



The Highland Lakes Newsette

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The Beat Goes On

SUE ROSS, COMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEE MEMBER

Here we are at the beginning of another summer of fun at the Lake. Swim team will be starting up in a few short weeks. Before you know it, tennis lessons will be in full swing. Softball, volleyball, bocce, basketball, team tennis, pickleball, water aerobics, scheduled hikes and the sailing program will all be underway. But that's not all. There are a myriad of clubhouse activities for tots and youngsters, ceramics and knitting enthusiasts, morning exercisers, as well as activities planned by the women's club, the senior club and others. Beyond this there are annual events that everyone looks forward to, including our Lakeside Musical Showcase, the art show, and Family Day and regular monthly and quarterly performances by amateur and professional musicians performing at our Lakeside Café, and on Seckler Stage, the recently conceived concert series that has become a major hit. It's truly amazing to note that as expansive as this list is, it is not a complete reflection of activities that Club members can enjoy. The list goes on and on, but none of it would exist without the volunteers (young and old) who are dedicated to making the magic happen. Do you hear the beat?

Along with all that takes place to keep the action going

in the summer, there is active involvement on regular committees that meet throughout the year. The selfless and ongoing efforts of committee members are instrumental in assuring the health of our lakes, the safety of our roads, our docks and other facilities... and the fabric of our community. Alongside these efforts, there are still others who check member badges on beaches, work on club communications, and plan for the community's future. Our board of trustees (totaling 12 section trustees and five officers) donate hours and hours of time throughout the year to oversee the management and maintenance details of our community, working closely with our Club manager to make Highland Lakes a place that sets the gold standard for lake communities in New Jersey. You can hear it now... it's the beat that runs through this place.

This type of dedication and devotion is a powerful force, and its positive effect on our community simply can't be overstated. The willingness of hundreds of Club members to step forward every year without exception to be an integral part of our programs is the very thing that makes the activities hum and the community thrive. This personal commitment brings more than just activity and

governance to our lakes. It brings heart, with a strong, palpable beat.

For years now, kids have enjoyed the same kind of wistful summers as generations of children before them have, thanks to all of the volunteers who gave whatever time they could spare. Be a part of the magic this year. You may start out by agreeing to be the parent who tosses balls to the new Farm Team, or a timer at the swim meets, but before long you'll find this involvement grows on you. It fosters friendships and a sense of goodwill that binds you to the Lake and keeps you coming back every season.

In the beginning of this month, our community lost a devoted volunteer. Chet Cooper Sr. was an active member of HL Comet Fleet 130 and spent many a summer engaged in promoting youth sailing. As a teenager, I remember thinking that Mr. Cooper was not only a charming man with a good wit, but also a man who was devoted to treating everyone with respect and decency. The older I got, the more I thought it to be true. A well-respected Club member and a man who gave much of his personal time for the betterment of our community, he will surely be missed by many.

From the President's Desk

BOB HUGHES, PRESIDENT

Under new business for May, the Voting Board approved the nominations of Tom Buchney, as Chair of the Boat/Dock Committee, Steve Amato, as Chair of the Buildings and Grounds Committee, Jeanne Jameson, as Chair of the Elections Committee, and Steve Hastie, as Chair of Special Projects Committee, which

includes the Clubhouse parking lot and deck/railing project. The Board also accepted United Water's request based on confined space safety concerns to install a new electrical cabinet on the vault at Beach 1. United Water will be supplying and maintaining vegetative screening around the vault. Please keep in mind that this

weekend is so much more than the unofficial start to the summer season. Monday is a holiday to commemorate the sacrifices of those who have given their lives that we may live free. Please come and join in our Highland Lakes ceremony on Monday, May 25.

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Clubhouse Breakfast
\$7 Adults  **\$3 Under 12**
SUNDAY, MAY 24
9:00-11:30AM
ALL-YOU-CAN-EAT BUFFET
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Upcoming Clubhouse Events

May 24
Clubhouse

Breakfast

May 25

Memorial Day
Celebration

June 20

Lakeside Café

June 28

Stand Up Paddle
Board Fun Fest



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MONDAY ★ MAY 25 AT 11AM

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ON THE HLCC CLUBHOUSE LAWN
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ALL HLCC FAMILIES are invited to attend!

Upcoming Meetings

Clubhouse – Wednesday, June 17 – 7 pm
Ecology/CCHL – Thursday, June 11 – 7 pm
Fishing – Thursday, June 11 – 8 pm
Planning– Tuesday, June 2 – 7:30 pm
Roads – Thursday, June 4 – 7 pm
Voting Board Workshop – Wednesday, June 10 – 8 pm
Voting Board Meeting – Friday, June 19 – 8 pm

Since all meetings are subject to change, please verify meeting times by contacting the chairperson of the committee or the Club office prior to the meeting time.

