



The Highland Lakes Newsette

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Friday night bonfire attracts a good crowd



Upcoming Tricky Tray

IRENE BOEREN

The Highland Lakes Fire Department Ladies Auxiliary will be holding their Annual Tricky Tray on Friday, August 4, 2017, at the Fire House on Canistear Road. Doors open at 7 pm and the first draw is at 8 pm. Refreshments are available and the fire house is air conditioned and ADA accessible. There will be great trays, specials and a 50/50. Once again we will be



raffling off 4 one-day Park Hopper Passes for Disney World in Orlando. Tickets for this item at \$10 each or 3 for \$25. Admission is \$2 and you must be 18 or over to play. Ticket packets will be sold at the door. For further information, call

President Irene Boeren at 973-764-7371 or email us at hlfdla@gmail.com

Upcoming Events

July 29 – HL "B" Invitational Swim Meet
July 30 – Board Sports Festival
August 1 – Women's Auxiliary Fashion Show
August 5 – Women's Auxiliary Covered Dish



Entrance to Beach 1 from Breakneck Road Closed Saturday, July 29

JACK MCLAUGHLIN, GENERAL MANAGER

Parking in Loop Road around Beach Hut Reserved for "B" Invitational

The Highland Lakes Swim Team is sponsoring its "B Invitational" on Saturday, July 29. To accommodate the event's parking requirements, the following ONE DAY changes are being made to parking at Beach 1.

The Swim Team will be using the entire "loop road" around the Beach Hut for parking. Access from Breakneck Road to the parking aisles next to the ball field and playground will not be possible. Use the rear entrance at Lakeside Drive for parking for the beach.

Highland Lakes Country Club
Fourth Annual
BOARD SPORTS FESTIVAL
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Beach Hours

The following beaches will be open starting Saturday, July 1:

- Beach 1 9:30 am – 7 pm
- Beach 2 10:30 am - 5:30 pm
- Beach 3 10:30 am – 6 pm
- Beach 7 11:30 am – 6 pm
- Swim Lanes....12 pm – 5 pm

Beaches 4, 5, 6....12 pm – pm **Tues – Sat** (Sunday and Monday CLOSED. Beaches will open only based on staff availability)



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Office/Activity Center Hours

The Club office is open daily from 9 am to 4 pm and every Saturday from 10 am to 1 pm.
If you are a new property owner or a tenant renewing or registering as an Associate Member, please come to the office between 10 am and 1 pm only.

The Activity Center is open for your convenience as follows:
Monday – Friday 9 am to 4 pm
Saturday and Sunday 10 am to 4 pm for dues payments and badge pickup only.

Upcoming Meetings

- Buildings and Grounds – Monday, August 21 – 7:30 pm
- Clubhouse Committee – Wednesday, August 16 – 7 pm
- Ecology Committee – Thursday, August 10 - 7 pm
- Fishing Committee – Thursday, August 10 – 8 pm
- Roads Committee – Thursday, August 3 – 7 pm
- Voting Board Workshop – Wednesday August 16 – 8 pm
- Annual Meeting – Sunday, August 20 – 2 pm

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

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The Lakeland Swim Conference
Highland Lakes Swim Team

Swim Team Summer Practice Schedule

- 9 am - 10 am: ages 13+
- 10 am - 11 am: ages 9 - 12
- 11 am - 11:45 am: ages 8 and under
- 11:30 am - 12 pm: ages 6 and under

2017 Swim Team Meet Schedule

July 29	Highland Lakes “B” Invitational
August 2	Highland Lakes @ Green Pond
August 3	Coaches Choice @ TBD
August 5	Erskine “C” Invitational @ Erskine
August 9	Town of West Milford @ Highland Lakes
August 12	A” Championships @ Lincoln Park

Beach Testing Results

Below are the results of the most recent fecal coliform 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 200. All samples conformed to state recreational bathing standards. Testing results are reported by the lab to the Sussex County Department of Health.

	7/18	7/14	7/3
Beach 1	30	70	140
Beach 2 – Clubhouse	10	15	<10
Beach 3 – Lookover Lane	<10	<10	10
Beach 4 – Bushwick	60	10	10
Beach 5 – E. Lakeshore Dr.	10	20	10
Beach 6 – W. Lakeshore Dr.	20	10	<10
Beach 7 – Upper HL Dr.	80	40	<10
Swim Lanes – Clubhouse	<10	20	<10

Goodwill for All

THE GOODWILL FUND COMMITTEE

THANK YOU THANK YOU to everyone who helped to make the Goodwill Annual Community Yard Sale a success! We started out with rain rain rain on Friday, but that could not hold back the Highland Lakes Community who donated generously. Our Goodwill volunteers were tireless in their efforts to sort, clean, organize, price and display all kinds of housewares, tools, toys and special finds. A sincere thank you to our veteran committee members as well as new volunteers who joined us. Especially noted were the efforts of our teen volunteers who organized the toy area. It’s wonderful to have the youth of Highland Lakes participate and they were exceptional.

Thank you to all our supporters who continually offer their efforts the day of the event, most especially the Women’s Auxiliary with the Bake Sale and the Teen Council with their lemonade stand. Nothing would happen without the efforts of the tireless volunteers who “man the grill” and as always, the food was delicious.

And THANK YOU to the Highland Lakes Community for visiting with neighbors, and supporting a wonderful cause. Whether you came to browse, had lunch, had a vendor booth, made a purchase, grabbed some lemonade or a muffin or considered a brick on the Path to Goodwill...we thank you.

Petitions for Officer and
Trustee Positions Available

PATRICK MCNULTY, ELECTIONS CHAIRPERSON

Filing Deadline - Monday, July 31

At this year’s Annual Meeting on August 20, 2017, elections will be held for full, three-year terms commencing October 1, 2017, for Trustee positions for Sections 1, 3, 4, and 5.

In order for a candidate’s name for Trustee to be on the ballot, the candidate must reside in the section, be a property owner and have been a member in good standing for the three years immediately preceding the election. The candidate is required to file a petition with the Elections Chairperson containing five signatures from members in good standing in the section electing a Trustee. Petitions will be available at the Club Office only, Monday through Friday, 9 am to 4 pm, and on Saturdays, 10 am to 1 pm beginning July 3, 2017. The petition must be received at the Club Office at least twenty (20) days before the election, which means no later than 4 pm on Monday, July 31, 2017.

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 2017 Membership Card enclosed in the provided envelope no later than Wednesday, August 16, 2017, at 4 pm.

