



# Lake Shawnee News

## MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT JULY/AUGUST 2021

Welcome to the start of our summer season!

Lifeguarding started full time at the 1st beach and Tuesday, Thursday, and weekends at the 3rd beach on June 19th. We are a bit light this year on guards and could use a few more; if you know anyone looking for a job, they can contact Kristen Iaconetti. There may be some days that we have no guards available, especially at 3rd beach. As always, the primary responsibility for waterfront safety is the swimmer and for our younger swimmer, the parent.

As we usually do, this time of year brings some rule reminders! All make Lake Shawnee an enjoyable place to live & play!

Please make sure you and your guests have badges or wristbands (for members only) when on Club property. Boat and car stickers should be displayed, as well. Doing so will help avoid any confusion and make it easier for Matt, our beach security, to do his job.

Each year we have issues with members and guests clearing the beach & property during thunder & lightning storms. Clearing the property is not a choice; it is part of our waterfront safety policy & procedure manual. If there is thunder, the water gets cleared; if there is lightning, the beach & property gets cleared, meaning you seek shelter in a car or building. No questions asked, please! Not sure why each year our guards seem to get a hard time from someone questioning the policy. This is for your safety!

Firework displays on Club property are prohibited. We will have extra security patrols on July 4th weekend to monitor. Please be courteous of your neighbors and their animals.

A couple of standing rule reminders, especially for our newer members. Please be sure your guests are aware, as well: it is your responsibility to inform them. You must use a koozie or other foam insulator when using glass bottles on our properties. This rule is simply for the protection and safety of all with bare feet running around should the bottle fall and break on the ground. The Club has a carry-in carry out policy for personal trash (including plastic bottles!!) on all Club properties. Our kids are the biggest culprit when it comes to leaving items around the property, so parents, if you give them a snack or drink, please monitor. I usually find lots of juice boxes and wrappers by the playground. Please review all our standing rules to avoid any confusion and make it an enjoyable season for all. All of our standing rules are posted on our webpage <https://www.lakeshawneeclub.org/members> (password:shawnee)

Our night security patrols will begin on July 4th, and I ask that all our residents and members do their part in making LS a safe and secure place to live. If you see suspicious persons or activity, please report to our local police. Every member has the right and obligation to question persons on Club property to inquire if they are members.

Enjoy the start of summer.

Eric Wilsusen

Club President

[ericwilsusen@lakeshawneeclub.org](mailto:ericwilsusen@lakeshawneeclub.org)



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### Highlights:

**July 13, 27 &  
Aug. 17, 7:00pm  
Ice Cream Social**

**July 15, 10:30am  
Zumbini**

**July 22 & Aug. 10  
7:00pm  
3rd Beach  
Story Time**

**July 23, 1:00pm  
Kid's Biathlon**

**July 23, 7:00pm  
Trivia Night**

**Aug. 6, 1:00pm  
Pirate Day**

**Aug. 14, 8:30pm  
Movie Night**

**The Lake Shawnee Clubhouse is located at 4 West Shawnee Trail Wharton NJ 07885**

**For Club Business and Rentals please contact our Office Manager,**

**Lisa Peter at 973-663-1307 or [officemanager@lakeshawneeclub.org](mailto:officemanager@lakeshawneeclub.org)**

**The Office is open during the hours of 8:30am-12pm on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday**

## **Board of Governors**

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**Newspaper Deadline 15th of the month prior to printing.**

**Interested in placing an ad in the LSC News go to  
[www.lakeshawneeclub.org/clubhouse.html](http://www.lakeshawneeclub.org/clubhouse.html)**



## **CLUB HOUSE RENTALS**

### **Rates and Terms**

**Members only**

**Full Day Rental: \$250**

**A deposit of \$200 and a signed agreement are required to secure your rental date.**

**Call 973-663-1307**

**Board Meetings are held on the first Friday of every month.**

**All members welcome!!**

**Visit our website frequently for the most up to date information:**

**[www.lakeshawneeclub.org](http://www.lakeshawneeclub.org)**

**[www.facebook.com/groups/lakeshawneeclub](https://www.facebook.com/groups/lakeshawneeclub)**



# Social Committee Events



**Social Committee:** Please join us at the clubhouse with any new ideas you might have. Our next meeting dates are **July 6th and August 3rd at 7pm**. If you can lend a hand at any of our events it would be greatly appreciated. Please email Kristen White or Ruth Kuhl at [social@lakeshawneeclub.org](mailto:social@lakeshawneeclub.org) if you plan on attending or if you have any questions.

