revision of Kitchen and Clubhouse rental guidelines and fee structure
Volleyball Court clean-up
Suggestion - creating bocci ball courts in horseshoe location

Playground

Ground clean up around equipment
Benches around playground area

Front Office

Possible handicap entrance
New Corkboard for the bulletin boards

Roads

Proposed Special Meeting for Road Repair presentation

Events

Increased budget for musical events
New event - "Singo"
Purchase of a portable wagon for bands/events

Beaches

Improving beach maintenance
Proposal/costs of adding sand to main beach

Wood's Edge Trail

A proposed walking/golf cart trail around the common area on the north side of Turtle Lake.