

August 26, 2021 Edition

## Activities for this Week

- **Friday 7pm Horseshoes** - Meet at the North end of the clubhouse for an evening of fun and good competition! 
- **Friday 7pm Texas Hold'em** - Anyone 18 years of age and older is welcome to play. There is a \$20 buy-in. Everyone is welcome to come try your luck and show off your poker face! 
- **Saturday Morning 50/50** - The 50/50 sellers will be going around. The proceeds fund our activities throughout the season. If you miss the sellers coming around, stop and see John on Michelle 21 for your tickets! Last week's winner was Mike & Amy Dailey. Also, the last 50/50 for the 2021 season will be on Labor Day Weekend, September 4th. 
- **Saturday 1pm Cornhole Tournament** We are having a cornhole tournament in the field by the clubhouse. Please make sure to sign up in the office by Friday the 27th. We will be selling hot dogs, hamburgers, and cheeseburgers from 2pm to 4pm. Stop by for the day play some cornhole or just stop by for a hot dog or burger. There will be no rain date so let's hope for nice weather. 
- **Saturday 7pm - Hayride:** Meet at the office. Parents are encouraged to join the fun with your children. Masks required to ride.
- **Sunday 6pm - Darts** - Come join in on the fun at the Clubhouse each Sunday evening! Please register at 5:45 so we can start promptly at 6pm. It will cost \$1 to play.
- **Monday 7pm - Adult Bingo** - Everyone must purchase an entry pack - Children must be accompanied by an adult - Daubers will be available for purchase - Come try your luck!
- **Tuesday 7pm Horseshoes** - Meet at the North end of the clubhouse for an evening of fun and good competition!

## Site Rent Pricing for 2022

We realize that during this Pandemic, we have all been impacted with inflated prices on most everything, this has made for difficult times for some. We are happy to announce that we have decide that there will be no increase in site rent pricing for the upcoming 2022 camping season.

## Happy Birthday Happy Birthday to:

- 8/30: Bev Jackson
- 8/30: Savannah Lavalley
- 8/31: Chelsey Boisvert
- 9/1: Karen Nolan



## Happy Anniversary Happy Anniversary this week to the following:

- 8/31: Carol & Bill Davies
- 8/31: Dodie & Jim Coyle



## Weekend Forecast

- **Friday** - Sunshine and clouds mixed. High 72F. Winds NNE at 5 to 10 mph.
- **Friday Night** - Mostly cloudy skies with a few showers late. Low 53F. Winds light and variable. Chance of rain 40%.
- **Saturday** - Mostly cloudy in the morning then periods of showers later in the day. High 71F. Winds ESE at 5 to 10 mph. Chance of rain 40%.
- **Saturday Night** - Cloudy with occasional showers. Low 58F. Winds light and variable. Chance of rain 40%.
- **Sunday** - Showers early then scattered thunderstorms developing later in the day. High 77F. Winds SSE at 5 to 10 mph. Chance of rain 40%.
- **Sunday Night** - A few showers in the evening with scattered thunderstorms arriving overnight. Low 63F. Winds light and variable. Chance of rain 40%.

## MID-SUMMER GOLF CART SPECIAL:

With the border being closed and the uncertainty of when it will reopen, we have had a lot of concerns about golf carts. We have come up with a plan to take care of your cart and put it back in storage (INSIDE):

- Checking air pressure in all tires and topping off as needed
- Checking fluid level in all batteries and topping off as needed
- Charging batteries and having ready for storage
- Rinse off carts of any dust
- Storing golf carts inside until May 1st 2022
- SPECIAL \$180 tax incl.
- Must be paid when signing contract



**THANK YOU!** - What a GREAT community we have here. It absolutely blows my mind how much people are willing to step up when needed. Just a few words of thanks go out to the following:

- **From the BHC Team, Gary & Caroline** - By now most of you know that Gary Lomber who is one of our mowers here at BHC, was injured while mowing a couple of weeks ago. We simply would like to thank the campers that assisted that day and/or stopped to check in on him.
- **To Cindy and her Volunteers** - for putting on such a great Glow Dance!
- **To Pete Visconti and his Volunteers as well as the Plattsburgh Rod & Gun Club** - for yet another great event here at BHC It was enjoyed by many!
- **From Holly Reyell** - I would like to personally thank everyone who took the time to send my Dad (Richard Flora) a card or note thanking him for his time in the service. He is off this Saturday and I know he will be truly touched by all of your thoughtful words of gratitude to him as I am. Thank you again from the bottom of my heart. Holly Reyell

### **July Meter Bills are now Overdue!**

Please stop by the office to settle up for the Summer Meter Reading. This Reading is usually read mid-July which covers any usage from the Opening Reading through this Summer Reading - minimum charges apply.



