

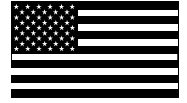
GREENWOOD ACRES FAMILY CAMPGROUND

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THE HAPPY CAMPER



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June 4, 2010

GREENWOOD ACRES EVENTS

Friday, June 4, 2010

9:00 Euchre - Beach House - Register in advance at 8:45

Saturday, June 5, 2010

10:00 Kid's Arts & Crafts - 3rd Street Clubhouse

12:00 Kid's Fishing Contest - Fishing Pier behind the Café

3:00 Line Dancing Lessons - Boat Dock Pavilion

7:00 Bunco - Beach House - Register in advance at 6:45 - Bring a \$1 item for special prizes

8:00 Karaoke - Boat Dock Pavilion

Sunday, June 6, 2010

9:00 Golf Scramble - Golf Course open only to those in the scramble.

12:30 Pinochle - Beach House - Register in advance at 12:15

FUTURE EVENTS

June 11 & 12 - Race Weekend - (Friday) DJ, (Saturday) Kid's Billiards, Scavenger Hunt, Dance

June 19 - Pancake Breakfast, Pet Contest, All About Me Parade, Brown Bag Bingo

June 26 - Sandcastle Building, Poker Run

July 3 - GWA celebrates 4th of July - Hot Dog Sales, Horseshoe Tournament, Fireworks, Dance

July 4 - 4th of July Parade, Polish Dinner

July 10 - On-Lot Yard Sales, Kite Flying, Brown Bag Bingo, Flower Power and 60's Celebration, DJ

July 17 - Sandcastle Building, Poker Run, Elvis Tribute

July 23 & 24 - GWA celebrates Christmas - (Friday) Christmas Caroling, (Saturday) Prize Drawing, Dance, Parade of Lights

July 31 - Tropical Weekend

August 7 - GWA celebrates Halloween - Costume Sales, Kid's Carnival, Trick or Treating, Haunted Woods

August 13 & 14 - Race Weekend - (Friday) DJ, (Saturday) Billiards, Craft Show, Brown Bag Bingo, Dance

August 21 - Walk for Cancer, Candlelight Vigil, Poker Run, Pine Meadow Farms

August 28 - Staff and Volunteer Party
September 4 - On-Lot Yard Sales, Horseshoe Tournament, Noise Parade, Dance

September 5 - Labor Day Parade, Poker Run, Prize Drawing, Dance

PLEASE NOTE: Events are subject to change without notice.

DON'T FORGET...

This Saturday at noon the township will be testing the outdoor warning siren. The siren test will sound for 1-1/2 minutes.

This is a test only. In the event of a real situation, the siren will sound for 3 minutes.

FOR YOUR CONVENIENCE

Since next weekend is a race weekend, the Portage Road entrance will be opened on Friday for seasonal campers. This will eliminate congestion at the front gate.

GWA COOKBOOKS

The long awaited GWA cookbooks are now available. The cost is \$10 per book and all proceeds go to the ACS. To get your copy see Ronelle 32 Lake Landing, Nancy 39 on 7 or Christie 43 on 12.

CANS FOR CANCER

If you're tired of taking cans/bottles to the store or storing them in your shed, donate them to "Cans for Cancer." Containers are located at 27 on 3 and throughout GWA. Please note: do not put trash, garbage or other debris in these clearly marked cans. Volunteers needed.

I.C.E.

In Case of Emergency, call 911 and be sure to tell them you are at Greenwood Acres

Campground then give them your lot and street number. Contact the front gate immediately and let them know assistance is on the way.

CAMPFIRE SAFETY

Fires permitted only within the fire-ring and one adult must be present at all times. Do not leave unattended. Douse with water before leaving the area because embers will stay hot for several hours afterwards.

FLAG DISPOSAL

To dispose of old and worn flags, please see Bill at 7 on 12 for the proper protocol. Disposal is no charge. You can also email retiredbill@sbcglobal.net if you are interested in a new flag. Pricing will depend on the size of the flag.

SERVICE PROVIDERS LISTING

A listing of GWA service providers is being assembled for your convenience. If you want your service to be included, drop off the info at 32 Oak no later than June 12. Please Note: This listing is for services only and for GWA campers only. This listing is a one-time publication and will not be updated until next year.

GOLF CARTS

Driving a golf cart in the campground is a privilege. With over 600 carts in the campground, everyone needs to obey the 10 mph and stop signs. You must be 25 years old and the number of passengers must not exceed the number of seats. Children should not be sitting on your lap or steering while you are driving. In essence, use the same common sense when driving any motorized vehicle. Golf carts must have the "10" white/purple sticker to be driven.

