

ACTIVITIES & EVENTS

Friday, August 9th

7pm- Pallet Painting @ the 3rd Street Clubhouse. See article on page 1

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

Saturday, August 10th

10am- 2pm Craft Show @ the Rec Center Pavilion

10am- Kids Arts & Crafts at the 3rd Street Clubhouse

1pm- Kids Sand Castle Building Contest at the Beach Pavilion

2pm- Candle Light Vigil Bags for sale @ the Beach House. See article on page 1

4pm- Kids Volleyball. Meet by the Beach House to play.

6pm- 3- Mile Cancer Walk, see article on page 1

6pm- Bunco @ the Beach house. Register in advance at 5:45pm

7pm- Band "Half Moon" @ the Rec Center Pavilion

8:15pm- Candle Light Vigil on the Beach behind the beach house, see article on page 1 for more information

Sunday, August 11th

9am- Golf Scramble, sign up before 9am with Mick at the golf course pavilion

10am- Pinochle @ the Beach house, sign-up in advance by 9:45am with Audrey

Monday, August 12th 2019

Fire Keepers Casino Bus Trip, see article on page 1

If you would like to donate food for the Peacocks please drop it off at the front gate. Thank you!

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WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

Friday, August 9, 2019

"Camp for a Cure Weekend"

Pallet Painting @ 7pm on Friday, August 9th at the 3rd Street Clubhouse with Krystal from Pallets by Design. If you would like to sign up, following these steps listed below.

Log onto Pallet by design: <http://www.palletsbydesign.net>

1. Go to the main menu, click on events.
2. Select wood signs.
3. Scroll through all the signs and pick which one you would like to do by clicking on it.
4. In the party date section scroll down to Greenwood Acres, August 9th.
5. After you finish that add it to your cart and check out. After check out your spot is reserved.

Craft Show on Saturday, August 10th at 10am to 2pm at the Rec Pavilion. Come out and support your GWA crafters! Along with handcrafted products, there will be hourly 50/50 drawings. Crafters please note: All crafts should be handmade. **To reserve a table, see John Gibbs at 19 on 23rd street or call John @ (734) 658-9833 or you may contact John by email @ gibby459@yahoo.com** please include your name, phone number, Email address, your street & lot number.

11th Annual 3 Mile Cancer Walk: On Saturday, August 10th @ 6pm. If you're not familiar with the walk, we would like to welcome you to join us on the 10th at the Beach House. The walk will start and end here. "You can walk or ride" the walk will take place before the candle light vigil. All proceeds go to the ACS. **To make a pledge or to buy a shirt for \$5.00 while supplies last, see Kevin or Tina at lot 6 on 12th Street, the front gate or at the General Store.** We are having a 50/50 drawing on August 10th following the 3 Mile walk. You can get tickets from 23 on 27th, 6 on 12th, 42 on 12th, 60 on 12th, 64 on 12th. All Cancer survivors please see Tina and Kevin 6 on 12th for a special survivor shirt.

Candle Light Vigil: Saturday, August 10th @ 8:15pm on the Beach. Bags & Candles are \$2 and can be purchased from Nancy Mueller during the week and on Saturday Becky Toth will be at the beach house starting at 2pm until the walk starts at 6pm. You put the name of someone in honor, which has been touched by cancer on your bag. We place the bags on the beach to honor those who have been touched by Cancer, whether they have lost the battle, are fighting or have won the battle. All proceeds go to American Cancer Society.

Fire Keepers Casino Bus Trip is Monday, August 12th. The bus leaves right at 10am sharp, no exceptions. Those attending please bring \$1 with your name on it for a chance to win more money on the bus. The bus will return to GWA @ 4pm.

Kids Carnival and costume sale raised \$1,555.00 for St. Jude Children's Research Hospital. The Carnival was a huge success and enjoyed by all who attended. A special thank you goes out to **all** of the volunteers and staff that showed up to help setup and run the Carnival in my absence. Without all of you this event would not have taken place or been so successful. All of your hard work was much appreciated. Thank you, Linda Hayward.

Hot Dog Sales at the Carnival raised \$464.00 for Cascade Humane Society. Awesome Job!

Jumping Pillow Hours: (Weather Permitting) Monday, 2pm to 6pm

Thursday, 2pm to 6pm, Friday 1pm to 8pm, Saturday 12pm to 8pm, Sunday 11am to 3pm

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All bikes must Be parked in the bike racks and All golf carts/vehicles are asked to park by Rec Center parking area. Socks can be purchased for \$1 at the Jumping Pillow.



On Lot Site Decorating Winners **1st place** winner goes to Justin Oelke lot 4 on 24th and Gordy Smith lot 6 on 24th, **2nd place** winner is Jack & Val Martinez lot 9 on 5th and **3rd place** winner is Syllas & Barbra Meadows lot 41 on 7th. Congratulations to all of the winners and thank you to everyone who participated in the decorating contest.