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Extended Office Hours

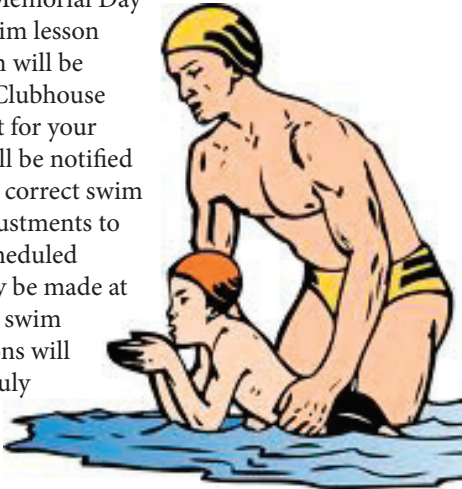
The Office will be open for your convenience for payment of dues and badge pick-ups during the full Memorial Day Weekend as follows:

Saturday, May 23 2015 9 am to 4 pm
Sunday, May 24, 2015 9 am to 4 pm
Monday, May 25, 2015 9 am to 4 pm

During weekends in June, the Club office will be open every Saturday from 10 am to 3 pm. The Activities Center staff will be in the Club Office on Sundays from 10 am to 3 pm.

Swim Lesson Sign-Ups

Sign-ups will be held Saturday and Sunday of Memorial Day Weekend at the Clubhouse from 10 am to 4 pm. An instructor will be there to answer any questions you may have. After the Memorial Day weekend, the swim lesson registration form will be available in the Clubhouse for you to fill out for your children. You will be notified by mail as to the correct swim lesson time. Adjustments to placement or scheduled lesson times may be made at the beach by the swim instructor. Lessons will begin Monday, July 6.



Preseason Beach Hours

Memorial Day Weekend

Beach 1 and Beach 3 will be open from 10:30 am to 5:30 pm on Saturday, May 23, Sunday, May 24 and Monday, May 25.

Pre-season weekends

Beach 1 and Beach 3 will be open on the following weekends from 10:30 am - 5:30 pm: May 30-31, June 6-7, June 13-14, June 20-21.

Pre-season openings - June 24 through June 26

Beach 1 and Beach 3 will be open daily from 12 pm to 6 pm. Beach 2 and Beach 7 will be open daily from 12 pm to 5 pm.

Swim lesson registration forms will be available Memorial Day weekend at the Clubhouse. All beaches open Saturday, June 27.



Chit Chat

Congratulations to our daughter, Erin McLaughlin, who after five years of volunteer EMS and EMT work, has completed nursing school and obtained her license as a registered nurse. Jack and Dawn McLaughlin.



Congratulations to Matthew Hall, who graduated from York College of Pennsylvania with a BS in Criminal Justice on May 16. You did it! We are so proud of you, Mom, Dad and Kelsey.



<div><div></div><div>June 2015</div><div>Highland Lakes Happenings</div></div>						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 8:00 AM Exercise 1:00 PM Bridge 7:30 PM Ceramics	2 7:30 PM Planning Mtg.	3 8:00 AM Exercise 10:00 AM Playgroup	4 1:00 PM Bridge 7:00 PM Road Mtg.	5 8:00 AM Exercise 10:00 AM Playgroup 7:00 PM Bunco	6
7 Private Party Rental	8 8:00 AM Exercise 1:00 PM Bridge 7:30 PM Ceramics	9 7:00 PM Senior Mtg.	10 8:00 AM Exercise 10:00 AM Playgroup 8:00 PM VB Workshop	11 1:00 PM Bridge 7:00 PM Ecology Mtg. 8:00 PM Fishing Mtg.	12 8:00 AM Exercise 10:00 AM Playgroup	13 Private Party Rental
14 Private Party Rental	15 8:00 AM Exercise 1:00 PM Bridge 7:30 PM Ceramics	16	17 8:00 AM Exercise 10:00 AM Playgroup 7:00 PM Clubhouse Mtg.	18 1:00 PM Bridge	19 8:00 AM Exercise 10:00 AM Playgroup 8:00 PM Voting Board Mtg.	20 8:00 PM Lakeside Cafe Highland Hatters
21	22 8:00 AM Exercise 1:00 PM Bridge 7:30 PM Ceramics	23 7:00 PM Senior Mtg.	24 8:00 AM Exercise	25 1:00 PM Bridge 8:00 PM - 7:00 PM Lego Club 7:00 PM Mandatory Lifeguard Mtg.	26 8:00 AM Exercise	27 Opening Day for Beaches
28 11:00 AM Stand Up Paddle Board Fun Fest	29 8:00 AM Exercise 1:00 PM Bridge 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM Lakeside Musical Play Rehearsal 7:30 PM Ceramics	30 10:00 AM Women's Auxiliary Mtg.				

Monday Night Adult Ceramics

ANGELA ABRAMS AND KATHY STRUBE

Time to dust off your imagination and join the many creative souls painting wonderful masterpieces of beauty. Your garden is calling for a new gnome, bird house, bird bath, stepping stone...Your kitchen is calling for a new serving dish, set of mugs, sugar bowl...Your friends would love a new candle holder, vase, jewelry box...So come down to the clubhouse on Monday nights at 7:30 and let your imagination take over.

