

**Sky Valley Property Owners Association**  
**“Spring has sprung in the Valley”**  
**Upcoming Events – Spring 2017**

It's springtime, the cherry trees, azaleas and dogwoods are blooming; and things are starting to happen as returning residents join the hearty year-round residents of Sky Valley.

**WELCOME BACK PARTY – JUNE 4**

The Welcome Back Party will be Sunday, June 4, at 6 p.m. at the Dillard House. Last year we had more than 200 at the party, and we look forward to seeing everyone again this year. In the past the POA has covered the full cost of the dinner. However, this year the cost has increased significantly. The POA will pay the majority of the expense; but we must charge \$10 per person to cover the increase. We'll collect payment at the door through a check or cash (no credit cards). **Please make your reservation no later than May 28** by contacting Jackie Bell (706-746-5778 or [jackieb706@windstream.net](mailto:jackieb706@windstream.net)).

**MEMORIAL DAY CELEBRATION – MAY 27**

The City of Sky Valley will host a Red, White and Bluegrass Memorial Day celebration on Saturday, May 27, from 4-7 p.m. at the Pavilion. There will be live music by acoustic bluegrass, blues and folk band Group Therapy; a barbecue plate of pork and chicken with sides and a beverage; and vendors selling funnel cakes, ice cream, kettle corn, boiled peanuts and snow cones. No reservations required. Come and bring your family and guests. Cost is \$20 for the meal and music or \$5 for just the music.

**PANCAKE BREAKFASTS BEGIN MAY 29**

The first Pancake Breakfast will be Memorial Day, Monday, May 29, from 8-10 a.m. at the Pavilion. If you want to be added to the existing volunteer list contact Ed Morley to help cook, serve and clean up (706-746-6926 or [emorley07@gmail.com](mailto:emorley07@gmail.com)). Remember, the more the merrier! Come visit with your neighbors and catch up with friends who are returning for the summer.

**POA GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETINGS BEGIN JUNE 22**

The first POA General Membership meeting is 3 p.m. June 22 at the Club. Our meetings are held the third Wednesday of each month from June through October. Sky Valley Mayor Hughel Goodgame will give the annual “State of the City” address at our June meeting. Come hear what's new in the valley.

**TOTAL ECLIPSE – COMING AUGUST 21**

Sky Valley is one of the best places in the USA to see the total eclipse on August 21 when the sun will go dark for more than two minutes. Eclipse chasers from around the world are expected to come for the view. Sky Valley Club is planning a Golf Tournament on Sunday, August 20, with a shotgun start at 1 p.m. and a 19<sup>th</sup> Hole After-Party at the Pavilion with food and live entertainment beginning at 6 p.m. Rabun County eclipse activities are at [explorerabun.com/total-eclipse](http://explorerabun.com/total-eclipse)

**AOL USERS**

Please add [info@skyvalleypoa.net](mailto:info@skyvalleypoa.net) to your contact list so you can receive our emails.

Safe travels and welcome back to Sky Valley! If you have questions or suggestions for your POA Board, please feel free to send them to [info@skyvalleypoa.net](mailto:info@skyvalleypoa.net).

I look forward to seeing you soon,

*Doug Palmer*, President