

LAKE HAYWARD

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MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Thanks to all who volunteered to help with our first LAKE HAYWARD COOKBOOK. Please meet at the Pavilion on Tuesday, June 26th at 7pm to convene and organize. If you can't make it but would like to help, please email [Gailwarning27@aol.com](mailto:Gailwarning27@aol.com) for info.

We have a volunteer to chair the new hospitality committee designed to welcome newcomers to the lake. We are also looking for volunteers to serve on this year's board-nominating committee. Please let us know if you would like to help with either committee.

Reserving the Pavillion? Please get your reservation form in to be sure you have your date. Thank you for cleaning up afterward. Please consider donating your deposit to our depleted Memorial Fund. Thanks to Janet Soboleski for offering to chair this committee.

We are proud to announce the appointment of our new tax collector, Brenda Armstrong! Brenda and her husband, Josh purchased their 17 Longwood Drive home in September of 2010. Brenda has a strong business and management background and we believe that her administrative knowledge and skills will be an asset to our association. Please introduce yourself to Brenda. We do expect some small changes to our billing process—so stay tuned for details.

See you tomorrow at the meeting.

- Gail Grzegorzczak

CALENDAR UPDATES

Upcoming Board Meetings

- Wednesday – July 25th
- Wednesday – August 15th
- Wednesday – November 14th

**Cancelled:** Steel Rhythm on July 7th. We hope to see them next year.

**New Event:** Local band, Skywalk, will kick off Lake Hayward Days on Saturday, August 18th.

NEWSLETTER & WEB

**Newsletter Submissions:** Deadline is on Wednesday at noon. Please email [mfb Boone@optimum.net](mailto:mfb Boone@optimum.net).

**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](http://www.lakehaywardct.com) for archived newsletters, by-laws, contact numbers and a calendar of events.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

- **June 24th**  
POALH meeting 10am
- **June 25th**  
- Swimming starts  
- Monday trash pickup starts
- **June 26th**  
Tennis starts
- **June 29th**  
Setback games 7pm
- **June 30th**  
Tag Sale 9am-1pm
- **July 1st**  
Contra Dance 3-6pm

## WATER COMPANY NEWS

Connecticut Water Company representatives have been invited to attend our Association Meeting on Sunday, June 24th. I have asked them to be prepared to discuss projects completed during the last year, projects in the planning stages and water metering. Come with your questions.



## LAKE HAYWARD DAYS

The summer is just beginning, but I must put in a plug for Lake Hayward Days which this year will take place from Saturday August 18th - Saturday August 25th. I will have a sign-up sheet at our Association Meeting on June 24th. We are looking for committee members and event volunteers. This year I am especially looking for a co-chair who would be willing to chair the event in 2013 as I take on other responsibilities with the Association. We had a great committee last year and would like to add members who saw how much fun we had planning a special week of events. We also are always looking for new ideas.

- Larry Lusardi

## LAKE WEED TREATMENT UPDATE

As part of the ongoing program sponsored by the POALH to control the invasive aquatic plant *fanwort*, the lake will be treated this year in three locations identified to have significant amounts of *fanwort* growth.

As required in the permit issued by CT DEEP to treat Lake Hayward, a comprehensive inspection is conducted twice a year to evaluate the re-growth of *fanwort*. The fall survey suggested that three areas on the lake may merit spot treatment in 2012. These findings were confirmed in the spring 2012 survey.

The three areas of concern are:

- The marsh area in the northeast corner of the lake
- The 2nd Beach lagoon
- The area down by the dam between Glimmer Glen and East Shore Drive

The DEEP has approved the use of a new solution to be used for the spot treatments to retard the growth/rebound of *fanwort*. It is called Clipper. **The treatment date is Tuesday, June 26th.** A boat with an outboard motor is authorized to be on the lake that day.

While there is no requirement or mandate to do so, it is recommended that swimming be discouraged on

Tuesday, June 26th. Signage to that effect will go up on each beach. It is also recommended that the watering of lawns and flowers using lake water be suspended for 4-5 days after the treatment. The lake water won't harm the plants but it may cause flowers to lose some of their color.