**75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration:** Please join us at the clubhouse – 6:30pm – prior to each monthly social committee meeting to discuss ideas and plans for our upcoming 75<sup>th</sup> LSC Anniversary celebration scheduled to be held in October 2022. Please email Kristen White or Ruth Kuhl at [social@lakeshawneeclub.org](mailto:social@lakeshawneeclub.org) if you plan on attending or if you have any questions.

**Shawnee Seniors Club:** Our Shawnee Seniors Club meets **every other Wednesday at 1pm** at the clubhouse. The club is open to all Seniors Age 55 and older. Coffee and snacks will be served.

**Baby and Me Playgroup:** Bring the kids down to the Clubhouse to meet Moms and children of similar ages. Playgroup meets **every other Friday at 10:00am**. Pre-K and under. Please contact the social committee at [social@lakeshawneeclub.org](mailto:social@lakeshawneeclub.org) if you plan to attend.

**New!!The TLC Club:** Neighbors Connecting with Neighbors. The mission of the Lake Shawnee TLC (tender, loving care) Club is to bring companionship and friendship to our Lake Shawnee neighbors. There is no better place to do this than right here in Lake Shawnee. If you are interested in being a part of this club email Adrienne Najjar-Keith and Kristine Wilsusen at [lakeshawneetc@gmail.com](mailto:lakeshawneetc@gmail.com). If you, yourself or if you know anyone in our Lake Shawnee family who would benefit from a TLC visitor bringing friendship and companionship, please email [lakeshawneetc@gmail.com](mailto:lakeshawneetc@gmail.com)

**Yoga at Third Beach:** Join resident and certified Yoga trainers in a gentle, hatha flow practice; breathing, moving and meditating. Sessions will be held on **Saturdays at 9am, running June 26<sup>th</sup> – August 28<sup>th</sup>**. There is a \$10 fee per class. Please bring a mat or beach towel. Contact [social@lakeshawneeclub.org](mailto:social@lakeshawneeclub.org) with any questions. (See ad in the newsletter!)

**Ice Cream Social Nights:** Who doesn't love ice cream?? Stop by the clubhouse at **7pm on Tuesdays July 13<sup>th</sup>, July 27<sup>th</sup> and August 17<sup>th</sup>**. Enjoy a pre-packaged ice cream treat or ice pop to be followed by a few games of Bingo. All ages welcome.

**Children's Storytime:** Come join us for an evening of magical wonder as we read a story followed by a craft and snack. Dress in your jammies and bring your imaginations and blankets. Story time will be on **Thursday, July 22<sup>nd</sup> and Tuesday, August 10<sup>th</sup>, 7pm at 3rd beach**. While we invite ages 2-6 to attend, children of all ages are certainly welcome! Hope to see you there!

**Zumbini:** Calling all Little Ones!! Come join us **Thursday, July 15<sup>th</sup> - 10:30am** - at the clubhouse for a fun-filled interactive Zumbini class - ages 2-6!! The cost is \$5 per child and \$3 for each additional child. The class will be 30 minutes (outdoors) and 45 minutes (indoors). If you are interested in signing up your little one, email [social@lakeshawneeclub.org](mailto:social@lakeshawneeclub.org) to reserve your spot!

**Kid's Bi-Athlon** – Come join us for our Annual Kid's Bi-Athlon on **Friday, July 23<sup>rd</sup> at 1pm** on First Beach! This event is open to children of all ages. We'll start with a warm up, followed by a super fun color war! Participants will then race around the clubhouse grounds and then swim a length in the lanes. You will be rewarded for your efforts!!