Elections will be held at the Annual Meeting on August 20. Please make sure that you attend this meeting and that you have your 2017 Membership Card and badge with you.

Newsette
Submission Deadline

JACK MCLAUGHLIN, GENERAL MANAGER

If you would like to submit an article for publication in an upcoming issue of the *Newsette*, please follow the requirement that articles should be submitted on the Friday before the week of publication. When the revamped Newsette debuted in February, 2014, this deadline was agreed upon as the entire production cycle underwent significant changes, and the Club needed to ready its final work on the Newsette for submission to the publisher on Tuesdays. To manage these tasks, the bulk of the articles were expected to be received the week before the Newsette publication, providing time for our volunteer editorial staff from the Communications committee to review the articles over the weekend. We all recognized that late breaking news and summaries of activities and events that took place over the weekend would be processed on Mondays and reviewed Monday evening, as long as the articles were received by noon on Monday.

Recently, we are finding more and more articles being received not on Fridays but submitted over the weekend and on Mondays. These submissions, unrelated to late breaking events and news, are complicating and extending the production cycle. Due to the volume of these submissions we can no longer guarantee that late submission unrelated to late breaking news and events will be published.

Please make every effort to submit your articles on the Friday before the week of publication. Under no circumstances will submissions be accepted after noon on Monday. Thanks to all for your cooperation and support.

<div><div>Highland Lakes Happenings July 29 - August 4, 2017</div><div></div></div>	
Saturday 7/29	9:00 AM HL B Invitational 11:00 AM Force 5 Race 3:00 PM Windsurf Race
Sunday 7/30	11:00 AM Board Sports Festival 11:00 AM FJ Race 2:30 PM Sr. Sunfish Race
Monday 7/31	8:00 AM Exercise 5:00 PM -6:00 PM Yoga 6:30 PM Teen Council 7:30 PM Adult Ceramics
Tuesday 8/1	10:00 AM Women's Auxiliary Mtg. 6:45 PM (Doors Open) Women's Auxiliary Fashion Show
Wednesday 8/2	8:00 AM Exercise 11:00 AM Jr. Singles Sunfish 1:30 PM Bocce
Thursday 8/3	11:00 AM Ladies Sunfish Race 1:00 PM Bridge 7:00 PM Road Comm. Mtg.
Friday 8/4	8:00 AM Exercise 11:00 AM Jr. Doubles Sunfish Race 1:00 PM Men's Golf Outing

WANTED:
HL Memories Curators

VINNY GAGLIOSTRO, CLUBHOUSE DIRECTOR

Curator: a keeper or custodian of a collection.
Training in new digital picture frame provided. Do you enjoy photography? Do you love to have your pictures on display? The Clubhouse is looking for a couple of teens to upload photographs and create playlists of Highland Lakes activities, happenings and scenery. The teens will encourage members to submit pictures taken during activity time and of their favorite scenes from around Highland Lakes.
Our Memories Curators will organize these pictures for display on our new digital picture frame above the Activity Center. Training, equipment and passwords will be provided. Please sign up at the Activity Center if you are interested or leave a message for Clubhouse Director, Vinny Gagliostro.

Adult Ceramics

ANGELA ABRAMS, KATHY STRUBE

Classes are still held every Monday night at 7:30 pm. Join us and start a new project for the Art Show or create a unique birthday, anniversary, or Mother's Day gift. Our instructor, Mary, supplies the brushes and paint. She also supplies a collection of bisque for purchase.
All adult members in good standing are welcome. All young people, ages 8 to 15, are also welcome if accompanied by an adult member. As with all Highland Lakes activities, please wear your badge.

Activities for July 31 – August 5

Theme: Reptiles and Amphibians
Monday – July 31

9:30am - 10:30 am: Make and Take Crafts (ages 6+)
Pipe Cleaner Beaded Snakes
10:30 am – 11:30 am: Make and Take Crafts (ages 6+)
Cupcake Liner Turtles
11:30 am - 12:30 pm: Tween Room (ages 9-12)
Colorful Chameleons
12:30 pm - 1 pm: BINGO on the porch
winners get prizes (all ages)
1 pm - 2 pm: Kickball Game (all ages)
2 pm - 4 pm: Pool Room Open (ages 10+)
7 pm - 8 pm: Kids Ceramics (all ages)

Tuesday – Aug 1

9:30 am - 10:30 am: Munchkin Fun (2-4) Hand Print Frog
10:30 am – 11:30 am: Make and Take Crafts (8 – 10)
Make Your Own Crocodile.
11:30 am - 12:30 pm: Tween Room (9-12)
Make your own art using Alcohol Inks.
12:30 - 1 pm: All Kids Crafts: Weave your own pet turtle
1 pm - 2 pm: Arts & Crafts (7-9) Popsicle Stick Snakes
2 pm - 3 pm: Games at FIELD 1 (all ages)

2:30 pm - 4 pm: Pool Room Open (10+) /
Krazy Karaoke (all ages)
4:30 pm: - Kids Can Cook (Come Hungry, Leave Happy)
Sign up at the Activity Center

Wednesday - Aug 2

9:30 am - 10:15 am: Picture Bingo and Story Time
winners get prizes (6 and under) in the LAKEROOM
10:15 am - 11 am: Arts & Crafts (6 and under)
Egg Carton Animals.
11 am - 11:30 am: Card Games /
Small Board Games on the porch (7+)
11:30 – 1 pm: Kids Ceramics (all ages)
1 pm - 4 pm Pool Room Open (10+)

Thursday – Aug 3

9:30 am – 10 am: Make and Take Craft (8+)
Make your own Frog with moving tongue.
10 am - 10:30 am: Make and Take Craft (5+)
Cardboard Tube Frilled Lizards
10:30 am - 11 am: Messy Craft (all ages) Jungle Slime
11am - Noon: Leathercraft (8+)
Noon - 1:30 pm: Bingo, board games, and card games on the PORCH (all ages)

1:30 pm – 2:30 pm: Blast from the PAST
“Street Games” on the LAWN
2:30 pm - 4 pm: Pool Room Open (10+)
5:30 pm -7:30 pm: Weekly Night Activity: Learn to Grill.
Organized by Teen Council
Chef Frank will be making food available for purchase during this time.

