

## Lake Shawnee News

The Lake Shawnee Board of Governors
Wishes you a Safe and Happy Summer Enjoying
our Beautiful Community with Friends & Family!!









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#### HIGHLIGHTS

July 10th & 31st 7:00pm Ice Cream Social

July 13th 1:00pm Argh! Pirate Day

July 24th 7:00pm Children's Story Time 3rd Beach

July 28th 6:30-9:30pm Karaoke Night

August 11th 8:30pm Movie Night

August 14th 7:00pm Ice Cream Social

August 24th 1:00pm



## 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

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

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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



#### **CLUB HOUSE RENTALS**

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Mon-Fri Only

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Call 973-663-1307

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

All members welcome!!

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www.lakeshawneeclub.org

www.facebook.com/groups/lakeshawneeclub

### MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT JULY/AUGUST, 2018

Looks like our summer season is finally now upon us and is in full swing. The lake and properties are looking awesome and our social and event calendar is packed for the summer.

Our first home swim meet is on Monday, July 2nd at 6 pm. Please come out and support the team and enjoy the Snack Shack. Our swim team numbers have been dwindling over the years and the swim team could always use some new members, so, if you have a child that has any interest please stop down to any practice to see if it is something they may want to participate in. Great job by Chris Iversen and all our swim team parents in getting the facilities in tip-top shape.

Great job, as always, by Bob Denbleyker and committee once again on a very successful 30th annual Lake Shawnee Swim Team golf outing. I would like to thank the Denbleyker's who have been running the outing for many years and this will be their last. Thank you!

Guarding started full time at 1st beach and Tuesday, Thursday and weekends at 3rd beach. Please make sure you are in possession of your badges, or wristband when on Club property. Boat and car stickers should be displayed, as well. Doing so will help to avoid any confusion and make it easier for Kristen to do her job.

As our summer season begins, a couple of reminders on our Club rules and please be sure your guests are aware; 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. A reminder of our no smoking policy at the 1st Beach grounds and playground area as well at the upper part of the 2nd Beach property and the Club has a carry in-carry out policy for personal trash (including plastic bottles) on all Club properties. I find 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.

Last, as a reminder, we require a party permit for parties of 7 or more non-member guests, max. of 20(not including members). This is so we can ensure we have enough guards on duty and to avoid conflicts with multiple parties, clubhouse rentals and/or club events on the same day so we don't overburden the facilities. Please call the office at least a week (7 days) prior, first come first serve. If you fail to obtain a permit prior, you may jeopardize having your party on that day so please call to avoid any issues.

These simple rules are in place the keep our properties clean & safe and so that all can enjoy.

Our night security patrols will begin on June 30th 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.

Update on our dam improvement project. We met with DEP a few months ago and are making some final touches on the plans. Not sure if we will have the final approvals back in time to get bids for fall construction. We are also in the process of obtaining quotes for our Clubhouse expansion and renovations. Once we have a better idea of the cost, I will be putting out more information to our members.

As many of our members know, we changed and updated out boat policy and in particular our boat storage policy on Club properties. We have been issuing permits only for the number of racks available as to keep the properties looking good and not have boats laying all over the place. A number of members took out storage permits have not yet placed a boat on property. If you do not intend to store a boat on Club property, please return the permit and we will issue a general boat permit. We have a number of members that would like to store their boat so we would appreciate your cooperation.

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Enjoy the start of Summer.

Eric Wilsusen

Club President

ericwilsusen@lakeshawneeclub.org

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### JULY

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDA	Y	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1	Swim Meet 6:00pm vs. Shongum	3		4	5	6 Baby & Me 10:00am	7
8	Ribbon Swim Meet 6:00pm	Card Game Night 6:30pm Ice Cream Social 7pm Social Committee Mtg. 7pm	Seniors 1:00pm	11	12	Baby & Me 10:00am Pirate Day 1:00pm Board Mtg. 7:00pm	Swim Meet 9:00am vs. Lake Forest
15	16	17	Swim Meet 6:00pm vs. Randolph Park	18	19	20 Baby & Me 10:00am	21
22	23	24 3rd Beach Story Time 7:00pm Swim Team Parent's Mtg 7:30pm	Seniors 1:00pm Swim Meet 6:00pm vs. Park Lake	25	26	27 Baby & Me 10:00am	28 Swim Meet 9:00am vs. Cranberry Lake Karaoke Night 6:30- 9:30pm
29	30	31 Ice Cream Social 7pm					