**Trivia Night** – **Friday, July 23<sup>rd</sup> – 7pm** – at the Clubhouse. (Doors open at 6:30pm) Come join us for a free night of brain testing fun! Form a team of 4-6 or join one that night. BYOB and a snack for your table. Contact [social@lakeshawneeclub.org](mailto:social@lakeshawneeclub.org) if you would like to sign up. (See ad in the newsletter for more details!)

**Argh! It's Pirate Day!! Kid's Beach Activities-** **Friday, August 6th - 1pm** at First Beach. Come in your favorite Pirate gear and we'll have a pirate adventure, searching for buried treasure and sailing the high seas of Lake Shawnee.

**First Beach Movie Night:** Race over to First Beach for our last movie night of the season, on **Saturday August 14<sup>th</sup> at 8:30pm**. Movie to be determined at a later date! And, as always, we'll pop the popcorn; you bring your beach chairs and beverage of choice. Children under 18 must be accompanied by an adult.

*Mark Your Calendar!!*  
**End of Season Surf & Turf Bash!**  
**Saturday, September 4th at 1pm**  
*Check out the ad in this newsletter for more details.*

# July 2021

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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# August 2021

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## **Summary of the Lake Shawnee Club Board Meetings May 7, 2021**

Prior to the monthly meeting, the Board held their annual New Member Mixer, which was well attended by new residents from the past two years; last year's event was cancelled due to Covid-19 restrictions.

The Board discussed the recently held Annual Meeting, which went well although a little longer than expected. It took a while to get the quorum needed and to explain the new ballot voting to the members in attendance.

Social Committee is excited to get back to normal this summer with all their events in full swing. Poker Night is scheduled for Saturday, May 22, and the Lake Yard Sale on May 22<sup>nd</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup>. The 75<sup>TH</sup> Anniversary planning meetings are being held each month at 6:30pm prior to each Social Committee meeting; they plan to hold the event in October 2022, and they are currently contacting venues. Community Day will be held on June 26<sup>th</sup> including softball, kickball, and Scoot on Down performing.

The Lake has been surveyed recently and is starting to wake up and warm up. In addition, the geese eggs by Beaver Cove have been added; the parents have abandoned the nest leaving 9 rotted eggs. The pair are looking for a new nest, so they will be vigilant with their efforts. There will be a total survey of the lake next week as things begin to warm up to monitor weed growth. We have had two years of low milfoil, but tape grass was a big problem last year.

There was a good turnout on Spring Workday and all the planned projects were completed.

It was noted that there is a shortage of lifeguards this year. Ads have been placed in the newsletter, as well as through email blasts and social media looking for new guards.

There are several upcoming Bass Fishing contests coming in the next few months.

Completed projects on properties included installing new paddle board racks at White's Cove.

The Board voted to approve the finalized Alternate Dispute Resolution Policy, which will be posted on the Club's website.

The Board voted to approve the purchase of photos for the Clubhouse on sound deadening canvases to address the acoustical issues in the new space. The photos were selected from the Social Committee's photo contest.

The Board voted to approve the purchase of new basketball hoops for 2<sup>nd</sup> Beach.

New landscaping at the Clubhouse was discussed including the planting of a tree to honor Ms. Marilyn White, whose donation to the Club to make the Clubhouse handicap accessible made the renovation possible. The Board voted to approve the expense for the landscaping project.

## **June 4, 2021**

The Social Committee is excited to begin their summer activities including a kids biology workshop, Movie Night on the 11<sup>th</sup> featuring Soul, and Wine Tasting on the 12<sup>th</sup>. The Seniors continue to meet every other Wednesday with 10 members present at each meeting and Trivia Night is coming back in July.

The Lake Shawnee Scholarship winners were announced - the three winners were all Lake Shawnee residents (Abby Kuntz, Thomas Edge, and Shayla Fisher). This year each was awarded a \$500 scholarship. Funds for the scholarships are primarily obtained from the Lake Shawnee Superhero 3-6-9, which has been postponed since March 2020. They plan to hold the race sometime in the fall if social distancing guidelines allow.

