



# The Highland Lakes Newsette

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## Volunteers Shape Our Community

SUE ROSS, CHAIRPERSON, COMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEE

When I asked Rich Spoerl if I could spotlight him in an article I was going to write about volunteerism, he was most reluctant and was on his way to begging off (such a humble man...he just can't stand the limelight.) When I told him, it was for the good of the community, he laughed and said, "Now you've got me." I've known Rich for a long time and I knew it was his Achilles heel.

Rich's first exposure to Highland Lakes was in 1953. His parents rented a cabin that summer for three weeks and did the same the following year. As they turned their cabin keys in that second year, the realtor said, "Do you have a few minutes? There's a property that just came up for sale that I think you will really love." They did of course and it was there that Rich and his family summered for the rest of his youth, enjoying all the activities that abound here and building friendships that have lasted a lifetime. In 1969 he bought a house of his own and became a year-round resident.

The list of his volunteer efforts is long and impressive. It starts that same year when he joined the HL Fire Department and kicks into high gear when, in 1989, he "saw the need for things to be done". He became 2nd VP that year and 1st VP in 1990, replacing Sam Lewin (another member who has given so much) who had to move for business. In 1992-1998 Rich served as President. During that time he oversaw the building of our Lake Room, the acquisition of the Seckler properties, the Canistear Park improvements and instituted the road paving operations. It was during his time on the Board that the Asset Replacement and Capital Fund budgets were created, a move that stabilized Club finances by setting a financial framework that could be relied upon when facilities needed repair and new structures were acquired.

Upon "retiring" from the Board, Rich became the Chairman of the Dam Committee, a post that he still holds. Since then, all of our five dams were brought up to state and federal standards. He also had a hand in the construction of our boat launch area. His volunteer efforts don't stop at our borders. Rich has served on the Vernon Township Land Use Board since 2001 and is an active volunteer at St. Francis de Sales Church.

When asked how he finds the time, he shrugs, smiles and says, "You always think you don't have time, but if it is important to you, you find the time. Volunteering makes me feel good. I like knowing that I've made a difference. Anyone who volunteers knows you get far more than you ever give." Our community is built on people like Rich who have given so much to make it the place that it is. What would we be without him and the multitude of others...you probably wouldn't even recognize the place.



## Upcoming Events

- July 10 – Friday Night Lights



## Petitions for Trustee Positions Available

ARTHUR D. DAWSON, PH.D., ELECTIONS CHAIRPERSON

### Filing Deadline - Monday, July 27, 2020

At this year's Annual Meeting on August 16, 2020, elections will be held for full, three-year terms commencing October 1, 2020, for Trustee positions for Sections 1, 3, 4, and 5.

In order for a candidate's name for Trustee to be on the ballot, a petition must be filed with the Elections Chairperson containing five signatures from members in good standing in the section electing a Trustee. Petitions are available at the Activity Center only, Monday through Sunday, 9 am to 4 pm. The petition must be received at the Club Office or Activity Center at least twenty (20) days before the election, which means no later than 4 pm on Monday, July 27, 2020.

Once the petitions have been certified by the Elections Chairperson, Absentee Ballots will become available. The Absentee Ballot must be received at the Club Office, either by mail or in person, with your validated 2020 Membership Card enclosed in the provided envelope no later than Wednesday, August 12, 2020, at 4 pm.

Elections will be held at the Annual Meeting on August 16, 2020. If you do not use an Absentee Ballot and plan to vote at the Annual Meeting, please make sure that you have your 2020 Membership Card and badge with you.

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# Beach Testing Results

Below are the results of the most recent E. coli testing at the Club's beaches and swim lanes performed by Garden State Laboratories, Inc. Weekly tests are required by the State of New Jersey, and results must not exceed 320 organisms per 100 milliliter. All samples conformed to NJ State recreational bathing standards. Testing results are also reported by the lab to the Sussex County Department of Health.

	6/10	6/18	6/23
Beach 1	14.8	1.0	8.5
Beach 2 – Clubhouse	1.0	3.1	2.0
Beach 3 – Lookover Lane	2.0	5.2	14.8
Beach 4 – Bushwick	4.1	1.0	4.1
Beach 5 – E. Lakeshore Dr.	185.0	1.0	5.1
Beach 6 – W. Lakeshore Dr.	1.0	1.0	2.0
Beach 7 – Upper HL Dr.	3.1	8.5	12.0
Swim Lanes – Clubhouse	3.1	22.8	17.3



# Friday Night Lights

LOUISE STALEY, CHAIRPERSON, CLUBHOUSE COMMITTEE  
ROE HALL, EVENTS COORDINATOR

## Teens 13 – 18 – 6:30 - 9 pm, Clubhouse

Food and competition starting Friday, July 10. Team competitions to include: cornhole, dodgeball, badminton, egg tosses, water balloons, ladderball. Burgers and wings will be served for dinner. Age restrictions will be enforced, both young and old. Sorry parents, this is strictly teen time. Club Events, Activities and Athletics Permission form will be required.

