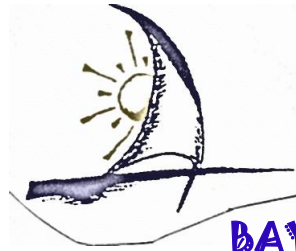


Board of Directors

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Rachel Khan  
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**BAYSIDE BEACH**

Officers

Allen Oblak, President  
Jay Knight, Vice President  
Catherine Schroeder, Secretary  
Jo Anne Clark, Treasurer

**JUNE 2026 UPDATE**

Newsletters are mailed out in late December, mid-April, early June, and mid-August. Each newsletter is also posted on the beach website: [www.baysidebeach.com](http://www.baysidebeach.com)

**Tons of fun at Bayside Beach!**

Music on the Lake	Friday, June 19	6:30PM	Bayside Beach
Kids' Fishing Contest	Saturday, June 27	8AM	Bayside Beach
July 4 <sup>th</sup> party	Saturday, July 4	Noon	Bayside Beach
Music on the Lake	Friday, July 10	6:30PM	Shady Beach
Upper Straits Fireworks (RAIN DATE TBA)	Saturday, July 11	10PM	Bayside Beach
Work Bee	Saturday, July 18	9AM	Bayside Beach
<b>General Membership Mt.</b>	<b><u>Tuesday, July 21</u></b>	<b>7PM</b>	<b>Bayside Beach <u>(Note: change)</u></b>
Music on the Lake	Friday, July 31	6:30PM	Bayside Beach
Work Bee	Saturday, August 15	9AM	Bayside Beach
Music on the Lake	Friday, August 21	6:30PM	Straits Lake Hills
End of Summer Picnic	Saturday, Sept. 19	Noon	Bayside Beach
Beach Closing	Saturday, Sept. 26	9AM	Bayside Beach
Trunk or Treat	Saturday, October 24	4PM	Bayside Beach

**~~~~~BEACH BUSINESS~~~~~**

**July General Membership Meeting On  
TUESDAY, July 21, 2026 (Note: change)**

Please plan to attend this summer's general membership meeting on **Tuesday, July 21 at 7PM** at the beach. The meeting will include nominations for officers and board members to establish this year's election slate.

**Key Pick-up Procedure: Two steps**

If you have not yet signed up for your 2026 work hours, not yet paid your 2026 Bayside Beach Association dues and have not picked up your gate key(s), please follow this 2-step process:

1. **Contact Diane Lawrence**, our interim beach work assessment chairman, to **INITIATE the process by signing up for work hours**. Her phone number is 248.231.4991. Her e-mail address is [dlawren2@yahoo.com](mailto:dlawren2@yahoo.com)
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! PLEASE DO NOT PLACE CHECKS and REGISTRATION FORMS IN JO ANNE'S MAILBOX.)** 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 Sherri Solomon, our party chairperson via email ([binkhall@gmail.com](mailto:binkhall@gmail.com)) or call/text her 517.896.7042.

**BAYSIDE BEACH CONTACTS**

**EMAIL ADDRESS:** [board@baysidebeach.com](mailto:board@baysidebeach.com)

**MOORING EMAIL ADDRESS:** [mooring@baysidebeach.com](mailto:mooring@baysidebeach.com)

**WEBSITE:** Information regarding Bayside Beach can be found on our website. The URL is: [www.baysidebeach.com](http://www.baysidebeach.com)  
There is a link to FAQ (Frequently Asked Questions) at the top of the home page. Not only will you find answers to your most asked questions, but there are several Bayside Beach forms in PDF format that you may want to download and use. These forms are found at the bottom of the FAQ section.

**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](http://www.facebook.com/BaysideBeach) Liz Knight is our Facebook administrator. Contact her at [emwnight@gmail.com](mailto:emwnight@gmail.com).

**BAYSIDE BEACH WORK HOURS**

Per the Bayside Beach Constitution, Rules and By-Laws, each membership must serve six (6) work hours per year. Members who are involved in keeping our beach a clean, fun, and safe place make a HUGE difference.