The lake was surveyed last week, and they found milfoil and filamentous algae at North End. Lilies are in the usual spots; they will monitor so they don't get out of control. The current lake temperature is 63, with a good DO and PH. The rain helps to keep the temperatures down and washes away the filamentous algae. As the lake heats up, the weeds will start to grow, so they need to be vigilant.

Summer Night Security patrols will begin at the end of the month.

It was reported that we are short on guards this year; we had 18 guards last year, and currently only 10 this year. Fifteen to sixteen guards are optimal for the season. It was noted we may not be able to staff 3<sup>rd</sup> Beach and may even lose guards at 1<sup>st</sup> Beach during the season.

Last weekend's bass fishing contest was rescheduled for tomorrow due to the rain.

Swim Team registration was held on May 15<sup>th</sup>, and they currently have 45 swimmers with only one senior and lots of 8 and unders. The swim season runs from June 30- August 7<sup>th</sup>. The Swim Team Board made a slight change – Ms. Chrissy Cumberton, Secretary and Ms. Julie White, Parent Liaison. The coaches are looking to install a platform on the docks to assist with training and teaching diving and the team plans to host a "Sam Swim" during the season to honor Sam Iversen, who underwent multi-organ transplant last year.

Recent projects on Club properties include staining of the underside of the Clubhouse deck, work on the handicap parking at the Clubhouse has begun, sound deadening photo canvases have been ordered for the Clubhouse, the men's room toilet has been repaired, summer items were installed by the guards at First Beach, replacement of rotting boards on the dock at 2<sup>nd</sup> Beach, installation of boards on the new kayak racks at 2<sup>nd</sup> Beach, and painting of the picnic tables at 3<sup>rd</sup> Beach.

Upcoming projects on Club properties include replace or repair ladies' room toilets, install speakers, TV, wireless internet and cameras at the Clubhouse, landscaping at the Clubhouse including a tree to honor Ms. Marilyn White and a tree donated by Mr. Al Gazdalski; a plaque will be ordered for the tree for Ms. White, installation of new basketball hoops at 2<sup>nd</sup> Beach, removal of dead trees at North End and other Club properties, and repairs of steps and railing at 2<sup>nd</sup> Beach.

The Snack Shack will open the end of June and is looking for volunteers. They are also looking to replace the extra freezer lost last season from the Swim Team.



All are welcome!

# Yoga at Third Beach

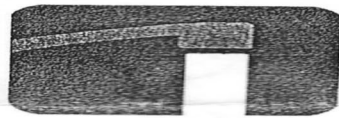
Join Certified Yoga Instructors in a gentle,  
hatha flow practice; breathing, moving  
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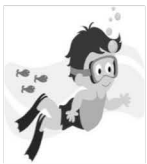
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## Swim Lessons

Swim testing June 28<sup>th</sup>-July 2<sup>nd</sup> at 10:00am  
each day for ages 3-7.

Please bring your child/children to ONE  
swim test that week. The guards will test your child and  
we will give you the days of their lessons. Mon/Wed/Fri  
is for the older/more experienced swimmers (10-11am).

Tues/Thurs lessons for the younger/newer swimmers,  
split into two 30-minute sessions (10:00 and 10:30).  
Lessons run July 5<sup>th</sup>- August 13th. This year, we are  
keeping registration to members and their immediate  
family members at no charge.

Contact Kristen laconetti for any questions.



**VOLUNTEERS DO NOT  
NECESSARILY HAVE THE TIME;  
THEY JUST HAVE THE HEART.**

ELIZABETH ANDREW

Got Ideas? Looking to Get Involved?  
Social Committee Needs You!

Monthly Meetings at the Clubhouse  
Tuesday, July 6<sup>th</sup> at 7pm  
Tuesday, August 3<sup>rd</sup> at 7pm

Please contact [social@lakeshawneeclub.org](mailto:social@lakeshawneeclub.org)  
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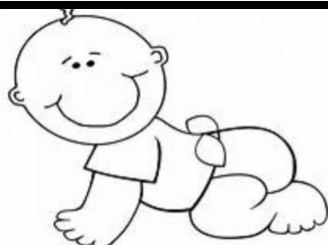
### **TEXAS HOLD 'EM** **May 12th Winners**

1. Mike Grieco
2. John Swayze
3. Kevin Scanlon
4. Bob Genung
5. Rob Filowitz



### **Ice Cream Social Nights** **7pm on Tuesdays July 13<sup>th</sup>, July 27<sup>th</sup>** **and August 17<sup>th</sup>**

Enjoy a pre-packaged ice cream treat or ice pop to be followed by a few games of Bingo.  
All ages welcome.



