Beech Mountain Lakes Community Newsletter April 2023





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HOMEOWNERS:

In order to use any part of the Recreation facility, you MUST present your membership card.

HOMEOWNERS & GUESTS:

When allowing a guest to use the facility, the homeowner must be present when a Card is being issued, or the guest will be turned away.

> POT LUCK IS BACK! **Constant Contact** Will Be Sent Out For The Next Pot Luck in May!

REMINDER

TO RESIDENTS:

2nd Quarter Garbage Fees are due by

April 30th, 2023

A late fee will be added if payment is not

received by that date.

Attention Resid ents!

Please Clean Your Swales!

Spring Rains Are Here... Be Prepared



Do you need to contact us?

Recreation-570-788-1199 Administration - 570-788-1010

Restaurant - 570-788-3101

Security-570-788-5071

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Lakeside Restaurant & Lounge Hours:

Restaurant Hours:

Wed-4PM-8:00PM

Thurs-4PM-8:00PM

Fri- 4PM-9:00PM

Sat- 4PM -9:00PM

Sun- 4PM-8:00PM

Lounge Hours:

Wed- 4PM-9:00PM

Thurs-4PM-9:00PM

Fri- 4PM-10:00PM

Sat- 4PM-10:00PM

Sun- 4PM-9:00PM

* Hours Subject to Change*

April Entertainment

Sunday, April 2nd Paint & Wine

4PM

ALV Karaoke 7PM-10PM

Friday, April 14th

Friday, April 28th
DJ Dance Party
7PM-10PM

Saturday, April 8th

Uneven Sums 7PM-10PM Friday, April 20th
Two of Us

6PM-8PM

Thursday, April 13th

ALV Trivia 6PM-8PM Thursday, April 27th

Music Bingo 6PM-8PM



-Support Our Restaurant -

Check Out Our Daily & Weekend Specials!

Find us on Facebook @ The Lakeside Lounge Restaurant





4/1 - McKaylia Ward 4/21 - Pam Hummel 4/2 - Rebecca Culp 4/21 - Devin Viot 4/3 - Phil Yarnall 4/14 - CJ Muldoon 4/30— Leslie Viot

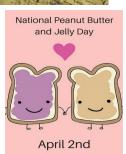


4/16- Blanche & Bruce Kania 4/30- Leslie & Rick Mariano

Would You Like to Have Your
Special Occasion Posted Here?
Email Rec @ bmlrecdenise@gmail.com
Call Rec @ 570-788-1199















Recreation Hours



Pool hours are as follows:

9:30AM - 10:00AM Adult Laps 7 Days/ Week

10:00AM - 11:00AM Adult Water Aerobics Monday -> Friday

10:00AM - 11:00AM Adult Swim Saturday & Sunday

11:00AM - 5:00PM Open Swim (Including Quail Hollow Guests) 7 Days/ Week

5:00PM - 7:30 PM Open Swim for BML Residents & QHV Owners Only 7 Days/ Week

Showering: It is PA Sate Law to Shower before using a public pool. Unfortunately, there have been issues with guests not showering before pool use which has been causing issues with the chemicals in the pool. <u>Please remember to shower before</u> swimming to help limit pool closings.

Thank you!

**Reminder to all guests that food or drinks are prohibited from the pool, locker room and indoor courts.

Also black sole shoes are prohibited from the courts as well. (They scuff up the court floors.)

Thank you for your compliance and understanding.

The Gym, Indoor Courts, and Arcade are open any time from 9:30AM - 7:30 PM

Remember: In order to use the amenities you need to check in at the Recreation Office and have your 2023 Membership Card with you at check in .

If you need a new Membership card you can contact Administration @ 570-788-1010

If you would like to book the community room for a private party you can do so by contacting Recreation.

WE LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU SOON!



Recreation 5



We are hiring for the Snack Shack, Boat Rentals, Card Check and Lifeguards. Applications can be picked up in the Recreation Office.

Applicants must be at least 14 years old and have working papers.



Recreation 6



BML YOGA

Peaceful & Serene~ Won't you join us for Yoga?

Saturday mornings at 8:45 AM to 9:45 AM.

