



## GREENWOOD ACRES FAMILY CAMPGROUND

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**ISSUE: #16 WEEKLY NEWSLETTER Friday, September 8<sup>th</sup> 2017**

**Total amount raised for the American Cancer Society, St. Jude Children's Research Hospital and Humane Society this 2017 Season \$30,935.49 WOW!**

Thank you GWA Campers. We couldn't have done this without your support and dedication! The following is a list of events that raised the proceeds for American Cancer Society, Cans for Cancer/Kids and the Humane Society.

Golf Cart Drawing (2)	\$8,065.00
3 Mile Cancer Walk	\$5,200.00
Dance 50/50	\$3,992.00
Labor Day Drawing	\$3,438.00
Cans	\$3,113.20
Kids Carnival	\$1,378.00
Haunted Forest	\$967.50
Corn Hole Tournaments	\$805.00
Brick Fundraiser	\$800.00
Poker Runs	\$450.00
Hot Dog Sales	\$442.00
Hawaiian Weekend	\$421.00
Golf Scrambles	\$400.00
Candle Light Vigil	\$322.00
Bunco	\$311.79
Peacock Feathers	\$300.00
Horseshoe Tournaments	\$265.00
Craft Show 50/50	\$152.00
Golf Cart Rallies	\$70.00
Private donations	\$ 43.00

**Grand Total \$30,935.49**

### Labor Day Prize Winners List:

\$700 off 2018 lot rent: Ken McKelvey 56 on 12<sup>th</sup> Street  
\$500 off 2018 lot rent: Deb Abdo 20 on 24<sup>th</sup> Street  
\$200 off 2018 lot rent: Deb Leatherman 38 on 5<sup>th</sup> Street  
\$100 Wal-Mart Gift Card: Marie 16 on Canal  
\$100 Meijer Gift Card: Rich & Val 3 on Hillside  
\$100 Speedway Gift Card #1: Pam 67 on 7<sup>th</sup> Street  
\$100 Home Depot Gift Card: Velter 7 on 7<sup>th</sup> Street  
\$100 Lowes Gift Card: George & Theresa 14 on 11<sup>th</sup> Street  
\$100 Speedway Gift Card #2: Sandberg 14 on Oak

**Thank you from Frank & John!** We would like to thank everyone who helped sell the Labor Day tickets & to those who came together for Frank & I with helping at the Labor Day project.

### ACTIVITIES & EVENTS

#### Friday, September 8<sup>th</sup> 2017

**7pm-** Family Movie Night  
Smurfs -the lost village @ 3<sup>rd</sup> Street Clubhouse.

**8:30pm-** Euchre: Beach  
House register in advance @  
8:15pm.

#### Saturday, September 9<sup>th</sup> 2017

**10am-** Kid's Arts & Crafts @  
3<sup>rd</sup> street clubhouse.

**12pm-5pm** Golf Scramble  
Outing @ 3<sup>rd</sup> Street Clubhouse.

**1pm-** Kid's Dodgeball, meet at  
the tennis courts to play.

**3pm-** Kid's Miniature Golf,  
please bring your own putter.  
We only have a few on hand.

**5pm-** Kids Fishing Contest.  
Meet at the café pavilion.

**7pm-** Bunco @ the Beach  
House, sign up in advance w/  
Audrey at 6:45pm.

**7pm to 11pm** Band "Van  
Rives" @ the Rec Center  
Pavilion & 50/50 drawing.

#### Sunday, September 10<sup>th</sup> 2017

**9am-** Golf Scramble. Meet at  
the first tee. The course is only  
open to those in the scramble  
until noon.

**12pm-** Pinochle @ the Beach  
House, sign-up in advance w/  
Audrey by 11:45am.

### Fall Camping

Information sheet for  
seasonal campers is  
available at the front gate  
or at the office. Remember  
to pick up your copy.

**Each week**, kid's  
activities will be added to  
the schedule. Check the  
website weekly for these  
updates! Please note  
events are subject to  
change without notice & or  
weather permitting. Thank  
you for Camping with us at  
Greenwood Acres Family  
Campground.

**2017 Fall Activity  
Sheet** will be available  
next week. Continue to  
check the website for up to  
date information.

