



The Lake Shawnee News

President's Message

August 2017

Make it slow down! Hope everyone is having a good summer so far, but boy is it flying by!

Short and sweet this month.

Update on our dam improvement project is that there is no update! We submitted our revised plan months ago, but were informed that the NJDEP is understaffed and cannot give us a timeline on when the plans will be approved. Our plan was to hopefully start construction in the fall. I don't see it happening this year.

Reminder, we have been seeing a few beach parties at First Beach on the weekends, which is great that our members are enjoying and utilizing the properties, but many are not obtaining a permit prior. We now require a permit for parties of 7 or more non-member guests max. of 20(not including members). This is so we can ensure we have enough guards on duty and to avoid conflicts with multiple parties, clubhouse rentals and/or club events on the same day so we don't over burden the facilities. Please call the office at least a week (7 days) prior, first come first serve. If you fail to obtain a permit prior, you may jeopardize having your party on that day so please call to avoid any issues.

Quite a few members have still not picked up their badges as of yet. We don't mail them because of cost, but on occasion as a courtesy and at her discretion Lisa, our Office Manager, may deliver them. Remaining badges can be picked up at First Beach from Kristen our Beach Security/Lifeguard Supervisor from 11am-6pm each day.

Please check inside this issue for the many social committee events planned through the end of the summer. Dina and the social committee has added some new events for this summer. Our last big event, our "Surf & Turf" Bash is scheduled for Saturday, September 2nd. It is always a huge success and a lot of fun each year; they have some new activities planned for the day.

Enjoy the rest of your Summer!

Eric Wilsusen
Club President

ericwilsusen@lakeshawneeclub.org

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Highlights:

Aug. 19 th 8:30pm
Movie Night

Aug. 25th 1pm
Kids Biathlon
Beach party



The Lake Shawnee Clubhouse is located at 4 West Shawnee Trail Wharton NJ 07885

For Club Business and Rentals please contact our Office Manager,

Lisa Peter at 973-663-1307 or officemanager@lakeshawneeclub.org

The Office is open during the hours of 8:30am-12pm on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday

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Board Meetings are held on the first Friday of every month.

All members welcome!!

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www.lakeshawneeclub.org

www.facebook.com/groups/lakeshawneeclub

AUGUST

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		1 Baby & Me 10am-12pm Ice Cream Social 7pm Social Comm Mtg. 7:00pm	2	3	4 Board mtg. 7:30pm	5
6 Swim Team Awards 10am	7	8 Baby & Me 10:30am Card Night 6:30pm Ice Cream Social 7pm	9 Seniors 1pm	10	11	12
13	14	15 Baby & Me 10am-12pm	16	17	18	19 Movie Night 8:30pm
20 Coffee & Craft 11am- 12:30pm	21	22 Baby & Me 10am-12pm	23 Seniors 1pm	24	25 Bi-athlon Kids Beach Party 1pm	26
27	28	29 Baby & Me 10am-12pm Swim Team Parent's Mtg. 7:30pm	30	31		

Save the Date



Sept. 2nd, Saturday, Surf and Turf 12pm-6pm
 Sept. 23rd, Saturday, Dog Walk and Pet Parade, 10am-12pm

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FOR SALE: Nice wooden desk with aluminum legs. Nice and sturdy good for student. Dark Wood \$20.00
Call Anne 973-663-0040

HOME FOR SALE: By owner. 13 East Shawnee Trail; 973.663.5755; stallon3@optonline.net

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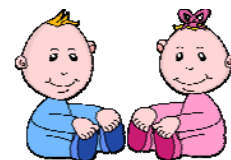
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Baby and Me Playgroup
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Monthly Card Night!

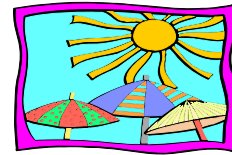
Tuesday, Aug. 8th at 6:30 p.m.

We will be starting a monthly
Hand & Foot card game.

Easy Game! Beginners are welcome!

Please contact Karen at (973) 663-3562 to sign up.

Tables of four are preferred, so please call ahead of time.



Kid's Beach Activities

Come down to first beach for some
fun in the sun.

**Friday, August 25th at 1pm -
Kids Bi-athlon Beach Party**

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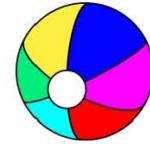
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Social Committee Calendar



Social Committee: Please join us at the clubhouse with any new ideas you might have. This is a great time to come with ideas and join our team! Meeting Dates are usually the 1st Tuesday of each month. Keep in mind that all events are volunteer driven. If you can lend a hand at any of our events it would be greatly appreciated. Please call Dina Troha at 973-663-6737 if you plan on attending or if you have any questions.

