

# Beech Mountain Lakes Community Newsletter December 2020

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**Attention BML Residents!**  
You Must Keep All Vehicles Off Of The Roads  
During The Winter For Plow Access!  
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**BMLA 2021 DUES  
RAFFLE**  
Will be held in  
January 2021

**Do you need to contact us?**

<u>Administration</u> - 570-788-1010		<u>Recreation</u> - 570-788-1199
<u>Restaurant</u> - 570-788-3101		<u>Security</u> - 570-788-5071



## Beech Mountain Lakes Association

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Drums, Pa. 18222

Ph# 570-788-1010

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Ref: Newsletter GM November 25, 2020

I would like to begin by saying I hope everyone had a safe and Happy Thanksgiving with their family and friends.

As I stated prior, our current road projects with Ronca Company in coordination with Aqua Water Company was a success, but one more task needs to be completed which is the shoulders. Ronco Company will be back on property in the next few weeks finishing the shoulders at the following: Buck Saw Drive, Bear Run and Shingle Mill.

Our outgoing board members for 2020; Jim Gurzler, President and Kevin Walsh, Vice President I want to publicly recognize for all their years of volunteering on the board. They did a good job and on behalf of the entire staff we wish you a successful new journey. With that said, I would like to congratulate our new board members as well: Mr. Kevin Schuettrumpf and Dave Davis.

The sad and frustrating topic is our latest criminal activity which I regrettably must touch base. In the most recent weeks, we have had criminal mischief and burglaries throughout our wonderful community. The board has authorized a temporary doubling of patrol hours and our local township police have agreed to patrol extra time within our boundaries. I have been forwarding security alert bulletins utilizing our email blast system to all those owners who signed up for such an alert. I support the practicing of transparency when practical. As information of substance arrives my way, I shall certainly forward same to the community. In the meantime, please be vigilant, keeping a third eye on your neighbors. I recommend keeping all outside lights activated throughout the dark hours, calling police and security for anything which feels uneasy to you!

I want to mention again to all residence walking along our roadways who exercise or those just for fresh air, due to the shadows and sun light you need to wear bright clothing. Please do not assume the operators of vehicles see you because they may not!! Wear high visibility (orange - yellow) outer clothing, along with blinking lights for you and your pets. Walking against traffic is another suggestion. Safety, Safety, Safety!! With that said, all drivers please slow down for your neighbors.

**Remember;** The future of a successful BMLA is in your hands. Please attempt to be part of BMLA growth by volunteering and participating in our committees and events.

Respectfully, *Edward Florentino, Sr.* General Manager

**Lakeside Restaurant & Lounge Hours:**

Monday, Tuesday, & Wednesday ... CLOSED

Thursday... 3PM to 8PM

Friday... 3PM to 8PM

Saturday... 12PM to 8PM

Sunday ... 12PM to 8PM

Christmas Eve & Christmas Day .... CLOSED



Check out our website or call for  
updated weekly and monthly food /drink specials.

Dine –in and take out options available.

If you have a question  
or if you would like place an order

Call : 570-788-3101

New Restaurant Facebook Page will be available soon

@ Lake of the 4 Seasons Restaurant on Facebook

~~Check Out the Weekend Specials at [www.bmla.us](http://www.bmla.us)

Under the Dining Section!~~

**Daily Specials**

**\*Every Thursday\* - Steamed Clams, Chicken Cheesesteak ,  
Chicken Bites - \$7.00**



**\*Every Friday\* - London Broil - \$10.99**



**\*Every Saturday\* - Baked Haddock - \$12.99**

**\*Every Sunday\* - Kid's Menu 1/2 Price: With Adult Purchase**



- 12/8 - Brittany Eigenbord
- 12/11 - Dawn Ange
- 12/12 - Millie Symbula
- 12/12 - Mike Warnitsky
- 12/17 - Jerry Robak
- 12/19 - Ian A.Mikita
- 12/26 - Frank Symbula
- 12/26 - Barry Callavini
- 12/30 - Cruz Finnicum

12/6 - William & Jacqueline  
Dynarski

Would You Like To Have Your Special  
Announcement Posted in the Newsletter?  
Call (570) 788-1199



**Meeting For 2021**  
**Budget Approval**

**When : Wednesday,**  
**December 9th, 2020**

**At 6:30 PM**

**Where : Community Room**

**All Welcome**

**Limited Capacity**

Security is Requesting That  
Residents Call-In Guests For  
Christmas By December 23rd  
and For New Years by  
December 29th.