Friday –Aug 4

9:30 am – 10:30 am: Make and Take Craft Friday (All Ages)
Clothespin Chameleons
10:30 am - 11:30 am: Weekly craft roundup
11:30 am– Noon: Water Bonanza on the LAWN
Noon – 1 pm: Blast from the Past Street Games on the LAWN
1 pm – 2 pm: Rizzo's Reptile Show (all ages)
2 pm – 3 pm: Pool Room OPEN (10+)

Saturday - Aug 5

11 am – 12 pm Kickball game at Field 1
12 pm - 1 pm: BEACH 1 crafts (all ages)

NOTE: The Pool Room will be OPEN during craft activities, for ages 10 and up only, in addition to the scheduled time slot.

Artists Wanted

MARY ANN MASTRANGELO, CHAIRPERSON, ART SHOW

Professional Exhibit: Saturday, August 26
 Amateur Exhibit: Sunday, August 27
 Share your talents with your Highland Lakes community. Enter our Art and Crafts show on Sunday, August 27.
 Ages: Youth through Adult
 Categories: Painting, sketching, crafts, ceramics, needlework, photography
 Special Category this year only:
 40th Anniversary of Star Wars - a true American classic.



40th Annual Jogathon

NANCY GRIMALDI

The Frank Henninger Memorial Jogathon

Come on out and join us for our 40th run OR walk around the Big Lake. In memory of my father, Frank Henninger, who passed away in March, the Voting Board has agreed to rename our Highland Lakes Jogathon The Frank Henninger Memorial Jogathon in recognition of his work in organizing the Jogathon.

Forty years ago, my father started the Jogathon when an idea came to him as we ran around the lake for my cross country practice. Seeing other people running, too, he thought, why not make this a community event? Since then, the Jogathon has evolved and, along with our serious runners clocking in at under an hour, people enjoy a leisurely walk with family and friends, including pets and strollers, as they enjoy the beauty of our biggest lake. So mark your calendars for August 19 at 10 am and be part of this year's very special annual event.

Next Newsette: August 5, 2017

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!

Aqua Aerobics

PAULA SCHRINER

Please join us at Beach 1 for Aqua Aerobics (adults only, please). Enjoy the lake and get fit!
 When: Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings, beginning July 3, until the end of the summer.
 Time: 9 am - 10 am. We meet rain or shine,

as long as it's not thundering.
 Where: Beach 1, in the water.
 What to bring: a noodle, a towel and your badge.
 No experience necessary
 For more information call Paula at 973-764-5817 or Gail at 973-764-3194.



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Where’s Your Badge Excuses...

SUE BURUCHIAN, BEACH 2 BADGE CAPTAIN

I forgot it.
My dog ate it.
My mother has it.
I left it in the car.
My mom took the car.
My husband lost it.
It’s in the other car.
I lost it at the swim meet.
I lost it at field 1.
I lost it at field 2.
It fell off at swim practice.
It sank at the beach last time.
It’s on my shirt in the wash.
I changed purses.
The fish ate it.
I lost the pin.
I’m only here for a minute.
I just need to see someone.
My friend who’s on the beach has it.
I had it yesterday.
It’s on my mom’s purse.
Lost it in the laundry.
It doesn’t go with my outfit.
It’s on my shoes at home.
I gave it to my friend.
My dog is wearing it.
Why do I have to wear it?
I pay dues so why do I have to wear it?
We’ve been up here 80 years.
I couldn’t find the app for it.

Let’s just say we’ve heard all the excuses. Badge checkers and Security cannot know all of you so please - Wear your badges!

There is NO EXCUSE not to wear your badge on club property or attending club functions. It’s our ID. Show it. Keep HL private.



Junior Appreciation

CAROL HASTIE, CHAIRPERSON, CLUBHOUSE COMMITTEE

If you are between the ages of 10 and 18, start accumulating your volunteer hours for Junior Appreciation. The evening is set for mid-August. There are so many places to volunteer – sailing, softball, tennis, basketball, soccer, clubhouse activities, swim team, Art Show, etc. All you need to do is volunteer.

Lox of Thanks

CAROL HASTIE, CLUBHOUSE CHAIR

The HLCC Clubhouse Committee would like to recognize with sincere appreciation Lox of Bagels for their continued support and generosity of clubhouse events. Without fail, Lox of Bagels has supported events including the Clubhouse breakfasts, winter carnival, and craft fairs. It’s great neighbors that help make our events a success. Please consider supporting our friends at Lox of Bagels and remember to thank them for their continued support of Clubhouse Events.

Save the Date - Art Show August 26 & 27, 2017

MARY ANN MASTRANGELO, CHAIRPERSON

This year, 2017, our Art Show will open with a professional exhibit on Saturday August 26. The following day, Sunday, August 27 will feature the art and craft works of HLCC and CA members. We invite you to be part of our 2017 Art Show.



Happy Walkers

MARYJANE WISNIEWSKI

What a soggy morning for the walkers on July 24. Of course we are all wash and wear , but couldn’t take the chance of slipping and sliding on the terrain. We’ll see you all next Monday, July 31 at 9 am at Beach 1. In the meantime keep stepping. See you all next time.



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Chit Chat

Jack and Roe Hall are proud to announce the engagement of their son, Matthew, to Heather Wilson of Egg Harbor Township, NJ. Matt and Heather met while attending York College of Pennsylvania. A November 2018 wedding is planned.



Yoga

BETTY LYNCH

Join us for yoga in the Lake Room on Monday evenings at 5 pm. Just bring comfortable clothing and a mat, we meet for an hour. We’ll meet through the summer and continue if there is interest.



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Summer Athletics

PATRICK ECKHART, ATHLETIC DIRECTOR

The 2017 Athletic Season is going strong. We are enjoying a successful season. It's great to see so many new faces participate in all that Highland Lakes has to offer. If there is a threat of inclement weather or you don't know if an event is taking place, you can call the ATHLETIC HOTLINE AT 973-764-6674. REMINDER: Please have on appropriate footwear (sneakers or cleats) and bring plenty of water to each activity. Let's get to the action.

Monday:

Boys Farm Team (ages 4-5, 9 am, Field 1)
Coordinators: Peter and Paul Parigi

We had another huge turnout Monday morning so we split the kids up into two teams. After everyone had the chance to hit, half of the kids went into the outfield to work on their fielding and throwing skills and the other half ran the bases. After 20 minutes we switched spots so all the boys had the chance to work on each skill. Thank you to my helpful coaches: Paul, Pete, Mike, Matt, Nico, Danny and Kevin. See you Monday.