Lake Shawnee Book Club: The LSC Book Club is up and running! For information, email Pat Reis at patreis@optonline.net or call 973-449-8606. **Co-ed book club anyone?** What's interesting about most book clubs is that they are usually all women. Anyone interested in forming another new book club—a co-ed book club? There are books with themes that both men and women can relate to—a book with a controversial subject, a surprising twist, or that stimulates thought-provoking opinions. It would be interesting to get both male and female viewpoints on books. This could lead to lively discussions! If this idea interests you, contact Pat Reis.

Shawnee Seniors Club: Our Shawnee Seniors Club meets **every other Wednesday at 1pm** at the clubhouse. The club is open to all Seniors Age 55 and older. Coffee and snacks will be served.

Baby and Me Playgroup: Bring the kids down to the Clubhouse to meet Moms and children of similar ages. Playgroup meets **every Tuesday at 10:30am**. Pre-K and under. Please contact Chris White at 973-255-9326 if you plan to attend.

Ice Cream Social Nights: Who doesn't love ice cream?? Stop by the clubhouse at **7pm on Tuesday August 1st** and enjoy a dish of ice cream with your favorite toppings. Ice cream will be followed by a few games of Surprise Bag Bingo. All ages welcome.

Card/Game Night: Our next monthly Hand & Foot card game is on **Tuesday, August 8th at 6:30 p.m.** This is an easy card game and beginners are welcome. Please contact Karen at (973) 663-3562 to sign up. Tables of four are preferred, so please call ahead of time. If you are a single that wants to play, please give Karen a call and we will find you a partner. Meeting dates for the rest of the year are the second Tuesday of each month as follows 9/12, 10/10, 11/14, 12/12.

First Beach Movie Night: Our Last Movie Night of the season will be on **Saturday, August 19th at 8:30pm**. We are showing – Moana. We'll pop the popcorn; you bring your beach chairs and beverage of choice. Children under 18 must be accompanied by an adult.

NEW! Coffee & Craft- Come create & relax with Culture Cabin's Creative Arts Director, Erika Domanico. We'll have a new unique craft each month! See below for dates & time. Cost is \$20 per person per class. To register please contact Dina Troha at 973-663-6737. All ages welcome. Our classes are as follows:

August 20th from 11am – 12:30pm at First Beach - Hanging Macramé planter

September 24th 11am-12:30pm at the clubhouse – Leather Pillow

Bi Athlon Beach Party! Kids's Beach Activities- Round up the kiddies and join us on **Friday August 25th at 1pm** on First Beach. This event is open to children of all ages. We'll start with a warm up, followed by a super fun color war! Participants will then race around the clubhouse grounds and then swim a length in the lanes. You will be rewarded for your efforts!!

Check out the Full Page Surf & Turf Ad in this newsletter – Saturday, September 2nd from 12pm – 6pm

Lake Shawnee Dog Walk and Pet Parade- Come join us for a doggie-appreciation day on **Saturday, September 23rd from 10am-12pm!!** The festivities will begin at the clubhouse with a 1 mile dog walk. Cost is \$5 per four-legged friend. First 100 registered will get a free gift!! The walk will be followed by a pet parade featuring prizes for the cutest...funniest...and best overall costumes. Any questions, call or email Kristen at 973-255-9326 or kewwhite091611@gmail.com

5th Annual LSC Surf & Turf Bash!

Saturday, September 2nd from 12pm – 6pm



We'll use our Lake as the "SURF"



Kayak Races

Meet at Clubhouse Dock @ 4pm

Paddle Board Races

Meet at the Clubhouse Dock @4:15pm

Blow Up Raft Races

Meet at the DJ Booth @ 4:30pm

**No boogie boards or kick boards
No oars – hand & foot powered only**

Adults and Children Welcome

Please bring your own boat or board.

All participants should have their own raft for the race.

Medals will be awarded!

Life Guards will be on duty until 8pm!



We'll use our Beach as the "TURF"



Music, Games & Dancing
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EaZy Bubbles – Bubble Entertainer
Explore the mesmerizing world of bubbles!

