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JUNE 2021 UPDATE

Bayside Beach is Your Summertime Fun Zone!

(All announcements found in this newsletter are subject to change based on any orders/restrictions regarding the COVID-19 pandemic. Refer to our website and our Facebook page to find updates. ***Volunteers are needed to plan the Father's Day breakfast and the annual 4th of July party, or these 2 events will not take place.** Contact Dean Hare if you would like to plan one of these events.)

Remember: NO GLASS AT THE BEACH!

Music on the Lake	Friday, June 18	6:30PM	Bayside Beach
Father's Day Breakfast*???	Sunday, June 20	9AM???	Bayside Beach
July 4 th Party*???	Saturday, July 3	TBA???	Bayside Beach
Music on the Lake	Friday, July 9	6:30PM	Shady Beach
Upper Straits Fireworks	Saturday, July 10	10PM	Upper Straits Lake
(Fireworks display raindate: Sunday, July 11)			
General Membership Meeting	Tuesday, July 20	7PM	Bayside Beach
Music on the Lake	Friday, July 30	6:30PM	Bayside Beach
Music on the Lake	Friday, August 20	6:30PM	Strait Lake Hills
Beach Closing	Saturday, Sept.25	9AM	Bayside Beach
Day Dock Removal	Saturday, Sept.25	9AM	Bayside Beach

~~~~ BEACH BUSINESS ~~~~

July General Membership Meeting On TUESDAY, July 20 at 7PM

Please plan to attend this summer's general membership meeting on **Tuesday, July 20 at 7PM** at the beach. The meeting will include nominations for officers and board members to establish this year's election slate. If still required, practice social distancing and wear facemasks.

Key Pick-up Procedure: Two steps

If you have not yet signed up for your 2021 work hours, not yet paid your 2021 Bayside Beach Association dues and have not picked up your gate key(s), please follow this 2-step process:

1. **Contact Dean Hare**, our beach work assessment chairman, to **INITIATE the process by signing up for work hours**. His phone number is 248.363.6198. His e-mail address is hared152@comcast.net
2. Then, **call Jo Anne Clark at 248.363.5564 between 5PM and 7PM, Monday through Friday, to arrange a day and time to pay dues, turn in registration forms, and pick up keys. PLEASE DO NOT JUST STOP BY JO ANNE'S HOUSE!** Jo Anne will verify whether you have signed up for work hours prior to your appointment with her.

Party Applications

If you are hosting a large party at Bayside Beach (25 guests or more), then you must apply for a party permit by contacting Cindy Safalian, our party chairperson. Contact Cindy at 248.770.0234.

BAYSIDE BEACH CONTACTS

EMAIL ADDRESS: board@baysidebeach.com

WEBSITE: Information regarding Bayside Beach can be found on our website. Tony Pagaduan is our website administrator. Many thanks to Tony for maintaining our website! The URL is: www.baysidebeach.com

FACEBOOK: Bayside Beach also has a Facebook page that is available for you to join. To join the group, go to www.facebook.com/BaysideBeach Liz Knight is our Facebook administrator. Contact her at emwknight@gmail.com.

COMING SOON: A FAQ (frequently asked questions) link on the Bayside Beach website will be created by our website administrator.

BAYSIDE BEACH WORK HOURS

Per the Bayside Beach Constitution, Rules and By-Laws, each membership must serve six (6) work hours per year. Our beach could not be the facility it is without your help as association members.

If you have already served your 6 hours, please be sure to contact Dean Hare to report your service. His phone number is 248.363.6198. His e-mail address is hared152@comcast.net

If you have not signed up for your 6 hours, contact Dean. If you prefer, you may also access the Work Hour Google document on the beach website to sign up for work hours. (www.baysidebeach.com)

Bayside Beach Watercraft Registration

Two years ago, Bayside Beach Association members were asked to register any non-motorized watercraft that was to be left on shore or on the kayak rack. Last summer, the registration process was modified in 2 ways.

1. Each non-motorized watercraft owner who contacted Bobbie Sue Young was issued an (some) official Bayside Beach decal(s) with an assigned number(s) for each watercraft the member owns and uses at Bayside Beach. (In case any such watercraft is cast adrift on the lake and ends up moored on some other lakeside property, it will be much easier to identify the owner and return the watercraft to that owner.)
2. Last summer, the Bayside Beach Association Board of Directors decided to extend the Bayside Beach Association registration process to motorized watercraft as well. An official Bayside Beach decal was issued for each motorized watercraft that a member intends to use on Upper Straits Lake. The first decal was included with dues. Any additional decals cost \$5.00 each.

Currently, there are some Bayside Beach members who have not registered their watercraft, whether motorized (ski boat, pontoon boat, jetski) or non-motorized (kayak, paddle board, etc). **If you have not registered your watercraft, please do so as soon as possible. To request a watercraft registration application, contact Bobbie Sue Young at bobbiesueyoung.88@gmail.com.** (If a member has more than 1 watercraft that he/she uses at the beach, then (an) additional decal(s) must be procured. The price of the first Bayside Beach Association decal is included in membership dues. Any additional decals cost \$5.00 each.) **If you registered your watercraft last year, you do not need to register again, unless you have a new watercraft.**

Any association member's watercraft left at the beach without a Bayside Beach Association decal will be removed from the beach.

Boat Ramp Etiquette

No power loading or power unloading is permitted EVER! Members who misuse the ramp will be fined the first time and will lose their beach membership upon further infraction.

Special Consideration

GOLF CART TRAFFIC: Please park golf carts in the designated areas by the south and north parking lots. Also, please exercise caution when driving in the beach park. When it is particularly busy, please completely avoid driving on the concrete path or on the sand.

CONCRETE PATH: Please do not place picnic tables on the concrete path. Also, please do not park golf carts, etc. on the concrete path.

NO GLASS ALLOWED AT THE BEACH!

For everyone's safety, please do not bring/use glass of any kind at the beach.

July 4th Festivities

Bayside Beach's 4th of July Party

Volunteers are needed to plan the annual 4th of July party to be celebrated on Saturday, July 3, 2021. If you are interested in organizing this event, contact Dean Hare at 248.363.6198 or hared152@comcast.net. The party will be cancelled if no one volunteers.



Fireworks - Info and Donations

Fireworks 2020: This year's Upper Straits Lake fireworks are scheduled for Saturday, July 10th starting at 10PM. Join your neighbors in witnessing this spectacular event. The rain date is Sunday, July 11th.

Consider donating to help defray the cost for our firework display. Contact Rick Cumbo at SBIA@comcast.net

Or mail your donation (check made out to SBIA) to:
SBIA

c/o Rick Cumbo
3870 Lakeview Blvd.
Orchard Lake, MI 48324

Upper Straits Clean Lake Assoc.

Weed Harvesting Info: This year, the USCLA (Upper Straits Clean Lake Association) has scheduled both chemical and manual weed harvesting. For details, check the USCLA website, www.upperstraitslake.org

Dam and Augmentation Well: The dam project is complete. This year, an augmentation well is being drilled at the east end of Upper Straits Lake. This augmentation well, along with the dam, will help keep lake levels at the required amount. The cost of the dam and augmentation well will be paid for by special tax assessments.