Yoga is open to all Beech Mountain Lake & Quail Hollow Residents in good Standing.

Feel free to bring a guest! You must bring your own mat, water, and towel. You will also to need to sign a waiver to participate.





Playground Hours are from Dawn to Dusk.I



Campground weekly reservations are now open! Residents are entitled to 7 Free Days at the campground! This is for RESIDENTS ONLY not friends/families of residents. Residents using their free week must pay for use of the utilities (Water/Electric). Please call Recreation to reserve your spot, space is limited! (570) 788–1199. Happy Camping!

BOAT STICKERS ARE IN!

Physical Copy of 2023 Membership Card is required to fill out a boat registration form.

Boat stickers are \$25 each.

Recreations







Thank you to all the children that showed up to Kids Bingo! Everyone had lots of fun and won awesome prizes!







Recreation 7



Sponsor and Volunteers are wanted for the Fishing Derby.

Currently looking for prize sponsors, food donations, and volunteers to set up/tear down. If interested please call Brian at (570) 579–7566. Thank you for your help!

Strawberry Social

We will tentatively be having our annual Strawberry Social on Sunday June 11th from 1PM-4PM in the Pavilion. Join your neighbors for music, games and crafts. We will also be selling Strawberry Shortcake!

Tricky Tray

Proceeds from this Raffle will help buy supplies for Kidz Camp. Kidz Camp is a program that residents can sign their children or grandchildren up for during the Summer! Tickets are \$1 a ticket or 6 tickets for \$5. Drawing Will Be Sunday, April 2nd. Good Luck! This is our last Tricky Tray until the Autumn.



Community Service

We are still offering community service hours for the children of the development who need them for scouts, school, etc. If interested please call Recreation at (570) 788–1199 to put your name on the list. A member from the committee will call you to arrange your service.



Flower Sale



We will be having our Spring Flower Sale April 1st and 2nd in the community room. The flower sale helps to defray the cost of the Strawberry Social. We will be selling them Saturday April 1st from 10am-5om and Sunday April 2nd from 11am-5pm.

Our next meeting is Thursday, May 4th at 5:30 in the Community Room.

TIPS FROM PENN STATE MASTER GARDENERS



HELLO BEECH MOUNTAIN GARDENERS!

Last Month I wrote that we might have an early spring. Then we got more snow than we had previously this year. And we also had some near record high temperatures. So much for trying to predict.

SOME GARDENING MYTHS

The Garden Professors are a group of extension agents and other scientifically minded gardeners who research and write about gardening, specifically, what is true and what is myth.

One author quotes Will Rogers to explain their purpose: "It's not what we don't know that causes us trouble, it's what we know that ain't so."

Most of us have been unwitting victims of garden advice that was given to us with an authoritative tone of voice but without any scientific confirmation. Then, it is accepted as fact and repeated. This month the Garden Professors check out a few garden myths for us.

DIY GARDEN REMEDIES

Self-proclaimed gardening experts come up with all kinds of home-made potions as safer alternatives to conventional fertilizers or pesticides. There are good reasons that both fertilizers and pesticides are regulated at state and/or national levels: it's the only way you can know exactly what the active ingredients are and when, where, and how to apply these chemicals. To follow some "chemical free" recipe from the internet is playing Russian roulette in terms of collateral damage to soils and non-target organisms.

EPSOM SALTS:

Epsom salts are magnesium sulfate and gardeners swear by them for improving seed germination and overall plant health.

The studies that have been done on Epsom salts that show success have been conducted on intensively produced crops that were actually deficient in magnesium. Magnesium deficiency can occur when excess water from rain or irrigation leach nutrients out.

Excess magnesium can cause root disease, contaminate the soil and injure plants. If you think your soil is deficient have it tested.

WOUND DRESSINGS

Unfortunately, many gardeners don't understand that plants and people respond differently to injury. While antibiotic dressing and bandages are good for healing our nicks and cuts, trees have a completely different response. Slathering black goo or paint over tree wounds is the last thing trees need to seal damage naturally. Yes trees can heal wounds without human assistance.