#### **AUGUST**

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	
			1	2	Baby & Me 10:30am Board Mtg 7:00pm	4	
5	6	7 Social Comm. Mtg. 7pm	Seniors 1pm	9 Children's Story Time 7:00pm 3rd Beach	10 Baby & Me 10:30am	Movie Night 8:30pm	
12	13	Card Night 6:30pm Ice Cream Social 7pm	15	16	17 Baby & Me 10:30am	18	
19	20	21	Seniors 1pm	23	24 Baby & Me 10:30am Kid's Bi- Athlon 1pm	25	
26	27	28 Swim Team Parent's Mtg. 7pm	29	30	31 Baby & Me 10:30am		

#### **Save the Date**

Saturday, Sept. 1st, Surf and Turf 12:00pm to 6:00pm

Saturday, Sept. 22nd, Dog Walk and Costume Parade 10:00am

Saturday, Sept. 22nd Texas Hold'em 7:00pm



FYI DEADLINE FOR SEPT/OCT ISSUE HAS BEEN MOVED TO AUGUST 8TH





## Social Committee Events



<u>Social Committee:</u> Please join us at the clubhouse with any new ideas you might have. **Our next meeting dates are July 10<sup>th</sup> and August 7th at 7pm.** There is no meeting in September. If you can lend a hand at any of our events it would be greatly appreciated. Please call Dina Troha at 973-663-6737 if you plan on attending or if you have any questions.

<u>Lake Shawnee Book Club:</u> A book club can be an excellent setting for sharing your thoughts on books while making friends, having fun, and challenging your thinking. If you'd like information or to join the Lake Shawnee Book Club, contact Pat Reis. Call 973-449-8606 or email <a href="mailto:patreis@optonline.net">patreis@optonline.net</a>.

<u>Shawnee Seniors Club:</u> 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.

<u>Baby and Me Playgroup</u>: Bring the kids down to the Clubhouse to meet Moms and children of similar ages. Playgroup meets **every Friday at 10:30am**. Pre-K and under. Please contact Chris White at 973-255-9326 if you plan to attend.

<u>Card/Game Night:</u> Join us on **Tuesday, July 10<sup>th</sup> & August 14<sup>th</sup> at 6:30** for a fun night out playing cards with friends. Please contact Karen at (973) 663-3562 a day or two before card night to sign up. Tables of four are preferred to play Hand & Foot; otherwise we will be playing a game called 65. These are easy card game and beginners are welcome. If you are a single that wants to play, please give Karen a call and we will find you a partner. Card night continues through 2018 on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of each month.

<u>Ice Cream Social Nights:</u> Who doesn't love ice cream?? Stop by the clubhouse at **7pm on Tuesday July 10<sup>th</sup>**, **July 31<sup>st</sup> and Tuesday August 14<sup>st</sup>** and enjoy a dish of ice cream with your favorite toppings. Ice cream will be followed by a few games of Bingo. All ages welcome.

<u>Argh! It's Pirate Day!! Kid's Beach Activities</u>- Join us on **Friday July 13<sup>th</sup> at 1pm on 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 Shawnee.

<u>Children's Storytime:</u> 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 **Tuesday, July 24<sup>th</sup> and Thursday, August 9<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!

<u>Karaoke Night on First Beach:</u> Come on down and sing your heart out on **Saturday**, **July 28**<sup>th</sup> **from 6:30-9:30pm**. We'll have a Karaoke DJ on the beach to help us find our inner rock star. Please bring your beach chairs, snacks and your beverage of choice. All ages welcome!

<u>First Beach Movie Night</u>: Race over to First Beach for our last movie night of the season, on **Saturday August 11<sup>th</sup> at 8:30pm**. We will be featuring Cars 3 and a special Cardboard Car Contest! We are asking our little racers to create a cardboard box car to watch the movie in. Prizes will be awarded!! 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.

<u>Kid's Bi-Athlon</u> – Come join us for our 2<sup>nd</sup> Kid's Bi-Athlon on **Friday**, **August 24**<sup>th</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!!

Mark Your Calendar!!

End of Season Surf & Turf Bash! Saturday, September 1<sup>st</sup> at 12 – 6pm

Check out the ad in this newsletter for all of the details.