The Beach House will be open from 12pm - 4pm on Tuesdays in the month of August. Come on down & play a few board games. Enjoy the fun & bring a bag lunch. No card playing. See Nancy for more information.

Labor Day Prize List & Drawing Info: Tickets are available at C & B General Store, 19 on 23rd Street Frank & John and various campers throughout the park for 3 for \$1 donation. You don't need to be present to win. Prizes are as follows:

- 1. \$700** off your 2020 lot rent **2. \$500** off your 2020 lot rent **3. \$200** off your 2020 lot rent **4. \$100** Speedway Gift Card
5. \$100 Speedway Gift Card **6. \$100** Meijer Gift Card **7. \$100** Meijer Gift Card **8. \$100** Home Depot Gift Card
9. \$100 Home Depot Gift Card **10. \$100** Lowes Gift Card **11. \$100** Wal-Mart Gift Card. All proceeds go directly to the American Diabetes Association. Drawing will be held on Sunday, September 1, 2019.

FUTURE EVENTS: please note more events will be added as they become finalized. Events are subject to change without notice & or weather permitting. **2- Person Golf Scrambles at 9am & Pinochle at 10am are every Sunday but are not listed below.**

Friday, August 16th: Kids S'more Making, Euchre

Saturday, August 17th: Arts & crafts, Kid Activities, **Poker Run**, Bunco, Band "Fools of Faith"

Friday, August 23rd: **"Volunteer Weekend"** Kids Candy Bar Bingo, Euchre

Saturday, August 24th: Arts & Crafts, Kids Activities, **Volunteer Appreciation Dinner**, Bunco, Band "Category 5"

Friday, August 30th: **"Labor Day Weekend"** Kid Activities, Euchre, Labor Day Parade

Saturday, August 31st: On Lot Yard Sale, Arts & Crafts, Kids Sports Activities, Horseshoe Tournament, Band "Second Wind"

Sunday, September 1st: Kid Activities, Corn Hole Tournament, Labor Day Drawing, Band "All Points Bulletin"

Friday, September 6th: Kids Uno Tournament, Euchre

Saturday, September 7th: "Staff Appreciation Dinner" Arts & Crafts, Kids Activities, Bunco, Band "Copper Stills"

Friday, September 13th: **Fall Fest Begins**, Kids Candy Bar Bingo, Euchre

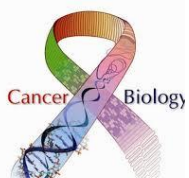
Saturday, September 14th: Arts & Crafts, Kids Activities, **Community Picnic**, Bunco, Hay Wagon Rides, Band "Kentucky Chrome"

We have a lost and found at the office and at the Rec Center. If you have lost anything stop in and check with our staff. You will be required to identify any item(s) lost. Thank you, Management!

Suggestion Box: If you would like to take the time to write a few lines we would love to hear what or how we could make your camping experience better. There is a suggestion box located at the 2nd Street bathrooms for your convenience.

GWA WIFI service provider: SkyWeb (844)641-9011 please contact SkyWeb with any issue you may have with service.

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Attention: All slots are filled for the next Poker Run on Saturday, August 17th @ 3pm at the Beach House.

Beach House Info: The beach house is open on Thursdays & Sundays from 6:30 pm to 11 pm for adults who want to socialize or play cards. The events are not organized so you can simply bring your games of choice and a few friends and make use of this facility. ***Sign up for Euchre, and Bunco:** Please sign up in advance at the Beach House at 6:45 pm. **Pinochle** starts @ 10am on Sundays. Please check weekly for locations and times in case of any changes.

Beach House Scheduled Events: See Nancy Mueller or Audrey Farrar at the Beach House for more information or to sign up for each listed event(s). **Turkey Ville Trip:** Tuesday, September 24th. **Beach House Pot Luck:** Tuesday, August 20th. **Pizza & Salad Party:** Wednesday, August 13th.

Volunteer Dinner will be held on Saturday, August 24th @ 6pm. The Dinner will take place at the Rec Center Pavilion. Music is provided by the Band "Category 5", the band will start right after dinner is served at or around 7pm. **Please note:** The pavilion is open to everyone at 8:30pm for anyone wanting to listen to the band until 11pm. ***Staff and Event** organizers please submit your volunteer list to Linda Hayward at the Rec Center no later than Monday, August 5th.

Staff Appreciation Dinner will be held on Saturday, September 7th @ 6pm. This year the dinner will take place at the Rec Center Pavilion. Music is provided by Band "Copper Stills", the band will start right after dinner is served @ or around 7pm. Thank you to all the staff for all your hard work and dedication to Greenwood Acres Family Campground. **Please note:** That after 8:30pm the pavilion is open to everyone wanting to come listen to the band until 11pm.