### **Baby and Me Playgroup**

Meet every other **Friday** at **10:00am**  
Pre-K and under

Contact the Social Committee at [social@lakeshawneeclub.org](mailto:social@lakeshawneeclub.org) if you plan to attend.



### **Shawnee Seniors Club**

Meet **every other Wednesday** at **1pm**

The club is open to all Seniors Age 55 and older.

Contact the Social Committee at [social@lakeshawneeclub.org](mailto:social@lakeshawneeclub.org) if you plan to attend.



### **Calling all Little Ones!!**

Come join us for a fun-filled interactive Zumbini class for ages 2-6!!

Thursday, July 15<sup>th</sup>  
10:30am at the Clubhouse!

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If you are interested in signing up your little one,  
email [social@lakeshawneeclub.org](mailto:social@lakeshawneeclub.org) to reserve your spot!



Introducing .....  
**The Tender Loving Care Club**  
***Neighbors Connecting with Neighbors***

The mission of the Lake Shawnee TLC (tender, loving care) Club is to bring companionship and friendship to our Lake Shawnee neighbors. There is no better place to do this than right here in Lake Shawnee.

If you are interested in being a part of this club email Adrienne Najjar-Keith and Kristine Wilsusen at [lakeshawneetlc@gmail.com](mailto:lakeshawneetlc@gmail.com)

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If you, yourself or if you know anyone in our Lake Shawnee family who would benefit from a TLC visitor bringing friendship and companionship, please email [lakeshawneetlc@gmail.com](mailto:lakeshawneetlc@gmail.com)



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Travel is picking up for the end of this year and 2022.

Cruises are already filling up. It is a good time to think about your next vacation. Give us a call.



## **The Social Committee is Seeking Volunteers**

In order to ensure the success and continuation of this year's events, we need more volunteers to come out and lend a hand. Without increased involvement, we will be forced to cancel events that we have all come to love. A large commitment isn't necessary. We are asking members to sign up to chair an event(s). New ideas are always welcome. We will also share experiences and help you every step of the way. Unfortunately, if we do not get people to chair more events, they may be cancelled. So grab some friends, pick an event and let's work together to make 2021 an exceptional year!! If you are interested, please email [social@lakeshawneeclub.org](mailto:social@lakeshawneeclub.org)



### **Kid's Bi-Athlon- First Beach**

**Friday, July 23<sup>rd</sup> at 1pm**

Open to children of all ages.

Warm up - Color War - Run - Swim

You will be rewarded for your efforts!!

\*Participants need to swim to complete the race\*



### **Children's Storytime**

**Thursday, July 22nd & Tuesday, August 10<sup>th</sup>,  
7pm at 3rd Beach**

Come join us for a story followed by a craft and snack.

Dress in your jammies and bring your imaginations and blankets.

While we invite ages 2-6 to attend, children of all ages are certainly welcome!



# ? Trivia Night ?

July 23, 2021      7pm sharp

Come join us for a FREE night of brain testing\* fun. Form a team of 4 - 6 or join one that night.

BYOB & a snack for your table.

LSC members/guests   Adults 21 & up.

Door prizes & Grand prize.