You Can Also Have Them

Admitted Using Our Web Site Link At  
[www.bmla.us](http://www.bmla.us) Or By Using The Phone App  
<https://form.jotform.us/63613743256154>

**Recreation Hours**

Recreation hours daily are 9:30Am - 7PM



Reservations are needed to use amenities at  
The clubhouse.—Call Rec @ 570-788-1199

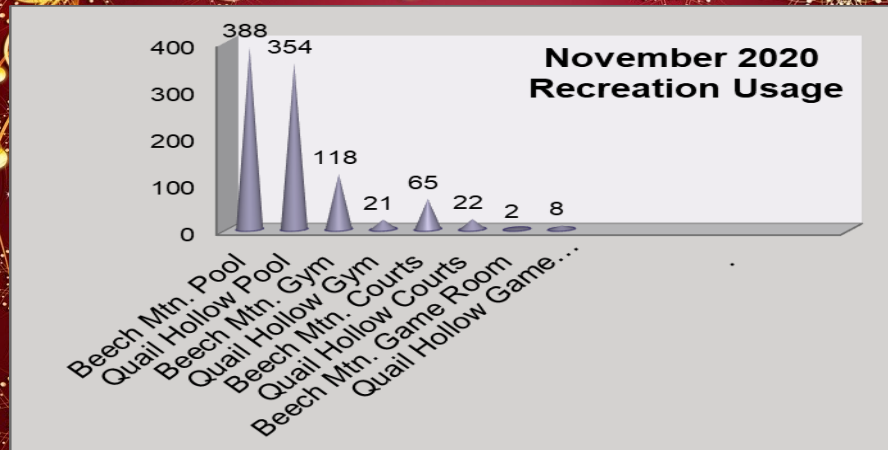


To set up your reservation today !

Facility will be Closed Christmas Eve

And Christmas Day!

**USAGE LOG**



**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.



Until further notice,

due to Covid-19,

Limited capacity and the  
wearing of face masks is still

required here at BML .

We hope everyone stays safe,  
healthy and has a great Holiday  
Season!

**Ice Skating Rink Update**

**Still a work in progress.  
Things are moving forward.  
Updated information will  
be provided  
When available .**



**Holiday House Decorating  
Contest**

**Make Sure To Turn On Your Holiday  
Lights Thursday, December 17th  
starting at 6PM for BML'S Annual  
House Decorating Contest.  
Prizes awarded for 1st, 2nd & 3rd Place.  
Winners will be notified on  
Friday, December 18th.**



## Giving Tree

The Beech Mountain Lakes Recreation Department still has tags on the tree. Please feel free to come down and take a tag, or two, to help make a child's Christmas a little brighter.

Gifts need to be returned by Sunday, December 13th. We would like to thank everyone who took tags and generously purchased gifts for the children of our area.

Merry Christmas & Happy Holidays!



## Toys For Tots

DROP OFF BOX IS LOCATED AT

THE REC OFFICE.

PLEASE DROP OFF YOUR NEW

UNWRAPPED TOY BY

DECEMBER 14th!



**12 DAYS** of  
**Christmas**  
**Kindness**

1. Bring treats for the staff room @ work
2. Go through pantry and donate items to local food bank.
3. Tape coins & candy canes to random vending machines.
4. Leave a Target gift card in a shopping cart for next shopper to find.
5. Buy new books for classrooms at church.
6. Buy Christmas gifts for a child in need.
7. Pay for the person behind me at Starbucks.
8. Leave an extra-big tip for a server at a restaurant w/a note of Christmas cheer.
9. Leave lottery tickets on random windshields.
10. Donate contents of our coin jar to a salvation army bell ringer.
11. Make Christmas goody boxes for mailman, garbage man, etc.
12. Deliver a Christmas card and Starbucks to our favorite grocery store clerk.

