



*Calendar of Events—  
 May 2008*

**May 7—2:00 p.m. Board of  
 Public Works**

**May 8—7:00 p.m.  
 Planning & Zoning**

**May 12—Noon  
 Police & Emergency**

**May 13—7:00 p.m.  
 Board of Trustees**

**Note: As of deadline  
 date, the above meetings  
 are the only ones sched-  
 uled. All meetings will be  
 held in the Convention  
 Center behind Dream  
 Catcher Resort unless  
 otherwise noted**

**Jakes Creek Trail Sewer Progress—  
 Treatment Plant Site Construction**



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# Indian Point Recycles Aluminum



By: Betty Fier

Readers of this column recognize that several generations of Americans have grown up with the recyclable aluminum can. According to the Missouri Recycling Association, "Aluminum cans, popular for carbonated soft drinks and other beverages are recycled today at an impressive 62.5 percent rate. That is nearly four times the recycling rate of 25 years ago. Due to the properties and value of aluminum, aluminum containers can be recycled virtually endlessly into cans or other aluminum products. In theory, a consumer could purchase basically the same recycled aluminum can from the grocer's shelf about six times per year."

Indian Point still has endless possibilities to enhance the current beautification fund by simply increasing the number of residents and resorts that recycle aluminum. I was encouraged on Sunday, April 13, 2008 to have Doug and Mary Ann Battaglia, Stillwater Resort say: "This is the year, we want to do it." And yes, Doug, with Mary Ann and Greg as my witness, I will keep after you as requested and promised.

Thank you to the resorts who have recycled their aluminum cans and/or provided space on their property for the collections of aluminum cans from the conception of our recycling program. These are the people, along with many residents, who have helped grow the beautification fund to a little over \$4000. They are: The Cottage Resort, Indian Point Restaurant, Treehouse Condominiums, White Wing Resort, Deer Run Campground (now located at Uncle John's Resort) and Artilla Cove. There may be other resorts bringing cans to these sites that I am unaware, so please let this writer know. **LET THIS BE THE YEAR TO START.** We could make Indian Point a most unique resort area and announce to all visitors that Indian Point has a goal of recycling 100 percent of the aluminum cans used on the "Point".

**RECYCLERS REMEMBER:**

MAY is the month hours to recycle change.

Hours to Recycle  
**May—October**

**Thursdays 8:30—10:30 AM**

Closed for holidays and inclement weather  
 Those needing to recycle at other times may call  
 263-0436 to make arrangements

# Police Report

By: Brent Armstrong

**March Statistics:**

	Warnings	Citations
Total Stops	30	27
Speed		11
Lane Violation		3
License		11
Equipment		2
No Insurance		1
Calls For Service	9	
Assist Other Agency	4	
Warrant Arrest	1	

Patrol Miles for March	1113
Fuel Cost	\$351.01 avg price per gallon \$2.96

Police Report—Citations issued and appropriate fines paid through Stone County Court:

Duane C Smith—Springdale, AR, Speeding 55 mph in 40 mph zone—\$74.00

Christopher B Herion—Seymour, MO, Speeding 47 mph in 40 mph zone—\$49.00

Michael S Wofler—Florissant, MO, Expired license plates—\$49.00

Jason D Smith—Winnsboro, LA, Speeding 55 mph in 40 mph zone—\$74.00

Benjamin F Wolkey—Branson, MO, expired license plates—\$49.00



## Hitting A Nerve

By: Arno Wehr II

Well the last report on Indian Point history pinched some awareness of our villagers that this little peninsula has been a very strong influence in the development of the "Land of Taney" and we continue to be a very strong influence in our area growth. This will be discussed shortly.

Now back to your interests. If you want to get excited about Indian Point, start with books (just reprinted) by historian Elmo Ingenthron. They are "Land of Taney", "Indians of the Ozark Plateau", and of course "Baldknobbers". Once you read these it will be a link to why we have such a wonderful history. Then your final mandatory book is "The Shepherd of the Hills" by H B Wright. Shad Heller, one of our finest neighbors and local historian always said "it's in the book!". This was in reference to area names and events that created Indian Point. Then please help this poor starving author and go buy "Indian Point Short Stories" available at Cottage grocery.

