Managers Corner

Hello Black Pointers!

Happy Summer! With the beautiful weather finally here, we have plenty of family events coming up in the next few weeks. Just keep checking our calendar of events on the website for all of the fun and festive things to come this Summer at Black Point. Also, please keep the ideas coming for anything that you would like to see happen at Black Point, event wise or just suggestions on what we can do to make anything and everything better.

A special Thank You! to our members and guests that are following our Covid Beach guidelines and helping reduce the spread of the virus that keeps everyone safe. Please take a moment to consider that golf carts attract children's attention and parents can sometimes consider them safe due to their slow speed and allow the children to drive them, please don't! Safety in golf carts is crucial and often overlooked.

The 4th of July parade is on and just a few days away, so start making your floats. The parade will

be a little different this year but will start, as usual, from the Clubhouse at 11:00 AM sharp. If you are participating in the parade, you should arrive at the Clubhouse by 10:00 AM.

If you need to contact me, please call or text my cell phone at (860) 460-7641, between 8:00AM and 6:00PM. Telephone at any time in the event of an emergency. You can also email me at: BPBCManager@gmail.com.

Regards,

Jim Moffett, Association Manager BPBC

Fourth of July Parade Saturday, July 4th

The 4th of July parade will be modified this year to allow for social distancing. It will take a longer route so people can spread out to watch, and will be limited to cars, golf carts, trucks and floats.

****Please do not join on foot or on bikes or motor bikes (to paraphrase George Orwell, "Four wheels good, two wheels bad!").

Vehicles will gather on Saturday at 10:00am and start at 11:00 am from the Clubhouse, then proceed to Bellaire to Sunrise, down Billow to East Shore, then go up and down every other road: Nehantic, Whitecap, Sea View, Sea Spray(lower part), Brightwater, Blue Heron, via West Lane, the top part of Sea Spray to Sunset and that will lead back to Clubhouse. Look forward to seeing everyone on Saturday!

THANK YOU FOR YOUR HELP!!



Will Fountain and the Essex, Ct. Bikes for Kids organization would like to thank the Black Pointers who donated fifty used bikes to the program They are refurbished and donated to needy children and

adults along with a new bike helmet Various local agencies provide funds to purchase the new helmets.

Women's Club News

Black Point Women's Club

It has been hot and humid with a few pop up thunderstorms, it definitely feels like summer. I will miss seeing everyone at our

weekly Tuesday night meetings; I hope to see you in the neighborhood or at the beach. I did have the opportunity to see some ladies at Jill Coscarelli's fitness class this past week. She offers a great class with aerobic and muscle toning exercises. I definitely broke a sweat and could feel the burn while listening to some great music!

Many people have been asking me what ideas we have planned for the summer. The Black Point Women's Club is working on some fun events for the neighborhood that are safe for everyone to enjoy outdoors. If you have any suggestions please let me know. We are hoping to plan an ice cream social, beach blanket bingo, a sock hop and maybe some outdoor movies at the clubhouse. The Women's Club is also trying to coordinate the concert at the clubhouse this summer. We will let you know the dates for the neighborhood events as soon as we can.

Please remember to be safe this summer, we want everyone to have fun and enjoy time with family and friends. Have a happy 4th of July!

Kay Parulis, BPWC President (860) 235-3411

<u>Black Point Women's Club</u> <u>Neighborhood News to share</u>

Jill Coscarelli is offering FUN OUTDOOR FITNESS CLASSES at her house (4 Blue Heron Court) on Monday and Thursdays mornings from 8:00 –

9:00AM. Jill is a certified and insured fitness instructor and she is generously offering her services in return for cash donations to East Lyme Food Pantry. If you are interested, please bring your yoga mat, water bottle and hand held weights (she recommends 1lb. or 3lb. weights for beginners). Jill is offering low impact/high intensity work out classes to music. All fitness levels are welcome. If you have any questions please contact Jill Coscarelli at 860-657-5030.

Chair Corner

Greetings Black Pointers!

Despite constraints, we all continue to make the best of a difficult situation. Thanks to the direction of Jim Moffett, the work of volunteers,

and the respect for safety rules of voters, we had a smooth election process. With donuts! Welcome to the two newly elected members of the Board of Governors, Janet Bonelli and Sharon Bruce, and heartfelt gratitude to outgoing governors, Mike Johnson and Bill McDowell for their service to the community.

Thanks to Jim Moffett, our association manager, for planning and supervising the Fourth of July Parade this weekend.

Have a safe and happy official opening of summer!

Cheryl Colangelo, Chair, BOG

BLACK POINT GOLF OUTING

When: Monday July 13, 2020 Where: Great Neck Country Club

Time: 12:00 Shot Gun start - Reception / Raffle / Awards

to follow

Golf: \$100.00 per person - <u>Deadline to sign up with</u> payment July 7th.

Reception only: \$30.00 per person

All proceeds to benefit the Cahill Black Point Education Fund Scholarship Make Checks Payable to: Chris Gent

To Register or Questions Contact
Tom Meggers 860-559-7978 or
thomasmeggers3@gmail.com
15 Sea view, Chris Gent 860-897-6510 or
Cgent@WHwmg.com 26 East Shore Drive



Checks can be delivered to Tom or Chris
**** When registering please include handicaps ****

Few General Rules

- Parking tags are still required on cars and golf carts.
- By state law Golf carts must be registered and driven by a licensed driver only. They may not be driven after sundown. Violations are subject to ticketing by East Lyme police.
- Kayaks must have a BP registration sticker to use any kayak rack. They can be picked up at no cost from Will Fountain, mrwill34@gmail.com. If not on the racks, registered kayaks on the beach can be identified in case of emergency. There are now two racks on the Sea Spray ROW. Please do not trespass on neighboring property or seawalls when launching your kayak from the ROW.