Doors open 6:30

RSVP; [social@lakeshawneeclub.org](mailto:social@lakeshawneeclub.org)





## 2021 LS Tribe Swim Meet Schedule

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|                                     |                   |                                 |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------|---------------------------------|
| June 30 <sup>th</sup>               | Wednesday         | @ Roxbury                       |
| July 7 <sup>th</sup>                | Wednesday         | @ Lake Forest                   |
| July 10 <sup>th</sup>               | Saturday (Home)   | Vs. Randolph Park               |
| July 12 <sup>th</sup> – Ribbon Meet | Monday (Home)     | @ Lake Shawnee                  |
| July 14 <sup>th</sup>               | Wednesday (Home)  | Vs. Mt. Olive Pirates           |
| July 17 <sup>th</sup>               | Saturday (Home)   | Vs. Cranberry Lake              |
| July 19 <sup>th</sup>               | Monday (Home)     | Vs. Park Lakes                  |
| July 24 <sup>th</sup>               | Saturday          | @ Saffins Pond                  |
| July 26 <sup>th</sup>               | Monday (Home)     | Vs. Shongum                     |
| July 31 <sup>st</sup>               | Saturday          | Silver Invitational<br>@Roxbury |
| August 5 <sup>th</sup> & 7th        | Thursday/Saturday | Trials/Finals<br>@Roxbury       |

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**Argh! It's Pirate Day!!**  
**Kid's Beach Activities**

**1pm on First Beach.**  
**Friday, August 6th**

Come in your favorite Pirate gear and we'll have a pirate adventure!



**Movie Night**

**Saturday, August 14<sup>th</sup> at 8:30pm**

Movie selection to be determined! We'll pop the popcorn; you bring your beach chairs and beverage of choice. Children under 18 must be accompanied by an adult.



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**WE WANT YOU!**  
**TO PLAY LIVE MUSIC**

**Calling All Musicians:**

**Lake Shawnee Club is interested in hosting some live music events (jams, open mic nights, etc). If you are interested in playing some music (or if you have another talent you would like to share), please email us at [social@lakeshawneeclub.org](mailto:social@lakeshawneeclub.org)**



## ASK JEFF

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### CONSERVING WATER

To continue our discussion on water, I would like to offer some tips on conserving it. We know where it comes from and how much we use, so how much can we save by doing the little things we do every day? These are some suggestions:

**Washing Hands** - We all do it many times a day, especially during Covid. While lathering up, shut the water off. It is estimated we can save at least 2 gallons of water a day by doing this

**Dishwasher**- Only run it when it is full and try NOT to wash plates thoroughly before placing in the washer. Take a napkin or sponge and wipe off all food matter and then place in the washer.

**Brushing teeth** - Try not to leave the faucet running while brushing your teeth. It is a habit but an easy habit to break.

**Low flow shower heads and low flush toilets** - Normal shower heads can use up to six gallons a minute, but there are very effective ones that can use only 1.6 gallons a minute. I have these on all my shower heads, and they still provide a great shower. Cost is about \$15.

Low flow toilets are another way to save a huge amount of water. A standard toilet can use up to 5 gallons of water. Low flow toilets use 1.6 gallons, and they work extremely well. I am not advising you to go out and spend \$300 on a toilet, but when it's time to get a new toilet perhaps you can try the "low flow" models which work very well.

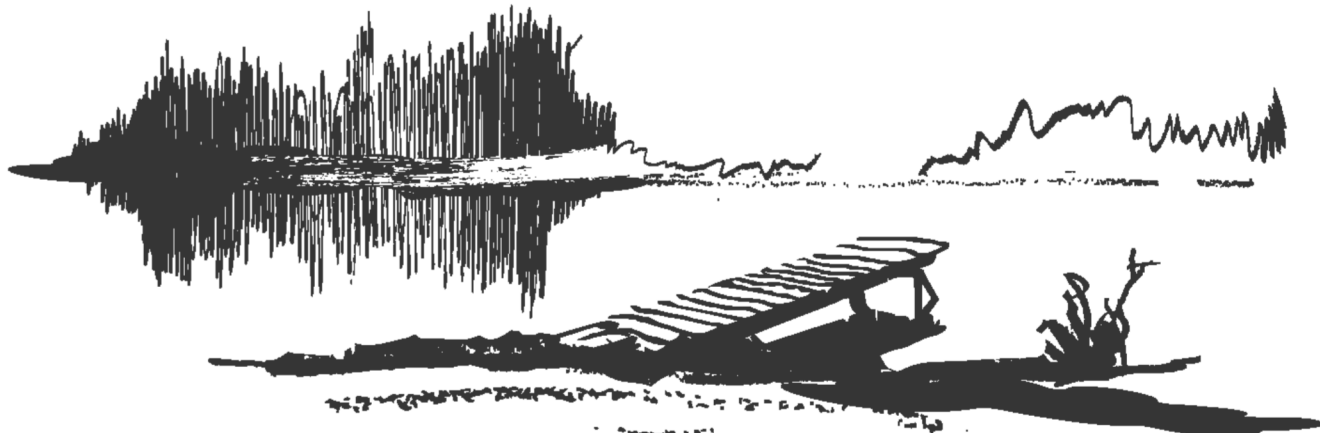
**Saving water while waiting for hot water** - This a little bit of work but it's worth it. You can waste at least 1 gallon of water waiting for the hot water to be ready every time you turn on the water to take a shower or wash your hands. By now you probably think I am a little bit crazy but keep a container near your shower or in the sink and just fill it while waiting. Then that water can be used to water your plants in the house and outside. I know it sounds like work, but it is effective, will help to conserve water and eventually it will become a habit.

