Property Owners' Association July 11, 2020 Lake Haywar

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Responsible, safe behavior pays off on Fourth of July

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Upcoming Events

- JUNIOR CHEF 7/11 FOR KIDS, 11 a.m.-2 p.m. at First **Beach Pavilion**
- DEE-LISH BAND, 7/12 3-5 p.m. at First Beach Pavilion
- TOWN HALL MEETING, 7/18 10 a.m.-Noon at First **Beach Pavilion**
- 7/18 PASTA CHALLENGE, 1-5 p.m. at First Beach Pavilion

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The Fourth of July weekend is behind us and I want to commend the vast majority of association members and guests for balancing the desire to celebrate our nation's independence while respecting the wishes of those who cannot tolerate loud noises.

I sincerely hope that you had an enjoyable, memorable weekend while practicing social distancing and wearing your masks when appropriate. As we go forward this summer, please continue to use common sense so that we limit the spread of Covid-19 in our community.

If you are returning to our lake from one of the 16 states on Gov. Lamont's quarantine list (Alabama, Arkansas, Ari-

WHAT: Town Hall Meeting WHEN: 10 a.m., Saturday, July 18, at Pavilion

zona, California, Florida, Georgia, Iowa, Idaho, Louisiana, Mississippi, Nevada, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas and Utah as of this writing), please selfquarantine for 14 days to show consideration for all of us.

I received several complaints this week regarding dog feces on the beaches, as well as cars on association property not displaying parking permits. Please pick up after your dog and remember that dogs are only permitted on Dog Beach, north of First Beach.

Remember that displaying your parking permit immediately identifies you as an association member and grants you access to the beaches. As I also received requests this week from several East Haddam residents who are not part of the POALH to purchase parking permits or pay "dues" to join the association, it is extremely important to identify those who should be enjoying our amenities.

Please help us keep our facilities for POALH members only and use your parking permits.

Feel free to contact me with any questions or concerns. Stay safe and stay healthy.

- Bonnie Sudell

Concert season starts off with late-afternoon show by Dee-Lish

A tasty blend of rock and soul plated by some of Connecticut's most talented female musicians comes to the Pavilion on Sunday, July 12.

The show will run from 3-5 p.m.

Dee-Lish brings together bursting flavors including the strong vocals of Denise Ortiz, the rockin' drum beats of Deb Piccolo, peppered with the



SUMMER CONCERTS

funky bass lines of Donyne Cowan, jazzy keys of Lydia Arachne and made smokin' hot you will find them Dee-Lish!

with the lead licks of Vange Durst.

Covering a variety of genres, classic and modern, while

appealing to all ages and tastes, every musical palate is sure to be pleased.

If you like your dish raw,

Be a lake steward by following these easy-to-execute maintenance tips at home

Help us every day to ensure the quality of our lake water. By adopting these activities every family can be lake stewards.

• Regularly scoop up after your pet. Scoop it, bag it and trash it.

• Don't feed the ducks or geese. It is not healthy for the birds and feeding them increases the resident time of waterfowl at our lakes and may encourage them to overwinter rather than migrate. This will result in unhealthy levels of fecal matter and bacteria getting into our lake.

• Wash your car in your yard or preferably at a licensed car wash so that residue does not filter down to the water.

• Avoid using weed and feed. If you must use a pesticide, treat the weed, not the en-

LAKE QUALITY

Go to: www.lakehaywardct.com/ lake-quality for more on keeping the lake clean.

tire lawn.

• Go native with your plantings. Planting native drought-tolerant plants on your property will reduce the need for fertilizers and excessive watering. They are a valuable habitat for birds and other wildlife.

• Use a mulching lawn mower, which will help decrease your need to fertilize your lawn.

• Please do not compost near the shoreline. Bins should be at least 25 feet away from the shoreline to prevent excess nutrients from leeching into the lake.

• Be thoughtful when cleaning and maintaining docks.

