

September 1, 2018



THIS IS THE FINAL NEWSLETTER OF 2018. THANKS FOR A GREAT SEASON!!

Third Beach pot luck dinner and raffle set for Saturday

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Upcoming Events

- 9/1 **THIRD BEACH POT LUCK**, 4:30 p.m. at Third Beach
- 9/1 **THE SAVAGE BROTHERS BAND**, 8-11 p.m. at First Beach
- 9/2 **LAKE HAYWARD GOLF TOURNAMENT**, 9 a.m. at Black Birch Country Club, Moodus
- 10/6 **WORK PARTY TO REMOVE RAFTS/SWIM LINES**, 9 a.m. at First Beach

Plan to attend the much-anticipated annual Third Beach Pot Luck dinner on Saturday, Sept. 1. Setup and dinner will begin around 4 p.m.

Please bring a favorite dish to share. Plates, cups, napkins and plastic ware will be provided. Along with the pot luck dinner, Third Beach holds its basket raffle. Beach toys or a homemade craft are a favorite to bring along to raffle off. Proceeds are used to support purchases that benefit the Third Beach community as a whole. We also look back and remember the many weeks of fun and frolic enjoyed at Lake Hayward.

There seemed to be more children than ever enjoying the sun and sand, building their version of a sand castle, throwing a Frisbee, or just splashing

What: Third Beach Pot Luck and Raffle

When: 4:30 p.m. (setup at 4 p.m.), Saturday, Sept. 1

Where: Third Beach

in the clear water's edge. All the while parents kept a watchful eye on them. We have been lucky to have been able to solve many of the issues that concerned the local population and help everyone enjoy their beach a bit more.

Keeping the beach free of waterfowl droppings has made a big difference in the appearance as well as health of Third Beach and trying to manage the many new watercraft has been a challenge of late. These issues were solved only by the



Roxy, Murphy and Luna were hits at the Doggie Costume Parade. More on Lake Hayward Days on Page 2.

beach users getting involved to propose and execute solutions.

So please join the Third Beach community for one of the final social events of this summer and make this year's pot luck one to remember.

Contact POALH:

POALH
P.O. Box 230
Colchester, CT 06415
Walk-up mailbox:
83 Wildwood Rd.
Email: president@lakehaywardct.com

Board seeks to sell two new docks; volunteers sought for work parties

The association is selling two recently purchased docks that have never been put into the water. Each dock is 20 feet long and 4 feet wide. They are made of aluminum with a tan composite decking. They can be sold separately or both together. If you are interested in purchasing the docks,

email garyp@lakehaywardct.com.

Work parties set for fall

Please attend the two fall association work parties. The first work party to remove the rafts and swim lines will be on Saturday, Oct. 6. The second work party to remove any

boats that are still on Association property will be on Saturday, Nov. 3. Both work parties are to meet at the First Beach parking lot at 9 a.m. I am hoping for a strong showing.

**- Gary Petersen
Properties chairman**

The arrival of September means it's time once again to think of fall cleanup

Please take the time to make a plan for having your leaves cleaned up this fall before you close up for the season. If you don't have room on your property to compost them, try grouping with neighbors to hire a contractor to take them away for a group discount. Leaves can end up in storm drains that then travel down to our lake.

Decomposing leaves in the lake leads to poor water quality and loss of depth. Please don't ever deposit or blow leaves directly into the lake and make sure your contractors know to not do this as well. Proper leaf removal on individual properties leads to big benefits for our lake.

Conserve water: It makes a difference

When you conserve water in your home and yard, you also reduce the amount of harmful substances that can find their way into the lake. One small drop of water can carry many different types of toxic materials with it, so think about how you can

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refocus your water use to only what you really need.

Runoff is when water drains throughout the environment. When water flows over surfaces that it can't filter through (called impervious surfaces), it picks up all of the materials that have settled upon them over time, such as car fluids, excess sediments and bacteria. Eventually, those materials are released into the environment, including the lake. Decreasing the amount of water you use and the amount of impervious surfaces that you have around your property decreases the impact that runoff can have on the lake.