If you have already served your 6 hours, please be sure to contact Diane Lawrence to report your service. Her phone number is 248.231.4991. Her e-mail address is [dlawren2@yahoo.com](mailto:dlawren2@yahoo.com)

If you have not signed up for your 6 hours, contact Diane. If you prefer, you may also access the Work Hour Google document on the beach website to sign up for work hours. Scroll down the home page until you find the link for work hour sign-up. ([www.baysidebeach.com](http://www.baysidebeach.com))

## **Bayside Beach Non-Motorized Watercraft Registration – Kayaks, etc.**

Bayside Beach members are required to register their non-motorized watercraft (kayak, paddle board, etc). To request a watercraft registration application, contact Rachel Khan at 248.763.2517. (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 non-motorized watercraft last year, you do not need to register again, unless you have a new non-motorized watercraft.**

**Any association member's watercraft left at the beach without a Bayside Beach Association decal will be removed from the beach. ALL WATERCRAFT MUST BE REMOVED FROM THE BEACH BY NOVEMBER 1. Watercraft that is left on the beach after November 1 will be removed and donated.**

## **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.

## **Kids' fishing Contest**

This fun event is scheduled for Saturday, June 27, 2026, from 8AM to noon at Bayside Beach. There will be a \$1.00 entry fee and trophies. Get your fishing rods ready! (Ages up to and including 16 y/o)

## **Monthly Work Bees**

To allow for more routine beach maintenance and improvement, work bees will be scheduled for July (Saturday, July 18, 2026, at 9AM), and August (Saturday, August 15, 2026, at 9AM). If you still need to sign up for work hours and are interested in participating in a work bee, contact Diane Lawrence (work assessment chairperson) at [dlawren2@yahoo.com](mailto:dlawren2@yahoo.com) or 248.231.4991.

## **Special Consideration**

### **ZERO TOLERANCE RULE:**

### **ABSOLUTELY NO FIREWORKS AT THE**

**BEACH!** Anyone who sets off or uses fireworks at the beach will lose their beach association membership. Last year, several moored boats suffered damage from a few members' fireworks set off at the beach. Also, for safety reasons, we want to protect all members and their guests from bodily harm.

### **NORTH PARKING LOT (BOAT RAMP):**

Please park ONLY vehicle/trailer (boat) combinations in the north parking lot which is the lot where the boat ramp is accessed. Vehicles without a trailer should park in the south parking lot which is off Borland Street, or park just outside the fence surrounding the beach property.

### **GOLF CART TRAFFIC:**

Please park golf carts in areas adjacent to 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.

## **Aquatic Advisory Board**

### **Weed Harvesting Info**

Both chemical and manual weed harvesting will be conducted this summer to help contain invasive plant species. For details, check the USCLA website, [www.upperstraitslake.org](http://www.upperstraitslake.org)

## **July 4<sup>th</sup> festivities**

### **Bayside Beach's 4<sup>th</sup> of July Party**

This year's Independence Day party is to be celebrated on Saturday, July 4, 2026. If you are interested in assisting with this event, contact Rachel Khan at 248.763.2517. **(As Bayside Beach Association's event planner, Rachel also organizes the end-of summer picnic, and the Trunk or Treat event in October. Contact Rachel if you would like to assist with any of these events.)**

### **Fireworks – Info and Donations**

**Fireworks 2026:** This year's Upper Straits Lake fireworks are scheduled for Saturday, July 11<sup>th</sup> starting at 10PM. Join your neighbors in witnessing this spectacular event. The rain date is TBA.

**Consider donating** to help defray the cost for our firework display. Contact Rick Cumbo at [SBIA@comcast.net](mailto: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  
Or pay via Venmo to @ShadyBeach.

## **Music on the lake 2026**

### **Donations Appreciated**

To attract the quality musical talent heard at Music on the Lake, funds are needed. Consider donating by using:

Zelle (user ID: 2486137700)

OR

Venmo (username: musiconthelake)

OR

Check Pay to Chris Connelly. Mail your contribution to Chris at 4457 Rolling Pine Drive West Bloomfield, MI 48323