

FISH-TASTIC NEWS



Fall Frenzy Weekend
Sept 29th-Oct 5th, 2023



Quiet Hours

Sun-Thurs 10p
Fri & Sat 11p
to 9a. (Sat is 8a)

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

Store Hours

9a-7p (Fri & Sat)
9a-5p (Sun-Thur)
847-546-2228

Trailer Sales

Tues-Sat 9a-3p
Sun 10a-2p
847-546-4777

Curfew

Fri, Sat 11p
Sun-Thurs 10p

Gate House

Sun-Thurs 8a -11p
Fri-Sat 24 hours

Beach

9a-7p
Swim at your own risk...parents must watch their kids.

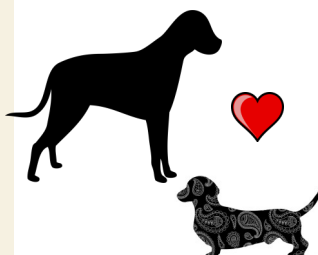
No Lifeguard on Beach

Pool

Closed

Emergencies

If you are experiencing an emergency call 847-987-2228 (11p-9a). For **medical emergencies call 911 first.**



In an effort to make all our furry friends and their owners comfortable in using the dog park, we are going to implement the following schedule effective **Saturday, September 9th thru the rest of this season.** 9-9:30a and 3-3:30p is small dogs only time in the dog park. A small dog is defined as under 25 lbs.

All remaining time is open for any size dogs!

***Get CampersApp for Schedule updates or cancellations- Login: fishlakebeach ***

Activities

Friday All Day Pick up your Fall worksheet packet at the gate house! Limited supply.

Fri 6p Last One of the Season! Kids (All Ages) meet at the gaga ball pit for a game or two! Potato sack races are back! Join the fun! Hosted by Rick & Kristy

Fri 7:15p Pre-Teens (10+)/Teens (13+) meet at Adult Rec Hall (Emilie's Place) for some games and fun. Hosted by Rick & Kristy

Sat 8a Flea Market participants can come and start setting up in the pavilion. Please do not come any earlier for respect of other campers camping near the pavilion.

Sat 9a-12p Flea Market at the pavilion.

Sat 10a Kids Fall craft at the shelter by the beach or in Beach Rec Hall if windy. Free

Sat 11a Pumpkin Painting at the Beach Rec Hall. (\$2.00 a pumpkin). Limited to 30 participates. First come first serve.

Sat 1p-? Kiki's Cotton Candy will be here down by the lake! Come try their cotton candy cups, gourmet popcorn, sno cones and lemonade!

Sat 1-2p Kids' Carnival Games by the lake! Parents welcome to help the younger ones! The road in front of the Kids Rec Hall will be closed for thru traffic from 12:30p -2:30p for the children's safety.

Sat 3p FLB Hayride! Meet at the gaga ball pit.

Sat 7p Outdoor Movie at the old Movie theater (By the Gaga Pit area). Showing Hocus Pocus (PG, 1993). Bring a blanket or chair and snacks! Enjoy!

Anytime Sunday Campground Scavenger hunt. Pick up list in the store. Free

Sun & Mon 6p 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.

Wed 6:30p Adults are welcome to come play Mexican Train Dominoes in Adult Rec Hall. They will teach you how to play the game.

Thurs 6:30p Adults are welcome to come play Double Deck Pinochle in Adult Rec Hall. They will teach you how to play the game.



Chili Cook-Off October 5th

-Please Note: Time Changed-

- **Our 15th Annual Homemade Chili cook-off is Saturday, Oct 7th!** The cook-off will be held in the pavilion. Bring your chili **already warm** in a crock-pot with a ladle by 5:45p. Contestants will sample each other's chili from 6-6:30. At 6:30p all campers can sample, vote, and applaud all the chili cooks! We provide for cooks the table cloth, 2 oz testing cups to fill, and plastic gloves for your hands. Spoons, a board to carry samples, pencils & paper will be given to the camper judges.
- Please call 847-546-2228, email camping@fishlakebeach, or stop in the lunchroom and let us know ASAP if you will be cooking chili. A gift is provided for each participant, so the final sign up is by Friday (10/6). The top 3 chili cooks will be awarded for their creations!