Tie Dye Your Own LSC Tee from 2pm – 3pm
Plain White Lake Shawnee Club T-Shirts will be available for purchase
\$5 each - Adult & Children Sizes
Stations will be set up with Tie Dye Supplies
All children must be supervised by an adult

Raffles
50/50, Beer Basket and Basket of Cheer
All Tickets will be \$1 for 1 or \$5 for 10
All raffles will be called at 5:30pm.



No food or beverages will be supplied by the Social Committee. Come and enjoy the activities and grill your own!
Members and their guests are always welcomed!



Summary of Lake Shawnee Club Board Meeting July 7, 2017

It was reported that a swan was injured by a snapping turtle and brought to an avian wildlife refuge.

Mr. Wilsusen informed the Board of a donation made by friends of Al Gebhardt to fund a memorial bench in his honor. The Board decided to place the bench at Whites Cove.

The Social Committee reported about the recently held Pirate Day for kids at First Beach. Upcoming events include Karaoke on July 22nd, Community Drumming/Bonfire on July 28th, Ice Cream Socials, Kids Biathlon Friday, July 14th, and new Coffee and Crafts on Sunday mornings featuring Culture Cabin from Boonton. The Surf and Turf has been moved from Sunday to Saturday, Sept 2nd.

Mr. Keith reported that Solitude recently treated thirty acres. The lake is in good shape and has made a tremendous improvement after the tough spring.

Night Security is up and running through Labor Day.

It was reported that swim team began their season and currently have 1 loss and 1 win with 41 total swimmers. On July 10th, Lake Shawnee will host a Ribbon Meet, which should be a good fundraiser for the team.

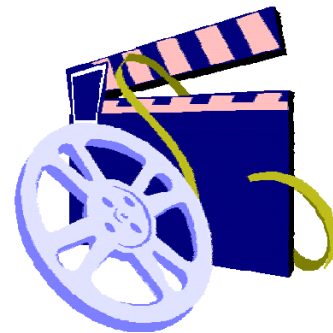
Improvements on Club properties include new light bulbs in the Clubhouse, picnic table supports repaired at First Beach by Mr. Wilsusen and Mr. Tom Hartnett, reflectors installed on the new parking lot fence, the three point lines were repainted on the basketball court at Second Beach by Mr. Beyel, new fan installed in the Snack Shack by Mr. Matrisciano, and Mr. Gazdalski and Mr. Rich Vassallo repaired the sinking stone pad at the Snack Shack, as well.

Baby Sitter List

Name	Age	Phone
Breanna Carman	14	479-8743
Jaclyn McConnon	16	5937
Madelyn McConnon *	19	5937
Tracey Munson +	15	862-432-8329
Kyra Sparks +	15	409-4998
Karly Wilsusen *	18	0596

* CPR Lifeguard certified

+ Red Cross certified



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Showing on the Big Screen –Moana!!
We'll pop the popcorn! Bring your own beverage,
chair and flashlight.
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adult.



The Snack Shack is trying to stay open, however due to lack of volunteers there will be days that we have to close.

We will be open Monday to Friday from 12 Noon to 3:00pm and alternate weekend days from 1:00pm to 4:00pm.

We are serving some light lunch items, snacks, candy, ice cream and soda and water.

Of course on bad weather days we will also be closed.

Please contact Lise Meisner at 973-663-4553 or lisemeisn@verizon.net if you can help.

Our Swim Team Seniors and their coaches



Ice Cream Social
August 1st and 8th

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Fishing Committee

Pete Lyden-Fishing Chairperson

The Lake Shawnee Club maintains an active & self sustaining fishing committee who organize all fishing contests on the lake and help to advise the Board of Governors on fish stocking, etc. All proceeds from contests and any purchase of optional fishing badges all go directly toward fishing committee activities. Even though we are a private lake all fisherman are required to obtain a NJ State Fishing License.

2017 Lake Shawnee Bass Fishing Contests:

Contests will run from 6:00AM-2:00PM with sign ups at Clubhouse (5:30AM). Weigh-in station and results following at 3rd Beach (*unless notified otherwise*).

Saturdays June 10, July 8, August 12, September 23, October 21

\$10 Members | \$15 Guests | \$5 Big Bass Pool

In addition to the Club's standing rules, boaters on Lake Shawnee must adhere and comply with all NJ State Boating regulations. NJ State Fishing License Required

End of the Year Banquet: November - Details Coming Soon

Please check out the Fishing tab, under Activities & Groups on the Lake Shawnee Website (lakeshawneeclub.org) for the latest information including contests results, standings and photos.



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