

FISH-TASTIC NEWS

Aug 5-11th, 2022

Hillybilly Country Fun Weekend



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Beach Update

Beach swimming/paddleboards are closed until Tuesday August 9th due to high bacteria levels. The state will not test during the weekend. You are still welcome to play in the sand.

Heat Advisory on Saturday

Please make sure your air conditioners are clean and watch your electrical use. Voltage from ComEd will be reduced to the area.

Get CampersApp for Schedule updates or cancellations

Activities

Anytime: Build your own Buddy with a Fish Lake t-shirt! Come check out the animals we have. \$15 each. Available in the store.

Friday 6p Kids (All Ages) meet at the gaga ball pit for a game or two! Hot dogs will be roasting! Hosted by Rick & Kristy

Fri 8p Teen Night (13+) at the Fire pit #1! S'mores and hotdogs will be available to roast! Also, a game of Glow in the Dark Volleyball Hosted by Rick and Kristy

Sat All Day CampersApp Cow Hide Scavenger Hunt. Wrangle all twelve cows to win the "Cow Hide" badge. CampersApp must be downloaded to participate. Pick up directions in store or at gatehouse. (Please remind children to not remove cows that are throughout the park)

Sat 9-11a Kohlers Farm Stand will be selling a mixer of fruits and vegetables by the pavilion.

Sat 9:30a Family Painting with Judy in the pavilion. Fees start at \$2 & include all supplies to paint your ceramic or wood item. Every week new pieces. Lighted Halloween pieces will be available this week.

Sat 11a All ages welcome volleyball game! Meet at the VB net near the pool! Hosted by Rick & Kristy

Sat 12p Ages 10+ 1/2 court Basketball game/Four Square by the softball field. Hosted by Rick & Kristy

Sat 1p Kids Country Craft at the pavilion. Free

Sat 2p Family Candy Bingo at the pavilion. Free

Sat 6:30p-? Corn Roast at the Beach! Fresh grilled corn \$3/ear with all proceeds to Venture Crew 185, Fox Lake. They will continue serving during the dance until sold out!

Road Closed for Dance set-up at 7pm

Sat 8p Come join your fellow campers for our Family Country Hoe Down Dance at the beach. July Super Sites will be announced at 9p. FLB's Happy Campers Auction Committee will be selling T2T t-shirts for \$15.00.

Sun 9:45a Sunday school for kids at the Pavilion.

Sun 10:30a Christian Church service (non-denominational) in the pavilion.

Sun 1p Beach Games! Meet at the beach!

Sunday & Mon 6:30p Adults are welcome to come play Hand and Foot Canasta in the Adult Rec Hall. No partner is needed. They will teach you how to play the game.

Monday 6-8p Beach Ball Bash at the pool

Tuesday 9:15a Janet Rabine will be teaching water aerobics in the pool. Adults only. Free.

Tues 10a Kids' Crafts in front of the store. Free

Wed 6-8p Beach Ball Bash at the pool

Wed 6:30p All adults invited to play Mexican Train Dominos in the Adult Rec Hall.

Thursday 1-3p Family game time! Enjoy our Super Sized Connect4 or Yahtzee on the store patio. Free.

Thurs 6:30p All adults invited to play Pinocle (with a double deck) in the Adult Rec Hall. If you don't know how to play, they will teach you!

Thurs 6:30-8p- Last Kid's Night at the Pool for the season! Pool fun for the younger kids! Play and climb on all the big inflatables! Parents must supervise their children. Please, no adults without children this evening. Pool rules apply. **Family Hot tub time!** Any age may enjoy the hot tub. Kids 6 year and younger must have parent or guardian on hot tub deck watching them.

⇒ *Time to sign up for the cardboard boat races! Rescheduled date is 8/13! We have large pieces of cardboard to share at the store. Come join the fun!*

⇒ *Reminder: motorized scooters can be driven by licensed individuals. No children.*

Quiet Hours

Fri & Sat 11p

Sun-Thurs 10p

If a 2nd warning is needed violators must leave without refund.

Store

9a-8p

847-546-2228

Trailer Sales

9a-3p

847-546-4777

Curfew for 21 & under

Fri & Sat 11p

Sun-Thurs 10p

Gate House

Sun-Thurs 9a-11p

Fri & Sat 24 hours

Beach

Daily 9a-7p

Swim at your own risk...parents must watch their kids.

Pool

9a-11a Adults only

11a-8p Family Time

8p-10p Adults only (Mon-Thurs)

Swim at your own risk; parents must watch their kids

Pool can't open unless temp is 67+ degrees.

Hot Tub

9a-10p Adults 17+only

(Except during kids' night)

(Pool/Hot Tub are closed 5-6p for maintenance)

Emergencies

If you are experiencing an emergency call 847-987-2228. For **medical emergencies** call 911 first.

Pool

Water ONLY, please

- Any beverage that will attract bees, hornets, wasps creates a risk to patrons with allergies to stings.
- The entire pool deck is an alcohol free zone. To help minimize the inherent risks at our pool we respectfully ask for cooperation with this rule.
- Clear plastic water bottles provide lifeguards and pool attendants some measure of visual reassurance that a beverage in the pool areas is water. Clear plastic reusable bottles as well as clear plastic disposable are both acceptable. Thank you.