### 6th Annual LSC Surf & Turf Bash!

Saturday, September 1<sup>st</sup> from 12pm - 6pm



We'll use our Lake as the



Kayak Races Meet at Clubhouse Dock @ 4pm

**Paddle Board Races** Meet at the Clubhouse Dock @4:15pm

Blow Up Raft Races Meet at the DJ Booth @ 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.

Medals will be awarded!

Life Guards will be on duty until 8pm!







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50/50, Beer Basket and Basket of Cheer All Tickets will be \$1 for 1 or \$5 for 10 All raffles will be called at 5:30pm.



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!

#### **Summary of the Lake Shawnee Club Board Meetings**

May 4, 2018

The Board held their annual New Member Mixer to welcome new members to the Lake Shawnee community.

All work was completed early on Work Day thanks to the good turnout of volunteers. The fence at White's Cove was completed along with other minor projects on all properties.

There was a brief discussion on the informational meeting on NJ Natural Gas.

The Social Committee reported on upcoming events including Community Kick Ball on June 10<sup>th</sup> at Stanlick School for ages 14 & up, Movie Night/Campout on June 15<sup>th</sup>. Community Day on June 23<sup>rd</sup> with a new game format, and Pajama Story Time on June 28<sup>th</sup> at 7pm at 3<sup>rd</sup> Beach.

It was reported that Solitude treated Beaver Cove and the 2 islands for variable leaf milfoil; more will be treated in two weeks. Since there was not a lot of ice this year there will be a lot more weeds, but so far, we are in good shape.

The Swim Team started registration for the upcoming season. They began a project to replace the fascia for the turn boards and hope to have this completed by their Work Days in June. Mr. Jamie Brieten will be Head Coach and Ms. Jodi Bundha will be Assistant Coach this year. The Swim Team will hold their Kick Off on May 20th and want to emphasize the "Tribe" feeling of the team this season; they had decided last year to change their name to the Lake Shawnee Tribe to represent the "family" attitude of the team.

The Board discussed upcoming projects and recent repairs on Club properties including repairing steps at Second Beach, spraying weeds on lower beach area, installing Port A Johns on all properties, mulching swings and playground at 2<sup>nd</sup> Beach, repairing steps at Third Beach, repairing anchor on raft at Third Beach, and installing new picnic table at White's Cove.

Mr. Wilsusen reported that he and Mr. Gerri Remsen recently had a meeting with the NJDEP head engineer on our project to discuss numerous changes that were requested by the new engineer to our submitted plans.

The Snack Shack is currently seeking volunteers for the upcoming season.

The Board continued the discussion regarding the new boat policy, specifically the number of racks available for members on the properties.

#### June 8, 2018

Several members attended the meeting to address the Board regarding issues with the new Boat Permit Policy. There was a discussion regarding the lack of available spots for member and several suggestions were offered including building more racks. The Board will work with the community to get all members spots for their boats and they will address the issues that have arisen. It was decided that the Board will reconvene at a later date to discuss the issue in more depth.

The Social Committee reported on upcoming events including the 1<sup>st</sup> Community Kick Ball game on Saturday, June 9<sup>th</sup> (date change).

It was noted that the lake was treated twice at the end of April for Milfoil and Variable Leaf Milfoil. All milkweed was planted on the islands in Beaver Cove and North End. Thank you to member Debbie Zweig for the seeds.

Summer Night Security will begin on June 30th. Volunteer packets will be sent out shortly.

The lifeguards are up and running beginning on Memorial Day started and lifeguard training has been completed.

It was reported that the Swim Team will hold the 30th Annual Swim Team Golf Outing on June 15th.

Recent work on Club properties include installing all ropes and floats at 1<sup>st</sup> Beach, turning the raft, removing the tree growth in the sand, and removing brush and trees at the Clubhouse. In addition, a plaque in honor of Mike Adams was installed at the flagpole at 1<sup>st</sup> Beach.

The Property Improvement Committee reconvened to review two version of plans provided by architect, Mr. Ken Fox.

It was reported that work continues with plans that need to be resubmitted to the NJDEP.

The Board voted to approve a rental defibrillator as required by new regulations.



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## **Shawnee Seniors Club**Meet **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.



#### **Monthly Card Night!**

Tuesday, July 10<sup>th</sup> at 6:30p.m Tuesday, August 14<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm

Easy Game! Beginners are welcome! Please contact Karen at (973) 663-3562 to sign up. Tables of four are preferred, so please call ahead of time.

