



The Snowcrest Times

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Your Snowcrest Board

Following the Board and Executive Board Elections, here is your Snowcrest Board for 2026 - 2027:

President: Bailey Hill

VP of Operations: Jaime Thomas

Treasurer: Mark Harrison

Secretary: Beverly Bryant

Director: Patti Aston

Director: David Cumins

Director: Wendy Miller

Director: Laurie Newsome

Director: Jamie Scholten

Director: Karen Vanover

Director: John Wryst

We look forward to serving our community this year! Please feel free to contact us with questions or comments.

**Email addresses are noted on the "Snowcrest Info at a Glance" page of this newsletter.*

Upcoming Meetings

HOA Board Meeting Zoom

Thursday, September 17th @ 6:30 p.m.

*The Zoom meeting link and the agenda will be emailed prior to the meeting.

All homeowners are invited and encouraged to attend. If you are unable to join the meeting at the scheduled time, please watch the recording to stay informed about important community updates and discussions.

On the Mountain

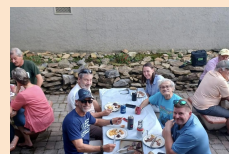
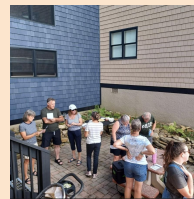
Ballhooter Festival

Enjoy 3 days of live music and mountain activities this Labor Day weekend! For more information, click on the link below.

snowshoemtn.com/ballhooter-festival/homesnowshoemtn.com

Annual Homeowners' Weekend

Thank you to everyone who joined us for our Homeowners' Weekend! We truly appreciate you taking the time to attend the meetings and participate in all of the activities. Below are some photos capturing the fun!



**Pictured: Breakfast goodies, hiking to Narnia Lightpost, Bingo Ice Breaker, dinner, and homeowners group photo.*

**Not pictured: Ski/Snowboarding tuning session with Steve Vanover. (Thank you, Steve, for sharing your expertise with us!)*

Condo Control

We're currently working on getting Condo Control and QuickBooks Online up and running. Our tentative launch date is September 16th. We'll share more information as we get closer to the launch.

Get Involved at Snowcrest!

Our community is strongest when homeowners get involved! Here are a few ways you can participate:

- **Stay informed.** Check your email regularly for important announcements, community updates, and requests for information. Be sure to read the **monthly newsletter**, too, for community news, Board updates, upcoming events, and other important information.
- **Visit the Snowcrest website.** Check in regularly—new information, updates, and resources are being added all the time.
- **Check out our unofficial Snowcrest Facebook group.** *The Facebook group is homeowner-run and unofficial, so please continue to check your email and the Snowcrest website for official information.*
- **Attend a Board meeting.** Homeowners are always welcome to attend and see the Board at work. If you can't make a meeting, take some time to watch the Zoom recording so you can stay up to date on what's happening in our community.
- **Help us stay connected.** From time to time, we'll ask homeowners to complete a form or survey, update their homeowner or unit information, or provide information specific to their unit. **Please take a few minutes to respond when we reach out.** Your responses help us keep our records up to date and make sure you have the information you need.
- **Join a committee.** Most committees meet via Zoom, making it easy to participate even when you're not at Snowcrest. We'd love to have more homeowners join us and share their ideas, talents, and time!
- **Consider running for the Board.** We have so many amazing homeowners with valuable ideas, talents, and experience. Consider taking the next step and serving on the Board. Your involvement can help shape the future of Snowcrest and protect our investment for years to come.

Every homeowner has something to contribute!

Whether you attend a meeting, respond to a request, join a committee, or serve on the Board, your involvement helps make Snowcrest a stronger community for everyone.



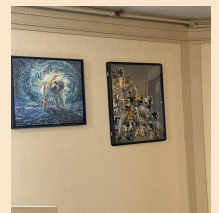
Homeowners' Pets

Please be sure to check out our "Pets of Snowcrest" photo collage in the foyer. Many thanks to John Wryst for his inspiration and plans, to Bailey Hill for printing the pet photos, and to Mark Rotellini for helping with the placement of the collage!

To make room for the collage, we have moved the pet clean up station near the elevator.

If you are a homeowner and have not registered your pet, please click on the link below to do so.