Social distancing requirements will be in place--bring a mask. Be ready to laugh and be hungry, this informal competition will be on Fridays throughout the summer.

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# Beach Hours

Beach 1..... 9:30 am – 7 pm  
Beach 2.....11:00 am - 5 pm  
Beach 3..... 10:30 am – 6 pm  
Beach 7..... 10:30 am – 6 pm  
Swim Lanes....12 pm – 4 pm  
Beaches 4, 5 and 6....12 pm – 5 pm – these beaches will be open based on staff availability- see postings at beaches.

# Holiday Activity Center Hours

The office will be closed on July 4.  
The Activity Center is open for your convenience  
seven days a week from 9 am to 4 pm

# Claiming a Boat Rack or Boat Dock Space

JACK MCLAUGHLIN, GENERAL MANAGER

Except for dock space permanently assigned before February 15, 2019, all boat dock spaces marked with the OPEN plate at Club Park, Comet Row, Beach 3, and Beach 4, and unmarked spaces at neighborhood freeways and other locations, are available on a first-come/first-served basis only. Storage of boats on Club property is subject to Rule No. 25.

Use of the boat docks is restricted at all times to members displaying their current year permits (previous year permits are valid through May 31 – date extended to June 30 in 2020). Spots may be claimed for the season

only by placing your boat with a current year permit in the spot. Placing a boating permit on a dock without a boat does not claim a space. As a courtesy, members seeking boat rack space are requested to avoid taking any rack spot that has a previous year's boating permit until after May 31 (date extended to June 30 in 2020).

Please note: all boat dock spaces at Eckhart Sailing Center, except for those permanently assigned before February 15, 2019, are reserved for active Junior/Senior sailing fleet members and members with special needs.



## Athletics Clinics Planned

JACK MCLAUGHLIN, GENERAL MANAGER

### Social distancing among children required

We welcome Orlando Gomez to our staff as Athletics Director who will be assisted by Kerri Culhane. They are joining our staff during very difficult and concerning times, with news headlines as this article is written indicating an uptick in corona virus cases in New Jersey, the reversal of certain relaxations, and the potential for further restrictions.

Based on the reduced volume of registrations and permissions slips received, combined with the prohibitions against sports activities recently lifted, we understand and share with parents the concerns we all have about the ongoing public health emergency and the safety of our children. We have determined that the Club's athletics activities for children this summer must be scaled back due to the requirement for social distancing and the requirement that equipment must not be shared.

It is also clear that softball competition among teams is not possible, and that no equipment is to be shared by youngsters. Parents: please make sure your child comes to tennis or softball with their own racket, baseball glove, batting helmet, and bat. When not actively at play, we are asking parents to help ensure social distancing among the children, and to practice social distancing among themselves.

We have determined that the best course to pursue is to delay the commencement of athletics activities until Monday, July 13, while continuing to encourage parents to register their children so that the number of children participating in activities may be properly estimated. This delay provides time for parents to consider the Club's athletics programs for their children this summer, and to complete the registration forms. During the week of July 6, schedules will be developed based on enrollments using the registration forms, and meeting times and days will be posted on the Club's website and in the Newsette of July 11.

Note: it may be necessary to alternate weeks of a particular program if enrollments are so high that social distancing cannot be maintained. Not only must children participating in activities maintain their distance from others who are not part of their household, parents and guardians must do the same while watching their children from the sidelines.

Registration forms are available on the Club's website at <https://hlcc.org/oldsite/wp-content/uploads/2020/05/Events-Activities-and-Athletics-Permission-and-Registration-Form-Final-2020.05.12.pdf>

Below are the summer clinics with all days and times

tentative:

Softball / T-Ball

- Boys Farm Team ages 4-5 Beach 1 ballfield - Mondays, 9 am
- Girls Farm Team ages 4-5 Beach 1 ballfield - Thursdays, 9 am
- Boys Mosquito League ages 6-8 Beach 1 ballfield - Tuesdays, 9 am
- Girls Gem League ages 6-8 Beach 1 ballfield - Fridays, 10 am
- Boys Grasshopper League ages 9-11 Beach 1 ballfield - Thursdays, 6 pm
- Girls Butterfly league ages 9-11 Beach 1 ballfield - Tuesdays, 6 pm
- Boys Little League ages 12-16 Field 2 - Canistear Park Ballfield - Fridays, 6 pm

Softball Beach 1 ballfield 1 and Canistear Park ballfield: Competitions will be avoided. Instead, clinics will take place, focusing on the basics of the sport. We will work on proper hitting techniques as well as defense and base running. Each clinic session will end with a discussion of the importance of teamwork and how crucial it is in order to build championship character on the field of play.