### **Lost & Found**

One thing that our community does REALLY well is look out for each other and their stuff. The lost and found is no different. People sometimes leave things behind or things fall off from a golf cart. When someone finds something out of place, it often gets turned into the office to be claimed. If it is something of value, it will often find itself on our Facebook page, otherwise, we keep items that get turned into the office. We have everything from sweatshirts, to jewelry, to ear buds, and even some squirt guns! Feel free to stop by and claim what's yours!

### **Newsletter Content**

Have an interesting story to tell? Do you have a recent or soon to be Graduate to celebrate? Any Birthdays? E-mail [tm@plattsburghrvstore.com](mailto:tm@plattsburghrvstore.com) to have it included in future editions!

### **Update for our Canadian Families!**

WE STILL MISS YOU! Not a day goes by without our Blue Haven Community miss you! Every day without each of you is ONE day closer to when we will see you again! STAY SAFE!

**Upcoming Activities:** Here is a preliminary list of upcoming activities, with more details coming in future newsletters:

#### • **Labor Day Weekend:**

- **Cardboard Boat Races** - Cancelled due to lack of interest - nobody signed up.
- **September 4** - Kids Super Bingo
- **September 4** - Labor Day Festival
- **September 5** - "Take-a-Shot" Poker Run
- **September 5** - Labor Day Dance 7pm - 11pm with the Band **Just-Us**

### **Welcome New Campers!**

As previously reported, Camping is still at an all-time high. We can see this in our reservations as well as our seasonal numbers. While there has been a lot of moving around and a few people leaving the campground, as of now, we only have FOUR seasonal sites available to rent! On behalf of our Blue Haven staff and families, please join us in welcoming to our Blue Haven Community the following folks who have joined our family:

- Adam Watson - Riverside 24
- Brad McDonald - Michelle 19
- Carl Monette - Autumn 5
- David & Tara Lawrence - Hillside 36
- Derek Glaude - Michelle 24
- Doug Evens - Maple 18
- Gerald & Tammy Baker - Riverside 35
- Jack Boland - Cedar 2
- John & Nina Kelly - Maple 12
- Josh Friedrich - Spruce 9
- Justin Russell - Pinewood 14
- Kayla Spiegel - Autumn 19
- Ken & Denise Mosher - Hillside 16
- Matthew Lawrence - Michelle 1
- Nathan Dickinson - Lakeside 10
- Stephanie Warren - Willow 10
- Terri Welch - Spring 4
- Terry Quirk - Maple 1 (Welcome BACK!)
- Theresa Chase - Pinewood 17
- Tricia Ryan - Riverside 12
- William Gadway - Willow 17
- William Myers - Michelle 15
- William Price - Riverside 23

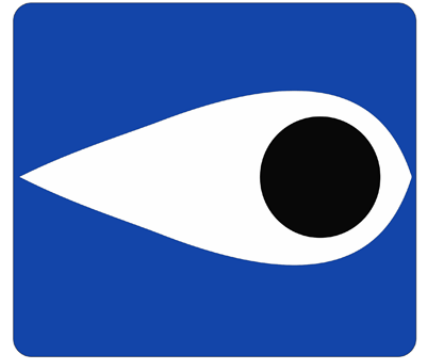


## Neighborhood Site Watch:

We are fortunate that this is NOT simply a campground, but a thriving Community. Please keep in mind some of the following and PLEASE share these with your younger Community Members:

- Please be respectful to other camper's sites:
  - Do not pass through someone else's site while walking, biking, with a golf cart.
  - Do not park on other's sites
- Please help out by keeping an eye on other sites and campers for other families while they are not here. If you see anything unusual around their site such as an open door, window, or storage shed, Please let the office know.
- If you see someone around a site you feel shouldn't be there, call the office so we can handle the issue.
- If you see something - Say ay something. This will only strengthen our Community while making families know they are safe while they are in the park and that their belongings are safe when they are not here.

# NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH



WE LOOK OUT FOR EACH OTHER

## Updates from Previous Events:

- **Monday Night Adult Bingo** - Another small crowd this week, but it is indeed an night out! Thank you to all who ventured out! Next week, on Monday August 30th will be the last Adult Bingo of the year. Hopefully the border will open up and things will get back to normal! The big winners this week were Amanda Sears and Cathy Boulerice. See you all on Monday Thanks Again, Cindy
- **Biathlon** - Congratulations to our Biathlon winners. Judging by the pictures, it looks like a great time was had by all. It was a HOT day for running around, but a fun event overall! Thank you to the Plattsburgh Rod and Gun Club for their support. Our winners break down as follows:

- Ages 12 to 16 ranked as follows:

- **Kaelyn Rentas**  
Scored 12:04
- **Foster Wood**  
Scored 12:26
- **Miles Cummings**  
Scored 15:09



- Ages 40 to 99 ranked as follows:

- **Karen Visconti**  
Scored 17:00
- **Ian Dunbar**  
Scored 20:00
- **Rich Kiroy**  
Scored 20:05



- Ages 17 to 39 ranked as follows:

- **Joel Mitchell**  
Scored 8:30  
Overall Winner
- **Andrew**  
Scored 17:25



## Blue Haven Campground Policy Reminder:

We have a lot of new families in the park this season. We want to remind everyone of a few of our policies here within the park. These guidelines have been set to ensure the **SAFETY** and **ENJOYMENT** of **ALL** of our guests while at Blue Haven. We all need to follow them and here are just a few reminders:

**GOLF CART POLICY** - Operating Golf Carts in the Campground is a **PRIVILEGE**.

- Absolutely no gas powered golf carts, only electric powered are permitted.
- One cart is allowed per site and it must be registered with the Campground.
- You will be assigned a cart number and you must display that number as follows:
  - Numbers must be at least 3" high in a contrasting color
  - Displayed on two opposite sides (front/back OR side/side)
- There is a \$45 annual registration fee.
- Speed limit within the park is 5MPH for ALL vehicles, cars, golf carts, and bicycles.
- Golf Carts **MUST** be limited to the number of passengers the cart is designed to carry.
- **NO ONE UNDER 16 YEARS OF AGE ARE ALLOWED TO DRIVE THE CART**
- Golf Cart Chargers draw a significant amount of power, so please unplug your chargers when not in use, and especially in high electric use times.
- Golf Carts **MUST** have headlights and tail lights to operate at night.

For those who do not follow the guidelines above. We will take action(s) as necessary:

- 1st Offense: A warning will be issued.
- 2nd Offense: The Golf Cart will be grounded to your site for one (1) month.
- 3rd Offense: The Golf Cart will need to be removed from the Campground.
- **NO EXCEPTIONS**

Our team will be making sure that everyone is following the rules.

For more information, please refer to page 22 of the Policy Handbook.

## Pet Guideline Reminder:

Pets must be kept quiet, confined, tethered, cleaned up after, and leashed at all times when on your site or when walking the grounds.



## What makes Blue Haven so Special?

What **DOES** make Blue Haven so special? I envision that there are **MANY** answers to this question. I always rely on what I continue to hear and witness throughout the Campground:

- **Booming Industry** - Outdoor recreation has **REALLY** taken off everywhere and camping is now more popular than ever. Although we are missing many Canadian families, our seasonal site rentals are up considerably.
- **Natural Beauty** - We are nestled into Northern New York, just outside the Adirondack Park. With the campground situated between Lake Roxanne to the East and the "Falls" to the West, the North Branch of the Great Chazy River connects the two as it meanders it's way through the park. Not to mention the local wildlife seen occasionally within the park!
- **Community** - A community is a bunch of people who share similar interests and the strength of the connections among them giving a sense of belonging. How better to describe what has been built here than that?
- **Volunteerism** - This has always been a part of the culture of Blue Haven and can be seen most recently in the coming together of Volunteers to organize successful activities this season!
- **Friendly Faces** - Going for a walk or golf cart ride around the park is not just about the walk or the ride. It is about saying hello to neighbors, sharing a friendly smile with a new guest, or even a simple gesture of a wave!
- **Memories** - Memories are made here every day by both the young and the young-at-heart.
- **Traditions** - We have several families that have camped here for generations and now the kids of yesterday are now the adults of today!

## Bicycle Safety Within the Park:

We have some pretty basic guidelines for bikes within the park for the safety of **EVERYONE**, please make sure everyone on your site is aware of these guidelines as it is you who is ultimately responsible. This includes visitors to your site even for a day!

- New York State Vehicle and Traffic Laws apply within the park. This includes, but not limited to, riding on the right side of the road
- Everyone 14 and under must wear a helmet.
- You must obey the stop signs.
- 5 MPH Speed limit also applies!
- No riding after dark unless you have a fixed headlight.
- For your own safety, please don't follow too close to moving vehicles (i.e. Cars, trucks, hay wagon).