**Detroit Fall Camper & RV Show @**  
Suburban Showplace in Novi on  
October 4<sup>th</sup> thru October 8<sup>th</sup>.  
GWA will be at booth #21 stop by  
and say hello!





Please note: **Last day to get your brick is Sunday, September 10<sup>th</sup> 2017 there will not be another extension to this fundraiser.**

**Brick Fundraiser:** Greenwood Acres Family Campground is inviting everyone who would like to participate, the opportunity to support and share in this special project. **The engraved bricks will be displayed at the Rec Center Pavilion** and become a permanent fixture to Greenwood Acres Family Campground. You can have a brick honoring your family, friend, pet, business or special loved one. These engraved bricks will be a lifelong tribute to each and every supporter who buys a brick. (View our current beautiful display at the rec. center pavilion). **Proceeds go to the American Cancer Society.** Each engraved brick is \$40.00. This includes the brick, engraving, paint, sealant, installation, shipping, tax and small art work if you desire. **Contact Nancy Mueller** (313) 399-3210 or you may place your order directly with **Cut In Stone** by visiting their website at: [www.cutinstone.biz](http://www.cutinstone.biz) **Last day to get your brick is Sunday, September 10<sup>th</sup> 2017**

**(2) Golf Cart Drawing Winning ticket #0153 was pulled on Saturday, September 2<sup>nd</sup>. Congratulations Amber Daniels 33 on 5<sup>th</sup> street.**

**Congratulations to the ALL ABOUT ME PARADE golf cart decoration winners...**

**1<sup>st</sup> Place Winner, #4 Duckie Bike won a \$25 gift card & a Trophy w/a years' worth of bragging rights. 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Winner, #3 Happy Cart ~ 3<sup>rd</sup> Place Winner, #2 Flower Cart.** Thank you so much to all the adults and children who participated in the Parade. It's fun to see the creativity that not only kids, but adults also put into it and making this event so special. Our gratitude also goes out to those who showed up to watch the event; a parade isn't complete without a crowd to cheer you on. We couldn't have done it without each and every one of you. I hope that you were left with a memory of enjoyment that everyone displayed. We look forward to next year's event and can't wait to see what you'll come up with next. Thanks for sharing your talent with us. Darryl & Ramona Ruffin.

**After many years of service, the Miniature Train has retired.** He will be spending his retirement at the **Grass Lake Lost Railway Museum.** You may visit him there next summer or fall after he has his complete makeover. Bye, Bye mini train we will miss you. We will miss the fun you provided to the kids here at Greenwood Acres. In the meantime we are making plans for some more fun features here at Greenwood Acres Family Campground.

**Greenwood Acres is working with Skyweb Network who has installed a new Wi-Fi system throughout the park.** If you have a booster for Wi-Fi, please disconnect it as it may interfere with the reception for the people around you. Connect to **Greenwood Acres Public.** Checking email, shopping and Facebook are available at no cost. If you wish to stream movies, sports or YouTube videos, you will need the optional paid subscription.

**Jumping Pillow Hours:** (Weather Permitting) **Friday** 3pm to 6pm, **Saturday** 12pm to 6pm, **Sunday** 12pm to 3pm \*Socks and a shirt must be worn while on the pillow. Bathing suits are not allowed to be worn on the pillow. **Please follow all posted rules.** Socks can be purchased for \$1 at the Jumping Pillow. All bikes must be parked in the bike racks and all golf carts/vehicles are asked to park by Rec Center parking area.

~Happy Fall Birthdays~

Happy Birthday to **Bridget Gooch**, September 11<sup>th</sup>, from your co-workers @ GWA  
 September 20<sup>th</sup> ~ Happy Birthday, **Desirae Daugherty**, from your co-workers @ GWA  
 September 21<sup>st</sup> ~ Happy Birthday **Dave Erickson**, Love, your loving wife Sharon  
 September 24<sup>th</sup> ~ Happy 16<sup>th</sup> Birthday, **Roger Hayward!** Love you so much Rog, Mom  
 September 28<sup>th</sup> ~ Happy Birthday, **Alaina Hood!** Love you, Mom & Dad  
 September 29<sup>th</sup>, Happy Birthday **Michele Wolfinger**, from your co-workers @ GWA  
 October 8<sup>th</sup> ~ Happy Birthday **Nolan Kinchsular**, Love your friends at GWA  
 November 11<sup>th</sup> ~ Happy Birthday **Kyndle Wolfinger**, Love Mom, Dad & Ryan