Pool Chairs and Loungers

The commercial grade deck chairs and loungers are POLY-RESIN meant to wear but are not indestructible. Dragging them on the concrete pool deck causes wheel bolts to break and the chair material to scar, crumble and crack.

They were 6ft apart for Covid, however, we are moving them into pairs of 2. PLEASE do not move them from these groupings. We need them to last and serve our pool patrons for as long as possible. Thank you.

Gate Info

The interior entry gate opens with access cards. No card is needed to exit. Both gates are programmed to allow one car to enter or exit at a time. Damage to gate equipment is subject to a \$700 fine. The gatehouse area is video monitored 24x7.

Vehicle Passes

2022 vehicle stickers (passes) must be on your car or you'll be charged admission at \$6 per person beginning May 21st.. Please remove old stickers.

I Want S'More!

Aug 12-14 Wet and Wild Weekend 2

Pool Movie, Foam Party, Water games, Dunk Tank/Duck Pond Game, Rescheduled Cardboard Regatta

Aug 19-21 Lets Glow It Up Weekend

Luminary Dance, Beach games, Craft, Bingo

2022 Yard Sales: 8/27

Food Trucks coming soon!

8/13-Serna's Grill, 8/20- Brothers BBQ, 8/27- Taco's Loco's

2022 Labor Day Auction!

The FLB Happy Campers Auction Committee is proud to announce that we will be supporting the **Tunnel to Towers Foundation (T2T)** this year. T2T has provided mortgage-free homes to our Nation's catastrophically injured veterans and first responders. In 2022, T2T launched a new national campaign aimed at eradicating homelessness in the Veteran community. To learn more about their initiatives see T2T.org. This Summer's events will include: Dunk Tank and Duck Pond on August 13, and the Live Auction and Raffle on September 4. Additional details on FLB Happy Campers and FLB Seasonal Campers Facebook. Any questions? Email flbhappycampers@gmail.com

Super Sites

Every summer for the past twenty plus years, Fish Lake has awarded two sites in June, July and August with the honor of Super Sites. An outdoor super site sign and a \$100 check are given. Judges will be looking at the sites throughout the weeks. How does your shed look? Weeds in the driveway? Deck & Trailer clean? What about the back of your unit? Work hard and you could be a super site! July Super Sites Announced at the August 6th dance at 9p.

Concessions

Hungry? Thirsty? Try our ice cream, slushes and finger foods-perfect for sharing!

Too relaxed to leave? We now sell ADULT BEVERAGES. Bring your ID 😊

Food Service Ends 30 Min Prior To Closing 7:30p
Ice Cream Service Ends At Closing 8p

For Your Information

Guest Admission for Overnight, Monthly and Rental Campers: Guests must pay admission, \$6 per person(\$10 per person on holiday weekends). Guests must leave by 10p. Guest must park at the lake parking area if there are already 2 cars at the campsite.

Guests of Seasonal Campers: Guests must pay admission, \$6 per person or use season guest passes. Guests must leave by 10p

Deliveries: Campers that order goods or services must meet the vendor at the interior gate. This includes pizza/fast food or grocery deliveries. This will prevent unauthorized access to the park or confusion for vendors.

Rent the Pavilion or Kids Rec Hall for \$100 plus guest admission, per person. Guest passes may be used for admission. Call 847-546-2228 for availability and reservations.

Fishing: Fish from the shore or piers. not in the swimming area. Illinois Fishing license required for those 16+

Seasonal and Monthly campers may not use the Fish Lake Beach address for mail or packages. Consider using **My Mailbox, Fox Lake.**

Electric Tips

We highly recommend surge protectors. Have your air conditioner serviced so it works well when the temperatures rise.

Get Comcast

If you would like to contact a representative, email Christine_Lowe@comcast.com.

Firewood

We are getting a new premium grade firewood. When the current inventory of bundles is gone. The NEW firewood is all timber, kiln dried, and insect, mold and pesticide free. Locally sourced. be \$7.50; price includes tax.

Donuts

Place an order for Riverside Donuts by calling 847-546-2228 next Friday or Saturday by Noon for the following day 9:15a pickup! \$1.85 each including tax! We have a list of delicious sweets they sell in the store.

Community Fire Pits

A information handout about our NEW Fire Pits can be picked up at the gatehouse or store regarding their use.

Get our smartphone app!
App is FREE on iTunes or
GooglePlay

Login: **fishlakebeach**



Camper Rules and Policies at Fish Lake Beach

Overnight, Rental and Monthly Campers MUST comply with the rules signed at check in. **Seasonal Campers MUST comply with the rules** in the 2022 Handbook Additional copies can be obtained at the store.

2 recycling dumpsters that were by the pavilion were moved to the Z sites near the mini golf course. Signs for acceptable vs not acceptable materials are posted on the dumpster.

Please do not flush anything (personal wipes) **down your toilet.** It's very important!

Safety Matters at FLB

Driving any vehicle while impaired is dangerous, this includes golf carts-bicycles and scooters. Here's what you can do to help-

- Please choose to walk or pick a designated driver to help you get back to your site if you've been drinking.
- Be mindful of how much you're drinking and the affect it's having on you.
- If your neighbor has had too much to drink, help them get back to their site safely.
- Understand that driving on our campground roads requires caution, slow speeds and good reaction time. Even more so, given that our roads are shared by vehicles, walkers, bicycles, golf carts and trailers.