Boys and Girls Basketball Ages 8-14 Beach 1 courts - Mondays, 5 pm:

The focus of the basketball clinics will be on conducting drills that will concentrate on the introduction of the game.

Drills will include proper footwork on defense, dribbling techniques, as well as learning some offensive positioning. Clinics will end having a question and answer session on the strategies on the days' lessons.

Boys and Girls Soccer Ages 5-8 and Ages 9-12 Beach 1 ballfield - Fridays, 9 am

The objective of the soccer clinic is to establish small groups of players who will rotate among defined skill stations placed around the field during a reasonable amount of time. The stations will rotate during the course of the summer clinics so that the children would have a chance to maximize and address as many of the basic skills as possible.

Tennis - Beach 1 Tennis Courts

Mondays: 9 am ages 11-12

Mondays, 10 am ages 9-10

Wednesdays, 9 am ages 7-8

Wednesdays, 10 am ages 5-6

Youth summer tennis program for ages 5 and up.

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## Help Wanted - Maintenance

JACK MCLAUGHLIN, GENERAL MANAGER

### Focused on sanitizing Club facilities

The Club is in need of additional maintenance personnel over the summer months. Depending on performance and availability, the position may extend beyond Labor Day.

Duties will focus on sanitizing, multiple times daily, the bathrooms at the Beach Hut, eight portable bathrooms at six beaches and other facilities, and the offices, bathrooms, tables, chairs, etc. at the Clubhouse once it opens. Other duties include trimming of bushes, grooming facilities, weeding the rain garden and planters, etc.

Candidates must have clean driver's licenses and be willing to use their own personal vehicles to move about the community (per mile reimbursement will be provided). Social distancing must be practiced at all times. Personal protective masks and gloves will be provided. The rate of pay is \$11.00 per hour. Day and evening hours throughout the week and during weekends are required.

If you are interested in the position, are a member in good standing, not planning a summer vacation away from Highland Lakes, are able to work days or evenings, including evenings and weekends, send an email to [hlcc@warwick.net](mailto:hlcc@warwick.net) expressing your interest and requesting an application, or call 973.764.4366.

## Guest Badge Policy Revised

JACK MCLAUGHLIN, GENERAL MANAGER

### Effective July 2 - Limits Established for Beaches per Day

In order to open and operate its beaches and facilities during the ongoing health crisis, social distancing and other requirements were established by Governor Murphy and state and local regulatory authorities. One requirement was the submission of a mitigation plan to the Sussex County Division of Health that specified, among other things, the maximum capacity levels based on individuals social distancing for each of our beaches.

Recognizing that we wouldn't be able to accommodate an indefinite number of members and guests on our beaches at all times, the Voting Board recently approved a policy that establishes limitations on the availability of guest badges—and guest parking passes—from now through Labor Day. It was carefully planned and thoroughly discussed, and while it may not be perfect, it achieves a reasonable balance between maintaining our regulatory compliance while providing for equitable access to beaches for members and their guests.

The major changes are:

- A. General
  - 1. for guests at beaches, a beach guest pass (BGP) will be issued.
  - 2. for other guests (parks, fishing, courts, etc.) - the "normal" guest badge (GB) is continued but is not valid for admission to the beaches.
  - 3. both BGPs and GBs are available from the Activity Center ONLY, open seven days weekly from 9 am to 4 pm. Lifeguards and Security personnel will not have access to beach guest passes or guest badges.
  - 4. after Labor Day, guest badges will be available for all Club facilities from the Club Office only, during normal business hours.
- B. Beach Guest Passes (BGP)
  - 1. members may purchase under their membership number not more than two BGPs daily for one designated beach upon presentation of the membership card or owner's badge, and personal