Just remember --- the water that is running is potable water that you or someone else can drink. Instead, it is running into the drain and gone. Potable water is precious, and we should respect and conserve it.

I am asking you to try some of these measures to help conserve water. We all can save at least 10 gallons a day by doing these simple practical things.

Thank you and remember "It takes a village" and we all have to do our part to save water and protect our Mother (Earth).

**Share the lake. Share the road.  
Enjoy your summer!**



## **Slow Down Shawnee!**

The group's purpose is to increase safety for pedestrian and vehicle traffic along Shawnee Trails.

Other ideas are being explored. This takes time, research, education, and persistence.  
If you would like to get involved, please join the Facebook group, Slow Down Shawnee, and help make our community safer. Next meeting to be announced on our Facebook page.

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# You did it! *Congratulations*

The Lake Shawnee Scholarship Committee is happy to announce the recipients of the 2021 Lake Shawnee Club Scholarship.

Our scholarship is solely funded with 100% of the proceeds from our annual Lake Shawnee Super Hero 3-6-9 Race.

Our race has been had to be postponed due to COVID-19 restrictions since March 2020.

We do plan to host the event again in the fall of 2021 – keep posted for details!!

However, due to our generous sponsors and other donations, we were able to give \$500 to each of these 3 deserving Lake Shawnee residents.

*Thomas Edge, Abby Kuntz and Shayla Fisher*

Congratulations to our winners and to all the graduates.

Best of Luck to the Class of 2021

## 2021 Lake Shawnee Bass Fishing Contests



### **CONTEST 1**

May 29 - Saturday  
6:30 am to 12:30 pm

### **CONTEST 2**

June 5 - Saturday  
6:30 am to 12:30 pm

### **CONTEST 3**

July 17 - Saturday  
6:30 am to 12:30 pm

### **CONTEST 4**

August 14 - Saturday  
6:30 am to 12:30 pm

### **CONTEST 5**

September 11 - Saturday  
6:30 am to 12:30 pm



**\$10 for LSC members / \$15 Guests / \$5 Big Bass Pool**



## BEACH RULES

Current I.D. badges must be displayed while on all Club properties.

There is a 10 PM curfew on all Club properties.

Swim at your own risk when lifeguards are not on duty or not present.

Pets are not allowed on first or third beach properties from Memorial Day to Labor Day while other members are present. Owners are responsible for cleanup of their pets at all times. ***Dog owners are responsible to control their dogs at all times when utilizing all Club properties.***

Children on Club properties under the age of 12, must be directly supervised by a parent or other responsible person who is at least 14 years old.

Unprotected glass containers are prohibited on beach properties. Glass containers when utilized must be in a protective or insulating container to prevent breakage.

Bicycles or motorized vehicles are not permitted on the beaches.

All trash and personal possessions must be removed from Club properties daily.

No sitting or hanging on the swim ropes or swim lanes.

When guards are on duty, swimmers are not permitted to go outside the designated swim area. The swim area shall be determined by the lifeguards.

No rough play, pushing or shoving.

No swimming under the rafts or docks.