Snowcrest Pet Registry



New Luggage Carts

The new luggage carts have arrived. Thank you to Jamie Scholten for assembling them and bringing them to the mountain!

***Please use them only for moving your items into and out of your unit. They should not be used for transporting construction materials or other large items.**

Jamie is working to repair the old carts so homeowners can check them out and use them for moving construction materials and other large items to their units. Further details will follow.



Meet Your Neighbor Laurie Newsome - 214B

A Mountain Home Full of Memories

Hello!

My name is Laurie Newsome, and I've owned 214B since August 2003. Wow—23 years!

Here's a funny story from our very first day as homeowners. The day we closed on our unit in Marlinton, we brought a couch cushion with us so we could take it to JP Furniture and pick out colors for new furniture. When we came back, there was a renter in our unit! He barely opened the door, and when we explained that we were the new owners and had brought the cushion back, he simply said, "We noticed that was gone," took it, and shut the door in our faces. So there we were—my husband, our two sons, ages 7 and 10, and me—standing outside our new home with suitcases, paint, wallpaper, and tools, just scratching our heads. Finally, my husband said, "Well, we've owned this for four hours. The good news is we're making money on day one!"

Sadly, my husband died suddenly in 2007. After that, as a single mom, my focus on the mountain was really on the kids. I didn't get out and socialize much, although I always made it to Owners Weekend.

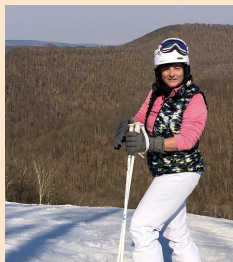
I always say my children grew up on the mountain. We have loved being here over the years. My sons even gave up winter sports so we could ski every other weekend. After my husband died, we kept skiing as often as we could, and most of the time each boy brought a friend. Once they were old enough to drive, they would race to unload the car, change into ski clothes, and get to Silver Creek for night skiing. Their fastest turnaround was seven minutes! I just hope they didn't knock anyone down in their haste.

Over the years, I've also enjoyed fly fishing at Elk Springs in the summer. My sons love golfing, and I often rode along to collect the many "shank-a-pottomus" balls they lost. We even had a delay on one hole for a *momma bear and cub*. We love the Sporting Clays mountain course, although one of the men working there once said to me, "Well, the law of averages should have let you hit at least one, right?" So yes, I love shooting—but don't worry, the clays and birds are safe!

Now my sons are grown and married, and I have a grandson who should be on the slopes in the next couple of years. Robbie and his wife, Carly, live in Seattle, so he won't be up as much, but my other son, Tommy, his wife, Taylor, and their son, Theo, will be on the mountain whenever they can. Along the path of life, I also gained two step daughters, Haley and Allison, who love spending time skiing on the mountain.

Now that I'm retired, I have more time to be social and have made many new mountain friends. I love my time at Snowcrest! The friendships I've built there run deep, and I feel truly bonded to the people and to our building. I now serve on the Board, and I always look forward to being on the mountain, spending time with old and new friends—and with Lincoln, my mini Goldendoodle.

As I write this, I realize I could fill many pages with memories—some funny, some poignant, and all special to me. So let's get together and chat!



Snowcrest Info at a Glance

Homeowners, please keep this page handy so you have important community information at your fingertips!

Email Addresses

Executive Board:

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secretary.snowcrest@gmail.com

Snowcrest Board:

snowcrestassoc@gmail.com

Mailing Address

If you mail in your monthly payments,
please use this address:

**Snowcrest CUOA
% Williams & Associates
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Elkins, WV 26241**



HOA Dues

1BR units: \$449.30

2BR units: \$549.30

If you have questions regarding your
payment, please contact Mark H. at:

[**treasurer.snowcrest@gmail.com**](mailto:treasurer.snowcrest@gmail.com)

Resident Manager

For unit emergencies, please contact Resident
Manager **Mark Rotellini** at:

304-807-9011

For *non-emergencies*, please contact:

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or

residentmanager.snowcrest@gmail.com



Our Website

Please check out our Snowcrest Website
for additional community information like
screen installation, hot tub use, etc. If you
rent your unit, you can also find the
Renters Guide on the website.

[**snowcrestassoc.org**](http://snowcrestassoc.org)