- identification. No guest parking passes for beaches will be issued.
  - 2. beach guest passes will be sold for the day ONLY - advance purchases are not permitted.
  - 3. the following BGP limits per day are established: Beach 1 - 15; Beach 2 - 10; Beach 3 - 7; Beach 4 - 2; Beach 5 - 2; Beach 6 - 2; Beach 7 - 2.
  - 4. BGPs shall be valid ONLY for the purchased beach and not valid at other beaches or Club facilities.
  - 5. if the BGPs do not permit entry to the purchased beach due to capacity limitations, BGPs are exchangeable upon presentation for other available beaches or refundable.
- C. Guest Badges (GB)
- 1. guest badges are valid at all Club facilities except beaches and the swim lanes.
  - 2. a member may purchase not more than twenty GBs per day for use at Club facilities (parks, courts, fishing, Clubhouse) except beaches upon presentation of the membership card or owner's badge, and identification.
  - 3. advance purchases of GBs are authorized, provided that the purchase date is four days (including the purchase date) or less from the requested date. All purchases are final, not exchangeable and not refundable.

## Help Wanted - Security

JACK MCLAUGHLIN, GENERAL MANAGER

### Weekdays and Weekends/Days/Nights

The Club will be hiring additional Security personnel over the summer months. Depending on performance and availability, the position may extend beyond Labor Day.

Duties will focus on checking the Clubhouse, parks, freeways, beaches and athletic facilities for badges and parking permits, and boating areas for authorized use and proper storage. Additional support of Beach Monitors at various beaches is anticipated. Day and evening shifts

throughout the week will be available. Staff will be trained in first aid/CPR/oxygen administration/AE.

Candidates must have clean driver's licenses. The rate of pay is \$11.00 per hour. If you are interested in the position, are a member in good standing, not planning a summer vacation away from Highland Lakes, are able to work days or evenings, including weekends, send an email to [hlcc@warwick.net](mailto:hlcc@warwick.net) expressing your interest and requesting an application, or call 973.764.4366.





Save the Date

Friday, August 7  
Men's Golf Outing  
Details to Follow

Community Yard Sale

NANCY EISENBERG, CO-CHAIRPERSON  
GOODWILL FUNDRAISING COMMITTEE

The Goodwill Community Yard Sale is canceled for this summer. We look forward to seeing you all in the summer of 2021.

Here are a few places to drop off the items you collected :  
Books (children's, fiction and non-fiction, text books with an ISBN number are accepted.) Drop bins are located at Rockaway Mall in the rear parking lot behind JC Penney and in Newton at Karen Ann Quinlan Hospice. Household items are accepted at the Hope Chest in Pine Island.



Elena Kloza caught this bass on Father's Day with her dad, Brad Kloza, and grandpa, Brian Kloza looking on.  
Photo courtesy of Lena Merrill

Pickleball Season Underway

KATHI TAYLOR

The 2020 pickleball season has started with a slightly different look but with all the same fast-paced action. Safety guidelines are in place so that our members can enjoy the game with some peace of mind. The guidelines include the following:

- All players must use their own paddle.
- No sharing and no use of club paddles.
- All players are issued a numbered ball that can only be touched by them.
- Spray sanitizer is provided to spray any paddles or balls that have been in contact with another player
- Players can play with or without masks
- Players can play singles or doubles
- Players must practice social distancing when possible

Remember to bring your paddle and wear sneakers and your membership badge. We play co-ed games Monday and Wednesday nights at 6 pm and Sunday mornings at 9am. Ladies Pickleball meets Friday mornings at 9 am. Members who have their own paddle and are 16 years of age and older are welcome to play. Any questions? Call Kathi Taylor 973-303-2689.



Beach Monitors Needed

JACK MCLAUGHLIN, GENERAL MANAGER

Badges, Social Distancing and Capacity Limitation Enforcement

The Club has an immediate need for Beach Monitors within the Highland Lakes Security department to ensure compliance with the conditions imposed on public recreational bathing beaches, and the Club's requirements that badges and parking permits are required at all times. Some of the conditions of the licenses to operate its beaches required the Club to establish and enforce capacity limitations and social distancing, additional tasks requiring an adult presence at our larger beaches.  
Beach Monitors will be assigned to Beaches 1, 2, 3, and 4, limiting access to persons with badges only, and enforcing social distancing on the beaches and prohibiting additional entry if capacity has been reached. Where volunteer Badge Checkers are present, you will assist them

in the performance of their efforts. While cooperation is anticipated, it cannot be guaranteed, and it is likely that Highland Lakes Security will need to respond to the beach.  
Beach Monitors will have weekday and weekend schedules reflecting the hours of beach operation. You will be assigned a schedule of up to eight hours daily over a seven day weekly schedule, with a paid lunch break if taken on site. Fewer hours and days will be assigned if additional staff is available. The rate of pay is \$11.00 per hour. If you are interested in the position, are a member in good standing, not planning a summer vacation away from Highland Lakes, are able to work at least four, eight hours days weekly including weekends, send an email to hlcc@warwick.net expressing your interest and requesting an application, or call 973.764.4366.

