



Kathy McPeak accepts a thank you certificate for her Avon advertising from several board members after their January meeting. Back Row: John Boy Delaney, Norm Holtz, Tammy Spears. Front Row: Verne Blalack, Kathy, and Ellie Arguimbau. *Photos by Judy*



Jessica Cochrane accepts a certificate for KRC Printing from Judy. Jessica donated several prizes for our fund raising events.



Duane Little presents a thank you certificate to John Hopper following the January board meeting for John's help with real estate and using his heavy equipment.



Peggy Daugherty of the Timbers Roadhouse holds a certificate with her chef, Rachael Vesper. The Timbers Roadhouse donated the taco meat for SVHFH's taco bar at the Golf Scramble Tournament during Pinehurst Days. Peggy made sure that Rachael was acknowledged since she did the actual cooking. ☺

Board of Directors

At their January meeting, the Board of Directors for Silver Valley Fuller Center voted to reinstate the current officers: Mike Humphrey, President; John Delaney; Vice President, Ellie Arguimbau, Secretary; and Tami Atkins, Treasurer.

They set the dates of March 13-14 for their annual Board Retreat.

*Through the Lord's mercies we are not consumed,
because His compassions fail not.*

*They are new every morning;
Great is Your faithfulness.*

*'The Lord is my portion,' says my soul
'Therefore I hope in Him!'*

Lamentations 3:22-24



Wendy accepts a thank you certificate at the Wah Hing Restaurant. For many years, Wah Hings have donated a certificate for our fund raisers: our Annual Walk-A-Thon and our Christmas raffle.

Silver Valley Fuller Center for Housing General Information

Who controls and manages Silver Valley Fuller Center for Housing?

A 12-member Board of Directors manages the local organization. Mike Humphrey is President. John Boy Delaney is Vice President. Ellie Arguimbau is secretary and Tami Atkins is Treasurer. There are 8 standing committees. The following are the Chairpersons; Family Selection, Tami Atkins, Family Nurturing, ???, Site Selection, Duane Little; Construction, ???; Nominating, ???, Public Relations & ??? Fund Raising, ???; Greater Blessings, **Judy Blalack**, and ??? is Grant Writer.

How is the Fuller Center funded?

Funding comes from individuals, churches, corporations, foundations, and other organizations which are moved by concern and compassion to help those in need. Mortgage payments are deposited into a local a fund for new or renovation construction and recycled to build houses for new homeowners. New homeowners are also encouraged to contribute what they can in addition to their monthly house payments so they too can help others have decent housing. Designated monies also go to the Greater Blessings Fund to help existing low income homeowners with repairs. No government funds (either grants or loans) are used for the construction of these houses. Government funds can be used for infrastructure or land *if there are no strings attached*.

How are donations distributed and used?

Donations are distributed as designated by the donor. At the local level, all funds earned in fund raising projects and all donations are tithed 10% to The Fuller Center International unless these moneys are designated to stay in the Silver Valley (including 5% for GB). All gifts received by the international headquarters that are designated for a project, are forwarded to that project. Any undesignated gifts are used where needed, overseas, in the United States, and for administrative expenses.


How can I become a volunteer?

Volunteer information and applications are available from Silver Valley Fuller Center for Housing. We need volunteers to work for a day, a week, a month, a year, or longer. You can help with construction, committees, or office-related work.


How else can I help?

Spread the word! Show a Fuller Center video, raise money, and distribute Fuller Center literature to friends. If you have a question about a certain issue call Silver Valley Fuller Center for Housing at **208-682-3240**, President Mike Humphrey at 208-682-2966, Treasurer Tami Atkins at 208-512-1997, or Secretary Ellie Arguimbau at 208-783-1804. The Silver Valley Fuller Center for Housing's mailing address is P.O. Box 338, Smelterville, ID 83868.

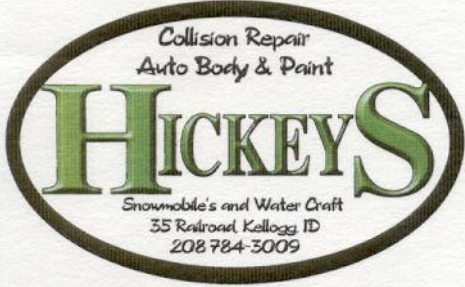
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Coming Events

Feb 11—Board & Committee meeting, 6 PM, Mt. View
Congregational Church, Kellogg
Mar 13—Board Retreat



We are honored that Tami Atkins submitted
a request to US Bank and they responded
for matching employee donations.

Greater Blessings Fund

Judy & Verne Blalack, Scherry Colhoff, Josephine Davis,
Andrew Dawson, Ken & Carolyn Kimpton,
Christina & Josh Mace, Diana Oliver, Joan Zanetti

We are honored to receive these memorials.

*From Judy and Verne Blalack
In Memory of Marvin Lake*

*From Marbie Higbee
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*From Gary and Susan Temby
In Memory of Marvin Lake*



Mike & Ashley Wieser of Dirty Treads Bike & Coffee
House accept their thank you certificate. They donated a
nice prize to use in our 2019 fund raisers.



Christy and Rev. Gene Jacobs of Real Life Ministries
accept a certificate for their church's assistance while the
Fuller Bike Adventurers stayed here and helped with six of
our Greater Blessings projects.

Here's Help for SVFCH . . .

- ❖ I'd like to join the "300 Club" and pledge at least \$10 per month for one year. Please note 300 on your check.
- ❖ Here is my pledge for \$ _____ per month for one year.
- ❖ Here is my gift of \$ _____.
- ❖ I have a house and/or land to donate.
- ❖ I can make a no-interest loan for \$ _____. Please call about working out the details.
- ❖ I can provide construction materials either discounted or at no cost.
- ❖ I would like to help with construction and/or committee work. Please call me to help or send a volunteer form.

- I do not wish to be on your mailing list.
 I do not wish a receipt or thank-you.

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Clint Kunze of Shoshone Mountain Retreat accepts two certificates from Judy Blalack. One is for the supervision of the work and the other is for the Idaho Servant Adventurers—the youth groups who come from all over the US to stay a week at the Retreat and labor on projects (including ours) throughout the Silver Valley.

Construction Update

Work continues on the house we bought to renovate in Smeltonville. Our Construction Supervisor, Shawn Truelove, has been working with our future homeowner, Tabitha Weaser, so she can earn the “sweat equity” needed before she is eligible to buy the house. Roof repair, wallboard installation, painting, and repairing the water line break in the yard are needed projects.



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- ❖ Committee Members (especially for family selection and family partnership)
- ❖ Board Members from Wallace & Mullan
 - ❖ Newsletter Assistant with layout
- ❖ Construction Volunteers and onsite Supervisors
 - ❖ PR Chair
 - ❖ Data Entry Volunteer

As noted in the last newsletter, Verne & I will need to retire as of my 80th birthday in May. I will continue to produce the newsletter for awhile.

It is imperative we do this while able to assist those willing to accept the roles where we have served for so many years. In this, we are being “pro-active” in trying to keep this organization functioning which has made a very positive impact on our community.

Please step up and help. Attached is an organization flow chart to give you some idea of where you can help

Call Judy at 208-682-3240 to volunteer.

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