Tennis Lessons (ages 9-12, 9 am, Beach 1 tennis courts)
Coordinators: Jennifer Ziegler

We enjoyed another great turnout for the popular Monday morning tennis group. After warm-ups, we practiced our groundstrokes with extra emphasis on backhand this week. Coach Jen then had the kids practice forehand volleys at the net, a great skill to possess. Both sessions concluded with a fun game of Jail. There is no better way to start the week off than with some Monday morning tennis.

Kids Basketball (ages 8-14, 5 pm, Beach 1 Courts)
Coordinators: Pete Jablonski, Chris Beninati and Cody Williams

We were able to get the full lesson in right before the storm hit Tuesday evening. The kids practiced their dribbling skills by doing some fun relay races this week. We introduced a new drill as well, having the kids practice their ball fakes. This drill really helped come game time, as the kids were able to execute some easy scores. See everyone Tuesday.

Tuesday:

Mosquito League (ages 6-8, 9 am, Field 1)
Coordinator: Peter Parigi

The Mosquitoes and Fireflies got together for the second game of the season on Tuesday morning. Silas Elliott drove in 4 runs for the Mosquitoes to lead the way. The Fireflies rookies added some fire power with home runs by Danny and Sal Guerrero, but it was not enough as the Mosquitoes edged out a close one, 7-6. Excellent job boys.

Butterfly League (ages 9-11, 6 pm, Field 1)
Coordinator: Chip Ziegler

The Blue Jays and Robins took the field Tuesday evening for Game 3 of the season. Sisters Rachel and Riley Pietrucha lead the way with some nice hitting for the Blue Jays. Christina Moscatelli and Sam Werner also tacked on some RBIs, and the Blue Jays took this one by the score of 12-9. Nice job girls.



Friday morning soccer at Field 1

Wednesday:

Tennis Lessons (ages 5-8, 9 am, Beach 1 tennis courts)
Coordinator: Darren Werner

What a great turnout for Wednesday morning tennis. We warmed up and practiced ball control by bouncing the balls up and down with the racquets. The coaches put the kids through some hitting drills, both backhand and forehand. The kids were able to get some extra time playing four square. We finished up by playing some fun games of Jail and Clear the Court. We are seeing new faces every week and there is so much talent this year in the youth tennis program. Thank you to Sophie, Michael, Christina, and Fran for helping out. See you Wednesday.

Thursday:

Girls Farm Team (ages 4-5, 9 am, Field 1)
Coordinators: Patrick Eckhart

The Girls Farm Team got together for the fourth time this season on Thursday morning. Eight girls braved the heat and were ready for some softball. The girls warmed up by rolling or throwing the ball to a partner or coach. We then played a fun game of ball scramble, with the girls trying to beat their score each time. Next it was time to hit, and we have some really skilled batters this season. Special thanks to Vaida, Lucy, Dean, and Shane for coaching. See you next week.

Grasshopper League (ages 9-11, 6 pm, Field 1)
Coordinators: Frank Fogge, Robbie Wisniewski

With the dark clouds rolling in, the boys took the field for game 3 of the season. The Hornets struck first, with James Brantner and Dennis Jiminez providing the pop. The Wasps came roaring back, taking the lead after two. Anthony LePore hit a clutch two-out double to left field, scoring Matt and Nico Puccio. Nicky Beninati and Michael Evanick followed up with singles, and the Wasps prevailed to win a 13-11 rain shortened (official) game. These two teams are very even again this year, and we are looking forward to more tight contests. Special thanks to Frank, Pete, Michael, Joey, and Robbie for coaching/umpiring. See you Thursday.

Standings: Wasps 2-1, Hornets 1-2
8/3 Wasps v Hornets
8/10 Hornets v Wasps
8/17 Wasps v Hornets

Friday:

Kids Soccer (ages 5-12, 9 am, Field 1)
Coordinator: Annika Salomonsson

We had our second soccer practice of the season on Friday after a two-week layoff due to the weather. The older group practiced their dribbling, shooting, and passing skills. They were ready to test their skills in a scrimmage for the second half of practice. The younger group practiced their skills by playing some fun games, including Sharks & Minnows and Red Light Green Light. Great job everyone. A big thank you to coaches Annika, Sam, John, Victoria, Abby, and Hannah.

Gem League (ages 6-8, 10 am, Field 1)
Coordinator: Vaida Yesse

The Gems took the field for the second practice of the season and were eager to show off their skills. We have a lot of talent this year. The girls warmed up by playing catch, and then took the field. We rotated spots so everyone had the chance to play each position. The girls hit off the tee, and we think they're ready for a game next week. The Red Gems will take on the Yellow Gems on Friday. See you at Field 1.

Boys Little League (ages 12-16, 6 pm, Field 2)
Coordinators: Patrick Eckhart

Friday's game was cancelled due to the inclement weather.

Standings: Choctaws 1-0, Comanches 0-1
7/28 Ch v Co
8/4 Co v Ch
8/11 Ch v Co
8/18 Co v Ch

Sunday:

Men's softball (ages 17+, 5 pm, Field 2)

The Blue Team had the doubleheader this week. They dropped two heartbreakers, losing 12-9 to White and 11-10 to Yellow. The Yellow Team will host the doubleheader this week. Special thanks to both George Jr. and George Sr. Gutierrez for umpiring

Standings: Yellow 2-0, White 2-1, Blue 0-3



Women's Volleyball

KNOX STRUBE

Despite the heat and humidity on July 20, six die-hard volleyball players showed up for another great day filled with lots of laughs. We were so glad to have a blast from the past, Bonsai Bonnie. She joined us during her visit this week and it was no time before she was dazzling us with all of her shots. Lynette, our birthday girl, was awesome at the net as usual. She just faltered when she told us that she thought too much. Gail came ready for war on the court. She had on gloves and metal armbands to ensure that she was getting the ball over the net. Also, we welcomed Marsha back this week. But she was trying to rig the game by making a side that she referred to as "Catholic school teachers". Christine was amazing, as usual, with all of her bumps, digs and spikes. But Knox once again was the biggest loser with 2 balls over the fence. The biggest question all morning was what everyone had for breakfast as the powerful shots kept coming. Please join us. We're only having 5-6 players a week and that is making it tough to keep going. Please come join us and help us save our Thursday morning volleyball.

We would like to have any ladies 18 and over (no limit) join us on Thursday mornings from 10-12 at the utility court at Beach 1. You don't have to be a prior volleyball player because we'll teach you. Just bring your badge, sneakers, water and ability to laugh. We always have a good time. We look forward to seeing you next Thursday.