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**Christmas Tree Lighting was a success!**

**Thank you to all who donate baked goods, hot chocolate, Goodies , gifts from Santa, and to who helped the event take course. Also, a thanks to The Viot Family for the live Christmas Music and of course Santa, who is very busy this time of year.**

**It was a joy to see residents from our community come Together for a festive celebration.**

**We hope all who joined enjoyed themselves.**

**The winners for the Holiday Raffle were drawn.**

**Winners were notified.**

**If you did not pick up your prize yet, you can call the recreation office to set up a time to pick it up.**

**The proceeds from the raffle and the monetary donation Were donated to The Valley Food Pantry.**

**Thank you all & have a happy and safe Holiday season!**



Dear Owners,

The Recreation Department will be having a raffle drawing on January 27 ,2021 during the Open Session of the January Board Meeting. The winner of the raffle will get their 2021 annual dues for one property waived. If you paid your dues payment for 2021 you will be refunded.

Tickets are \$10.00 each. Please return your tickets and payment no later than January 27, 2021 by 4:00pm to the Beech Mountain Lakes Association Office. Good Luck!!!!

**PLEASE MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO THE BEECH MOUNTAIN LAKES ASSOCIATION, INC. IF PAYING WITH YOUR DUES & GARBAGE, PLEASE PROVIDE A SEPARATE CHECK FOR THE DUES RAFFLE CHANCES ONLY. PLEASE DETACH AND RETURN COMPLETED CHANCES BELOW WITH YOUR CHECK.**

RETURN TO:  
BMLA Dues Raffle  
Beech Mountain Lakes Association, Inc.  
1 Burke Dr.  
Drums, PA 18222

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<b>BMLA</b> <b>\$10.00</b> <b>Dues Raffle</b> Name _____ Phone# _____	<b>BMLA</b> <b>\$10.00</b> <b>Dues Raffle</b> Name _____ Phone# _____
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**OCTOBER 2020 FINANCIAL SUMMARY**

<b>DUES COLLECTION: 93% OF BILLED.</b>	<b>(94% at this time in 2019)</b>
<b>NON-OP INCOME: \$1283k WHICH IS \$23.4K UNDER BUDGET</b>	
<p><b>INCLUDES: Membership Dues, Quail Hollow Reimbursement, Misc. Income, Late Fees, Interest Income, Resale Certificates, ACC Filings, CEO &amp; ACC Fines \$ Fees, Rental Fee Income, Garbage Fees, and Over/Short.</b></p>	
<p><b>NOTE - Collections Income is not included in this number.</b></p>	

<b>NON-OP EXPENSE: \$615K WHICH IS \$8.6K UNDER BUDGET</b>	
<p><b>INCLUDES: Unrestricted Reserve Fund, Garbage Expense, Lake/Dam/Spillway Reserve Acct, Reserve Fund, Building Replacement Fund, Property &amp; Liability Insurance, D&amp;O Insurance, Dam Insurance, Interest Expense, Bad Debt, and Dock ROI to Capital.</b></p>	
<p><b>NOTE- Collection Inc to Reserve Fund and Depreciation Expense are not included in this number.</b></p>	