Our instructor, Mary, supplies the brushes and paint. She also supplies a collection of bisque for purchase. Her vast knowledge, accumulated over the years, will help you create things of beauty. As long as you have an imagination you can succeed. All adult members in good standing are welcome. All young people ages 8 to 15 are also welcome, if accompanied by an adult member. And as with all Highland Lakes activities....please wear your badges.

Any questions contact Angela Abrams 973-764-3498 or Kathy Strube 973-764-4210.



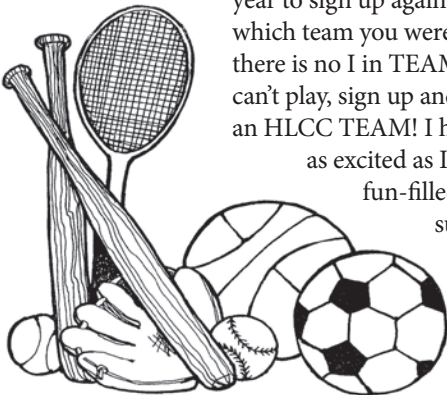
Summer Athletics

PAT ECKHART, ATHLETIC DIRECTOR

Summer 2015 is right around the corner and it is time to start thinking about all of the activities of which you would like to be a part of. As in the past, the registration book for all Club sponsored athletic teams will be at the Clubhouse Activities Desk beginning Memorial Day weekend. The activities include tennis, tennis lessons (children and teens), soccer, softball, sailing, basketball, volleyball, bowling, and golf outings (TBA). In the next few weeks I will begin the schedule making process, but this can only be done once I get a good sense of the participation this summer by our athletes and volunteers, SO PLEASE SIGN UP!

If you or your child volunteered in any capacity last year and wish to continue, please note it on your child's registration form. The teamwork of our volunteers makes everything possible. It is very important for any coach or player that participated in our program last year to sign up again and let us know which team you were on. Remember, there is no I in TEAM, so don't say I can't play, sign up and become part of an HLCC TEAM! I hope everyone is as excited as I am for another fun-filled Highland Lakes summer. See you on the fields!

Any questions call Pat at 973-557-6824.



Save the Date...

MARY ANN MASTRANGELO

Art Show 2015

This year's Art Show will be held on Saturday, August 22 - (Meet the Artists reception), Sunday, August 23 - (HLCC members competition for all ages).

Start thinking about how you will be part of our yearly art show. It's not too early to plan your art/craft projects.



Bridge Results

VIRGINIA MCNULTY

Thursday, April 2:

1. Barbara Eckhart , 2. Dot Cooper, 3. Dot Henninger

Monday, April 6:

1. Barbara Eckhart, 2. Shirley Baldwin, 3. Cathy Tansey



Special good wishes to Dot McAlary and Cathy Tansey for speedy recoveries.

Hurry back to the bridge table. We miss you.



Get Ready for Summer

Get Going on Spring Cleaning

The Goodwill Fundraising Committee is gearing up for another fabulous Community Yard Sale to be held on July 18, and as is always the case, this year's sale is sure to amaze even the most veteran shoppers. If past years are any indication of what to expect, you will find a vast assortment of kitchen items, dishes, pottery, outdoor furniture, tools, lamps, frames, children's toys, and so much more. But we can't do it without you.

Five easy steps to making this year's sale the best yet:

1. Start organizing and boxing up items in your home that are still perfectly good, just not to you.
2. Put these boxes in your basement or garage and keep adding more items to them until July 16.
3. On Friday, July 17, bring your boxes to the Clubhouse, where someone on our committee will greet you with open arms and take them off your hands.
4. Drive home feeling happy that you have gotten rid of some perfectly good stuff that you haven't used in years and that someone else will surely enjoy.
5. Return to the sale on July 18, purse in hand/change in pocket and peruse the aisles to find something you really can't live without.



Lego Club Continues

MELISSA HARDIN, COORDINATOR, PLAYGROUP

Lego Club has moved to Thursday nights. We will meet the 4th Thursday of each month from 6 – 7 pm. The next scheduled dates are May 28 and June 25.



Hiking News

BOB TAFFER, CHRISTINE BILLACK

The Highland Lakes Hiking Club would like to extend an invitation to residents of all ages who enjoy hiking in the great outdoors to join us on one of our upcoming monthly hikes. We are an informal, friendly group who look forward to our moderate Sunday hikes along local trails, some of which offer spectacular, or at least picturesque, views.

Hikers will meet at clubhouse parking lot at 10:30 am. We will either walk from the clubhouse or drive a short distance to the starting point of the hike. It is important that each hiker bring water and lunch and wear appropriate hiking shoes. Most hikes will last an average of 4 - 5 hours, which includes waiting, lunch break and/or driving time. Anyone capable of hiking at least 5 miles at a steady, moderate pace is welcome. Hikers may bring their well-behaved dogs, which must be on a leash whenever we walk on a roadway. In the case of inclement weather, including snow or ice on the ground, or temperatures above 90°, we will be unable to hike. So, get those hiking boots out of the closet and join us for our next hike.

June 14:

Mahlon Dickerson Reservation - Easy 5-6 mile hike along trails (including Highlands Trail), woods, roads and an abandoned railroad bed.