Ladies Golf Outing

BETTY LYNCH

Looking for all interested golfers to join us in August for our annual outing. The outing will be at Farmstead Golf and Country Club on Tuesday, August 8. There will be a 9 am shotgun start and we will play the Valley course. Lunch will follow at the Farmstead Clubhouse. The cost for this wonderful day will remain at \$61.00. This includes the 9 holes of golf with cart, lunch and prizes...there will be a cash bar. Please plan to join us. Let me know who you would like to have in your foursome or I will set one up for you. Look forward to hearing from you and spending a great day with you. Please contact Betty Lynch 914-274-1153 for further information. Reservations and payment are due by July 26. Please make you check out to Betty Lynch and leave at the clubhouse. Thanks.



Ladies Bowling

JUDI SUNDA, PAT WOOTTON

Although there were few of us, we managed to rock the allies and enjoy fun and laughter. Some impressive stats for week 3 follow:

Lyn Kaplan - 5/7 split, 153
 Jennifer Ziegler - 5/6 split
 Joyce Healy - double, 160
 Bonnie Fredericks - double, 177
 Cathy Manning - double, 165
 Pat Wootton - 5/10 split, 5/6 split, 3/10 split, 179
 Judi Sunda - 2 doubles, 164, 198, 502 series!

Wanted: Art Show Entries

MARY ANN MASTRANGELO, CHAIRPERSON

When: Sunday, August 27, 2017

Ages: Youth through Adult

Categories: Painting, sketching, mixed media, crafts, ceramics, needlework, photography, etc. All HLCC and CA members in every age category are invited to compete.

Professional Artists: You are invited to display your art. We will be honored to show your work on Saturday, August 26 at the "Meet the Artists" reception in the Lake Room from 6 - 9 pm.

Team Tennis

KNOX STRUBE

We only had 10 tennis players on July 15, but those players enjoyed a great morning of tennis. Although we had to sweep and mop the courts before we could play, we all knew it was going to be a good day as Rosita was among one of the first players to arrive. Glenn decided that she had to have pulled an all-nighter to get on the courts that early. Jerry won the award for being the player of the day because he managed to play on one court and hit balls in play on 2 courts. That's referred to as wonderful court coverage. We were so glad that Noreen was able to join our group for the first time this year. She rounded out a great women's match with Lyn, Judy M. and Adele. At the same time on the other court, Bill, Charlie F., Glenn and Jerry were really putting on a clinic showing us how tennis should be played. We wanted to send our get well wishes out to Eileen. We just heard that after her fall on the courts a few weeks ago, her wrist is broken. Please take care of yourself because we miss you on the tennis court.

We welcome tennis players of all levels. There are a lot of laughs and time to catch up with friends between the games. Come out and join us on Saturday mornings from 9 - 11 am. Just bring your badge, racquet, sneakers and water. Hope you're able to join us on Saturday.

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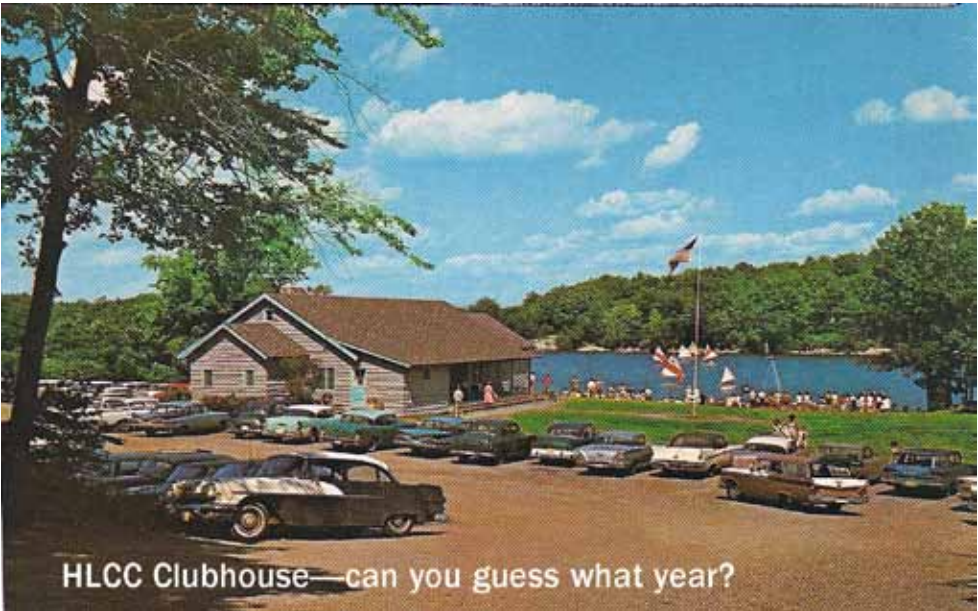
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Highland Lakes Swim Team Wins Third Straight

MICHAEL BUCHNEY, HEAD COACH

The Highland Lakes Swim Team faced off against the Wayne Township Waves in a Week 3 LSC White Division match-up looking to avenge their loss from last season’s visit to Wayne. The ensuing meet pitted the top two White Division teams against one another, and the crowd that assembled at the clubhouse lanes were treated to an exciting spectacle.

Highland Lakes breaststrokers took five events and split two with Wayne to open the meet, seizing a narrow nine-point lead by the end of the stroke. The 8 & Under and 11/12 girls breaststroke crews featured for Highland Lakes, with the 8 & U’s taking a clean 1-4 sweep, and the 11/12’s going 1-3-4. At the end of the breaststroke events, the meet stood at 80-71 with Highland Lakes holding the lead.

Highland Lakes butterflyers battled it out with the Waves, but took only three of the eight events in the discipline. Importantly, however, Highland Lakes’ depth in the butterfly minimized the damage. The 9/10 and 15/18 boys, as well as the 15/18 girls lead the way, taking the majority of the points from their events. The 15/18 boys

race was particularly exciting, with a mere 1.20 seconds separating first through fifth, in a race that saw 4 swimmers sub-31 seconds, a rarity across the Lakeland Swim Conference. By the end of the butterfly events, Highland Lakes held a narrow 11 point lead.