<b>NET DEPARTMENTAL EXPENSE/(INCOME): \$534K WHICH IS \$155.6K UNDER BUDGET</b>			
		<b>Y.T.D.</b>	<b>Y.T.D TO BUDGET</b>
<b>INCLUDES:</b>	<b>Administration:</b>	<b>\$139.6K</b>	<b>\$34.5K Under Budget</b>
	<b>Clubhouse:</b>	<b>\$88.8K</b>	<b>\$.8K Under Budget</b>
	<b>Recreation:</b>	<b>\$4.75K Inc</b>	<b>\$45K Inc Over Budget</b>
	<b>Maintenance:</b>	<b>\$106K</b>	<b>\$2.7K Over Budget</b>
	<b>Security:</b>	<b>\$158K</b>	<b>\$17.5K Over Budget</b>
	<b>Campground:</b>	<b>\$10.5K Inc</b>	<b>\$2.5K Inc Over Budget</b>
	<b>Food &amp; Beverage:</b>	<b>\$11.2K Inc</b>	<b>\$8.6K Inc Over Budget</b>
	<b>Road Maintenance:</b>	<b>\$64.2K</b>	<b>\$72.2K Under Budget</b>

<b>TRANSFER FEE INCOME: \$3.3K WHICH IS \$.2K UNDER BUDGET</b>
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<b>THE BOTTOM LINE EXCLUDING THE ABOVE MENTIONED ACCOUNTS IS A NET INCOME OF:</b>	
<b>ACTUAL</b>	<b>\$157K</b>
<b>PLAN</b>	<b>\$51K</b>

<b>CASH IN THE BANK:</b>	
<b>OPERATING FUNDS</b>	<b>\$298,324 (OP SAVINGS &amp; CHECKING, PETTY CASH)</b>
<b>CAPITAL FUNDS</b>	<b>\$322,197 (LONG AND SHORT TERM CAPITAL)</b>
<b>RESTRICTED FUNDS</b>	<b>\$459,844 (SPILLWAY, BUILDING REPLACEMENT)</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$1,080,365</b>
	<b>TOTAL OCT 2019 \$1,069,538</b>

**BEECH MOUNTAIN LAKES ASSOCIATION, INC.  
BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING  
OPEN SESSION  
NOVEMBER 18, 2020**

**CALL TO ORDER:** The open session meeting was called to order at 6:30pm.

**ROLL CALL:** Those present for the meeting were: Kevin Walsh, Jim Gurzler, Linda Jo Robbins, Lena Fowler and Kevin Ferra. Jacob Meyer attended via conference call. Atty. Baranko and General Manager Edward Florentino were also present. Board of Director Elect David Davis was also present.

**SECRETARY'S REPORT:** The October 28, 2020 Executive Meeting minutes were approved.

**TREASURER'S REPORT:** The Board approved the September and October 2020 financials.

**LEGAL REPORT:** No report.

**QUAIL HOLLOW REPORT:** Quail Hollow reported they have been hit hard with break-ins at both vacant and occupied units. Quail Hollow requests everyone keep their eyes and ears open and contact Security and QHV if you see anything out of the ordinary. QHV is looking into purchasing cameras.

**MANAGER REPORTS:** Ed Florentino read the GM report. Karen Amici read the Maintenance and ACC, CEO & ROVING reports. Jackie Rydzefski read the Recreation report.

**VOLUNTEER COMMITTEE:** The Volunteer Committee is sponsoring a wreath and basket raffle. Proceeds to go to the Valley Food Pantry. There will be a XMAS tree lighting at the clubhouse on 11/29/20 from 4-6pm.

**EAP COMMITTEE:** No report.

**ADVISORY COMMITTEE:** Chris Blazic indicated that the Committee has sent 26 policies to the GM for review. The Cmte will be working with the GM moving forward. The Cmte is requesting that the new board finish the project to completion.

**FINANCE COMMITTEE:** Dave Davis reported that the 2021 budget will be voted on at the December 9<sup>th</sup> meeting. The next Finance Cmte meeting will be 1/18/21.