Club Beach Rules

*Do not enter the water if you are experiencing or recovering from diarrhea or have had any signs or symptoms of a gastrointestinal (stomach) disease in the past seven days.

*All children in diapers must wear plastic pants with snug fitting elastic waist and leg bands. Do not wash out soiled diapers in the bathing water.

*Children should be encouraged to use the restroom before entering the water. Immediately report any "accidents" you observe in the bathing waters to a lifeguard.

*No animals, except for service animals, shall be allowed in the swimming pool, wading pool, hot tub, or spa area, dressing rooms, or other parts of the enclosure.

*Glass containers shall be prohibited in food and drink areas.

*Conduct which endangers the safety and comfort of others shall be prohibited.

*Outdoor bathing shall be prohibited during an electrical storm.

*Persons suspected of being under the influence of drugs or alcohol shall be prohibited from entering the water.

*No motorized vehicles, except emergency and maintenance vehicles shall be permitted in the bathing area during its use.

*No boating, water skiing, sailboating, windsurfing, scuba diving, or surfboarding shall be permitted in the swimming and bathing area while in use.

*Rope drops shall not be permitted except those licensed and inspected by the Department of Community Affairs pursuant to N.J.S.A. 5:3-31 through 55.



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ESC Sailing Tube Storage

SUE BURUCHIAN

Ahoy sailors! It's time again to think sailing and tube storage. As always, junior fleet racing sailors have the first right of refusal for the 15 tube storage system at the ESC (Eckhart Sailing Center.) Junior sailors and/or their parents need to email me to request a tube at 4burufam@warwick.net. Please identify your message by placing "Sailing Tubes" in subject line so I don't miss your email.

I will confirm active junior sailors with the junior fleet captain, email you the release form to sign/return and assign your tube number. Any remaining tubes not assigned to juniors will be available to the other racing fleets docked at ESC.

Here are the basic rules for review for tube usage:

1. Do not put wet sails in the tubes. Dry sails only.
2. Junior sailors have first right of refusal due to parent transportation considerations.
3. Lock and combination information must be provided on the form to the Club via fleet captains and S. Buruchian
4. No wet items of any kind shall be placed in tube.
5. Only HL racing fleet sailors can utilize tubes.
6. Only non-lakefront members can use this option.
7. Only one set of sails with spars are permitted in a tube.
8. Storage is only during the sail racing season. There is no year-round storage.
9. When Club docks go in the water and are taken out, so must your sails!
10. Any abuse of the tubes forfeits your right to use them.

Any questions please call 973-764-7420 or e-mail me. Happy Sailing!



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Mark the Date for the Lakeside Musical Showcase

JO ANN VENTOR



Want to be on stage? Let's put on a show! For ages 8-17; girls and boys are needed. This year's 8th annual "Lakeside Musical Showcase" at the Clubhouse will be scenes from The Little Mermaid.

The performance will occur on Friday, August 7, 2015 at 7:30 pm.

Children will be taught to perform with music, choreography, sets, props and costumes. All young members in good standing are welcome, and all will be cast. There will be an informal audition for lead characters at the first 2-3 rehearsals: Girls will sing parts of Part of Your World and Poor Unfortunate Soul, boys will sing One Step Closer. Clubhouse rehearsals start on June 29, and will be held every Monday (2 pm - 5 pm), Wednesday (2 pm - 5 pm), and Thursday (2 pm - 4 pm). Specifically, we are looking to cast older boys in lead roles-ages 12-17 and always looking for stage crew help! Any questions call (201) 310-3108 or (201) 764-6033.

Lakeside Café Open Mic

June 20, 2015 @ 8 pm
Artists please sign in by 7 pm
Mark your calendars.
Thank you!



Planning a Retreat

HLCC started as a family retreat. The purpose of each residence was to:

- Provide shelter, security, and privacy
- Operate with low maintenance
- Allow residents to relax and enjoy nature

You can capture that again by planning your projects with:

- multi-use spaces
- natural materials like stone and wood
- simple details
- views, light, and ventilation in mind.

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The Mighty Seniors

JOYCE HEALY, SENIORS CLUB PRESIDENT

YA-HOO! The Seniors Club is in full swing for the spring, summer & fall, y'all! Our evening meetings began Tuesday, May 12 at 7:00 pm, and we had a pretty good turn-out. If you happened to miss that opening meeting, that's OK... but please know that we miss you when you're not there, so mark off the 2nd & 4th Tuesday nights of each month for the Mighty Seniors. "What do I have to do to join," you ask. All you have to do is be at least 50 years old, be a member-in-good-standing of HLCC&CA, and enjoy meeting some very cool people and getting involved in great activities and events at the clubhouse. Dues for 2015 are \$10/ person, and you'll need to bring your appetite because we serve

"coffee and" at every meeting, and enjoy presentations of guest speakers. Soooooooo, get on down to the clubhouse on Tues, May 26 at 7 pm. Okey-dokey?