My little book of short stories was written because Kent Turner said "you need to write this stuff down". So out of over 200 published and unpublished stories, I selected a sampler for the village.

Now let's move to today's world. In the last 45 years Indian Point has always had at least one board member on the Branson Lakes Chamber of Commerce. Our residents have served as Elders and Deacons in area churches. We have had teachers, school board members, fire and safety volunteers, police officers, politicians, celebrities all as residents. Our neighbors have included those on college boards and those with the highest Masonic credentials. We have three past Rotary Presidents here and the area Ducks Unlimited Chapters started here first. Two of our residents, Kent and Bert, spent 5 years to create what is soon to become the marketing salvation of the area based on a tax you approved.

Indian Point is founded on the efforts of men and women who had a sense of community and a vision for your future. Wilma Fullerton put 17 years into the Branson Lakes Chamber effort. Merl Newton had 1000 hours as a candy striper at Skaggs. Greg Maycock has been awarded by our

Chambers for his marketing assistance to make the area grow. And of course, we can reach back before the civil war to see how this community evolved. But we, you, never stopped growing. Despite devastating fires that destroyed Stotts Point Hotel, Capps Cove Motel, the Indian Point Dock and other small homes, we rebuilt and made it better. We defy the constriction of our road access and that is going to be finally better. So it seems every time someone gets pinched in a nerve on Indian Point our future gets brighter.

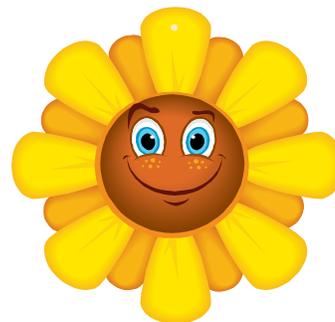
In closing let me offer the one outstanding history making thing we have. We have sired local children who have done so well in this area and in the world at large that it would take a book just to talk about them. We have always had the highest ranked Reeds Spring and other scholars on Indian Point ever since I've lived here. If we had the ability to gather our offspring from the past four decades into a large dinner meeting, you'd be astounded as to their accomplishments and successes. We are a great community.

## Hooray Marci!

By: Arno Wehr II

Our resident Psychologist has a bill in Jefferson City that will allow highly trained psychologists to prescribe certain drugs for mental disorders. Right now doctors (MD's) who have only basic training in mental disorders are the only ones who can prescribe. The few Psychiatrists in the State, if you can get in to see one, can also prescribe. We hope these bills (SB 917 and HB 1739) pass and our access to better healthcare improved. New Mexico and our Armed Services have already agreed to do this as it is a logical life saver. Other states are watching Missouri and hoping we will put patients first over ancient last century rules.

Hooray for our local neighbor!



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<http://indianpoint-mo.gov>

## **Open—For your Dining Pleasure**

**Altenhof Inn—680 Jakes Creek Trail** is now open Wednesday through Sunday 4:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

**Floating Café—Indian Point Marina**—The Floating Café will be open as soon as possible and will be open for breakfast, lunch and early dinner.

**Indian Point Restaurant—46 Myrtle Lane** is open Thursday thru Sunday 7:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. and 5:00 p.m. until 9:00 p.m.

**The Lakehouse (formerly Killarney's) - 416 Table Rock Circle** is now open under new owners—open 5:00 p.m. to 1:00 a.m. everyday.

## **Welcome Ray Calzaretta Police Officer**

Please welcome Ray Calzaretta as our new full-time police officer. Ray will be patrolling throughout the Village and working with our Chief of Police to ensure your safety. Please wave and introduce yourself as he travels our neighborhoods.

## **Holiday Closing**

The Village office will be closed for business on Monday, May 26, 2008 in observance of Memorial Day.

## **THANKS** By: Bill Turner

Thanks to the 71 people who voted for me for Trustee.

While we didn't win, I want you to know how much I appreciate your vote of confidence.

Again, THANKS  
Bill Turner

