<u>Board Members</u> Mike Burwell, Chairman Joe Bohez Harley Higgins Rachel Khan Emmett Moody Nick Zajac Diane Lawrence, Alternate



<u>Officers</u> Jay Knight, President Allen Oblak, Vice President Catherine Schroeder, Secretary Jo Anne Clark, Treasurer

BAYSIDE BEACH

Happy 2024! Cheers to a New Year! BAYSIDE BEACH'S WINTER GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING TUESDAY, JANUARY 16, 2024 at 7PM WONDERLAND LANES BOWLING ALLEY

Directions to Wonderland Lanes: From the corner of Richardson Road and Haggerty proceed west on Richardson Road about onetenth of a mile. Wonderland Lanes Bowling Alley is located on the left (south) side of Richardson Road in Commerce Township. The phone number of Wonderland Lanes is 248.363.7131.

Bayside Beach Mooring Update (& Application for Wait List*) POLICY: All boat owners who have been assigned mooring slips must submit a copy of their boat registration and proof of insurance with their 2024 mooring application.

- Mooring Worksheet due March 17. 2024 (*This worksheet also serves as an application to be placed on the Mooring Slip Waiting List.)
 Your 2024 Bayside Beach Association mooring worksheet is included as page 3 of this newsletter. Please completely fill it out and submit it (and if you have an assigned slip, also include a copy of your boat registration and proof of insurance) to Jeff Parko, Mooring Chairperson, on or before March 17, 2024. Failure to submit this worksheet may result in forfeiture of your mooring slip.
- Mooring slip assignments and mooring waiting list Copies of documents detailing mooring slip assignments and members on the mooring waiting list will be provided to those members affected prior to opening day, Saturday, May 4, 2024.
- Mooring dues must be paid in full on or before opening day 5/4/2024.
 If mooring fees are not paid on or before opening day, the next eligible member from the waiting list shall be offered the mooring slip.
- <u>Watercraft must be moored by Memorial Day, 2024.</u>
 A member may moor his/her boat after Memorial Day, *only if he/she has made prior written arrangements with the Board of Directors.* Otherwise, the mooring slip will be offered to the next eligible member from off the mooring wait list.

IMMEDIATE ACTION ITEMS!

THE BAYSIDE BEACH BOARD OF DIRECTORS is requesting GREATER MEMBERSHIP INVOLVEMENT in taking on important initiatives and/or projects, i.e. playground equipment chairperson and committee, work assessment chairperson and assistants, and more. Please email the board at <u>board@baysidebeach.com</u> if you would like to get involved!

KAYAKS/PADDLE BOATS/OTHER SUCH DEVICES must be removed from the beach property during the off-season (October through April of each year). If you have not retrieved your kayak(s) or other such devices, please do soon AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. There are still 5 kayaks on the beach property that need to be removed!

<u>General Membership</u> <u>Meeting Agenda</u>

- Members'/Retirees'/Renters' and Mooring Dues
- ♦ Work Hours Sign-up Diane Lawrence
- ♦ Dual Sports Court
- ♦ 2024 Budget Proposal





2024 Bayside Beach Event Schedule

Note: Bayside Beach Board of Directors' meetings are scheduled for the second Tuesday in January, May, June, July, August, September, and December and on the first Tuesday in April. Contact an association officer or board member for details. E-mail address: board@baysidebeach.com

General Membership Meeting	Tuesday, January 16 at 7PM	Wonderland Lanes
Easter Egg Hunt (Please check the south parking lot gate for announcements rega	Saturday, March 30 at 1PM rding this event closer to the date.)	Bayside Beach
Dock Installation	Saturday, April 27 at 9AM (weather dependent)	Bayside Beach
Mooring Application Due Date	Sunday, March 17	To Jeff Parko
Beach Opening	Saturday, May 4 at 9AM	Bayside Beach
Mooring Dues Due Date	Saturday, May 4	To Jo Anne Clark
July 4 th party	Saturday, July 6 at noon	Bayside Beach
Upper Straits Lake's Fireworks Display	Saturday, July 13 at 10PM	Bayside Beach
July General Membership meeting	Tuesday, July 16 at 7PM	Bayside Beach
End-of-Summer Party	Saturday, September 21 at noon (subject to char	ge) Bayside Beach
Beach Closing and Day Dock Removal	Saturday, September 28 at 9AM	Bayside Beach
Trunk or Treat	Saturday, October 26 at 4PM	Bayside Beach

NOTE: Please check the Bayside Beach website or Facebook page for updated information on these events.

NOTE: TO ARRANGE FOR PRIVATE PARTIES, contact our party chairperson, Sherri Solomon, by emailing her at <u>binkhall@gmail.com</u> or calling/texting her at 517.896.7042 to procure a party application.

Work Hours and Assessment

Bayside Beach Association is in dire need of someone to take on the position of work assessment chairperson. If you are interested, email the board at <u>board@baysidebeach.com</u>.



After several years of diligent service as our association's work assessment chairman, Dean Hare has retired from the position. His work in this position was and is appreciated. Board member Diane Lawrence has volunteered to **temporarily** fill the work assessment position until association members volunteer to do the job more permanently (on a year-by-year basis).

Bayside Beach Association members must sign up for work hours on January 16 (general membership meeting), May 4 (opening day), by signing up on the website Google document, or by contacting Diane Lawrence.

To contact Diane, email her at dlawren2@yahoo.com or call her at 248.366.0700. She will be present at the January 16th general membership meeting and at the beach on opening day to assist members in signing up for service hours.

MEMBERS WHO DO NOT SIGN UP FOR WORK HOURS WILL NOT RECEIVE THEIR BEACH KEYS FOR THE YEAR!

Per the Bayside Beach Association rules regarding work assessment, "Each membership is responsible for a minimum of six (6) hours of service to Bayside Beach. Failure to comply will result in a financial assessment equal to one year's dues."

Important Announcements

♦ EASTER EGG HUNT- VOLUNTEER(s) NEEDED: This year's Easter egg hunt is scheduled for Saturday March 30 at 1PM. Beth Middleton is organizing this year's event. Please contact her, if you would like to help her, at 248.860.4185. Easter egg hunters should bring a basket in which to collect eggs.

♦ BREAKFAST AT BAYSIDE (Father's day) is canceled for this year unless someone volunteers to organize and others volunteer to assist. Please email the board if you are interested in planning this endeavor. The email address is <u>board@baysidebeach.com</u>

♦ BAYSIDE BEACH'S PARTY COORDINATOR: As well as serving on the Bayside Beach Association board, Rachel Khan will also serve as our association's event planner. If you would be interested in assisting Rachel with our July 4th party (on July 6), our End-of-Summer party on September 21 or our Trunk or Treat event on October 26, please contact her at 248.763.2517.

♦ PLAYGROUND EQUIPMENT CHAIRPERSON NEEDED: Email the board if you are interested in taking on this position. board@baysidebeach.com

♦ MOORING SLIP WAITING LIST APPLICATION: If you would like to add your name to the mooring slip waiting list, please fill out the mooring worksheet included as page 3 of this newsletter and forward it to Jeff Parko as instructed at the bottom of the application. You do not need to presently own a watercraft to apply for the waiting list.

WEBSITE: <u>www.baysidebeach.com</u>

- EMAIL: <u>board@baysidebeach.com</u>
- ◆ **FACEBOOK**: <u>www.facebook.com/BaysideBeach</u> and join the group! Contact Liz Knight at <u>emwknight@gmail.com</u> for more information.