Highland Lakes backstrokers put the team on their backs, winning four and splitting three events with Wayne, to open up a 20 point lead over the Waves. Highland Lakes backstrokers are really impressive this year, and have proved pivotal in several meets so far this season. The 9/10, 11/12, and 15/18 boys, along with the 13/14 girls took the majority of the points from their events, including a 1-2-4 finish from the 15/18 boys, and 1-3-4 finishes from the 11/12 boys and 13/14 girls. Highland Lakes’ depth was the key to beating Wayne this week, as we consistently took 4th and 5th place points from events, adding small margins all along the way. By the end of the backstroke events, Highland Lakes lead the meet 227-207.

Freestylers cemented the lead winning six events and splitting one, ensuring Highland Lakes a commanding

position entering the relay events. Highland Lakes won the first 5 Freestyle events, putting HL 80 points ahead of the Waves midway through. This critical run of events ensured the team near certain victory. Again, the depth of our team was critical, with HL taking 3rd, 4th, and 5th more often than not. While Wayne clawed their way back into the meet in the older freestyle events, Highland Lakes held onto a 32 point lead by the end of the Freestyle, a commanding, but not insurmountable lead.

Highland Lakes won five of the 8 relays, ensuring Wayne could not mount a late comeback. The meet finished with Highland Lakes on top 365-321. This was an important victory for the team, ensuring they remain undefeated, and puts Highland Lakes atop the White Division, with only one division meet left to swim this year. HL will travel to White Meadow Lake next week with the White Division title on the line, so the travelling support will be key. Be sure to pack up your vehicles and head down to Rockaway for what will be an exciting meet.