Our first "BIGGIE EVENT" is the Memorial Day ceremony on the clubhouse lawn at 11:00 am on Monday, May 25, Memorial Day. There's always a great All-American lunch served afterwards for a small fee in the Lake Room. ALL OF HIGHLAND LAKES IS INVITED... not just seniors.

Thursday, July 30, we'll be going to Hunterdon Playhouse for excellent dinner-theater ("Twist and Shout"---a musical journey back in time). We'll be sharing a bus with another group, and the cost is \$76.50 per person. We need 20-28 people to sign up--call Joyce

for more information.

Here are the answers to last month's Rhyme-Time puzzlers:

1. Sim Jim
2. flight height
- 3.weird beard
4. pop top
5. hodge podge
6. dream team
7. cook book
8. won ton
9. slight fright
10. gray day
11. Mai Tai
12. prime time
13. hot shot
14. jet set
15. hob nob
16. fat cat
17. back track

18. lager jogger
19. fall ball
20. near beer.

How many puzzlers did you answer? I'll bet it was at least 99 percent because you're sharp as a tack!

Speaking of American lingo, there's a really cool show on TV that tells J.Q. Public where we get certain sayings. For example, MADHATTER (hat makers dipped their materials in mercury and these folks usually became "looney" after awhile). TANK TOP (based on the swimwear from the 1920s that were called tank suits...when I was about 10 yrs. old my grandpa showed me his swimsuit he had as a young man, and I couldn't believe he could wear such an itchy

wooly bathing suit! TIP (yes, it has to do with leaving a little something extra for your waitress or waiter---it is an acronym meaning To Insure Promptness). DUNGAREES (actually originated in the 1700s in Dongri, India, where they made a very durable cotton fabric. Watch that show... it's fascinating to learn about our language.

We welcome everyone to come on down to the Mighty Seniors' meetings and events. There are about 15 - 50 & 60 yr. olds, and about 15 folks a wee bit more! We have a good time whenever we're together. Come see what you're missing. If you need a ride or help with something, give me a call. Love ya, Joyce (973) 764-0306.

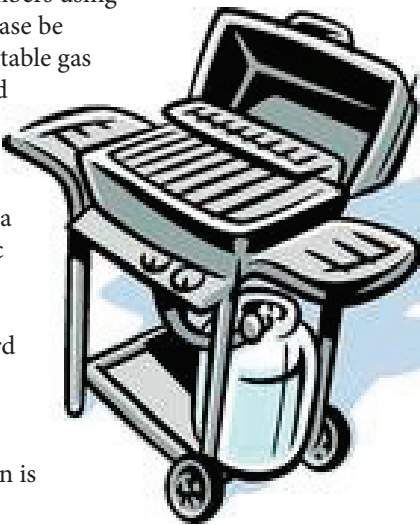
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In the interest of the safety of all members using our beaches, please be advised that portable gas grills are allowed ONLY on Beaches 3 and 5 and ONLY in the grassy area where the picnic tables are, away from the beach patrons, lifeguard equipment and any playground equipment. Your cooperation is appreciated.



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The Vernon Township Woman's Club created this pinwheel garden at the Vernon PAL Building in observance of Child Abuse Prevention Month.

More Bricks – More Memories

GOODWILL FUNDRAISING COMMITTEE

Our Path to Goodwill keeps growing right along with our commitment to helping neighbors in need. Ten more bricks will be installed in the path over the next few weeks, bringing our total to nearly 250 bricks that carry messages sure to make you smile. To buy your own brick, stop by the Club office, or go to www.hlcc.org/oldsite/wp-content/uploads/2012/02/Goodwill-Paver-Order-Form.pdf to download it now.



Photo By Jeff Stoveken

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. Pickup on Mondays will continue throughout the summer and end on Tuesday, September 8 (due to Labor Day holiday). The schedule is as follows: July 6, July 13, 20, 27, August 3, 10, 17, and 24. The last pickup will be Tuesday, September 8 (due to the Labor Day Holiday). Please note that the Club's services do not include recycling.

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. Please note that both haulers will continue to provide recycling services to you during the Club's ten week period of service by Blue Diamond.

Only members in good standing are entitled to credits on their garbage bill. In order to ensure that you are provided with garbage service through the Club's contract with Blue Diamond, your dues and assessments must be paid not later than Sunday, July 5. Please remember - your garbage must be out by 6:30 am on collection day.

Use of Flotation Devices

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All swimmers (toddlers through seniors) may use flotation devices such as swimmies, rafts, tubes, etc. at the beaches. These devices may not be used where the water depth is greater than the swimmer's height (you must be able to stand in the water). Thanks for your cooperation.



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Al Stewart brings his inimitable voice and catalog of songs to Seckler Stage on July 31.
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Upcoming Concert Series Events

There are a number of concerts scheduled for this summer at Seckler Stage (and a few more in the planning stages). On July 11, we'll welcome the Avalon Jazz Band back to Highland Lakes for the third time to help us celebrate Bastille Day a little early. Anyone's who's been to either of Avalon's previous performances at the Clubhouse can tell you what to expect—charming Parisian jazz from the Zazou era, and lots of fun. If you weren't able to see them the last two times they were here, make sure you don't miss them this time around, the third time's the charm. (Tickets will go on sale soon to members-in-good-standing and their guests for \$20/ticket; tickets for non-members will be available at a later date, if still available, for \$25.)