### Where do we go from here?

The last weed treatment of the entire lake was in 2008. That treatment had a 3-4 year treatment life expectancy. So being able to spot treat in 2012 (and save the money and investment in a full lake treatment) is a clear bonus. Will we be able to spot treat in 2013? It is way too early to tell and we will know more after the fall 2012 and spring 2013 inspections.



It is also important to remember that we treat the lake under the auspices of CT DEEP. From their perspective there are 'good' aquatic plants and 'bad' aquatic plants. Good weeds provide a valuable breeding ground for fish and aid in water quality. Bad weeds overtake and choke out the good plants. We are only authorized to treat for *fanwort*.

The end game is to make every reasonable effort to preserve our beautiful lake for generations to come.

- Tim Pelton, 'The Weed Guy'

## TAG SALE

Come on down to the Pavilion Saturday, June 30th 9am-1pm for some great deals on new and used items. Are you interested in reserving a table to sell your wares? Please contact Fran Fantozzi at fantofran@aol.com.



## PARKING & SECURITY

I first have to apologize for not being at the lake much this spring. I know it has been difficult to get parking passes. If you don't have a permanent pass, you can use a guest pass until you find me. I will not be able to make the June 24th meeting but I will give passes to Treasurer Lee Griffin and he will be happy to help you.

I have two young adults who will be checking passes starting this week. My understanding is that there is a group of teenagers from out of town being dropped off at first beach. If you see this happening, please ask them to leave. If you have any questions please feel free to contact me. - Sue Kumro

## MEMORIAL FUND

I am so sorry to report the passing of the following lake residents since last season:

Dick James  
Doreen Spotts  
Robert Halisey  
Mary Francis Brahaney  
Edward Sestero (Sandra Brown's dad)  
Florence Richards  
Larry Jorgensen

In most cases I sent a memorial contribution from our

## PUMPOUT ORDINANCE UPDATE

By Bruce Fletcher, East Haddam Lakes Association (EHLA)

With major encouragement from the East Haddam Lakes Association, (Bashan, Hayward and Moodus), the Chatham Health District created in 2009 a pumpout, inspection and correction program and ordinance. There are about 27,000 septic systems in the towns comprising the health district (Colchester, East Haddam, East Hampton, Haddam, Hebron, Marlborough and Portland). While 6,000 systems have been pumped since 2009, only 550 permits to discharge applications (\$30 each) have been received and only 200 permits to discharge have been issued. Clearly, there are problems.

The lake associations had hoped that owners would be required to get pumped, rather than be left to comply voluntarily. A top priority was to first contact owners in sensitive lake, pond, stream, wetland and river

membership to the charity or organization which the family had designated. However, in two cases I was not notified until much too late. Please remember that the fund exists and can only work if I am notified of a loss. Also, please remember our fund with a donation in memory of a former family member, neighbor or friend.

Once again, our sincere sympathy to the families of those lost and also to anyone who might have lost someone that we were not aware of.

- Alice Miles 860-537-3611

watersheds to curb possible nitrogen and bacterial pollution. It was hoped that the fees collected (about \$17,000 to date) would cover faster office administration, timely record keeping and enforcement when repairs are required. The goals are less pollution, inventory of good and bad systems (cesspools, metal tanks and those with failures), an accurate data base for geographic information system (GIS) mapping and strategic planning to better protect water resources in places where lots are too small, too steep and have shallow depth to bedrock, high water table and unfavorable soils. In these difficult areas, a compelling case could then be made to set up decentralized wastewater management districts (DWMDs) in which special systems are allowed.

All lake associations and towns with lakes, ponds, rivers, etc. should work to set up a pumpout, inspection and correction ordinance.

**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**

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



## RECREATION

We are so pleased to have Jordan Flom and Nick Flynn back as the swimming instructors. Jordan will be getting the Red Cross certificates to hand out to last year's kids as well. Instructions are Monday-Thursday (except the first 2 weeks). Friday will be for rain dates or private lessons (more to come on this). The first two weeks, lessons will be starting on Tuesday June 26th, Wednesday the 27th, Thursday the 28th and Friday the 29th. The next week, due to the July 4th holiday, lessons will be held on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday. Instructors will be calling to let you know when your lesson will be or if you know the level your child is in (see below).



