

FISH-TASTIC NEWS



July 19th-25th, 2024

Christmas in July Weekend!



Get CampersApp for Schedule updates or cancellations

Quiet Hours

Sun-Thurs 10p-8a
Fri, Sat 11p-8a

Store Hours

Sun-Thurs 9a-7p
Fri, Sat 9a-8p
847-546-2228

Trailer Sales

Wed-Sat 9a-5p
Sun 9a-3p
847-546-4777

Curfew

Fri, Sat 11p
Sun-Thurs 10p

Gate House

Fri, Sat 24 hours
Sun-Thurs 8a -11pm

Beach

9a-7p

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

No Lifeguard

Pool

9-11a Adults only

11a-8p Family (closed 5-6)

Sun-Thurs 8p-10p Adults only

Pool can't open unless temp is 68+ degrees

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

Hot Tub

9a-10p Adults (17+ only)

Except Kids Nights & Pool Movie Nights

Emergencies

If you are experiencing an emergency call

847-987-2228. For **medical emergencies call 911 first.**

Activities

Friday All Day Pick up your Christmas Fun Pack at the gate house! Limited Supply

Fri 6p Kids (All Ages) meet at the gaga ball pit for a game or two! Hosted by Rick & Kristy

Fri 6:15p Kids (6 and Under) meet by the gaga ball for a game! Hosted by Rick & Kristy

Fri 7p Karaoke Sock Hop at the Beach Rec Hall. Privately hosted by DJ Kosek Dress like the 50's & 60's

Fri 7p Adult Bingo at the Pavilion. Free! Hosted by Kristina

Fri 7:15p All Ages Family Night at the Adult Rec Hall! Ice Cream and Games Galore! Hosted by Rick & Kristy

Sat 9:30a-11a Join us for the 2024 Family Painting at the pavilion with Kristen from Chasing Creativity Art Studio. Explore ceramics, wood, canvas and more! Items starting at \$2.00.

Sat 11a-7p Perk N' Pickle Food Truck will be here at the pavilion!

Sat 11a Teens(13+) & Adults Volleyball game! Meet at the volleyball net near the pool!

Sat 12p Family Candy Bingo in the pavilion! Free! Hosted by Kristina

Sat 1p Kids/Adults Basketball game (10+). Meet at the basketball court by the baseball field.

Sat 1-2p Kids craft and Christmas Games at the pavilion! Free.

Sat 3p A Christmas Hayride! Meet at the Gaga Pit.

Sat 5p Fellowship around the Fire. Anyone Welcome. Meet at the Community Firepits for a fire, smore's, fellowship and music! Hosted by Rebecca & Brianna.

Sat 6p Chasing Creativity Paint and Sip at the Adult Rec Hall. Pre-Sign up is required

Sat 7p Santa is coming with treats for the kids! Santa will be traveling to our beach! Families are welcome to line up, talk and take pictures with Santa.

Sunday 9:45a Sunday School for kids at the pavilion.

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

Sun 1-2p Kindness Rock Painting. Meet on the front porch of the store. Free

Sun 2:30p Large Bubble Making down by the beach-left of the swim area. Free (Will cancel if no breeze)

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.

Tuesday 11a Kindness Rock Painting. Meet on the front porch of the store. Free

Tuesday 6p Store closes 1 hour early. Adult Rec Hall closed to campers for the evening for private event.

Wed 11a Kids' crafts! Meet on the porch in front of the store! Free

Thurs 6-8p Kid's Night at the Pool/Hot Tub! 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. Hot tub can be used by anyone. Pool rules apply. Kids 6 year and younger must have parent or guardian on hot tub deck watching them.

Annual FLB Style Cardboard Boat Races

Come to the store to pick up our rules & guidelines sheet! It's fun, creative, and a great family project. Everyone builds cardboard boats and then kid(s) and adult(s) race their boats in the swimming area on Saturday 7/27 at 7p. Ask in the store and we'll be happy to explain! Sign up required for planning. **Join the fun!** We have Large cardboard pieces at the store you can use!



Help Avoid Power Outages When Temps Soar

When electricity consumption during heat waves becomes excessive, ComEd customers, including FLB, receive less power. This *increases the chance of power outages. Seasonal campers can help prevent these by:*

- Reducing overall electric consumption. Shut off *everything possible*.
- Use only 1 air conditioner. Our grid will not support using multiple air conditioners in one trailer during a heat wave.
- Surge protectors will shut down your trailer if insufficient power is available or the voltage changes when other trailers' air conditioning is turned on.
- Please install CampersApp and set notifications for ON. If an outage occurs, we use CampersApp to inform campers of the status.