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## Ecology Corner

BARBARA JAGGI, CHAIRPERSON, ECOLOGY COMMITTEE

### What's that floating on the water?

Yellowish powder or dust:

A yellowish powder or dust on the surface of water in spring or early summer is probably pollen from pine and other trees. Pollen can also collect in clumps or blobs. Lines of pollen may be left on rocks as water levels drop in early summer. After becoming water logged the pollen sinks to the bottom or may collect in coves along the shoreline.

Oily sheen:

An oily sheen that reminds you of rainbow puddles in an asphalt parking lot might be from spilled petroleum. A spill of just one gallon of oil is enough to form a film across the surface of a four acre lake. Oily sheen can also come from natural sources. Some bacteria that live in waterlogged places get their energy from iron and manganese, and as these harmless bacteria grow and decompose, the iron may appear oily or form red or orange films, fluffs, and coatings. Leptothrix can also excrete manganese which looks like black slime.

The breakdown of organic material also can leave an oily sheen on the water surface. In the spring and summer, a dark cloud in the water accompanied by an oily sheen could

be the outer skins of insect cases left behind by the hatch of aquatic insects. The larvae of mayflies and some other aquatic insects molt and shed their skins as they leave the water and become flying adults. The skins are called exuvia. Exuvia can be seen floating on the water or can accumulate on wave swept shores, where they are sometimes mistaken for fish kills. You can find dragonfly skins attached to docks, plants, and objects near shore. As exuviae decompose, an oily film sometimes forms on the water surface. A diatom bloom can also leave oil behind as the algae cells die.

Floating Green Stuff:

Fuzzy, green floating dots on lakes and in the top few feet of water, or tiny tapioca-like balls might be an algae called *Gleotrichia echinulata*. *Gleotrichia* usually appear midsummer for brief periods but can persist longer in some lakes. The presence of *Gleotrichia* does not necessarily indicate poor water quality since it is commonly present in lakes that have good water clarity. Wind and currents can concentrate them in one part of the lake and high densities can collect

Don't mistake floating plants like duckweed and water meal for algae. Duckweed looks like miniature lily pads,

with a flat, round floating leaf and a tiny root. Water meal also floats but does not have a root. It is a round grain-like plant about the size of a poppy seed.

Algae blooms:

Green or bluish-green scum or film on the surface of a lake, pond, or stream might be a bloom of blue-green algae. Lots of algae can also color the water green. The presence of algae in a lake or stream does not mean the water is polluted. A diverse community of algae is healthy. Algae are an important source of food and oxygen for other plants and animals in the water. When an algae bloom is persistent or occurs routinely, too many nutrients (especially phosphorus) fertilize a lake just as they fertilize your lawn or garden, causing microscopic plants in the lake to grow.

You may have noticed some water quality issues recently. We are experiencing localized patches of floating filamentous algae in the Main Lake. Based on the mild winter and extraordinary clarity during the spring, permitting sunlight to penetrate much more deeply into the water column, weed and algae growth has resulted. Water treatment of specific areas of the lake are being scheduled as appropriate.

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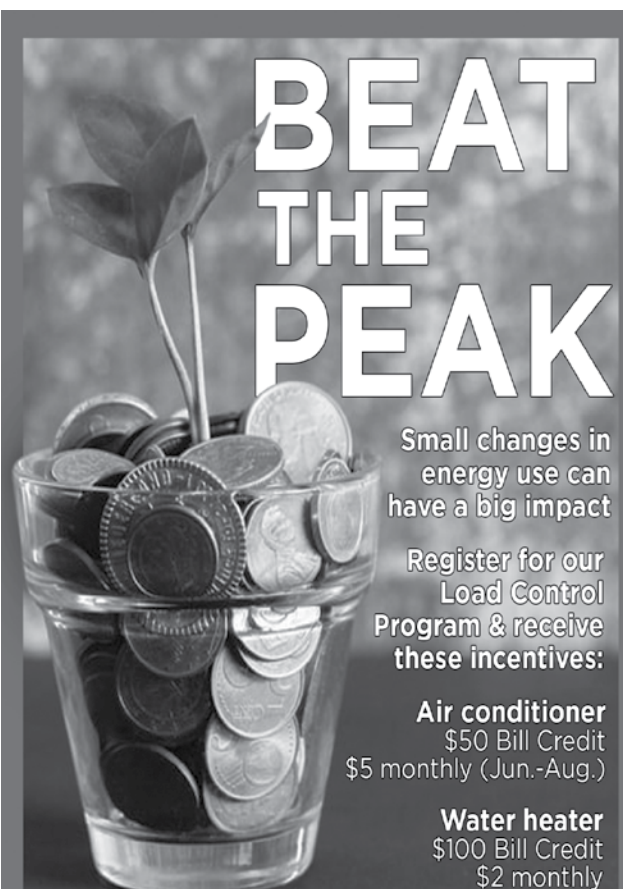
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### DE-REGULATED NOVELTIES