(For more association rules and regulations visit the webpage <u>www.blackpointbeachclub.com</u>)

Short term rules: have been made in response to executive orders for safety during the pandemic. The following beach rules will be posted on the beaches and right of ways, and will be modified as the state reopens. These are the current beach rules:

- Beach passes must be displayed, only residents and their guests on beach
- Social distance of 6' required, unless you are with household members
- Wear a facemask if unable to maintain distance of 6'
- Groups must be no greater than 5 people and must be household members
- Stay home if you are sick

Black Point Road Race

Hello runners and friends! Due to health concerns from Covid-19, we regret to announce that the Black Point Road Race will not be held this year. We hope to see you all in 2021! Keep on running!

~Mary Liz Williams~



Ladies Tennis



Come join us for tennis at the clay courts every Tuesday & Thursday from 9:30 to 11:30 AM. For Questions call Colleen at 917-743-4519.

CLASSFIEDS:

FOR SALE: TWO NEW 4.80-12 TIRES, MOUNTED ON 4-LUG WHEELS, A HEAVY DUTY JACK-STAND, & A HEAVY DUTY WINCH WITH NEW BELT. CAN BE SEEN AT 17 BELLAIRE. ALL 4 ITEMS FOR \$90. CALL 860-303-3540



RENTAL-Looking to rent a home in the Black Point area for the off season while we renovate our home on Bellaire. 2 Adults and 2 smaller dogs. Looking to start October. Please call Kelly at 860-729-4823 if you are interested in making some extra money on rental income this off season.



BPBCA Meetings:

Board of Governors Meeting-

Thursday, July 23rd at 6:00p.m. Location to be determined

Zoning Commission Meeting-

Friday, July 17th at 6:00p.m. Location to be determined



Have a great 4th of July Weekend!

Throughout the summer please feel free to email me exciting pictures or fun stories from the beach.

The Black Pointer will be delivered each week at your house on Friday as we do not have kids club this summer to do it on Thursday. The extra copies will be located at the Black Point Market if you didn't get one!!

Any ideas, announcements or suggestions will be welcome to add to our weekly newsletter. Black Point rules require only members can place classifieds and help wanted ads, but cannot include business advertisements. Some ads or events are subject to the Board of Governor's approval. Any questions please contact me and have information sent to this email by **Saturday** each week. Please contact me at my email address

blackpointnews@yahoo.com or feel free to call me at (860) 235-3149. If you would like to add an item for sale or help wanted blurb it is \$1.00 per issue. Please drop off fee to my address at 35 Sea Crest Ave in small blue mailbox labeled Black Pointer on the white archway in driveway.

Thank you and look forward to working with you again this summer!

~ Suzanne Smith, Editor ~



For More Information go to: www.blackpointbeachclub.com

Or Like us on our Facebook page: Black Point Beach Club



Important Phone Numbers

Cheryl Colangelo, Chair 845-667-6118 Jim Moffett, Association Manager.....860-460-7641 (between 8:00AM and 6:00PM)

Billy McDowell's (Kayak stickers)...... 860-910-8572

Emergency- Fire, Ambulance, Police 911 Police- routine matters....... 860-739-5900 Poison Control...... 1-800-343-2722 East Lyme Medical Walk-in Center....... 860-739-6953 Tick Information...... 1-800-789-7241

Black Point Market......860-451-8028

Call-in orders are welcome so please stop by for an updated menu. We also have limited outdoor seating for you to enjoy!

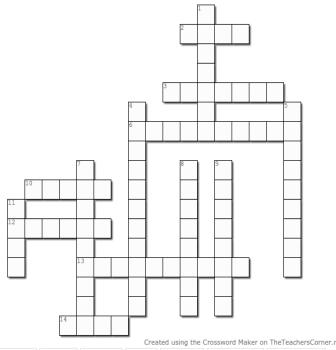


Hours - Monday thru Saturday, 7 am to 6pm.

Sunday, 7 am to 5 pm.

Streets in Black Point (Part 2)

Look at the clues and hints to find the street names. There are no spaces in the crossword puzzle.



Waterside Uncas Osprey Bond Saltaire SouthTrail Palette Park Brightwater RidgeTrail Cottage West SeaSpray

<u>Across</u>

- 2. This court is near the clubhouse (no, not the tennis
- 3. A small beach house
- 6. Connects Woodland to Sunset Avenue
- 10. A chief of the Mohegan tribe, also means 'fox'
- 12. This bird is also referred to as a sea hawk
- 13. A trail the opposite of North
- 14. This lane starts at Brightwater and continues into Old

- 1. Small street that connects Whitecap and Sea Breeze
- 4. Sun reflecting off the water
- 5. This street is named after a large graceful bird found in the marsh
- 7. This small avenue starts at Osprey and travels along the water, parallel to East Shore
- 8. A splash of ocean water
- 9. Air with a hint of salt
- 11. A British secret agent. 007 or James _