**OWNER COMMENTS:**

An owner commented that she is getting her information regarding the break-ins from Next Door. She is willing to teach gun safety to any owner requesting training. An owner suggested forming at Town Watch in BML. An owner asked when the 1<sup>st</sup> incident happened at Quail Hollow. It was discovered on Friday morning and reported to BTPD. An owner commented that the bell that is supposed to alert the guards in the shack when a vehicle pulls into BML is still not going off. The same owner commented that another month has gone by without 1 citation being issued. An owner commented that the potholes at Trapper Springs & Four Seasons are still not patched. An owner commented that he saw a new Maintenance truck and wanted to know how much it cost- \$33,000.00 the GM responded. Another owner commented did the truck come with a plow package, trailer package? Did anyone review any options for a less expensive truck? The GM reviewed several options and presented them to the Board. An owner commented that there is an outhouse in the front of a yard. The outhouse is decorative and is not a functioning outhouse. An owner commented that there seems to be a lot of rentals at QHV and they should be paying a rental fee. QHV has been renting their units for years and are not subject to the fee and are not going to pay a fee. An owner commented that the road contractor did a pretty good job this year with paving, but did not do the entire road shoulders with stone. The GM will look into bringing them back to do the complete shoulder work. An owner commented that the heat in the racquetball court is way too hot and needs to be adjusted. An owner commented about the trailer on the opposite side of the lake. The GM is keeping on top of the happenings across the lake.

E-Mail Addresses



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Board Of Directors- [bmlaboard@bmla.us](mailto:bmlaboard@bmla.us)

Recreation- [recreation@bmla.us](mailto:recreation@bmla.us)





## TIPS FROM PENN STATE MASTER GARDENERS

### HELLO BEECH MOUNTAIN GARDENERS!

As we come to the end of this very different year we can be thankful for a break from yard and garden chores. It is a good time to relax and think about the fact that our gardens are to be a source of joy. To paraphrase those decluttering experts, if it doesn't bring you joy stop doing it.

Plan a garden or landscape that brings you joy in the creating and maintaining as well as in its appearance.

Take time to notice and say thanks for the beautiful decorations your neighbors here in Beech Mountain are sharing with us.

### CARING FOR A REAL CHRISTMAS TREE

Here are some tips to help you keep it fresh through the holiday season. For best results, follow these tips from the time you purchase your tree until you remove it from your home.

- Use a tree stand that holds 1 quart of water per inch of stem diameter and keep the water level above base of tree at all times. The temperature of the water used to fill the stand is not important.
- Tree trunk too wide for the tree stand? Buy a larger stand, do NOT whittle the trunk!
- Storing a tree for a few days? Put trunk in water and store in a cool, shaded and protected area.
- More than 12 hours since harvest? Cut off about ¼" from the base to improve water uptake. Do not angle or v-cut.
- Keep trees away from sources of heat (direct sunlight, heat vents, etc.) and keep the room cool.
- It is NOT worth it to: drill holes in the base, use "I-V" type devices, apply anti-transpirants or add anything to the water in the stand.
- Proper tree care and watering reduces fire hazards more than spraying trees with flame retardants.
- Run your fingers across the needles. If they break easily or fall off in your hand, the tree is dry and should be removed from the house.

### GIFT SUGGESTIONS FOR GARDENERS

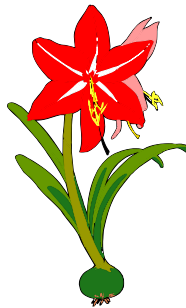
Gardeners both young and old love to receive garden related gifts.

With a reminder to keep a child's age and experience in mind, these gifts can nurture interest in gardening during winter months:

- Amaryllis or paper-white narcissus bulbs, some come in a kit complete with a pot;
- Bird feeders and bird houses require involvement and can help young gardeners learn about seed mixes and birds that visit the feeders or that choose the houses.
- Weather gadgets such as an outdoor thermometer or rain gauge.



Adults may appreciate a gift of living plants and many types are available in December. Consider the bulbs mentioned above along with Poinsettias, Cyclamens, and Christmas cacti. A gift certificate to your local greenhouse or nursery may deliver a dwarf fruit tree, rose bushes, or summer annuals.



If you do choose Amaryllis or paper-white narcissus, make sure that the bulb has not sprouted in the container before you purchase it. If the bulbs are for an adult consider planting them before Christmas since it takes six to eight weeks for these bulbs to produce blooms.