Creating a sand beach is often an objective of shorefront residents but they do negatively impact water quality. If one exists currently please reclaim any sand that drifts into the water each year and install a barrier to stop it from happening. Our association beaches are on a schedule of sand reclamation. New beaches are discouraged and may require a permit. Accumulating sand in the water accelerates the filling process of the lake and adds to the sediment load. We all have our part to play to help our healthy lake stay that way.

Summer events kick into high gear as July heats up

Jessica Stone from Cold Spring Farms will instruct the youngsters with hands-on cooking tip with our very own **Junior Chef** event. This event is for kids ages 10 to 16 on Saturday, July 11. On Sunday, July 12, **the band Dee-Lish** will be playing at the Pavilion from 3-5 p.m.

Our first **Movie Night** is at 7:30 p.m. on Friday, July 17, with free popcorn for everyone.

Do you love pasta? Do you make the best pasta in the world? Well, then join us

for our third annual **Pasta Challenge** at 1 p.m. on Saturday, July 18. Later that night is the Centerline band at 7:30 p.m. "Really? Oh, my gosh, George! That sounds really fun."

Come on down to the Pavilion and enjoy the summer in a safe and responsible manner. We need volunteers to help. E-mail jeffc@lakehaywardct.com for information.

- Jeff Conway

Goodspeed offers 'Greatspeed' online series this summer

Relive Goodspeed's greatest moments with some very special guests in 'Greatspeed."

Actors, directors, and choreographers will take you on a trip down memory lane as they share their favorite clips from past productions. Join live on YouTube Live every Tuesday at 7 p.m. Just go to www.goodspeed.org/greatspeed and click the RSVP link to sign up and join.

During the June 30 episode, they talked

a little (or a lot!) about "The Music Man." Actress Stephanie Pope (Eulalie Shinn), director Jenn Thompson and choreographer Patricia Wilcox chatted about their favorite moments and shared some video clips from Goodspeed's 2019 production.

Because of the coronavirus, the Goodspeed was forced to postpone "South Pacific," and "Anne of Green Gables" until 2021. If you'd like to donate to the theater, go to www.goodspeed.org/ donate-today for information.

Send to webmaster@lakehaywardct.com. Deadline is **SUNDAY AT 6 p.m.** Use

Newsletter Submissions

• Word document

the following formatting:

- Garamond 10-point type
- ¹/₂ page = maximum of 420 words
- Photos in .JPG format.

Classifieds



SAILBOAT: For sale: 12-foot O'Day Widgeon sailboat with custom all-season cover. Main sail, no jib. \$500. Contact Tim Pelton at 203-213-0834.

LAWN MOWING:

Small front/back lawn area that needs mowing every two to three

weeks at Lake Hayward cottage property now through October, and may be extended. Great for high school or college student. Must bring your own lawn mower. \$25-\$30 for lawn area. Payment via Paypal or check. Please contact Susie at 917-297-9968 for information.

POALH Candidate Nominee Submission

. Candidate Name		
Mailing Address		
City	State Zip	
Phone Contact (1)	Phone Contact (2)	
Lake Address	Year-round (Y/N) Circle one	
Email_		

Tell us about yourself. Please write below or attach a one or two paragraph summary about your relevant business or volunteer experience that can be helpful to the committee.

What special skills can you bring to the board and the Association to assist in carrying out the mission of our Association?

Why do you feel you would be a good candidate for the Board of Governors? Feel free to comment on areas of interest or concerns you have relative to the management of our community.

Important Notes

All submissions will receive a follow up call and email confirmation of receipt. Candidates will be invited to meet with the nominating committee. Expiring board members wishing to be reelected are required to also resubmit their application and go through the same process. Board responsibilities and requirements of the position will be reviewed during this meeting.

Please email your submission to Gail Miers at <u>gailmiers34@comcast.net</u> as soon as possible but no later than July 13. Final slate must be posted August 1, two weeks prior to the August Annual Meeting.

If you would like to learn more about what is involved in serving as a board member of POALH before submitting an application, please contact any member of the committee and we will be happy to discuss with you.