On Saturday, July 31, famed singer/songwriter and folk rock guitarist Al Stewart will perform at Seckler Stage. It's not every day that you can walk down to our

Clubhouse to enjoy a concert by an artist who's also performing two sold-out shows at London's Royal Albert Hall during a tour, but that's how the Concert Series rolls. (Tickets for members-in-good-standing and their guests will go on sale soon for \$35/ticket; tickets for non-members, if still available, will be available at a later date, for \$40.)

We're in the process of booking Azucar, the Latin Jazz band that played here in early April, for a return engagement in the late summer or early fall, and we're working on bringing in some other acts before the end of summer and throughout the fall, as well, if the Clubhouse schedule permits. Club members interested in receiving updates and notification about Concert Series news and events, and/or learning how they can volunteer or assist are invited to contact us at concertseries@hlcc.org.

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Stand Up Paddle Board Fun Fest

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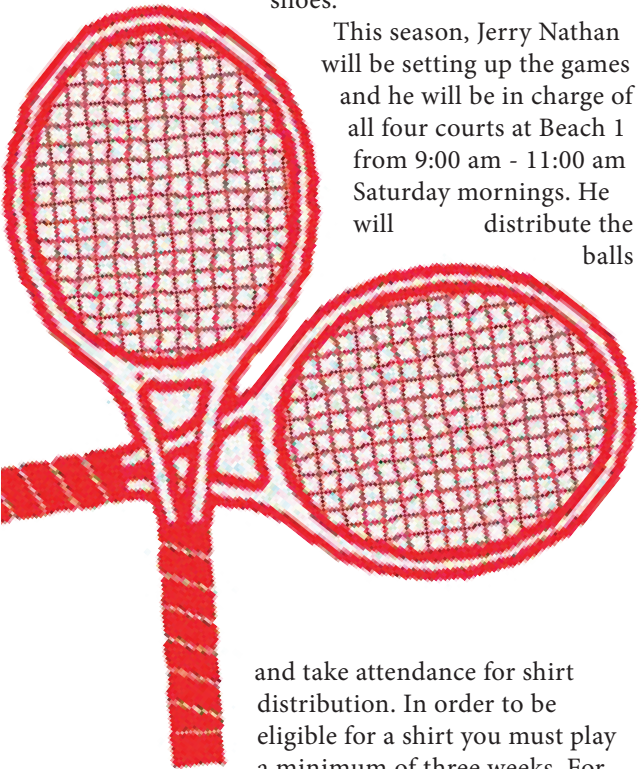
Sunday, June 28

Mark your calendars for Sunday, June 28 for the Stand Up Paddle Board Fun Fest. This event will be sponsored by Micki and Al Lees of Barry Lakes who own a full service Paddle Board shop called Jersey Paddle Boards, located in neighboring Greenwood Lake, NY. There will be games for the kids, instruction from certified SUP instructors, fun races, demos and last , but certainly not least, Stand Up Paddle Board yoga by “Dee” who is a certified Stand Up Paddle Board and yoga instructor. Participants as young as 4 years of age are welcome. Bring your own board or try one of ours. We start at 11 am and end whenever. Rain or shine.

Team Tennis

ELAINE KUNTZ

Team Tennis will begin Saturday, Memorial Day weekend. The balls are ordered and the shirts have been purchased. We will have them in a couple of weeks. All we need is good weather and our players. Come one, come all - we have regulars and we get new players every year. If you are new to the community and play tennis at any level, this is a great way to meet your Highland Lakes neighbors. All you need to join us is a current HLCC badge, a racquet and tennis shoes.



This season, Jerry Nathan will be setting up the games and he will be in charge of all four courts at Beach 1 from 9:00 am - 11:00 am Saturday mornings. He will distribute the balls

and take attendance for shirt distribution. In order to be eligible for a shirt you must play a minimum of three weeks. For questions or more information, call Jerry at (973) 764-7961 or call Cathy (973) 764-3174. If you have any news or any information that you think should be included in our weekly Newsette article, contact Elaine Kuntz at (973) 764-3590. See you all at the courts—Jerry, Cathy, and Elaine.

HL Benefit Apparel “New Vintage” Design

SUE BURUCHIAN, ONLINE EMBROIDERY

The new two-color sailing design seen on the latest sweatshirts, t-shirts and mugs (among other items) draws heavily on a vintage design that was originally used on cream mugs during the early years of the Club. Other designs, such as the Fisherman, Little Girl Swimmer, and Burgee Flag, are available, as well. Highland Lakes apparel stock will be available after Memorial Day in the Activities Center. Custom orders are available at OnLine Embroidery (a HL-approved embellisher). Visit OnLine Embroidery and Imprints at www.onlineembroidery.net, www.facebook.com/onlineembroidery, or call 973.764.LINE.