#### SMOKE DEVICES

-Emits Cloud of Smoke-

**Smoke Balls**

**Smoke Cone**

**Cylindrical**

**Smoke Candle**

**Snake Balls, Toy Snake Devices**

**CAUTION: FLAMMABLE**  
USE ONLY UNDER CLOSE ADULT SUPERVISION. FOR OUTDOOR USE ONLY. DO NOT HOLD IN HAND. PLACE IN HARD LEVEL SURFACE. LIGHT FUSE AND GET AWAY.

### NOVELTIES

**SNAPPERS / DROP POPS**

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**PARTY POPPER**  
EMITS SHOWERS OF CONFETTI

**PARTY POPPERS - BOTTLE TYPE**

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**PARTY POPPERS - PISTOL TYPE**

**CAUTION: FLAMMABLE**  
USE ONLY UNDER CLOSE ADULT SUPERVISION. DO NOT POINT EITHER END TOWARD FACE OR OTHER PERSON. HOLD IN HAND - PULL TRIGGER SHARP.

**MAY NOT HAVE MORE THAN 0.25 GRAMS OF PYROTECHNIC MIXTURE.**

### PERMITTED "NON-AERIAL" SPARKLING DEVICES

#### GROUND SPARKLING DEVICES

**BALL & DISK**

SPIN ON GROUND. EMITS FLAME AND SPARKS.

**CYLINDRICAL**

Ground Broom Flowers / Crazy GroundRings

SPIN ON GROUND. EMITS FLAME AND SPARKS.

**CAUTION**  
SPIN ON GROUND. EMITS FLAME AND SPARKS. USE ONLY UNDER CLOSE ADULT SUPERVISION. FOR OUTDOOR USE ONLY. PLACE ON HARD, FLAT SURFACE. DO NOT HOLD IN HAND. LIGHT FUSE AND GET AWAY.

#### SPARKLING Wheel DEVICES

**CAUTION**  
SPIN ON POST. EMITS FLAME AND SPARKS. USE ONLY UNDER CLOSE ADULT SUPERVISION. FOR OUTDOOR USE ONLY. NAIL TO POST OR STAKE SO THAT WHEEL WILL TURN FREELY. DO NOT HOLD IN HAND. LIGHT FUSE AND GET AWAY.

#### GROUND BASED SPARKLERS

UP TO 500 GRAMS.

**Cylindrical**

**Square**

**California Rocket Shaped Fountain**

**CAUTION**  
Emits Showers of Sparks. USE ONLY UNDER CLOSE ADULT SUPERVISION. FOR OUTDOOR USE ONLY. PLACE UPRIGHT ON GROUND. LIGHT FUSE AND GET AWAY. DO NOT HOLD IN HAND.

**CAUTION**  
Emits Showers of Sparks. USE ONLY UNDER CLOSE ADULT SUPERVISION. FOR OUTDOOR USE ONLY. STICK FIRMLY IN GROUND IN AN UPRIGHT POSITION. REMOVE CAP FOR LIGHTING. DO NOT HOLD IN HAND. LIGHT FUSE AND GET AWAY.

**MAY NOT HAVE MORE THAN 500g OF PYROTECHNIC MIXTURE.**

### PROHIBITED "AERIAL" CONSUMER FIREWORKS - NEW JERSEY

except as part of a Permitted Public Fireworks Display.