Camper Rules and Policies at Fish Lake Beach

Overnight, Rental and Monthly Campers MUST comply with the rules signed at check in. A copy can be obtained at the store.

Seasonal Campers MUST comply with the rules in the 2023 Handbook Additional copies can be obtained at the store. Golf Cart Permit owners must comply with those rules or risk losing their permit. Do not allow anyone without a drivers license drive the cart!! Drive slowly, watch for others.

Trash Talk

We need your help! If you go to use a dumpster and it is full, **please use another dumpster.** There are many throughout the park on the main roads. Piling garbage on top of a full dumpster makes it impossible to close, which invites animals and allows odor to drift to the nearby trailers. GROSS!

Separately-large item pick up and disposal must be pre-paid at the office. Once paid, we will schedule pick-up from your site.

Tank & Toilet Talk

NEVER flush these in your toilet---disinfecting wipes, baby wipes, personal hygiene wipes, cleaning wipes or wipes of any kind, including wipes labeled 'flushable'. They damage our pumps which results in expensive repair PLUS sewer / water outages to multiple sections while we replace the pumps.

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

2023 vehicle stickers must be on your windshield or your admission will be by appointment only. We are no longer allowing unregistered seasonals to simply pay \$6 admission without being paid in full and registered completely.

Electric

We highly recommend the use of surge protectors in your trailer. For you're a/c to work efficiently clean the coils and maintain the unit. When the temperatures are high please reduce your electric consumption and use only one a/c unit to help reduce the possibility of power outages in the park.

Winterizing by Trailer Sales

- * Winterizing starts on 10/17.
- * Trailer Sales will only accept the first 100 sign ups
- * Costs is \$100 if signed up before 10/15... \$125 after
- * Additional appliances are an extra fee
- * Sign up at the Fish Lake Store by the Beach now!

Want S'more

Oct 6-8 Mad Scientist

Chili Cookoff, Craft, Slime Making

Oct 13-15 Rest & Relax Weekend

Family Firepit Social, Craft, Last Weekend

Upcoming Food Trucks

Oct 7-EJ Pierogi

End of Season

The Park is open till Sunday, Oct. 15th. The water and washrooms will be turned off/closed on Monday (16th) morning. We begin our winterizing process. No overnight camping beginning October 16.

FYI

Guest Admission for Overnight, Monthly and Rental Campers: Admission, \$6 per person (\$10 per person on holiday weekends). Guests must leave by 10p.

Guests of Seasonal Campers: Admission, \$6 per person. Guests must leave by 10p

All Guest must park at the lake parking area if there are already 2 cars at your site or your site cannot accommodate your guests' vehicles.

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

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

Campers may not use the FLB address for mail or packages. Consider using **My Mailbox, Fox Lake.**

Concessions

Hungry? Thirsty? We have delicious ice cream, slushees and finger foods!

Too relaxed to leave? We now sell ice cold ADULT BEVERAGES including the brands you crave—modelo, white claw, twisted tea, mikes hard lemonade and more. Bring your ID.

Get Comcast

Sign up for Comcast services for your Fish Lake Beach seasonal site. Call Dale at (847) 366-3646 or email Dale_betts@cable.comcast.com.

Firewood

Our all timber, kiln-dried, and insect, mold and pesticide free bundles are locally sourced and \$7.41 plus tax. Bundles are sold at the store or gatehouse.

Order Donuts Next Week

Order for Riverside Donuts by calling 847-546-2228 on Friday or Saturday by Noon for the following day 9:15a pickup! \$1.85 each plus tax! We have a list of delicious sweets for sale they in the store.

Bag leaves & yard waste

Please bag your leaves and yard waste and put them at the edge of the road or by your nearest dumpster. Groot will not empty dumpsters with yard waste in them. Thank you.

Children

We realize that children make friends at the campground and are active. However, the safeguards and rules that make Fish Lake Beach a safe place do NOT replace the need for **parental supervision**. Please watch your children and know the whereabouts of your teenagers at all times. Do not let your young children wander around the park alone, unsupervised. Thank You

2024 Seasonal information

Everyone should have received their 2024 invoice via email by now. Deposit's are due by October 15th 2023. ***New*** To be eligible for 2024 Guest Car Pass, the deposit needs to be turned in by the due date of October 15th, 2023 and then be paid in full by April 15th, 2024.

