## 6 Brief Announcements, Reminders, and Dates

With more sun and rising temperatures, many of us can barely wait to visit our special place once again. Some have demonstrated we are too impatient to 'wait' and have already paid a visit ... just to check that all the flowers and trees are taking proper advantage of Spring, you understand.

A couple of months ago, Jeff, who had been sending these monthly missives for over a year, announced he is moving to Florida. While we totally don't understand why he would want to leave the cold Kansas Winters for the balmy beaches, we are learning to deal with it. Beginning the first of next month, a new person will take on responsibility for keeping our supporters informed.

In the meantime, some quick announcements, reminders, and dates:

- We have been interviewing for a new Caretaker for the summer. We are in the final stages of getting Dennis, who we believe will do a superb job, up to speed. We expect he will be starting on May 24. Be sure you introduce yourself to Dennis next time you visit.
- A week or two ago, we changed the lock on the gate. All members should have the new combination. If you are a member and did not receive the new combination to the gate, please contact us.
- The first Open House of the season is scheduled for May 13 from 10 to 2. So far, the weatherman tells us the weather will be good. If you are still unsure about visiting Lake Edun, this would be a wonderful opportunity; if you a long-time supporter, this will be a great day for your first visit of the season. Feel free to invite curious friends to explore our special place with you. And, you can put their primary concern to rest: it is Clothing-Optional during the Open House. Our next Open House will be June 3.
- Every Spring, we schedule a couple of Work Days to get things ready for the new season. Join us on May 20 and/or May 27 to help do the many things required to make our place truly 'Special'. The tasks are not that difficult and, like they say, many hands make the work both easier and more enjoyable.
- Memorial Day Weekend, will be for camping and enjoyment. Join other Eduners and take time to explore our trails to see all that Nature changed thru the Winter months.

• Finally, don't forget the Topeka Gives event all day Saturday, June 6. Sponsored by the Topeka Community Foundation, this is a time people can support their favorite charities and have their contribution increased by the Topeka Community Foundation. It also is a way for our supporters to show the depth of their support for our cause. At a prior Topeka Gives, contributions to LEF were in the top 25% of the over 100 charities represented. Congratulations to us!

Thank you for your continued support. We are looking forward to a wonderful year in 2017. If you want to get involved to help, your assistance would certainly be appreciated. If you want to register your satisfaction with LEF so others will know, follow us on FaceBook and rate us on Google, Yelp, Yahoo and other sites.