**SKY ROCKETS / BOTTLE ROCKETS**

**WARNING**  
FLAMMABLE ROCKET

**FIRECRACKERS**

**WARNING**  
EXPLOSIVE

**RELOADABLE SHELL DEVICE / ROMAN CANDLES**

**WARNING**  
SHOTS FLAMING BALLS

**AERIALS**

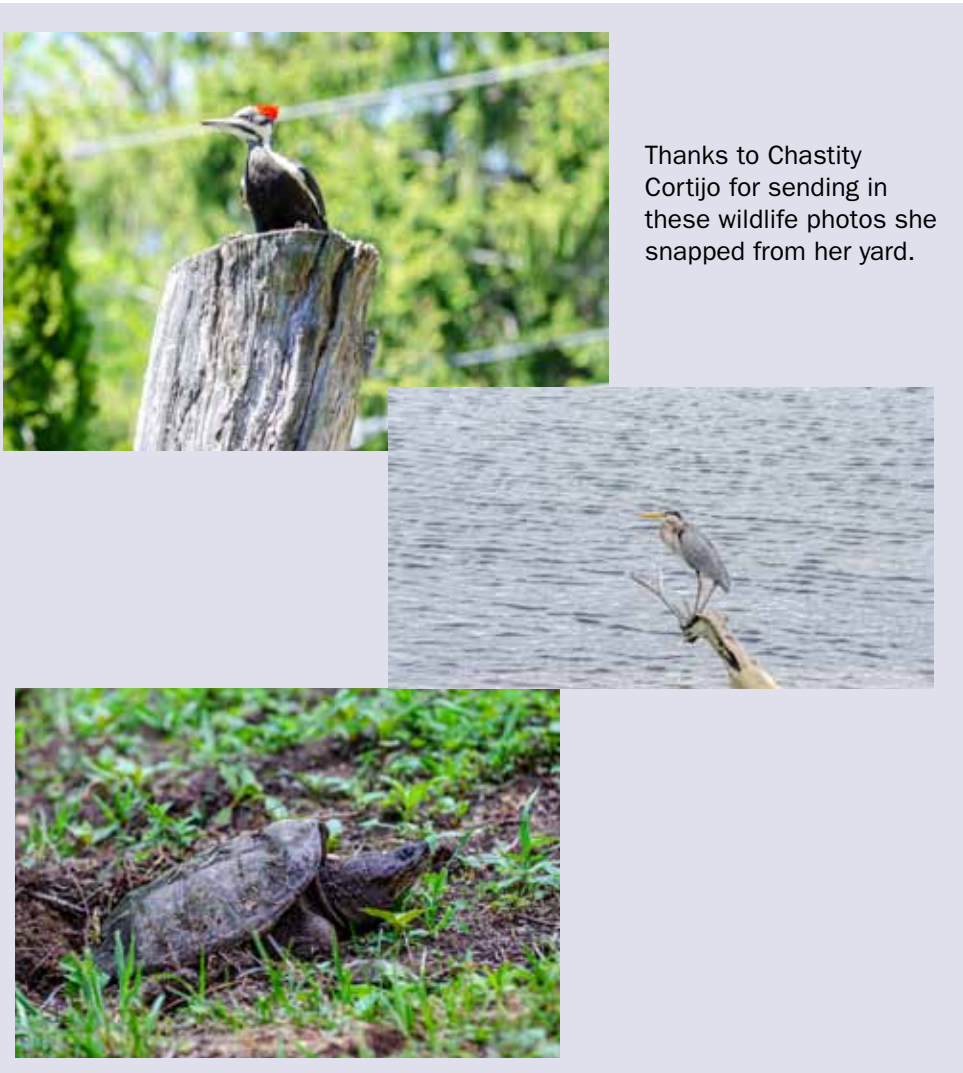
**WARNING**  
SHOTS FLAMING BALLS WHIRLWINDS

**SINGLE TUBE DEVICE WITH REPORT**

**WARNING**  
SHOTS FLAMING BALLS WHIRLWINDS

## Next Newsette: July 11, 2020

Newsette articles should be submitted on the Friday before the week of publication at noon. Under no circumstances will submissions be accepted after noon on Monday of the week of publication. Typed submissions must be emailed to the Club office at hlcc@warwick.net. Sorry – we can only print photographs submitted as .jpg files with a minimum of 150 dpi. Thanks!



Thanks to Chastity Cortijo for sending in these wildlife photos she snapped from her yard.

## Summer Garbage Pickup

JACK MCLAUGHLIN, GENERAL MANAGER

### First pickup - Monday, July 6

The Club's summer garbage pickup for ten weeks with Blue Diamond Disposal begins on Monday, July 6. Garbage pickup services continue on Mondays throughout the summer and end on Tuesday, September 8 (due to Labor Day holiday). The schedule is as follows: July 6, 13, 20, 27, August 3, 10, 17, 24, and 31. The last pickup will be Tuesday, September 8. Please remember - your garbage must be out by 6:30 am on collection day.

Household garbage removal services through the Club are limited to one toter (supplied by Waste Management or Blue Diamond to their year-round customers) or

the equivalent of three, 32 gallon regular size household garbage cans. Only household refuse will be picked up – no bulky waste, tires, construction debris, etc. and recycling is not provided.

