

SRPOA Board Members

2021-2022



Janet and Michael Kolarik

When our daughter, Annie, graduated from Maryville High School in 2004, Michael began looking for his perfect mountain home. It took a while to find it, but in April 2007, we moved to Saddle Ridge, and we've loved being here ever since. I retired from my career in non-profit management after moving here, and Michael is still enjoying his optometry practice in Maryville. Annie is now chief resident in Family Medicine at UT Medical Center. She lives in Knoxville and will be married to Sam Kershaw in May 2020. We share our home with our two Welsh terriers, Ender and Harper.

--Janet Kolarik
SRPOA President
Board Member since 2017
TEL: 865-805-0348



Dave and Mary Glarner

I was an optician and a single mom when I met my husband Dave, 22 years ago. I eventually went to work managing the office for his company. When he sold the company, we decided to make a big change and left the beaches of Pensacola, FL for the mountains. We bought the property on Waters End in Saddle Ridge 11 years ago and permanently moved up here almost 8 years ago.

--Mary Glarner
SRPOA Vice President
Board Member since 2019
Chair, Communications Committee
TEL: 865-982-3432



Sally Whelan and Family

Tom, my husband, and I have always loved the mountains. After retiring from the accounting business that I had started when my first child was born, Tom and I were both ready for a change. Moving to Saddle Ridge was one of the best decisions we have made. Our adult children think so too.

--Sally Whelan
SRPOA Treasurer
Board Member since 2020
TEL: 508-847-9140



Joan and John Jackson

I moved to Saddle Ridge in 2019 after retiring. I am a South Carolina native. I worked as a Speech-Language Pathologist for 30 years specifically with deaf, blind and deaf-blind children. My hobbies and interests include mountain hiking, walking, cycling on my E-bike, camping, reading and antiquing. My husband, John, and I share our home with our pets which include dogs, a cat and a blue and gold macaw.

--Joan Jackson
SRPOA Secretary
Board Member since 2020
TEL: 865-304-2267



Beth and Carl Koella

I grew up in North Knoxville and moved to Blount County when I married Carl in 2003. I worked in the manufactured home/modular/tiny home business for 23 years. Currently I am the Director of Inventor Finance for 21st Mortgage in downtown Knoxville. Carl is president of the Provision Proton Therapy Center. We enjoy travel on our days off but nothing beats the Smoky Mountains. It is wonderful to have property in such a beautiful part of the world.

--Beth Koella
Board Member since 2019
Chair, Events Committee
TEL: 865-705-0455



Judy Pearson

Hugh and I moved to Saddle Ridge February 2005 from the corner of Kingston Pike and Peters Road in Knoxville.

--Judy Pearson
Board Member since 2018
Chair, Architectural Committee
TEL: 865-982-5729



Smitty and Betsy Smith

We always knew we would return to the Maryville area to retire. Smitty grew up in Maryville. We bought our Saddle Ridge home in 2010 and moved in fulltime in 2014. I'm enjoying retirement so much that I have almost forgotten what I did in my working life (beginning as a 2nd grade teacher and ending as an English professor teaching technical communication). Walking our dogs in the woods with family and friends and working in our flower beds fill my days in the mountains. I do go down the mountain a couple of times a week to volunteer for the Blount County Friends of the Library.

--Betsy Smith

Board Member since 2021

Chair, Environment Committee

TEL: 615-631-1173



Larry Clapp

My wife Roxanne and I started vacationing in the Smokies in the mid-2000's. We found Townsend and eventually Saddle Ridge, bought a lot in 2009, and built a cabin in 2011. We've been here on and off since then, and moved here permanently in the spring of 2021, and we love every minute we spend here. We have two cats and no other children. I am a software engineer and work from home. I look forward to getting to know all of my neighbors a lot better.

--Larry Clapp

Board Member since 2021

Chair, Road Committee

TEL: 813-765-5537

Keith Kennedy

--Keith Kennedy

Board Member since 2020

Chair, Equipment Committee