**GWA Sweatshirts & Tee-Shirts** will be available for purchase @ the Rec Center. **Mondays** 9am to 2pm ~ **Tuesdays** 9am to 5pm ~ **Wednesdays** 9am to 5pm ~ **Thursdays** 9am to 5pm ~ **Fridays** 2pm to 5pm ~ **Saturdays** 11am to 6pm. Hoodies \$25, Long Sleeve Tee-Shirts \$15 and Tee-Shirts \$12. We have a variety of sizes from toddler to adults. Size 2xl and larger are \$3 more. **We also have Personalized Can Coozies \$2, Water bottles \$3 and backpacks \$5 available see, Linda or Bridget for more information.**





**FUTURE EVENTS:** please note more events will be added as they become finalized. Events are subject to change without notice & or weather permitting. **Golf Scrambles & Pinochle are every Sunday but are not listed below.**

**Friday, September 15<sup>th</sup>:** **Fall Fest Begins**, Kids Candy Bar, Bingo, Euchre

**Saturday, September 16<sup>th</sup>:** Arts & Crafts, Kid Activities, **Fall Community Picnic**, Laser Tag, Bunco, Hay Wagon Rides, Band "Alibi"

**Friday, September 22<sup>nd</sup>:** Family Movie Night, Euchre

**Saturday, September 23<sup>rd</sup>:** Arts & Crafts, **Fall Soup Contest**, Hay Wagon Rides, Bunco, Band "Fools of Faith"

**Friday, September 29<sup>th</sup>:** Kids Candy Bar Bingo, Euchre

**Saturday, September 30<sup>th</sup>:** Arts & Crafts, Kids Activities, **Chamberlin Petting Zoo**, Hay Wagon Rides, Band "Dixie Mafia"

**October:** Reserve your site early for our spooky Halloween weekends.

**Friday, October 6<sup>th</sup>:** **Halloween Weekend "Kick Off"** Kids Candy Bar Bingo, Euchre

**Saturday, October 7<sup>th</sup>:** Arts & Crafts, **Trick or Treating**, Hay Wagon rides, Wrap the Mummy Contest, Band "Van Rives"

**Friday, October 13<sup>th</sup>:** **"Spooky Weekend"** Kids Spooky Moonlight Golf, Euchre

**Saturday, October 14<sup>th</sup>:** Arts & Crafts, Pie eating Contest, Kid Activities, **Trick or Treating**, Hay Wagon Rides, Band "Sucker Punch"

**Friday, October 20<sup>th</sup>:** **"Happy Haunting Weekend"** Family Movie Night

**Saturday, October 21<sup>st</sup>:** Pumpkin Painting, Kid Activities, **Trick or Treating**, Wrap the Mummy, Hay Wagon Rides, Band "Fools of Faith"

**Friday, October 27<sup>th</sup>:** **"Final Weekend"** Family Movie Night

**Saturday, October 28<sup>th</sup>:** Arts & Crafts, **Trick or Treating**, Pumpkin Carving Contest, **Adult Costume Contest**, Band "Still Runnin"

**Tuesday, October 31<sup>st</sup>:** Happy Halloween! Campground Closes at 4pm.



**Campfire Safety:** Fires are permitted only within the fire rings. An adult must be present at all times. Do not leave the fire unattended. **Douse with water before leaving the area because embers will stay hot for several hours afterwards.**

**Campfire Wood** can be purchased at the **C & B General Store** or from the Gatehouse after the store has closed. For larger loads of wood, contact **King Kut** - Bill (517) 812-2455 or Jared 517-990-4870, or new vendor **Dave's Firewood** ~ Dave (517) 536-4141 **\*No other outside wood or vendors** are allowed without prior permission from the GWA office.

**\* The Speed Limit is 10mph. Stop at all Stop signs.** This also applies to golf carts & bikes. Please take some time to inform your family & your guests of the campground rules for everyone's safety & camping enjoyment. Please remember there is no riding on the tailgate or the back of trucks. No bike riding after dark.