#### LAKELAND SENIORS

Lakeland Seniors July and August meetings will be held at the American Legion Hall on Espanong Road in Lake Hopatcong. The dates are Tuesdays, July 10th and 24th and August 7th and 21st at 1:00 pm.

Casino trips to the Sands will be July 9th and August 13th. Cost is \$30.00.

A three day two night excursion to Lancaster Pa. is scheduled for October 1 - 3 2018 and includes meals, " Sight & Sound Jesus" play and more. Cost is \$359.00, double occupancy. For details, call Emily DeFeo at 973-663-1294.



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#### Texas Hold 'em May Winners

- 1. Mike Chirico
- 2. Sean Chirico
- 3. Pete Kuhl
- 4. Rob Filowitz
- 5. Mike Grieco

### FISHING COMMITTEE

Pete Lyden-Fishing Chairperson

## 2018 LAKE SHAWNEE BASS

## FISHING CONTESTS:

Contest 3: Saturday, August 4th

Contest 4: Saturday, September 15<sup>th</sup>

6:30AM to 2:30PM

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

Contact lakeshawneefishing@gmail for more details

#### Lake Shawnee Club Policy

#### Policy for use of Club Properties for Parties/Events

- 1) Beginning the first Friday of Memorial Day weekend through Labor Day, any member utilizing Club properties for any private party/event on weekends or holidays where non-member guests will exceed 7 or more guests, the hosting member is required to notify the Club office at least one week prior to the party/event to detail the type of party/event to be held which can be subject to Club approval.
  - a. All approved private parties/events will be issued a permit for the day. Failure to obtain a permit in a timely manner will result in denial and/or cancellation of the party.
  - b. This section does not apply to any clubhouse rentals and or member only parties/events.
- 2) Picnic tables are limited to one per member family, this applies at all times.
- 3) Any private parties/events, non-member guests cannot exceed 20 guests.
- 4) The Club reserves the right to deny any private parties/events based on scheduled Club events, clubhouse rentals and other reserved parties the same day. Private party/event permits will be issued on first come first serve basis and at no time will exceed three private parties per day per property.
- 5) Members are responsible for all their non-member guests and their adherence to Club rules at any private party/ event.
- 6) Pop up(EZ up) tents are limited to one per party not to exceed 10x10 within the beach/picnic areas and 20x20 within the dock/grass area at first beach. This applies to member only, club events and private parties.
- 7) Set up of private and/or member only parties/events should not occur before 6am the day of the party/event. This includes the reserving of picnic tables for any purpose.
- 8) The Club requires wrist bands be worn by all non-member guests at any private parties/events which will be provided by the Club.
- 9) Any member who wishes to enter into any rental agreement for party rental equipment, inflatable's or any other equipment to be used on Club property that may require an insurance liability waiver must contact the Club for approval prior to signing of any contracts.
- 10) The rights of Club members and common courtesy, including but not limited to the use of any music, should be paramount when hosting private parties and events on Club property.

LSC Board Approved 5/2017





## Karaoke Night on First Beach Saturday, July 28<sup>th</sup> from 6:30-9:30pm.

Please bring your beach chairs, snacks and your beverage of choice. All ages welcome!



## Children's Storytime Tuesday, July 24<sup>th</sup> and Thursday, August 9<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!

#### Beach Rules

Current ID badges must be displayed while on all Club properties

All Club properties must be vacated by 10 pm

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

Children under 12 must be accompanied by a responsible person 14 or older

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

Bicycles or motorized vehicles are not permitted on the beaches

Pets are prohibited on beach properties between Memorial Day and Labor Day

All garbage & personal belongings must be removed each day. Cigarette butts are not to be disposed of on club property

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 rafts or docks

One person at a time on any ladders

Authority of the lifeguards and security persons must 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.



## Summer is here and so are we.



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#### <u>Kid's Bi-Athlon- First Beach</u> Friday, August 24<sup>th</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\*



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#### <u>Ice Cream Social Nights</u> 7pm on Tuesday July 10<sup>th</sup>, July 31<sup>st</sup> and Tuesday August 14<sup>st</sup>

Enjoy a dish of ice cream with your favorite toppings. Ice cream will be followed by a few games of Bingo.

All ages welcome.

