

LAKE HAYWARD

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PARKING & SECURITY

As owners at Lake Hayward it is the responsibility of us all to police our properties. If you see someone that does not belong on the beach or who is acting inappropriately you should approach that person and ask them to leave the property. The police should only be called if the person becomes aggressive.

This weekend I will have someone sitting at the parking lots to check parking stickers. Apparently there have been many violations recently.

The East Haddam Police Department has been working enforcement shifts during the last couple of weeks, and will continue patrolling throughout the summer. If you have a particular concern, please let me know.

The Town has been contacted and they have informed me that they will be painting new crosswalks at each beach, and hope to have the project completed this summer.

Please feel free to email me at susankumro@sbcglobal.net

UPCOMING EVENTS:

- **August 6th**
Live band 7pm
- **August 8th**
Kids' BINGO 7pm
- **August 9th**
Kids Arts & Crafts 7pm
(Bottlecap magnets)
- **August 12th**
Setback tournament
- **August 13th**
- Fishing Derby
- East-West speaker
- Chowder Challenge
- **August 14th**
Kayak races 10am

SOCIAL

Come on down to the pavilion tonight and enjoy the **live music of Turkey Foot**, 7–11 pm!

Chowder Challenge – Saturday August 13th at first beach pavilion

One week to the Chowder Challenge and the judges are licking their chops! Avoid the lines the day of the event and pre-register today to enter your favorite chowder recipe, using the form in this newsletter. See contest details on the registration form. You can drop off your registration in the POALH mailbox at 83 Wildwood Road or 34 Glimmer Glen (Gail's). Or you can just email gailwarning27@aol.com. If you aren't cooking, join us to sample the goods and vote for the "People's Choice". Community tastings will begin at approximately 5:45pm. Awards will be presented between 6:45 and 7pm. Volunteers are needed to help set up and take down tables at 2pm and 7:30ishpm. We also need someone to help us sell bottles of water. Please call Gail at (860) 531-9008 to volunteer. We will provide bowls, spoons, and napkins, but donations are welcome.

NEWSLETTER & WEB

Newsletter Submission: Deadline is on Wednesday at noon. Please email mfboone@cttel.net or lakehaywardct@gmail.com.

Newsletter Delivery: Please note that our carriers do not get paid. They give up their Saturday mornings to get the newsletters out to you. Please remember them with a tip.

Visit www.lakehaywardct.com for archived newsletters, by-laws, contact numbers and a calendar of events.

LAKE HAYWARD DAYS

Only one week until the start of the 2011 version of Lake Hayward Days. Register now for events that require pre-registration.

The 2011 Lake Hayward Days Committee has put together a packed week for association members of all ages. We start off with two events on Saturday August 13th and end with a full day of events on Saturday August 20th. The Committee invites you to attend as many events as possible. Join the competitions or come to cheer on the participants. Sit back and enjoy food and conversation with your association neighbors. If you are willing to volunteer or make a donation for a prize to any of the events, give the chairperson listed a call. Or contact Larry Lusardi, the Lake Hayward Committee Chairman, at (860) 466-9379 or email larrylusardi@comcast.net.

Saturday 8/13

Chowder Cook-Off — see page one for details. A registration form is included at the end of this newsletter.

Fishing Derby starts at 8am for kids and 7pm for adults

Adam Thompson will again be chairing this very successful event with assistance from his able mates Fred O'Dell and Lisa Rogers. All fish are catch and release.

Sunday 8/14 at 10am

Kayak Races

This is a new event created to take advantage of all those colorful kayaks that grace our lake each week. Cliff Smith and Jennifer Marinko will be chairing this event. Meet at 2nd beach lagoon at 9:30 to get organized. All ages are welcome. **All participants must wear a life vest.** Please pre-register by sending an e-mail to Cliff at panther teach@yahoo.com with your name and age so we can come up with categories.



Monday 8/15 at 7pm

Family Bingo Night

B-I-N-G-O!!!! Here is your chance to yell those wonderful words! Adults and children alike love this game and love to win--\$2.00 entry fee gets you one card, 50¢ for additional cards and please bring pennies or your own bingo chips for markers as we have a limited supply. BYO drinks and snacks. Come early, seats go fast!