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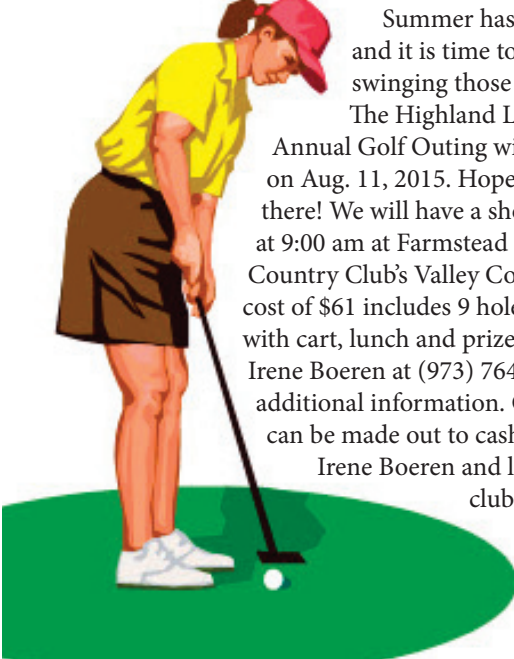
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Highland Lakes Ladies Golf Outing

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Summer has arrived, and it is time to start swinging those golf clubs! The Highland Lakes Ladies Annual Golf Outing will be held on Aug. 11, 2015. Hope to see you there! We will have a shotgun start at 9:00 am at Farmstead Golf and Country Club's Valley Course. The cost of \$61 includes 9 holes of golf with cart, lunch and prizes! Contact Irene Boeren at (973) 764-7371 for additional information. Checks can be made out to cash or to Irene Boeren and left at the clubhouse.

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The Sailing Fleets of Highland Lakes!

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We are fortunate to have five active sailing fleets in Highland Lakes- Sunfish, Force 5, Flying Junior "FJ," Windsurfer and Catamaran. The boats sailed represent different experiences for those interested in sailing. In order to help you find which boat best fits the needs and wants of your desired sailing experience, here are the fleets:

Sunfish- Highland Lakes Fleet is #23 with the International Sunfish Class (www.sunfishclass.org). The single-sail sunfish, 13.9 feet, is raced either with one or two people aboard. Current builder is Laser Performance in Rhode Island. The Sunfish is the most popular recreational sailboat in history. Its classic design, unmatched stability and sailing ease are enjoyed by all ages. Owners appreciate the lightweight hull, which makes it relatively easy to transport on the top of a car. And its ultra-durable construction ensures years of maintenance-free enjoyment. Sailing trips are a breeze, just load the Sunfish on your car and go!



Mladen Kresic, Fleet Captain, Sunfish

This is the classic boat you grew up with. The Sunfish has two easy to rig lines and easy-snap sail rings. A racing sunfish can have an outhaul, cunningham, race-sail with window and quick-release gooseneck upgrades. The International Sunfish Class sanctions more than 1,000 racing events each year. In Highland Lakes, we sail three fleets of Sunfish; Youth Junior Single (18 and under) on Wednesdays, Youth Junior Doubles (18 and under) on Fridays, a Ladies Fleet is for those age 19 and over as a singles race on Thursdays and Senior Singles are raced on

Sunday's for those 19 years of age and up (men and women). We are also part of the SANJL Association (Sailing Association of North Jersey Lakes), which holds a Regatta Championship Series every year at various local lakes. Highland Lakes is proud to host one Championship Regatta yearly and in various years have held the prestigious SANJL Junior Championship Regatta. Contact these Sunfish fleet captains for more information: Mladen Kresic (senior fleet), Irene Boeran (ladies fleet) MaryJane Kresic (junior fleet), Mark Buruchian (Highland Lakes SANJL representative).



Erica Rodger, Fleet Captain, Force 5

Highland Lakes Fleet is Fleet #27 with the Force 5 Class. (<http://force5.us/main>). The Force 5 is a small one-design racing sailboat that is similar to the more well known Laser, but with a hard chine aft. Although it is designed for single-handed racing, two people can easily fit into the large cockpit. The boats are currently built in Long Island by Weeks Yacht Yard. This is a competitive, sleek boat that is sensitive to the wind, making for exciting sailing. This 14-foot craft has a 91-foot mainsail, rolled deck and an adjustable rig. It can be transported on top of a car, as well. Force 5 races are held on Saturdays at 11am at the Eckardt Sailing Center. Erika Rodger is the fleet captain.

The "FJ," aka Flying Junior's (www.cfjclass.org) current builder is Laser Performance in Rhode Island. The club Flying Junior is a tough, agile performer for beginners



Michael Gillooley, Fleet Captain, FJ

to elite sailors. The FJ is a fantastic choice for clubs and junior programs looking to introduce young and less seasoned sailors to double-handed sailing with a spinnaker. The collegiate version of the FJ (no spinnaker) is the most popular boat in college sailing, and is the type we sail in Highland Lakes; more collegiate sailing teams in North America sail FJs than any other double-handed sailboat. The Highland Lakes FJ races are sailed on Sundays, with two races starting at 11 am. Come enjoy this growing energetic fun fleet. Mike Gillooley is the fleet captain.