Event # 1 Boys 50 Breast 8 & Under

1 Puccio, Nico 1:04.21L

Event # 2 Girls 50 Breast 8 & Under

1 Werner, Samantha 1:02.13L

2 Schwarz, Juliet 1:18.20L

3 Bonardi, Giselle 1:32.89L

4 Cherichella, Isabella 1:42.25L

Event # 3 Boys 50 Breast 9-10

1 Puccio, Matthew 51.58L

4 Allen-Poole, Sean 57.70L

5 Troy, Keiran 1:02.03L

6 Mitchell, Demetri 1:10.10L

Event # 4 Girls 50 Breast 9-10

1 Amato, Abbey 52.52L

4 Salomonsson, Isadora 58.21L

6 Emmerich, Meghan 1:02.73L

Event # 5 Boys 50 Breast 11-12

2 Brantner, Andrew 47.72L

3 Mann, Declan 51.20L

5 Sullivan, Ben 55.86L

6 Kabbez, Daniel 1:00.09L

Event # 6 Girls 50 Breast 11-12

1 Wisniewski, Hannah 48.23L

3 Wootton, Lia 55.16L

4 Annunziata, Victoria 56.86L

6 Heroux, Julia 59.58L

Event # 7 Boys 50 Breast 13-14

3 Wisniewski, JT 48.21L

5 DiGuiseppe, Sage 51.83L

6 Brantner, Peter 54.67L

Event # 8 Girls 50 Breast 13-14

3 Staley, Sofia 47.13L

4 Campbell, Lucy 51.27L

6 Yesse, Vaida 53.49L

Event # 9 Boys 50 Breast 15-18

1 Wisniewski, Robert 35.95L

4 Loughren, Eric 37.89L

5 Sullivan, Luke 46.62L

6 Sullivan, Sam 46.88L

Event # 10 Girls 50 Breast 15-18

2 Stoddard, Emmaline 45.00L

4 Stoddard, Ariana 46.70L

5 Tze, Julia 47.20L

7 Berutti, Ciara 57.35L

Event # 11 Boys 50 Fly 10 & Under

1 Puccio, Matthew 45.78L

2 Brantner, James 48.32L

5 Mitchell, Demetri 1:15.47L

7 Allen-Poole, Sean 1:17.03L

Event # 12 Girls 50 Fly 10 & Under

1 Amato, Abbey 51.19L

Event # 13 Boys 50 Fly 11-12

1 Puccio, Michael 35.71L

5 Staley, Duke 43.76L

6 Corbutt, Kiernan 1:03.93L

Event # 14 Girls 50 Fly 11-12

2 Cefaloni, Vanessa 44.03L

3 O'Reilly, Caitriona 49.28L

Event # 15 Boys 50 Fly 13-14

3 Bonardi, Albert 39.09L

4 Wisniewski, JT 50.19L

5 Brantner, Peter 59.70L

Event # 16 Girls 50 Fly 13-14

2 Salomonsson, Annika 34.86L

4 Bednarick, Molly 39.78L

Event # 17 Boys 50 Fly 15-18

1 Wisniewski, Robert 30.24L

3 Ruiz, Tyler 30.48L

4 Beninati, Christopher 30.57L

6 Lenyk, John 33.48L

Event # 18 Girls 50 Fly 15-18

2 Conlin, Bridget 36.47L

3 Bednarick, Sarah 37.39L

4 Berutti, Niav 38.24L

6 Corbutt, Maggie 46.91L

Event # 19 Boys 50 Back 8 & Under

3 Antonini, Matthew 1:16.26L

4 Fleming, Derek 1:19.82L

Event # 20 Girls 50 Back 8 & Under

1 Cefaloni, Gabriella 51.03L

3 Bonardi, Giselle 1:14.91L

6 Cherichella, Isabella 1:42.52L

Event # 21 Boys 50 Back 9-10

2 Beninati, Nicholas 48.60L

3 Evanick, Michael 55.30L

5 LePore, Anthony 1:01.88L

6 DiGuiseppe, True 1:12.60L

Event # 22 Girls 50 Back 9-10

2 Evanick, Julie 51.86L

3 Bernier, Ryleigh 54.32L

5 Smaldino, Sadie 1:01.50L

7 Scheuermann, Maddy 1:09.69L

Event # 23 Boys 50 Back 11-12

1 Puccio, Michael 37.62L

3 Staley, Duke 46.44L

4 O’Gureck, Jackson 49.27L

8 Jiminez, Dennis 1:00.22L

Event # 24 Girls 50 Back 11-12

2 Cefaloni, Vanessa 44.02L

3 Wisniewski, Hannah 46.11L

5 Antonini, Ashley 50.52L

6 McCarthy, Abigail 58.44L

Event # 25 Boys 50 Back 13-14

3 Amato, Richard 43.24L

4 Bonardi, Albert 43.29L

Event # 26 Girls 50 Back 13-14

1 Salomonsson, Annika 34.68L

3 Yesse, Vaida 55.48L

4 Campbell, Lucy 55.67L

Event # 27 Boys 50 Back 15-18

1 Beninati, Christopher 32.87L

2 Wootton, Jacob 33.58L

4 Ruiz, Tyler 33.70L

7 Wisniewski, Grant 39.60L

Event # 28 Girls 50 Back 15-18

2 Conlin, Bridget 37.54L

4 Bednarick, Sarah 40.75L

5 Campbell, Anna 42.47L

6 Stoddard, Emmaline 48.23L

Event # 29 Boys 50 Free 8 & Under

1 Puccio, Nico 54.05L

4 Hall, Dashiell 1:06.85L

5 Fleming, Derek 1:11.65L

8 Cole, Logan 1:27.02L

Event # 30 Girls 50 Free 8 & Under

1 Cefaloni, Gabriella 42.99L

3 Schwarz, Juliet 1:02.15L

4 Brennan, Jenna 1:06.37L

6 Bonardi, Giselle 1:20.53L

- Allen-Poole, Elizabeth 1:33.90L

- Roman, Edith 2:01.35L

Event # 31 Boys 50 Free 9-10

1 Puccio, Matthew 38.11L

2 Brantner, James 38.79L

4 Beninati, Nicholas 43.85L

5 Evanick, Michael 45.19L

- Uschnig, Felix 49.41L

- Kievit, Richard 49.76L

- Troy, Keiran 55.10L

- Allen-Poole, Sean 55.82L

- LePore, Anthony 1:01.60L

Event # 32 Girls 50 Free 9-10

1 Amato, Abbey 41.07L

3 Salomonsson, Isadora 47.25L

4 Bernier, Ryleigh 49.07L

7 Scheuermann, Maddy 54.96L

- Emmerich, Meghan 56.41L

- Smaldino, Sadie 56.68L

- Roman, Alejandra 1:05.98L

Event # 33 Boys 50 Free 11-12

1 Brantner, Andrew 35.61L

3 Mann, Declan 39.34L

4 O’Gureck, Jackson 41.97L

6 Jiminez, Dennis 45.14L

- Kabbez, Daniel 47.85L

- Corbutt, Kiernan 47.91L

- Sullivan, Ben 49.71L

- Bednarick, Farrell 1:13.93L

Highland Lakes Swim Team (cont'd)

Event # 34 Girls 50 Free 11-12	
2 O'Reilly, Caitriona	40.56L
3 Annunziata, Victoria	41.62L
5 Wootton, Lia	43.73L
7 Antonini, Ashley	46.59L
- Sullivan, Kateri	1:32.96L
Event # 35 Boys 50 Free 13-14	
3 Amato, Richard	35.85L
6 Brantner, Peter	45.53L
7 DiGuiseppe, Sage	48.59L
Event # 36 Girls 50 Free 13-14	
3 Staley, Sofia	35.13L
4 Bednarick, Molly	36.61L
7 Yesse, Vaida	47.40L
Event # 37 Boys 100 Free 15-18	
1 Wootton, Jacob	1:02.21L
2 Beninati, Christopher	1:04.81L
5 Bednarick, Bobby	1:06.96L
Event # 38 Girls 100 Free 15-18	
3 Conlin, Bridget	1:13.37L
5 Berutti, Niav	1:25.18L
6 Meichsner, Erica	1:25.43L
7 Campbell, Anna	1:29.66L

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The Mighty Seniors are busy, busy, busy. It's always a joy for me to see our meetings very well attended as well as welcoming new members. We have a terrific group of people ranging in age from 50+ and multi-talented. We get together the 2nd & 4th Tuesday evenings of the month in the Lake Room at the clubhouse at 7 pm. There are always delicious refreshments, ample time to sit and chat with each other, listen and learn something from a guest speaker, and sign up for some great activities and events. The summer months are always jam-packed with lots to do, but the Mighty Seniors are jam-packed with enthusiasm and positive attitudes. Please, please, please SMILE LOTS MORE THAN 3 TIMES EACH DAY. The results are mah-velous! Need a ride to the clubhouse, call me.

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Castiglione Winds It!

SUE BURUCHIAN, FLEET SECRETARY, LADIES SUNFISH

Jessica Castiglione did all she could on 7/20 to clinch the win. Sailing a red course 3 (which represents shortened course) she sailed flawlessly on the last tack. The funny thing is the last tack started as she rounded Witts mark keeping wind in her sails, all the way to the finish. Her competitors had to make additional tacks which cost them their positions and allowing Jessica her first “W” for the season. Well done Jess! Following her was Ellen Wisolmerski and Nancy Grimaldi. Well done ladies. Looking forward to seeing Diane, Sue, Lyle, Brenda and others to join in. Thanks to Fleet Captain, Irene Boeran as Dock Committee and always our HL Safety Boat. Need a boat to sail? Contact Irene at 973-764-7371. She'll show you the ropes.

Nautical Notes

SUE BURUCHIAN

HL Comet Fleet #130 was represented at the Newport Regatta as Mark Buruchian sailed the Narragansett waters and placed 4th overall in the Comet. The Newport Regatta was designed to encourage sailing of one design boats as training for the America's Cup. Eighteen fleets of boats, 176 vessels with 600 sailors enjoyed the challenge. Congratulations! Also shout out to junior sailor Robbie Wisniewski representing HL Sunfish Fleet #23 who sailed the Sunfish North Americans in Sayville, NY in early July. While he finished 42nd, Robbie sailed with the big guys in tough conditions. Way to go Robbie, you sailed it!



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July 30 / August 6, 13, 27 / Sept. 3

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Junior Doubles Sunfish Race

EMMALINE STODDARD

On July 21, the juniors finally had their first doubles race of the season. The sailors were greeted with great winds and a beautiful day. There were 17 boats present, and we sailed two course 3 races. They were all red. This week was pirate week, so the sailors were donned with beads or an eye patch before heading out onto the water. Also, the sailors finally had their ice cream party, which had been postponed because of the rainy weather. The ice cream was a great way to celebrate the completion of our first races of the season.

We had eight new junior sailors, and we happily welcome you to the fleet. They were Dash Hall, Leah Wooton, Nick Beninati, Giselle Bonardi, Micah Dalelio, Nate Parrasch, Eli Dalelio, and Ozzie Tobin. We hope you enjoyed sailing and will continue to sail for years to come. It's truly a great experience being a part of the junior fleet, and I have many fun memories from different sailing races over the years.