We are looking for donations to add to our prize table, please remember we have both adults and children playing. To drop off prizes, call Laura Cohen at (860) 227-9919.

Tuesday 8/16 at 7pm

Little Miss Hayward

Julie Rizzo is back to chair this event which received rave reviews on its return last year. There will be several categories. All contestants will be winners. No formal talent required or expected. Contact Julie at (203) 281-1780 or dansinone@aol.com with questions or to sign up.



Wednesday 8/17 at 7pm

Cakewalk

This old time favorite is back. Don Fantozzi and Lee Griffin have already agreed to serve as hosts. Contact either of them if you would like to help out. Be ready to have a good old time. Bring plenty of quarters and hope that your number gets called for a delicious home-made dessert. Dessert donations are welcomed to make this event a real hit!

LAKE HAYWARD DAYS

Thursday 8/18 at 7pm

Ladies Night Out

This new event last year was so popular that everyone involved agreed that there had to be an encore. Len Rizzo has agreed to be Chef again. So Ladies, take a night off, enjoy each other's company and have an excellent meal served to you. There will a nominal fee for the meal. Bring your own cocktails and relax. This event is for adults only. Sorry there will be no daycare available. Please contact Len at 203-996-5368 or ledzeplen1@aol.com to register.



Men at Play

While the ladies are enjoying their dinner, Larry Lusardi has agreed to host a "play night" for the men. Ping Pong, Bocci, and shooting the breeze over a bonfire at lakeside. Very low key. BYOB and bring a snack to share. Please contact Larry at (860) 466-9379 or at larrylusardi@comcast.net if you are interested.

Friday 8/19 at 8pm

Night at the Races

Lake Hayward's version of a Kentucky Derby party. Tim Pelton is back to host this event. Enjoy a fun night out at the races. The horses will be ready to run. Will you be ready to pick the winner? This is a BYOB event and is for adults only. Stay tuned for more details.

Saturday 8/20 – Events all Day

Kids Swim Races at 10am

Swim instructor Nick Flynn has events for all ages and abilities. All lake youth are invited to participate. Jump in, get wet and have lots of fun. Let's have a record turnout this year. Food will be available after the races.



Beach Games from 1-4pm

Games are planned for kids of all ages with a game or two thrown in for the adults. There will be a mix of old favorites and brand new games to peak everyone's interest. How about a return of the multi-generational Tug - O-War that concluded the games last year!

Carnival on the Beach from 6-8pm

There will be lots of games for the kids. We have some new ones as well as some old standards. Mr. Pick-pocket will be back to entertain the little ones.

AND new this year will be horse and wagon rides. Come see Lee Griffin in his coachman regalia.

Of course there will be plenty of great food available throughout the day. If someone has a popcorn or snow cone machine that we can use, please let us know.

EMAIL SERVICE

Coming soon! Would you like to receive important notices, Lake Hayward event reminders and this newsletter (on Friday!) by email? If we have your email address, you'll get them automatically (unless you opt out). If you're not sure if we have your email address, please send us a note at lakehaywardct@gmail.com with "Email me" in the subject line. Be "in the know"!



SOCIAL -CONTINUED-

Calling Third Beach Members – There will be a Work Party on Saturday, August 27th to repair and extend the wood fence to the water. We will also be adjusting the swim lines in order to better direct boaters back to Lake Hayward property. We need help for this project! Meet at 8am and work should be done by 2pm. Can't stay that long? A few hours can make a difference in supporting your Properties Committee and keeping our beach in top shape! Please contact Gail at (860) 531-9008 if you can help. Thanks!

The social committee had tentatively scheduled a "talent night" for the end of August. If anyone is interested, please call Gail (860) 531-9008 and we will organize.

We are also looking for volunteers to serve on a sub committee to review our pavilion reservation and use policies for next season. Please let Gail know if you are interested: gailwarning27@aol.com

EAST-WEST COMMITTEE

Remember to attend the presentation next Saturday, August 13th at 10am at the pavilion! Pat Young, director of the Eightmile River Wild & Scenic Coordinating Committee, will be explaining the effect on the lake water quality of our use of the adjoining land. The principles of drainage, different kinds of soils, the beneficial effects of plantings, and the problems with extensive use of lawn and impervious surfaces will be discussed. She will have a table model to illustrate drainage in areas of steep slope and varying soils, and many handouts for us to use. She may also be able to update us on the study currently being done on the use of land abutting the lake. This is an opportunity to learn about improving and maintaining our lake water quality!