Making minor changes in your everyday routine can make a big difference. Try to take shorter, less-frequent showers; install water-saving devices like toilet dams or low-flow shower heads; repair leaky faucets;

avoid washing your car or boat in areas that drain directly into the lake; and only run your washing machine and dishwasher when they are full. If possible, don't water your lawn. If you must water your lawn, change your habits. You can install pistol spray heads, water in small amounts and water in the morning instead of the afternoon so your plants can make best use of the water.

Also, take advantage of the rain. Collecting rainwater in a rain barrel or a cistern is a fun and easy way to conserve water. Not only are you able to give your usual water supply a break by using rainwater instead, but you also reduce water pollution by trapping water before it accumulates contaminants that can be transported to your lake.

Do you like to garden? Consider creating a rain garden. These are gardens designed to have stormwater drain into them.

Happy Labor Day weekend to all.

LAKE HAYWARD DAYS



Chocolate Bingo and Ladies Night saw big crowds of lake residents come out to the First Beach Pavilion to enjoy these Lake Hayward Days events.



The Doggie Costume Parade gave the pooches a chance to strut their stuff.

Newsletter carriers sought for 2019 season

If you think that your child might have an interest in having a newsletter route of their own or in being a substitute carrier please let us know.

You can email Matthew at JWConway@cox.net.

Classifieds

FOR SALE: Is Charlyn at Hayward Properties retiring? Business and home is going on the market this spring. If interested in continuing this lucrative business (as your own business or satellite office) and own a year-round waterfront home/office of 1,855 square feet, with six lots, call 860-334-6708.

FOR SALE:

Old Town canoe for sale. Katahdin model 12 feet long. Dark green. Sturdy and in good condition. Like-new-quality oars. We're moving and selling boats. Price reduced to \$500. 860-402-2054.



SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 1ST AT 4:30PM

**Bring your favorite appetizer, casserole, main dish, or dessert to share. Set-up begins at 4 p.m.
Please bring an item to donate for our raffle!**

Raffle begins at 6pm. Tickets: 20/\$5

Suggested raffle items: gourmet treats, household items, yard tools, back to school supplies, toys for the young and young at heart, DVDs, adult beverages, and fall plants. Proceeds will continue to support purchase/repair of 3rd Beach umbrellas and other items used by 3rd Beach Community.

3rd Beach Potluck

Saturday 9/1/18

Rain Date: 9/2/18

Raffle at 6pm

Plates, napkins & utensils provided



NEW RESCHEDULED DATE!!!

LAKE HAYWARD GOLF TOURNAMENT

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 2018; 9:00 AM-1 P.M. at Black Birch C.C.

WHERE: Black Birch Country Club, 10 Banner Road, Moodus (East Haddam), CT.: 860-873-9075

WHEN: SUNDAY, **SEPTEMBER 2, 2018**; shotgun start PROMPTLY at 9:00AM

FORMAT: Scramble, 4 person teams (sign up as a group or 1, 2, or 3 and we will pair you up with other POALH members; there are presently several openings but we are limited to 72 golfers.

PRICE: \$65. payable to POALH/Golf; deliver to Chairmen Fred Odell (860)537-3609 (273 Lake Shore Dr.) or Don Biancamano (860) 537-3577 (73 Lake Shore Drive). Checks can only be accepted one week prior to the event; thereafter all payments must be made in cash (per POALH).

Entry fee of only **\$65.** per golfer includes, practice range from 7:30 AM, golf, cart, individual skill prizes, team prizes, snacks, and a quick barbecue lunch at Jack’s Place Restaurant at the course.

YES, please sign me up for the POALH Golf Tournament. I will be playing with the following OR need a group and enclose payment for: _____, _____, _____, and _____.

Name: _____ Phone/E-mail: _____

This event is very popular. The rain cancelled our earlier date, but you can’t keep a good thing down! This will be an excellent time to enjoy a fun event, a quick barbecue, and then head back to the lake for the long Labor Day weekend. (Due to cart availability, our limit is 72 golfers.) This Tournament is for POALH members and guests only. Thank you for your patience.

Last call for the Lake Hayward Store in 2018

New: Color Ts sized from Youth XS to Adult 3XL

(Colors shown not available in every size)



Visit us Saturday, September 1st at First Beach during the “Savage Brothers” band