ACTIVITY PLANNERS

There are lots of activities this camping season. At times, events will run into each other or they may over-lap. We hope to avoid some conflicts by advance planning. If you are planning a GWA activity, please see Krystal Wolfinger for both adult and kids activities. You can email: kwolfinger05@gmail.com

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

So far, this year there are two new events scheduled:

"All About Me Parade" - This unique parade is your opportunity to decorate your golf cart to fit your personality. Music, sports, butterflies or whatever tells us all about you! The parade is scheduled for June 19 at 3pm. For more details, see Ramona or Darryl at 19 Hilton. This is family event and should be done with fun and in good taste.

"Celebrate The 60's and Flower Power" - This event will commemorate the 40th anniversary of the Goose Lake Music Festival. Get out your tie-dyed clothes, love beads and flower power. There will be music, golf cart decorating and music trivia. This event is scheduled for July 10. More details to follow.

BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND

More details will become available as we get closer to these events:

On-Lot Yard Sales scheduled dates are July 10 and September 4. If you are going to be participating, please drop off your lot address at 32 Oak to have it published the weekend of the sales.

Golf Cart Parade of Lights is scheduled for July 24. Decorate your golf cart and parade around GWA. Create your own theme. More details to follow.

Stuffed Animals and Volunteers are needed for the Kid's Carnival. See Krystal Wolfinger or Donna at 46 on. 11.

NOTES FROM THE OFFICE

If you are having mail delivered to GWA, please make sure your name, lot and street are included in the address. Also, make sure you have a mailbox on your site.

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The Speed Limit is 10 MPH. This also applies to golf carts and bikes.

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Even though bikes are not allowed out after dark, please be sure to have reflectors on them.

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No golf carts out after midnight. Also, golf carts **must** have lights after dark.

BOATING/FISHING ON GOOSE LAKE

Although Goose Lake is a private lake with no public access, the Department of Environmental Quality makes visits to make sure boating and fishing regulations are being observed.

- You need a valid Michigan Fishing License to fish on Goose Lake. Make sure your kids know and obey the fishing rules and regulations.
- Make sure your boating license is current and have a copy of the registration while operating your boat.
- Stay within the boat's weight & person capacity and have enough life saving devices on board.
- There is no fishing from the lake front lots or boat docks along the coastal edge.

CAMPERS DIRECTORY

If you want to be added to or change your current info in the Campers Directory, fill out one of the forms in the 32 Oak mailbox. This is voluntary and not a part of the official GWA records. The directories will not be until available Labor Day weekend.

ATTENTION MOTORCYCLISTS

Motorcycles are not permitted within the campground. Please see the Office for special parking

...AND THE WINNER IS...

Poker Run:
1st - Brandon Rittenberry
2nd - Gene and Claudia
3rd - Mike and Brenda
Mardi Grad 50/50
Vic Wahls

PROPANE AVAILABLE AT GWA

Pumped daily at 1pm. Must pre-pay at the front gate. Name and site info must be on the tank. Rates are:
20# - \$17
30# - \$24
40# - \$31

100# - \$73 plus \$7 for delivery
Motor Homes - \$3.00 per gallon

FYI

The Office hours:
Daily 10am-4pm
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The Rec Center hours:
Mon, Wed, Thurs - 3pm-9pm
Friday - 3pm-11pm
Saturday - Noon-11pm
Sunday - 12pm-7pm
Closed Tuesday
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The Goose Lake Store hours:
Monday thru Thursday - 10am-6pm
Friday - 10am-10pm
Saturday - 8am-10pm
Sunday - 8am-4pm
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The Boat Dock Grill hours:
Open Daily. Check restaurant for hours
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Pool Hours:
Daily - 10am-9pm
Adult Only swim from 3pm-4pm.
All hours are subject to change

THANK YOU...THANK YOU

Thanks to everyone to who took part in the Mardi Gras, Memorial Day and Noise Parades. Everybody looked great!
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In general, thanks to all who helped made this a great opening Memorial Weekend!

CAMPER'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

HAPPY BIRTHDAY CONGRATULATIONS

"Congrats to Justin Croft on graduating from HFCC! Love, Mom, Fred, Grandma, Grandpa and all your GWA friends!"
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JOKE OF THE WEEK

Q. What do you call a sheep that does karate?
A. A Lamb Chop!

EDITOR'S CORNER

To have something published in this newsletter put the info in the mailbox at 32 Oak (deadline 3pm Sunday) or e-mail thehappycampers@comcast.net (deadline 5pm Tuesday).