Thomas Degen

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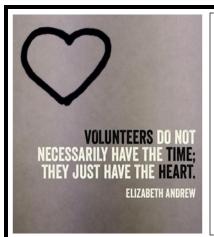
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Got Ideas? Looking to Get Involved? Social Committee Needs You!

Monthly Meetings at the Clubhouse Tuesday, July 10<sup>th</sup> at 7pm Tuesday, August 7<sup>th</sup> at 7pm

Please call Dina Troha at 973-663-6737 if you plan on attending or if you have any questions.



## Argh! It's Pirate Day!! Kid's Beach Activities Friday July 13<sup>th</sup> at 1pm on First Beach.

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



## Race Car Movie Night Saturday August 11<sup>th</sup> at 8:30pm

Featuring Cars 3 & A Special Cardboard Car Contest!

Little racers should create a cardboard box car to watch the movie in.

Prizes will be awarded!! We'll pop the popcorn; you bring your beach chairs and beverage of choice.

Children under 18 must be accompanied by an adult.

For Instructions & Ideas on how to create your own race car please visit our website www.lakeshawneeclub.org



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16	409-4998
19	663-0596
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## Lake Shawnee Swim Team 2018 Schedule

June 30th Saturday at Saffin Pond

July 2nd Monday (Home) Vs. Shongum

July 7th Saturday Bye

July 9th -Ribbon Meet Monday at Lake Shawnee

July 11th Wednesday at Roxbury

July 14th Saturday (Home) Vs. Lake Forest

July 18th Wednesday (Home) Vs. Randolph Park

July 21st Saturday at Denville

July 23rd Monday at Mount Olive

July 25th Wednesday (Home) Vs. Park Lake

July 28th Saturday (Home) Vs. Cranberry

July 30th Monday at Shore Hills

August 4th Silvers Roxbury

August 9th & 11th Thursday/Saturday Trials/Finals

Host -Randolph Park

@ Roxbury

#### **NEWS UPDATE!**

We would like to offer a new section to our members

Offering Congratulations, Condolences, Get Well Wishes, Birthdays,

Anniversaries, Graduations, Birth Announcements, Engagements,

Weddings, etc. to friends and family in Lake Shawnee.

We hope to include this new section in the next edition of the Lake Shawnee News.

We are also in search of old photos for our Archives Page.

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Jaclyn McConnon

Kenneth Morris

Julia Ripoli

Jesse Rubin

Brigid Cavanagh -

Morris County School of Technology

#### 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Graduates

Matthew Blanchard

Theodore Fisher

Erik Garv

Koby Graham

Logan Kiesling

Aidan Lowell

Liam Reilly

Harleigh Rubino

Hailee Sobieski

Zachary Troha

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If we missed someone please let us know.

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Meet every Friday at 10:30am

Pre-K and under Contact Chris White at 973-255-9326 if you plan to attend.



#### **Lake Shawnee Book Club**

If you'd like information or to join please contact Pat Reis. 973-449-8606 or patreis@optonline.net.

#### **SCHOOL IS OUT**

Kids are on bikes or walking

to the beach or playground.

Please drive carefully and look

for the children that are out

playing in the street.

Be careful and watch the Speed Limit.

Also watch out for runners and

walkers. Our roads are narrow.





# 4th of July Word Search

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## THOUGHTS ON FREEDOM

B really be free is a feeling of total ecstasy. There are no boundaries, no rules, no limits and no consequences. I would not have to live up to someone else s expectations and nobody would make unjust judgments about what I do.

My life would be very different but in some ways I don't think it would be better. There is some comfort in knowing what is expected of me.

Boundaries give me a sense of control and having control over parts of my life actually gives me a freedom that I can appreciate.

You can have freedom through knowledge, because as you gain knowledge, you develop the ability to make informed choices. That is true freedom.



Louisa Jensen @17.06.11

#### The Work Curse

Big deal! I promised my friend that I would listen to his Amway "motivational tapes." I could handle it. The speaker talked very little, if at all, about network distribution marketing and mostly about how unhappy I really was for working hard and going nowhere. He told me how manipulated I was by the work system, all stressed out by the rat race, and for regretting all the things that I didn't have – including time with my family. I felt like a victim... I was depressed for days. Was I the fool for believing the lie of the American Dream? Where did the old-fashioned work ethic go that once promised fair pay for hard work.