**QUIET TIME** is 11 pm to 8 am for everyone. - After 11 pm, no radios or loud conversations.







**John from Golf Carts Plus** in Belleville who is an authorized Club Car dealer is here for his **16th year!** He is here during the season on Saturdays to offer carts for sale, parts, accessories, & service to his customers here at GWA. If you purchase a cart from him, there is free delivery on Saturdays during the regular season. [www.golfcartsplus.com](http://www.golfcartsplus.com) or call John at (734) 397-5667.

**Leisure Golf Carts** offers on-site golf cart rentals! Basic carts and Deluxe 4 Passenger carts are available for daily or weekly rates. Leisure Golf Carts can accommodate & add convenience to your family stay! Call John for reservations at (517) 740-5129.

**Golf Cart Outfitter** offers, sales, parts and accessories for used golf carts. Call **Craig Arver** at (517) 879-5181 or email Craig @ [golfcartoutfitter@gmail.com](mailto:golfcartoutfitter@gmail.com)

**Golf Carts:** All golf carts must be registered with the GWA office and must have the **2017 sticker** with your lot number and street name printed on it. **Your current sticker must be affixed to the front of your golf cart to keep your cart in the campground.** If your cart is not working, please fix it or remove it from the campground. If you need a current sticker, please bring your payment and a copy of your liability insurance to the GWA office.

**Amber & Dee's Café:** Amber Tripp & Dee McKinney (517) 435-9493 **Hours:** Sat. 9am - 10pm, Sun. 9am - 8pm.  
**Please note:** Café last day open is Sunday, September 10<sup>th</sup>.

**C & B General Store Hours:** Carol & Bill Pudlik (*The General Store is located by the beach area*). **"Cash Only"**  
**Hours:** Mon. - Thurs. 9 am - 6 pm, Fri. & Sat. 9 am - 10 pm, Sun. 9 am - 5 pm. **Note:** Last Day open is September 17<sup>th</sup>.  
Buy your fishing bait and \$5-firewood bundles here! Blue Streak toilet cleaning system is now available. **For your golfing convenience**, Bill (store proprietor), has sets of clubs with a pull cart in both left hand and right hand clubs for **\$10 per day**. Inquire inside C & B General Store by the beach during store hours. **Soft Serve Ice Cream:** Served in a cone or a cup for \$2 each. Flavors available are Vanilla, Chocolate and Twist. The Store also has Hershey & Good Humor Novelty Ice Cream available.



**For your convenience there are ATMs located inside the general store and inside the Rec. Center.**

**Recreation Center:** Amber Tripp (517) 740-2979 **Hours:** Fri. 4 pm-9 pm, Sat. 12 pm-9 pm, Sun. 12 pm- 5 pm. **Inside the Rec Center** you will find novelty ice creams, pool tables, arcade games, skeet ball, board games, air hockey, even adult (**only**) Diamond Skill games; for a chance to win an American Express gift card.

**Office Hours:** Open every day, 8am - 8pm **Phone:** (517) 522-8600  
**Thank you for choosing Greenwood Acres Family Campground!**

**Pool Hours:** Is now **closed** for the 2017 season

**Kinch's Kayak Rentals:** Is now **closed** for the 2017 season

**Propane Sales at GWA:** 1 pm daily. **Please pay in advance at the Gate House.**  
All tanks have a \$3.00 fill fee that is included in the price. Pick-up and Delivery is \$10.00 per tank.

- 20 lb. Tank = \$19.00 • 30 lb. Tank = \$27.00 • 40 lb. Tank = \$35.00
- 100 lb. Tank = \$83.00 total fill plus \$10.00 pickup and delivery
- 100 lb. Tank for partial fill = pay .80 cents per pound after fill, pickup and delivery is \$10.00
  - Motor Homes \$3.75 gallon

**I.C.E. In case of Emergency, Call 911** make sure to tell them, you are @ Greenwood Acres Campground 2401 Hilton Rd. Jackson, MI 49201 then give them your site number & street. Contact the Front Gate immediately & let them know your street & lot number so patrol can show emergency personnel the shortest route to your campsite.