### ANSWERS TO YOUR GARDENING QUESTIONS

Do you have a question about gardening here in Beech Mountain Lakes? You can get answers from Penn State Master Gardeners living here in BML. Just e-mail your question to: [bmlgardener@gmail.com](mailto:bmlgardener@gmail.com). Be sure to include as much detail in the question as you can. We will try to get you an answer within 48 hours.

*Wishing you and yours a Holiday Season filled with wonder, and a happy, healthy New Year.*

*Dave Orbin, Penn State Master Gardener*

\*TIPS from Master Gardeners is an educational outreach from the Penn State Cooperative Extension Service. Master Gardener volunteers utilize research-based information to provide education on best practices in horticulture and environmental stewardship.



**PennState Extension**



### Berwick Christmas Boulevard



Date And Time : Sat, Dec 5, 2020, 6:00 PM –Thu, Dec 31, 2020, 10:00 PM EST

Location : North Market Street North Market Street -Berwick, PA 18603

Over One Mile of Beautiful Christmas Decorations and Animated Characters

About this Event : Berwick's Annual Christmas Boulevard tradition is held the Month of December to Thousands of visitors. Santa will be there until Christmas Eve greeting the families with cheerful smiles. This is the oldest and one of the most beautiful Christmas Light shows in Pennsylvania. The boulevard made the top ten events in PA for its extravaganza. All lights, trees, characters can be viewed from the warmth of your car. So grab some hot chocolate and come Santa.

Weekends traffic is extremely heavy, Monday thru Thursday right at opening is the best times to enjoy this wonderful event.

### Hersheypark Christmas Candylane

We've decked the halls with more than 5 million lights for the most merry event of the year, Hersheypark Christmas Candylane®! Join us for your favorite rides and coasters, a visit with Santa, festive Hershey Character experiences, and more. Plus, for the first time ever, explore Hershey's

Chocolatetown in the winter!

Holiday Rides & Coasters

Oh what fun it is to ride! Enjoy holiday thrills on your favorite rides and coasters including the all-new Candymonium , Laff Trakk, Sidewinder , Wild Mouse, Wildcat, and Cocoa Cruiser. View Rides

More Lights Than Ever

More than 5 million twinkling lights deck the halls of Hersheypark® in celebration of the season! Get in the holiday spirit with our guests' favorite show, NOEL, featuring more than 250,000 lights dancing to classic holiday tunes. Then, stop by the Kissmas Tree display, see our iconic Kisses Fountain decked out in its holiday best, take a festive photo with your favorite Hershey Characters, and more.

Santa & His Reindeer

Did you know Santa and all 9 of his reindeer make a special stop at Hersheypark Christmas Candylane® event each year? Plus, enjoy an up-close look at your favorite reindeer, including Rudolph, at Santa's Reindeer Stables complete with newly expanded viewing platform.

New! Hershey's Chocolatetown

Explore the all-new Hershey's Chocolatetown, home to our biggest coaster ever, Candymonium, our historic Carrousel, the iconic Kisses Fountain, Starbucks, and more.