On- Lot Yard Sales is on Saturday, August 31st. There will be no list so please drive around to all streets at GWA. You will find some great deals. The on-lot yard sale will start at 9am and end right at 1 pm. All lots will need to be clean up at this time. **This is not an all-day event. No sales after 1 pm.** Please remember there is **no solicitations allowed** at GWA without prior permission from management.

For those who are new to GWA, proceeds from many campground events go to the following. **St. Jude Children's Research Hospital.** The 1st Golf Cart, Haunted Forest, Dance 50/50's, Bunco, Pinochle and Kids Carnival. **American Cancer Society (ACS)** Horse Shoes, 3-Mile Cancer Walk, Candle Light Vigil and the 2nd Golf Cart. **American Diabetes Foundation (ADF)** Golf Scrambles, Corn Hole, Craft Show(s), Craft show 50/50's, Golf Cart Rally and Labor Day Ticket Sales. All money from ADF event will be turned into John Gibbs. **Cascades Animal Shelter,** Peacock Feathers. Volunteers donate time and energy at the campground. **To coordinate an event for a fundraiser,** obtain approval from Sharon Kinchsular or Linda Hayward.

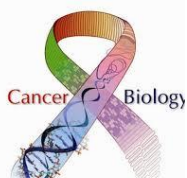
Please keep in mind that we have Activities and Events all Season long. Our Fall Fest begins Friday, September 13th. You won't want to miss the Fall Hay Wagon Rides, Family Movie Nights, Kids Fishing Contest, Dessert Contest, Fall Soup Contest, Bands, Campfires, Colors the Clown & Petting Zoo, Fall Community Picnic, Chamberlin Pony Rides and Petting Zoo, Kids S'more Making and all the Halloween fun we have planned for you in October. Reserve your site soon so you don't miss all the fall fun at GWA.

GWA Sweatshirts & Tee-Shirts will be available for purchase @ the Rec Center during regular business hours. Hoodies are \$25 and Tee-Shirts are \$12. We have a variety of sizes from toddler to adults. Size 2xl are \$3 more and 3xl are \$4 more each. Personalized can cozies \$2, water bottles \$3 and backpacks \$5 available at the Rec Center. See the snack bar for more information.

Building Rentals: Our campground buildings & pavilions are a great way to accommodate your company picnic, birthday celebration, family reunion, etc. We have 2 different buildings and 2 different pavilions to choose from depending on your needs. To check availability email Linda: linda.hayward@greenwoodacrescampground.com. You can view the rental agreement online at www.greenwoodacrescampground.com.

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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 **James Holmes** (517) 240-7051 *No other outside wood or vendors are allowed without prior permission from the GWA office.

- 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

John from Golf Carts Plus: in Belleville who is an authorized Club Car dealer. 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 or call John at (734) 397-5667.

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

Boat Dock Café: Courtney Calloway (517) 936-4216 **“Cash Only”**
Café Hours: Monday & Tuesday 9am to 9pm ~ **Closed Wednesdays** ~ Thursday 9am to 9pm ~ **Friday thru Sunday 8am - 9pm.** **Pizza orders start after 4pm.** Stop in to see the daily specials.

C & B General Store Hours: Proprietors **Bill & Carol Pudlik** (*The General Store is located by the beach area.*)
Hours: Mon. - Thurs. 10am - 6pm, Fri. & Sat. 9am - 10pm, Sun. 9am - 5pm. **“Cash Only”** 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.**

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

Recreation Center: This season the Rec Center operator, **Wendy Wolfinger.**
Hours: Mon. thru Thurs. 12pm-10pm, Fri. & Sat. 11am -11pm and Sun. 12pm - 6pm. **The Rec Center has a variety of hand dipped Ice Cream.** **Inside the Rec Center** you will find pool tables, arcade games, skeet ball, air hockey, even adult (only) Diamond Skill games; that give you a chance to win American Express gift cards. Must be 18 or older to play. **The Rec Center now has a large flat screen TV for your enjoyment.**

Office Hours: Open every day, **8am - 8pm (517) 522-8600**
GWA operates with a 24-hour gate attendant and 24-hour patrol throughout the campground

Pool Hours: Daily at 10am - 9pm. **Adult Swim is from 3 pm -4pm daily.** (No cut off shorts in the swimming pool).

I.C.E. In case of Emergency, Call 911 and be sure to tell them, you are at Greenwood Acres Family Campground, 2401 Hilton Rd. Jackson, MI 49201. Then give them your lot number and street name. Contact the Front Gate immediately to let them know your lot number and street name, so Patrol can escort emergency personnel to the shortest route to your camp site. Please make sure your lot number is on your camper for quick identification.

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