I searched for answers starting with the Work curse of mankind found in the 3<sup>rd</sup> chapter of the Bible: "By the sweat of your brow you will eat your food until you return to the ground, since from it you were taken; for dust you are and to dust you will return." It was hard to see any blessing in this arrangement -. especially if I choose to ignore the arrangement before the curse. The paycheck is the validation for the sweat of hard work because the road of the breadwinner's job has always been full of thorns and thistles to be conquered. The "right" to a gilded life and easy money is the subtle lie that has crept into my thinking!

Whether you are a roofer on a hot day or a Wall-Streeter on a sticky commute – the sweat is inevitable. An underpaid single mom and an over-mortgaged couple share a common stress with most American workers – they sweat the bills. The longshoremen on a wildcat strike and the advertising executive who is late on a deadline share something in common – they sweat their jobs. Perhaps the workplace has depleted your energy with the repetitive task or the overbearing boss. Now your satisfaction of a stable fair wage, purpose driven contribution and relationship with piers is undercut by technology and progress. So what if the world gets more connected as the worker becomes more isolated and susceptible to the seeds of discontent!

A perfect example of "returning to dust" occurred during the industrial revolution of the 1840's. A valuable source of nitrates for fertilizers and explosives were discovered in two-hundred-foot-thick deposits of sun baked bird manure on the remote Guano Islands off the coast of Peru. The mining conditions were unbearable and deadly. Acrid clouds of poisonous dust covered the naked bodies of the Chinese coolies during the few short months while they worked and then covered what was left of them after the dogs and vultures were through. Their work and their lives literally returned to the dust. Is that how you feel sometimes? – So unfair – but there is hope!

God built a secret into work, but the worker has a look for it. The wise king Solomon declared life meaningless if this secret is left undiscovered. He said, "Whatever your hand finds to do, do it with all your might... for the dust returns to the ground where it came from and the spirit returns to God who gave it." (Eccl. 7-10 & 12-7). He wants us to look up and learn the secret of being content in any and every situation, whether well fed or hungry, whether living in plenty or want. The secret of living in His spirit is gratitude and thankfulness during our daily walk in His eternal provision – even in our temporal work. Work is a form of grace to keep us from becoming conceited. He wants the worker to see work as an acceptable sacrifice, like a gift in the curse. Work is our fair wage to the Creator and unlike your production minded earthly boss, He is looking to give you more than you deserve. The bonus plan is awesome!

The Choice Is Yours

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#### NJ STATE BOATING REGULATIONS

We never had to really mention it before as most of the boats on the lake were sail or row boats. But now that we have more & more larger boats on the lake it is important to remind our members of a few of the NJ State regulations regarding boats. Even though we are a private lake, boaters must still comply with State Laws.

In addition children under 12 in kayaks, canoes are required to wear a USCG-approved PFD while on the lake.

#### Navigational Lights (while operating at night)

#### Power-driven vessels:

If vessel construction began after December 24, 1981 and the boat is 12 meters (39 feet) *or more* in length, it must display:

- · A green light on the starboard (right) side of the boat
- A red light on the port (left) side of the boat
- A masthead light (225 degrees) and a stern light (135 degrees).
- If vessel construction began after December 24, 1981 and the boat *is under* 12 meters (39 feet) in length, it may exhibit the same lights required for vessels under 20 meters when the construction was started

before December 25, 1981.

#### Sailing Vessels and Vessels under Oars:

Sailing vessels under sail alone must display:

- Red and green sidelights visible from a distance of at least one mile on a dark clear night
- A stern light visible from a distance of at least two miles.
- Sailing vessels of less than 7 meters(22 feet) must display, and vessels under oars may display, if practicable, the lights prescribed above, but if not, it must have ready at hand an electric torch or lighted lantern showing a white light.

#### **Vessel Registration**

Boats that fit into the following categories do not have to be registered:

- A non-powered sailboat or vessel used only on small lakes, ponds or within private lands;
- Vessels 12 feet or less in length;
- A non-powered kayak or canoe.

#### Personal Floatation Device (PFD)

All vessels, except surfboards, racing shells, rowing sculls and racing kayaks, must be equipped with one PFD of the correct size for each person onboard.

All PFD's must be readily accessible and in serviceable condition.

Vessels more than 16 feet in length must carry one Type IV (throwable) USCG-approved flotation device in addition to the required number of wearable type PFD's.

#### **Mandatory PFD Usage**

All children 12 years old and under must wear a USCG-approved PFD while onboard any vessel including

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