**Penns Peak**



**Dustin Douglas - Winter Encore Series -**

**Join us for our indoor, socially distanced entertainment – Winter  
Encore Series!**

**Thursday evening events will take place in Roadies Restaurant and Bar from 5:30pm to 7:30pm.**

**F.M. Kirby Center**

**Art Garfunkel In Close-Up in Wilkes Barre - December 4, 2020, Friday - 8:00 PM**

**Scranton Cultural Center**

**Visit our Facebook Page or YouTube Channel for live-streamed entertainment starting  
at 7:00 PM!**

**Virtual Underground Microphone - December 1, 2020 @ 7:00 PM – 8:00 PM**

**Virtual Underground Microphone - December 8, 2020 @ 7:00 PM – 8:00 PM**

**Virtual Underground Microphone - December 15, 2020 @ 7:00 PM – 8:00 PM**

**Virtual Underground Microphone - December 22, 2020 @ 7:00 PM – 8:00 PM**

**Knoebles, Elysburg**

**Joy Through the Grove – our newest holiday experience.**

**Join Santa, Kozmo and friends and enjoy a drive through Christmas light display!**

**The drive through light display will be open nightly, which will conclude the first week of January.**

**Cost: \$15 per vehicle, Monday - Thursday (5:30PM-9PM).**

**\$20 per vehicle, Friday - Sunday (5:30PM-10PM).**

**\$30 per FULL SIZED vehicle (9-12 passengers) nightly.**

**Please, no buses or motor coaches permitted.**

**Dec 1, 2020 Dec 2, 2020 Dec 3, 2020 Dec 4, 2020 Dec 5, 2020 Dec 6, 2020 Dec 7, 2020 Dec 8, 2020 Dec 9,  
2020 Dec 10, 2020 Dec 11, 2020 Dec 12, 2020 Dec 13, 2020 Dec 14, 2020**

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**Dec 20, 2020 Dec 21, 2020 Dec 22, 2020 Dec 23, 2020 Dec 26, 2020 Dec 27, 2020**

**Dec 28, 2020 Dec 29, 2020 Dec 30, 2020 Dec 31, 2020**



Winter "Do's & Don'ts"



Remember:

When the snowflakes start flying, please keep in mind a few do's and don'ts:

- Do keep access to your mailbox cleared for postal service; this is the responsibility of the resident.
- Do not shovel or snow plow onto the road.
- Do not park on the street during snow removal time.

Mailboxes:

The Beech Mountain Lakes Association Inc. Snow Plow Contractor will only repair or replace mailboxes or posts that are actually struck by the plow blade. Usually a paint mark or tire tracks from the truck will be evidence of the mailbox or post actually being hit by the plow.

The Beech Mountain Lakes Association Inc. Snow Plow Contractor will not repair or replace mailboxes or posts that are damaged or fall over from the force of plowed snow and are not directly hit by the plow.

Mailboxes and supporting posts must be strong enough and installed in such a way to withstand the weight and force of snow removal including the force of snow pushed from the streets onto the side of the road.

Contact the Beech Mountain Lakes Association Inc. Administration office if you have a damaged mailbox.

Cars Parked on Roads - Do Not Park on the Street

Beech Mountain Lakes Association Inc. has the responsibility of clearing the Associations roads of snow and ice from winter storms. Beech Mountain Lakes Association Inc. takes this responsibility seriously since it is for the safety and welfare of our residents and children.

In order to assist the Snow Plowing Contractor during snow removal, we suggest the following:

- Do not park in the street The snow plows are unable to perform their jobs properly with a vehicle in their way.
- Do not shovel or plow snow from your driveway or walkway into the street, this creates a hazardous condition for all vehicles.
- If your vehicle should become stuck in the snow, do not abandon it in the roadway. Please contact a tow truck company.
- When following a salt truck, keep a safe distance. Expect trucks to make sudden stops or turns while in the operation of snow removal.

During Snow Storms, Please Drive Safely. Make sure to leave early and give yourself plenty of time to get to your destination, so that you can take your time during winter conditions.

# Word Search

Find the following words.

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**Christmas**  
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# Mr. Snowman!



Let's build a snowman! First we need to have a really \_\_\_\_\_ snowstorm, of course on a \_\_\_\_\_ day. Watching all that \_\_\_\_\_ snow fall makes me \_\_\_\_\_ for a bowl of \_\_\_\_\_! \_\_\_\_\_ it's still \_\_\_\_\_ and there's alot of it! Let's go! Next is \_\_\_\_\_ to go out in the cold. Once that is done, we need to get busy. We make a \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ it in the \_\_\_\_\_. It gets so \_\_\_\_\_ we can't roll it anymore. Then we do \_\_\_\_\_ more and stack them on top of each other. We \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ in the driveway for the \_\_\_\_\_, eyes and \_\_\_\_\_. Mom gives us a scarf, hat and \_\_\_\_\_ to complete Mr. \_\_\_\_\_. \_\_\_\_\_ he's done! Finally. Now the best part, \_\_\_\_\_.