Kevin Gaston, Fleet Captain, Windsurfing

Windsurfing- Windsurfers are simplicity in design – one board, one sail, and one sailor. The lightweight foam core boards also make for a quick and painless transport to your favorite launch site. Loading and unloading can easily be done by one person. Manufacturers produce everything from stable beginner designs with stand up paddle options to planning hull race boards. We

utilize two basic classes for racing – Sport and Open. The Sport Class is designed for beginner to novice racers. Pre-race clinics are available by calling (845) 893-2923 by 11am on race days. Races will be held on Saturdays at 3 pm starting on July 4th. The maximum allowed sail sizes for racing are 9.3 square meters for the Open class, and 7.5 square meters for the Sport class. Both classes can use any manufacturer's board and sail. U.S. Windsurfing-sanctioned events run throughout the year at various locations, with points counting toward national rankings at the end of each year. Classes include Open, Formula, Kona One Design and Hybrid, which includes the Neil Pryde Olympic class RS:X. Kevin Gaston Fleet Captain.



Chip Ehrhardt, Fleet Captain, Catamaran

The largest number of "cats" on the lake are made by Hobie. The two types are the "16" and the Wave. The 16's hulls are made of fiberglass, have two sails with 20m of sail area, a 27-foot mast, and weigh 320 pounds. The Wave's hulls are made of roto-moulded polyethylene has a single 9m sail, a 20-foot mast, and weighs 245 pounds. The "16" is a higher performance boat better suited for racing. The Wave is more of a recreational boat and doesn't go upwind as well as the "16." Both are fun boats, especially in higher wind. We are trying to establish a fleet of three. We'd love more of you to join in! Contact Chip Ehrhardt, fleet captain, for fleet news and information.

Contact the HL Sailing Coordinator, Lou Iannucci, or the fleet captains directly, as listed above, for any additional information. There are plenty of experiences for any boater to choose on Highland Lakes. Come enjoy sailing... we would love to show you the ropes. Highland Lakes sailing burgee apparel and burgee stickers to support the sailing program and events are available. Come, catch a breeze with the sailing fleets of Highland Lakes.

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P.E. CONTRACTING: From roofing and siding to decks and basements. 973-534-8529 (Call Paul, Highland Lakes resident). 7/18

WANTED: Babysitter - Looking for responsible babysitter (with a car) to watch an 11 year old for the summer. Please call Joe for details - 917.843.6286. 6/27

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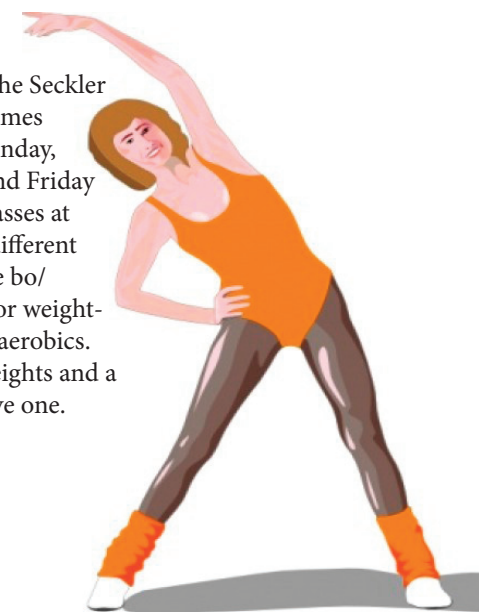
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Highland Lakes' lighter and shifty spring winds forces sailors to earn their placings on the last windward legs. Mark Buruchian and Bob Tomsey were trophy winners for Highland Lakes. Congratulations!

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HLCC Sailing Fleet Schedules

LOU IANNUCCI, SAILING COORDINATOR

Below are the 2015 HLCC sailing fleet schedules. Please note there are additions from previous years. All races begin at the Eckhart Sailing Center located on Lakeside Drive West south of the intersection with Alturas Road.



Please take note of the following dates:

Stand Up Paddle Board Fun Fest:

Sunday, June 28 at 11 am

Jr. SANJL

Saturday, August 22 at 9 am

All Boat Regatta

Saturday, August 29

Sailor's Picnic:

Sunday, September 6 at 4:30 pm

Senior Sunfish Races Sundays at 2:30 pm

Mladen Kresic: (973) 764-0452

(Friday, July 3) 5, 12, 19, 26/ August 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 / Sept. 6

Jr. Singles Sunfish Races Wednesdays at 11 am

Maryjane Kresic: (973) 764-0452

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

Ladies Sunfish Races Thursdays at 11 am

Irene Boeren: (973) 764-7371

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

Jr. Doubles Sunfish Races Fridays at 11:00 am

Maryjane Kresic: (973) 764-0452

July 10, 17, 24, 31 / August 7, 14, 21

Force 5 Sailing Races Saturdays at 11 am

Erika Rodger: (201) 961-3092

June 27 / July 4, 11, 18, 25 / August 1, 8, 15

Flying Junior Fleet Sailing Races Sundays at 11 am

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 / Sept. 5