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 2024 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

If the dumpster nearest to you is full, please use another dumpster. Do not leave large items IN or AT dumpsters. Large items must be paid for in the store. We will pick up the items at your site and take them to a special dumpster.

IMPORTANT Tank & Toilet Talk

Paper towels, feminine hygiene products, and wipes, **including those marked as "flushable wipes"** cannot be put in toilets. They don't disintegrate, get tangled in our pumps, and cause sewage to overflow **on the ground and possibly inside the trailer. Please dispose of these in your bathroom waste basket.**

Parking

Campers and guests must park within the parking area of their site. If your vehicle(s) take up more than your parking area allows, those vehicles must be parked in the circle drive by the fishing pier. Security monitors parking.

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.

Scooters, Electric Bikes, and Non-Electric Bikes

FLB staff and campers are reporting to us that scooters and all types of bikes are cutting off cars, driving fast, and **darting in front of trucks, trailers, and pedestrians**. The risk of injury is REAL. Not long ago, a bike rider ran into someone walking and broke their hip. All scooters and bike riders need to **slow down, ride on the far right of the road, stop, and look both ways before crossing to make sure it's safe. Please wear helmets.**

Want S'more

(Subject to Change)

July 26-August 1 Shipwrecked Adventure

Cardboard Regatta, Crafts, Bingo

August 2-8 Wild West Weekend

Dance, Corn Roast, Hayride

Food Trucks this month

July 27 Serna's Grill 3-8p, **August 4** Donut Jester 11a-1p

August 10 Aunt Tina Sound Bites 12-6p

Sign ups will be required the week before

Yard Sale: August 24

Flea Market: October 5

Adult Pot Luck

Aug 29, Sept 12

Paint & Sip Parties

Hosted by Chasing Creativity

(Sign up required via Facebook links posted)

August 10, August 24

Sept 7, Sept 8, Sept 28

For Your Information

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.

Fishing: Fish from the shore or piers; not in the roped off swimming area. Illinois Fishing license required for those 16+. Catch and Release until June 15th.

Campers may not use the FLB address for mail or packages. Consider using **Mail Drop Shoppe, Fox Lake.**

Electric Tips

We highly recommend the use of surge protectors in your trailer.

Firewood

Locally sourced and \$8.00. Bundles are sold at the store or gatehouse. Delivery available Fri- Call to order

Bag leaves & yard waste

Grounds Staff collects BAGGED LEAVES & YARD WASTE at the curb of seasonal sites on Monday/ Friday. Put yard waste bags at your curb the **night before pick-up days**. Do not put yard waste bags in or at dumpsters. Please use paper yard waste bags.

Get Comcast

Sign up for Comcast services for your Fish Lake Beach seasonal site. If you would like to contact a representative, call Dale at (847) 366-3646 or email Dale_betts@cable.comcast.com.

Dog Reminders

- Dogs must be leashed at all times excluding dog park
- Dog waste must be picked up
- Dogs are not allowed on beach sand or swim area
- Loud or incessant barking will not be tolerated
- Please follow dog park posted rules.

Order Donuts Next Week

Place an order for Riverside Donuts by calling 847-546-2228 next Friday or Saturday by Noon for the following day 9:15a pickup! \$2 each plus tax! We have a list of delicious sweets they sell in the store.

FLB Campers CARE (Community Activities Raising Excitement)

We're off to a great start raising money for Support Over Stigma thanks to our generous FLB community. Thank you to all that attended our Smokin' Hot BBQ down by the beach last Saturday. It was a great success! Keep in mind that the FLB Campers CARE t-shirts are available for purchase. Please contact a committee member to purchase or you can get yours at select FLB events. Our next event is Denny's Donuts on Sunday, July 28. Watch for details. Donations are **NOW** being accepted for this years Sept. 1 Auction. Items must be **NEW** or **GENTLY USED**, in working condition, and clean. Deadline for item donations is Aug. 18. Please contact a committee member to arrange for drop off or pickup. Your Committee is: Lori Dierker, Heather & Linda Williams, Larry & Cathy Foust, Carrie Miller, and Ron & Jennie Mackowiak.

For additional information on Support Over Stigma, please visit supportoverstigma.org