### You can still sign up for both Tennis and Swim lessons but please do it ASAP.

With level 6 the most advanced and level 1 for beginners, lesson times are as follows: level 6: 9-9:30am; level 5: 9:40-10:10am; level 4: 10:15-10:45am; level 3: 10:55-11:25am; level 2: 11:30-12pm; and level 1: 12-12:30pm. All levels meet daily Monday-Thursday with Friday as a make up day for rain except as explained the first two weeks. Lessons end on August 9th.



Jennifer Manzo will be back as our great tennis instructor! Tennis lessons will be on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons so they will not interfere with swim lessons. The instructor will be contacting you with the times. There was some interest in adult lessons too so we will let you know at the June 24th meeting if the instructor will be able to do that and how much.

**Other recreation:** If you are interested in a horseshoe competition, golf outing, Sunday volleyball or helping with Lake Hayward Days please sign up at the tomorrow's meeting or contact me at [dnelson@crec.org](mailto:dnelson@crec.org) or 860-305-7305. Do not forget Kiddie Bingo on Mondays (start date TBA) and Arts and Crafts for kids starting Wednesday, July 11th.

Looking forward to a wonderful summer. - Diane Nelson

## CPR COURSE



Do you know what to do if a family member collapses in front of you? Do you know how to relieve choking?



If you want the skills to help a loved one in distress, take the American Heart Association's **Family and Friends CPR** course. This course teaches CPR and relief of choking in adults, children and infants. It is designed for members of the general public who would like to learn basic CPR, including families with children or elderly relatives, and those who do not need a course completion card. Course fee includes textbook and participation card. This course is **3 hours long** and **\$10 per person**.

**Register tomorrow at the POALH meeting** by completing the bottom of this flyer, email Bonnie Sudell at [bonsudell@aol.com](mailto:bonsudell@aol.com), with CPR in the subject line or call Bonnie at 860-678-1392. Please include your name, address, and phone number. **(Complete bottom portion and detach)**

PLEASE PRINT LEGIBLY

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Payment attached: Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_



**CLASSIFIEDS**

**For sale/rent**

- Sunfish-style 1995 Catalina Capri Wave sailboat (VIN CPSVOO58A595 - Hull #587), excellent condition. Length 13'8", beam 4'8". Catalina's version of a Sunfish (rigs identical to Sunfish). One big improvement over Sunfish is transom bailers! Rudder and daggerboard are pristine. Purchased new and used occasionally for two summers, only in fresh water. Stored indoors year-round. Excellent for cartopping with hull of only 128 pounds. Great board boat for junior sailors in particular. Please respond via e-mail ([rmillerhct@yahoo.com](mailto:rmillerhct@yahoo.com)) or phone (203-631-5372). I will get back to you the same day. \$925 OBRO
- Lloyd Flanders rattan chair cushions: seat, back and arms. Four complete sets. Green & yellow stripe. \$100 or best offer. New \$1,600. Call Felicia at 203-641-9641.
- Sunfish, \$90. Call 860-531-9194.
- Canoe, red with white trim. Seats are wood, painted with a dark, waterproof poly-stain. A few nicks here and there from regular use. Handle on each end. 16.5 ft in length. Made of Fiberglass. Also comes with two life preservers which act as seat cushions (which are practically new), No paddles. \$150.00. A beautiful canoe. Call 860-646-3441, leave a detailed message. Serious inquiries only please.
- Cottage: 5 rooms, fully furnished, large deck, and year-round water views. Steps from 3rd beach. Newer Anderson windows & doors and roof. Just move in and enjoy the summer. \$150,000 Call agent at 860-916-6151. *Also available for rent at \$650/week.*

**TRASH & RECYCLING**

All-Waste Control collects trash and recyclables twice a week (Monday and Friday) during the summer. **The first Monday pickup is June 25th.** (The last Monday pickup is August 27th, 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. Please contact All-Waste Control at 860-873-9005 with any questions.



**POALH BUDGET BALANCE**

Account	6/19/2012 Balance
<b>Bank Accounts</b>	
East Shore Checking	1,478.07
Memorial Fund	0.00
New Memorial Reserve	575.65
POALH Checking	3,224.52
POALH Money Market	119,646.47
Weed Control Reserve	122,750.00
<b>TOTAL Bank Accounts</b>	<b>247,674.71</b>
<b>OVERALL TOTAL</b>	<b>247,674.71</b>