One person at a time on any ladders.

Smoking of tobacco products including e-cigarettes is prohibited on Club properties as follows:

- 1) First Beach property inclusive of the beach, playground, picnic, and swim dock area,
- 2) Second Beach inclusive of the entire upper level playground/basketball area.



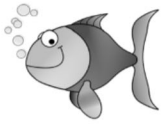
The authority of the lifeguards and security persons shall be respected. The lifeguards have the right to remove anyone from the property for not following the rules or acting in an unsafe or disrespectful manner.

### **Lake Shawnee Boat Usage and Storage Policy**

1. Boats are defined as any vessel including but not limited to any row boat, patio/deck boat, sailboat, canoe, paddle boat, kayak, paddle board or other watercraft.
2. All boats utilized on the lake or stored on any Club property are required to obtain a Club issued boat decal. Boat decals are valid through April 1st following a Presidential election year. The decal shall be valid for a period that does not exceed 4 years.
  - a. All Boat decals shall be affixed outside the vessel closest to the bow on either the port or starboard side.
  - b. Boats & watercraft cannot exceed 25 feet in length and cannot be capable of exceeding 15 mph.
  - c. Motorized boats must be electric powered only.
  - d. Member Guests launching boats on the lake shall have a guest badge in possession and present upon request.
  - e. Any boat & trailer launched into the lake must be clean and free of weeds.
3. Boats stored on Club Property:
  - a. Any member wishing to store a boat on Club property shall complete a boat storage permit at the Club Office. Storage permits will be issued on a first come first serve basis; assigned by property stored and valid for the requested property only. Before moving a boat to another club property, members must first obtain a new boat permit at the club office, if one is available for the new property. The old permit will then become invalid. If permits are not available for the desired property, the boat may not be moved. There is no additional charge for a boat storage permit. The Board may limit the number of boat storage permits available to a single household to ensure availability to the overall club membership. Limits will be posted in the Club Office. The Board may also rescind any permits that are unused by July 1st of any year in which the permit is valid, and re-allocate to a member in need of a permit.
  - b. Boats stored on Club property are to be stored on designated boat racks and in designated areas only. Boats stored outside the designated racks (e.g. on the ground) will be subject to removal from the property.
  - c. Boat owners storing boats on Club property are responsible to remove any water from boats within 48 hours of any rain event.
  - d. All boats are to be removed from Club property by November 1st of any Presidential election year and can be returned after April 1st once a new storage permit is obtained.
  - e. Sailboats may be moored not more than 25 feet off club property at White's Cove & Third Beach within designated areas.
  - f. Excluding sailboats, no boats are to be stored or left in the water off Club property for more than 24 hours.
  - g. At White's Cove only and with the permission of the Club, handicapped members as determined through a State Handicap Parking Permit, may leave their boat in water and/or request a closer/lower storage rack location. Provision 3c still applies.
4. Policy Compliance
  - a. Failure to comply with any section of this policy can result in loss of Club privileges as determined by the Board.
  - b. All boats utilized on the lake are required to comply with existing NJ State laws and regulations regarding boats & vessels.

# Annual LSC Surf & Turf Bash!

Saturday, September 4th - 1pm



**We'll use our Lake as the "SURF"**



## Kayak Races

Meet at Clubhouse Dock @ 4pm

## Paddle Board Races

Meet at the Clubhouse Dock @ 4:15pm

## Blow Up Raft Races

Meet at the Clubhouse Dock @ 4:30pm

No boogie boards or kick boards

No oars – hand & foot powered only

Adults and Children Welcome

Please bring your own boat or board.

All participants should have their own raft for the race.

Life Guards will be on duty until 8pm!



**We'll use our Beach as the "TURF"**



## Music, Games & Dancing

### Tie Dye Your Own LSC Tee from 2pm – 3pm

Plain White Lake Shawnee Club T-Shirts will be available for purchase

\$5 each - Adult & Children Sizes

Stations will be set up with Tie Dye Supplies

All children must be supervised by an adult



No food or beverages will be supplied by the Social Committee. Come and enjoy the activities and grill your own!  
Members and their guests are always welcomed!

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