

SRPOA Board Members

2020-2021



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



Sue DuBois

My husband, Karl, and I moved to Oakwood Road in Saddle Ridge in 2014 from Orlando, Florida, for the peace and quiet of the mountains and to be closer to family. I retired from Disney's Animal Kingdom after a 30+ year career working with animals and conservation programs at zoos in Texas, New York, California and Florida. Now I marvel every day that I can walk out my front door and take a walk in the woods. Serving on the SRPOA Board and participating in community events is a great way to get to know neighbors.

--Sue DuBois
SRPOA Vice President
Board Member since 2015
Chair, Road Committee
TEL: 865-307-2532



Sally Whelan

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



Connie Evans

My husband Tim and I moved from Ohio to Tennessee in 2010. I retired from a 30+yr. career as a registered nurse and Tim retired from the Dayton Daily News as building & maintenance manager. We have 2 sons, 2 daughter-in-laws and 3 grandchildren who we're crazy about! We love the mountains and Tennessee weather! It is a pleasure to belong to such a supportive, caring community like Saddle Ridge.

--Connie Evans
Board Member since 2018
Chair of Events/Hospitality Committee
TEL: 865-304-2267



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
Board Member since 2019
Chair, Communications Committee
TEL: 865-982-3432



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, Architectural 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, Environmental Committee
TEL: 865-982-5729

Keith Kennedy

--Keith Kennedy
Board Member since 2020
Chair, Equipment Committee