Last week's article covered the talk on Saturday, July 16th by Jim Ventres, Land Use Coordinator for East Haddam. A comment period followed:

Q - On Wildwood, water overflows the berms, crosses the road, jumps the runoff ditches and floods properties below.

A - Jim mentioned that our problems often involve more than one property and coordinating with each other is tricky. (Last week's article mentioned the town had an estimate done in the 1990s on the cost to put in a complete drainage/runoff system, and it would have run to \$3-4 million, which the town cannot afford.) The other situation with rapid runoff going into pipes or channels is that it should be filtered before entering the lake, which would require construction of drainage areas near the lake edge. This could involve use of recreation areas or privately owned property and thus cause more problems.

Q - What caused the e coli breakout years ago?

A - Jim said the answers were inconclusive. It could

have been a septic overflow problem, use of diapers in the lake, too many geese, or some other cause. We all have to be careful about regular septic system pump-outs, use of portapotties, and try not to cover our properties with cut lawns which don't filter runoff to the lake adequately.

Q - Pilgrim Way/Ridgewood residents report runoff problems, including the installation of curbs which direct runoff onto other properties. Drainage holes/ditches also have not been installed correctly.

A - Jim was familiar with this location and was upset to hear about the incorrectly installed drainage ditches. A list was made of names and phone numbers so that Jim could research the problems and report back to the residents. By the end of the meeting the list contained ten distinct trouble spots.

Q - An East Side resident reported that a neighbor cleared a right-of-way creating a stream on his property. A drain was made, but was paved over.

A - Jim said some of these problems are created when people decide to try to solve a problem without proper information or use of professionals. An engineer would have been able to anticipate a problem in advance and suggest alternate ways of doing the construction.

LH residents' activism gets line item into budget

At the end of the meeting two members from the East Side, Harvey Thomas and Ken Klein, were thanked by the membership for their research at Town Hall about the difference in property values at the lake in comparison to the rest of the town. This has resulted in the budget now containing a line item for lake management in East Haddam, which will lead to town help to offset the expense incurred by residents in managing the lake.

BEACH RULES - (PLEASE INFORM GUESTS AND RENTERS OF THESE RULES)

1. Parents or chaperones are responsible for their child's safety and their child's actions at all times.
2. Children cannot be left at the beach unattended.
3. Infants must be in leak-proof ("swimmie") diapers at all times.
4. Fishing within 100 feet of the swimming area is strictly prohibited.
5. Use of boats and watercraft within the swimming area or within 100 feet of rafts is prohibited.
6. When passing a beach area, dogs must be on a leash. Dogs are never allowed on the beach.
7. There is no swimming after 11pm.
8. All trash and cigarette butts must be removed from the beach and be properly disposed of. Glass containers are prohibited on Association property.
9. Use of the beach area is limited to Association members and their guests.

**BOARD MEMBERS & CONTACTS**

Jeff Walter – President	(860) 531-9194
Dave Edgington – VP/POALH Properties; 2nd Beach Rep	(203) 314-1096
Bonnie Sudell – Secretary; 2nd Beach Rep	(860) 490-1350
Sue Kumro – Parking & Security	(860) 625-5114
Gail Grzegorzczak - Social; 3rd Beach Rep	(860) 531-9008
Diane Nelson - Recreation; 1st Beach Rep	(860) 305-7305
Lee Griffin - Treasurer	(860) 656-6938
Norm Kaplan – 3rd Beach Representative	(860) 537-1457
Larry Lusardi – Water Co liaison; LH Days Chairman	(860) 466-9379
Pat D'Amato - 1st Beach Representative	(860) 810-5072
Don Biancamano – Tax Collector	(860) 537-3577
Moiria Boone – Newsletter & Website	mfboone@cttel.net
Dean Anderson – Water Quality	(860) 537-4778
Janet Soboleski – Newsletter Delivery	(860) 537-1012
Resident State Trooper	(860) 537-7500
East Haddam Police	(860) 873-1226
Connecticut Water	(800) 286-5700



CLASSIFIEDS

To post a classified ad, contact mfboone@cttel.net. Deadline is on Wednesday at noon.