WEED BLOCKING FABRIC

Weed blocking fabric actually provides a great substrate for weed seeds to take hold. In addition, "all those pores in the fabric that supposedly allow water and oxygen to move through are soon filled with bits of soil." Remove the weed cloth and replace it with arborist wood chips.

PLASTIC MULCH.

There is nothing worse you can put on a living soil unless your intention is to kill everything under it. You may see it used in agricultural production, but that doesn't make it a good choice for your gardens and landscapes. Again, arborist wood chips are a much better alternative.

MULCH

As mentioned above one of the best mulches is arborist wood chips. That is the chips produced when a tree is cut down and branches ground up. These are frequently available when a neighbor or friend has a tree removed. They should be applied to a depth of no more than 3 inches and be kept back from the trunk of any tree or shrub being mulched.

IMPORTANT WARNING

Gardeners and residents need to be reminded that we are once again in tick season. Lyme disease is a serious infection and is epidemic in the northeast. Ticks that carry the bacteria have been found in our area. All area residents should be informed about the cause, symptoms and treatments for Lyme disease as well as ways to avoid tick borne infections. For important information visit Penn State's tick information web site at

ento.psu.edu/extension/factsheets/ticks

*TIPS from Master Gardeners is an educational outreach from the Penn State Cooperative Extension Service.

Penn State Extension

Mohegan Sun Arena, Wilkes-Barre

PENGUINS VS. crunch - Saturday, April 1st, 2023 @ 6:05PM

PENGUINS VS. CHECKERS— Wednesday, April 5th, 2023 @ 7:05PM

KENNY CHESNEY - Saturday, April 8th, 20223@ 7:30PM

SHINEDOWN - Monday, April 10th, 2023 @ 7:00PM

PENGUINS VS. CHECKERS— Saturday, April 15th, 2023 @ 6:05PM

Mohegan Sun Casino

<u>Jay Black with Neil Rubenstein</u>—Saturday, April 1st @ 9:00PM

<u>PHRIENDS: The One That's a Parody</u>—Interactive Murder Mystery Show—Saturday, April

15th @ 8PM

Scranton Cultural Center

Bluey's Big Play— Tuesday, April 11th & Wednesday, April 12th @ 6:00PM

Ultimate Elvis Experience with Shawn Klush— Friday, April 14th @ 8:00PM

Fiddler on the Roof— Friday, April 21st @ 8:00PM, Saturday, April 22nd @ 2PM & 8PM,

Sunday, April 23rd @ 1PM & 6:30PM



Penn's Peak

Josh Turner- Friday, April 14th, 2023 @ 8:00PM

The Monkees Celebrated by Micky Dolenz- Sunday, April 16th, 2023 @ 8:00PM

Gary Allan- Thursday, April 20th, 2023 @ 8:00PM

Old Crow Medicine Show- Friday, April 21st, 2023 @ 8:00PM

Little Feat- Boogie Your Spring Away Tour- Sunday April 23rd, 2023 @ 8:00PM

Ruben & Clay- Twenty Tour Celebrating the 20th Anniversary of Ruben Studdard & Clay

Aiken - Thursday, April 27th, 2023 @ 8:00PM

Acoustic Hot Tuna- Friday, April 28th, 2023 @ 8:00PM

Mauch Chunk Opera House, Jim Thorpe

Soulshine Allman Bros Show— Saturday, April 1st, 2023 @ 8:00PM

Mystery City- Thursday, April 6th, 2023 @ 7:30PM

B Street Band— Springsteen Tribute — Friday, April 7th, 2023 @ 8:00PM

Beyond Purple— Saturday, April 8th, 2023 @ 8:00PM

Vanilla Fudge- Friday, April 14th 2023 @ 8:00PM

Bad Animals— The Heart Tribute — Saturday, April 15th 2023 @ 8:00PM

Dustin Douglas and The Electric Gentlemen- Thursday, April 27th 2023 @ 7:30PM

Jingo— Tribute to Santana— Friday, April 28th, 2022 @ 8:00PM

Velvet Stardust Rock Show- Saturday, April 29th @ 8:00PM



Print & Enjoy