Customers of Blue Diamond or Waste Management will be receiving letters explaining the amount of the credit you are entitled to on your invoice if you have paid your dues and assessments in full before Club services begin on July 6. Please note that both haulers will continue to provide recycling services to you, for which you will be invoiced, during the Club's ten week period of service by Blue Diamond.

Only members in good standing are entitled to credits on their invoice for garbage removal services. In order to ensure that you are provided with garbage service through the Club's contract with Blue Diamond, please recognize that until further changes in New Jersey's public health emergency orders occur, your dues and assessments must be paid not later than Thursday, July 2 in order to ensure sufficient processing time before the first pickup on July 6. Customers paying their Club balances after the commencement of services will receive a reduced, prorated credit on their invoices from Blue Diamond or Waste Management.



# Classified Ads

**BOATS/TRAILERS:** Old unwanted boats and trailers taken away for free. Also, can move boats from home to dock and shore for reasonable rates. Call Al for details: 973-271-4282 7/25/20

**P.E. CONTRACTING:** Home renovations, additions, foundations, decks, roofing, siding, kitchens & bathrooms. Highland Lakes resident. Multiple additions and renovations completed in Highland Lakes. We can supply the blueprints, fully insured – eviccievicci@yahoo.com 973-534-8529 5/1/21

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**JP ELECTRIC:** Free estimates, insured and bonded. Serving HLCC since 1986 license and permit #8521. Brian Boeren 973-670-4175. 5/2/21

**FOR SALE:** Paddle boat, good condition. Spent most of the time indoors, call 908-347-0860 7/11/20

**WANTED:** Barbers and stylists for chair rental at Three Corners Plaza, 845-544-0050 7/25/20

## Windsurf Happenings

KEVIN GASTON, FLEET CAPTAIN

### Saturdays at 3 pm

Ladies and gentlemen, start your engines! The 2020 windsurfing race season got the green light to move forward with informal racing. Unless things go south (and I don't mean the wind direction), it'll be full speed ahead when our season opens with a bang on the 4th of July. What better way to celebrate our nation's birthday than with a sailing discipline that was born right here in the U.S.A.

Let's leave the world's troubles behind us for just a couple of hours and feel the breeze on your face as

your board slaps along the choppy lake surface. Join the fun at the starting line every Saturday at 3 pm. Social distancing will be on autopilot since the boards we use for racing are over 12 feet long. The use of any board and sail manufacturer is acceptable. Sail sizes are limited to no larger than 9.5 square meters. Coast guard approved personal flotation devices are recommended for windsurfers.

This year will mark 25 years that my brother Mike and I have served the sailing community. Let's make it a good one. See you on the line.

## 2020 HLCC Sailing Fleet Schedule

LOU IANNUCCI, SAILING COORDINATOR

Below are the 2020 HLCC sailing fleet schedules. All races begin at the Eckhart Sailing Center located on Lakeside Drive West south of the intersection with Alturas Road.

**\*Please note there will be no Jr. Doubles Sunfish races on Fridays this year.**

**\*\*Tentative Dates: All Boat Regatta - Sept. 5; Sailors' Picnic Sept. 6; SANJL - Sept. 26**

Sunfish Races – All races Sundays at 2:30 pm

Mladen Kresic: 973-764-0452

Note: 4th of July Regatta – July 3 - 2 races starting at 11:30 am

July 5, 12, 19, 26 / August 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 / Sept. 6

Jr. Singles Sunfish Races – Wednesdays at 11 am Arrive by 10:45

Krissy Amato 512-206-6717 and Dominick Beninati 917-566-3136

July 8, 15, 22, 29 / August 5, 12, 19, 26

Ladies Sunfish Races – Thursdays at 11 am

Sue Buruchian: 973-271-0227

July 9, 16, 23, 30 / August 6, 13, 20, 27 / Sept. 3

Force 5 Sailing Races – Saturdays at 10 am

Erika Rodger: 201-961-3092

July 4, 11, 18, 25 / August 1, 8, 15, 22, 29

Flying Junior Fleet Sailing Races – Sundays at 11 am Arrive by 10:45am

Mike Gillooley: 973-764-4185

July 5, 12, 19, 26 / August 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 / Sept. 6

Windsurfer Races – Saturdays at 3 pm

Kevin Gaston: 973-764-7332

July 4, 11, 18, 25, / August 1, 8, 15, 22, 29



Questions? Call Lou at 973-764-7042 or hlccsailing@gmail.com

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