For Sale

- "Well loved" wooden dock. 24' by 4' that assembles from sections. Needs a few top boards replaced but still very usable. \$125 or BO. Call Denny at (978) 835-8426
- Dog treats: \$1.50/dozen. To order call (860) 578-5378

Wanted

- Leftover spray paint. Call or text Jake at (860) 578-5460
- Donations Needed. I am coordinating the August 28th Harvest House Soup Kitchen meal which is held at St. Stephen's Church in East Haddam. If you would like to donate food or prepare some of the items for this meal please call Terry at (860) 830-0025 (cell) or (860) 537-4121 (cottage).

For Rent

- Cottage rental \$750/week. Newly refurbished. Call (203) 623-9492

Services

- College student seeks summer employment assisting people with house cleaning, window washing, car cleaning, dog walking, gardening assistance, baby sitting, etc. Call Samantha at (860) 874-6872
- Pet sitting and walking (year round and summer). Call Hayden (860) 537-0278 (please leave message)
- Power washing, yard work, reasonable rates. Call (860) 537-1822
- HANDY KID--Will rake, clean, dog sit, return your cans and bottles and any other chores that you might have. Call (860) 917-1973
- Lawn mowing (and snow shoveling). Call Hayden (860) 537-0278 (please leave message)
- Pet sitting services available around the lake this summer. Call Liana at (860) 662-6360
- Guitar lessons (electric and acoustic) summer and year round, reasonable rates: Call Hayden (860) 537-0278 (please leave message)

Lost

- A pair of silver starfish earrings at first beach on July 24th. If found please call Jeanie at (860) 537-1085

TRASH & RECYCLING

All-Waste Control will collect trash and recyclables twice a week (Monday and Friday) during the summer. The last Monday pickup will be August 29th, after which pickup will be on Fridays only. All recyclables can be combined and placed into a single container and put out with your regular trash. We must recycle:



- Glass and metal food and beverage containers (rinsed); lids go in trash
(No broken glass, mugs, windowpanes, ceramics, light bulbs, mirrors, dishes or tempered glass)
- Plastic containers #1 through #7 (rinsed); lids go in trash
- Newspaper, magazines, cereal/pasta boxes, milk and juice cartons, junk mail; no phone books, wax- or plastic-coated cardboard, soiled newspaper or magazines, books, plastic (Tyvek) envelopes
- Cardboard (broken down); no wax coated boxes, soiled boxes or pizza boxes

Please contact All-Waste Control at (860) 873-9005 with any questions.

2011 Lake Hayward Chowder Challenge

August 13, 2011 – First Beach Pavilion

Registration 4:00 to 4:30

Judging: RI & MH 4:45 – 5:15 NE & Other 5:00 – 5:45

People's Choice Tasting 5:45 – 6:30

Awards 6:45 – 7:00

Categories: Rhode Island, Manhattan, New England, Other

Registration – Please complete the form below and submit at the registration table between 4:00 - 4:30. **We encourage you to pre-register - drop form off before noon on 8/13** either: the POALH mailbox at 83 Wildwood or to Gail Grzegorzak at 34 Glimmer Glen or email your information to gailwarning27@aol.com. We will assign Entry Numbers.

Quantity – 4 quarts. **Please provide warmers** to maintain food at 140°F **and a ladle.**

Recipes: If you wish to share, please bring a few copies of your recipe to leave near your dish. *No names please.* We thought it would be fun to have a blind tasting. We will number your entries.

For the safety of our community: Always wash hands with soap and warm water for 20 seconds before and after handling food. **Don't cross-contaminate.** Keep raw meat, poultry, fish, and their juices away from other food. After cutting raw meats, wash cutting board, knife, and counter tops with hot, soapy water. **Marinate** meat and poultry in a covered dish **in the refrigerator.** **Sanitize** cutting boards by using a solution of 1 tablespoon of unscented liquid chlorine bleach in 1 gallon of water.

Entry number _____ (Registration table will assign)

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Name: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____

Category RI ___ MH ___ NE ___

Other: _____

Entry Number _____