Thank you so much to all of the parents who volunteered and helped out. From helping to set up boats, to taking out kids to sail who didn't get placed in a boat, and to helping serve ice cream. Our parent volunteers help keep the fleet together. We can't function without you. Any juniors who are interested in sailing, please feel free to stop by. We have many more exciting theme days and exhilarating races to come.

Race 1:

- 1 - Robbie and Nico
- 2 - Grant and Dash
- 3 - Richie and Nick
- 4 - Emmaline and Micah
- 5 - J.T. and Michael P.
- 6 - Declan and Nate
- 7 - Albert and Giselle
- 8 - Sebastian and Eli
- 9 - Dennis and Michael E.
- 10 - Hannah and Abby
- 11 - Ariana and Gabriella
- 12 - Cora and Audra
- 13 - Leah and Vanessa
- 14 - Sam and Duke
- 15 - Annika and Sofia
- 16 - Mr. Wooton and Kateri
- 17 - Mr. Sullivan and Ozzie

Race 2:

- 1 - Grant and Dash
- 2 - Robbie and Nico
- 3 - J.T. and Michael P.
- 4 - Richie and Nick
- 5 - Albert and Giselle
- 6 - Emmaline and Micah
- 7 - Declan and Nate
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- 14 - Ariana and Gabriella
- 15 - Mr Sullivanand Ozzie
- 16 - Mr Wooton and Kateri
- DNS: Annika and Sofia

The Sunday
Senior Sunfish Fleet

MLADEN KRESIC, FLEET CAPTAIN

Correction From July 9 Race

I would like to apologize to Mike Gillooley, who faithfully and effectively competes in all our senior sunfish races, as I inadvertently left him off the list for the July 9 race, where he finished a very close 5th.

The order of finish was:

- 1 - Rich Mastrangelo
- 2 - Bob Tomsey
- 3 - Lou Iannucci
- 4 - Mladen Kresic
- 5 - Mike Gillooley
- 6 - Frank Etzel

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Joey gets a big congratulations from Uncle Kevin for his first big win

Windsurf Happenings

KEVIN GASTON, FLEET CAPTAIN

Well, it's all over. It's a done deal. I have been detached, deflated and defeated by my nephew Joey. The embarrassing turn of events took place in the second race last weekend. Not only did the young lad whoop me but he also turned on the after burners near the finish line and left Bob Koeck in his wake. I knew he was quite pleased with his accomplishment when I saw him doing flips off the starting dock.

Not to sound like sour grapes, but did I fail to mention that I swapped boards and sails with him prior to the race thus leaving him with a monster rig to squash me and anything else that got in his way? I must have failed in my assessment of him thinking that he couldn't handle the big boy toys. It looks like he's going to have to pull some extra lifeguard detail if he wants to get himself his own weapon of mass deflation.

Meanwhile, his Uncle Dennis succumbed to a lake effect wind shutdown that only seemed to materialize around the area he was sailing in. This phenomenon is otherwise referred to as the Highland Lakes Triangle and has swallowed up many a fine sailor. See you on the line.

Race 1	Race 2
1 - Kevin Gaston	1 - Joey Gaston
2 - Bob Koeck	2 - Bob Koeck
3 - Joey Gaston	3 - Kevin Gaston
4 - Dennis Gaston	4 - Dennis Gaston

Senior Sunfish Races

MLADEN KRESIC, FLEET CAPTAIN

Come Sail With Us Sundays at 2:30 pm

July 23 we had a great sailing day – moderate temperatures and winds between 7 and 10 knots. And of course, sailors never mind the threatening clouds. It was a stellar lineup of 8 enthusiastic sailors, including Mark Buruchian and James Sullivan returning for the first time this season. Unusually, the winds were coming from the east, which called for a relatively rare course 2 – we did red marks to make it an “easy” 2 races. In the first race, as expected, Rich and Mark were easily off the line down the middle of the lake, with Bob, Lou and me trailing behind on completely opposite coasts (Bob was west and Lou and I were east). Following the second mark on the downwind leg, there was a jibe to starboard on which I wanted to relive the past, easing myself into the water to check out the fishes. By the time I righted the boat, just about the entire fleet had easily passed. There was a lot of separation following the leeward mark from the two leaders but the rest of us were bunched pretty tight, with Bob, James, Lou and Briana (beating dad for the first time) easing in from the east shore one after the other.

The second race had slightly higher winds with similar results. The start was pretty tight, with some of us trying to race through the line with momentum. The wind was shifty on the initial leg, but that is easy for all of us experienced Highland lake sailors. Once again, Mark and Rich were so far ahead, none of the rest of us saw their finish. Per Allan and Brett, Mark topped Rich again. Easing in was the rest of the fleet – with no one left more than 30 seconds behind the one ahead of them. LET’S SAIL SUNFISH ON SUNDAYS – COME AT 2:30 - ALL ARE WELCOME!! Thanks again Allan and Brett for making it easy for us all. If the wind cooperates next week we will again do 2 races .

Results Race 1:	Results Race 2:
1 - Mark Burchian	1 - Mark Buruchian
2 - Rich Mastrangelo	2 - Rich Mastrangelo
3 - Bob Tomsey	3 - Lou Iannucci
4 - James Sullivan	4 - Bob Tomsey
5 - Lou Iannucci	5 - Mladen Kresic
6 - Briana Kresic	6 - James Sullivan
7 - Mladen Kresic	7 - Briana Kresic
8 - Mike Gillooley	8 - Mike Gillooley

Junior Singles Sunfish Race

EMMALINE STODDARD

July 19 was a nice day for the junior sailors, filled with gusty winds and bright sunshine. Dark gray clouds started to loom during the second race, possibly predicting a thunderstorm, but one never came. Eight junior sailors turned out to sail singles last week. We sailed two course 3 races with the buoys being all red.

In our first race, J.T. and Richie were the first two off of the line. Albert and myself were the first two off the line in the second race. The shifting winds caused the finishes of the two races to be nail biting. Results did not shift much between the two races, with only two people switching places. We look forward to our next races, and welcome any junior sailor willing to try and learn how to sail singles.

Race 1:	Race 2:
1 - Emmaline	1 - Emmaline
2 - J.T.	2 - J.T.
3 - Albert	3 - Albert
4 - Richie	4 - Dennis
5 - Dennis	5 - Richie
6 - Declan	6 - Declan
7 - Hannah	7 - Hannah
8 - Cora	8 - Cora

A small white dog named Smokey is wearing a red scarf and red goggles, riding a black skateboard on a grey surface. The background is a yellow brick wall.

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