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# FREEFORM DAYS OF CHRISTMAS

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DEC 1-25  FREEFORM

<b>DECEMBER 1</b>	8:30p/7:30c	Dr. Seuss' How the Grinch Stole Christmas (2000)	<b>DECEMBER 12</b>	4:50p/3:50c 6:50p/5:50c 8:55p/7:55c	Disney and Pixar's Toy Story Disney and Pixar's Toy Story 2 Disney and Pixar's Toy Story 3
<b>DECEMBER 2</b>	6:25p/5:25c 8:30p/7:30c 12a/11c	The Santa Clause The Santa Clause 2 The Santa Clause 3: The Escape Clause	<b>DECEMBER 13</b>	7:15p/6:15c 9:25p/8:25c 11:55p/10:55c	The Santa Clause The Santa Clause 2 The Santa Clause 3: The Escape Clause
<b>DECEMBER 3</b>	6p/5c 8:30p/7:30c	Home Alone Home Alone 2: Lost in New York	<b>DECEMBER 14</b>	8:30p/7:30c	Dr. Seuss' How the Grinch Stole Christmas (2000)
<b>DECEMBER 4</b>	9:15p/8:15c	Dr. Seuss' How the Grinch Stole Christmas (2000)	<b>DECEMBER 15</b>	8:25p/7:25c	Disney's A Christmas Carol
<b>DECEMBER 5</b>	6:35p/5:35c 7:40p/6:40c 8:45p/7:45c	Santa Claus Is Comin' to Town Rudolph the Red-Nosed Reindeer Frosty the Snowman	<b>DECEMBER 16</b>	6:25p/5:25c	The Santa Clause 2
<b>DECEMBER 6</b>	6:45p/5:45c 9:15p/8:15c	Home Alone Home Alone 2: Lost in New York	<b>DECEMBER 17</b>	6p/5c 8:30p/7:30c	Home Alone Home Alone 2: Lost in New York
<b>DECEMBER 7</b>	3:30p/2:30c 6:30p/5:30c	Love Actually The Santa Clause	<b>DECEMBER 18</b>	9p/8c	Dr. Seuss' The Grinch (2018) <i>(Freeform Premiere)</i>
<b>DECEMBER 8</b>	8:20p/7:20c	Almost Christmas <i>(Freeform Premiere)</i>	<b>DECEMBER 19</b>	6:35p/5:35c 8:40p/7:40c	Dr. Seuss' The Grinch (2018) Dr. Seuss' How the Grinch Stole Christmas (2000)
<b>DECEMBER 9</b>	4p/3c 6p/5c	The Star (2017) <i>(Freeform Premiere)</i> Home Alone	<b>DECEMBER 20</b>	7:45p/6:45c 10:15p/9:15c	Home Alone Home Alone 2: Lost in New York
<b>DECEMBER 10</b>	7p/6c	The Nightmare Before Christmas	<b>DECEMBER 21</b>	9p/8c	The Santa Clause 3: The Escape Clause
<b>DECEMBER 11</b>	11:55p/10:55c	Daddy's Home 2 <i>(Freeform Premiere)</i>	<b>DECEMBER 22</b>	10:20p/9:20c	The Night Before <i>(Freeform Premiere)</i>
			<b>DECEMBER 23</b>	8:10p/7:10c 10:50p/9:50c 11:55p/10:55c	Dr. Seuss' How the Grinch Stole Christmas (2000) Santa Claus Is Comin' to Town Prancer Returns
			<b>DECEMBER 24</b>	8:15p/7:15c 8:50p/7:50c 9:55p/8:55c	Frosty the Snowman Rudolph the Red-Nosed Reindeer Santa Claus Is Comin' to Town
			<b>DECEMBER 25</b>	6p/5c 8:30p/7:30c	Home Alone Home Alone 2: Lost in New York

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