

Black Pointer

Manager's Corner



What a wonderful week to be in Black Point. The weather has certainly made me thankful that I'm at the beach. I hope everyone enjoyed the bonfire last Saturday night. Thanks again to Mr. and Mrs. Cianci for providing water and electricity for the evening's festivities. Thanks also to Smith Entertainment for

providing the music. The Black Point 5k and the BP golf tournament are both just a couple weeks away. Please come out and support these great annual events.

Please drive slowly and wear helmets when biking. We had an unfortunate accident already this summer. Please do everything to keep everyone safe on the streets. I hope everyone is having a great summer. Please call me if I can be of assistance at 860-941-8608

Have fun,

Mike Manifold

Free Hour of Power Yoga

Through the Women's Club of Black Point



At the Black Point Beach Clubhouse
6 Sunset Ave

Monday, Wednesday and Friday Mornings **7-8**am Starting Monday July **25**th until August **12**th

Bring your yoga mat and water!

Contact Katie Ziskind with questions

860-984-1205 or zlkatie@hotmail.com

Black Point Golf Tournament

The annual golf tournament will be held on

Monday, July 25, 2011, at New London Country Club. Tee off is 1:30 PM preceded by a barbeque lunch at 12:00 noon. Please provide a list of foursomes or less, with handicaps, by Saturday, July 23, 2011 so that we can notify the Club; the cost is \$140.00 per golfer which includes golf, cart, lunch, golf pro's prizes, and dinner. Dinner only is \$35.00 and is being catered by Corporate Caterers this year as well. Tee Flags are available for \$75.00 and donations of goods and services for raffle would be appreciated. Registration Forms are available at the Black Point Market next to the Black Pointer. Forms and raffle items can be dropped off at 5 East Shore Drive, red mailbox; bring payments on Monday to the registration desk. Contact Jill Coscarelli at 860 739-3506 with questions. If you are interested in purchasing a tee flag, please notify Jill as well. Thank you.

The Cahill Black Point Education Fund -2010

Applications for the 2011 Black Point Cahill Scholarship may be picked up at the Clubhouse during Recreation Program hours 9:30-11:00 a.m., Mondays through Thursdays. Essays are due by 6:00 p.m. on Monday August 1, 2011 and should be delivered to Lil Diachenko's home at 25 Sunrise Avenue.

Essays will be read and scored by five different readers and winners will be determined one week later. For further questions, please call Lil Diachenko at 860-739-7221.

Thank you!

Women's Club News

2011 SUMMER PROGRAM

All members, renters and their guests are welcome to join or come for a specific event! Unless stated otherwise, all programs begin sharply at 7 p.m. at the Clubhouse.

Yoga: The Women's Club is sponsoring East Lyme resident Katie Zitkind in completing her requirements to become a certified yoga instructor. To assist her in this effort, Yoga classes will be held from 7 am to 8 am on Monday, Wednesday and Friday from July 25 thru August 12. The sessions are FREE and open to all association members/renters and their guests. Non perishable food items or monetary donations will be accepted (but not required) and provided to local community pantries. Please give Katie a warm welcome and a show of support!

July 19th Presentation: Many thanks to Abbie Flaherty for her interactive presentation on Tuesday night of Oasis in the Overwhelm-60 Second Strategies to Stress Management. It was informative, fun and beneficial!! We all left pretty relaxed and ready for the challenges of the week!!

July 26- Annual Fund Raiser: Don't forget to get your tickets for Cabaret Night - Tuesday -July 26th, 7pm.

Ashley Cruz will perform. This is the Women's Club Annual Fund Raiser and is open to all Association Members/Renters and their guests over 21 years of age. Advance purchase of TICKETS is required. So, get your family and friends together, bring your favorite beverage and snack and join us!! There will be a 50/50 raffle as well as other door prizes. Get your tickets while they last!! They can be purchased by calling membership committee members Joanne DiResta 860.739.7927 or Margaret Pillion 860-739-4292. The cost is \$5 for Women's Club members and \$10 for non members. Hope to see you there!! Roberta Jordan, WC President

- July 26 Cabaret Night with Ashley Cruz
- Aug. 2 Bunco!! and Business meeting
- Aug. 9 "Scientific Advancement in Skin Care What Work and What Doesn't" presented by Groton dermotologist Dr. Daniella Duke
- Aug. 16 "Communicating with Spirit- Messages from Beyond" presented by Rev. Lynn Gaffin, Minister and certified Medium
- **Aug. 18** Annual Dinner at Dock and Dine (Thurs.)

Men's Club News

Summer 2011 Schedule

Date A	ctivity Time a	and Location	Cost
June thru September	Bocce League	Friday mornings	
July 11 thru September		Monday evenings 6:00 P.M.	
	Open to all Black Point Families	Clubhouse	
August 5	Pasta Dinner	5:30 and 7:30 P.M.	\$10.00 Adults
	Men's Club Fundraiser open to all	Clubhouse	\$5.00 Children
August 19	Murder Mystery Play	7:00 P.M.	\$25.00 per person
		Clubhouse	F
Sept. 4	Pancake Breakfast	Clubhouse	
Sept. TBA	Vineyard Tour	TBA	
Sept. TBA	Irish Music Concert	TBA	

Pasta Dinner

On Friday, August 5th the famous and much loved Pasta

Dinner will return again to Black
Point Beach Club.



Salad, pasta, marinara sauce, meatballs, bread, dessert and drink will be served.

There will be two seatings 5:30 PM & 7:30 PM

Tickets are: \$10.00 for adults

\$5.00 for children under 12

Tickets can be purchased at the door or by calling Pete DiResta @ 860 739-7927 or John Campion@ 860 739-8161. Call early to guarantee

your choice of seating.

The Men's Club will sponsor the dinner. All proceeds will benefit the Black Point Beach Club Association and the Care and Share Program of Niantic.

RECREATION CLUB

BLACK POINT 2011

Welcome to BP Summer 2011 Club Program! Hello Fellow Black Pointers,



This Friday the 22nd is the club fair. Come for pizza, games, bounce house, 20 foot slide, dunk tank and much much more.

Next week is penny wars so please bring your loose change up to the club

house Monday-Thursday 9-11:30! Also our last movie night on the beach is July 28th at 8:30 all our welcome, free of charge! Lastly the parent vs. counselor basketball game is July 29, we need more parents to play so please come sign up at the club house!

Tennis instruction sign-ups for July 29-31 and August 5-7 are still open at the clubhouse for adults and children.

If you have any questions about the upcoming programs please do not hesitate to contact me by email at ghickey@assumption.edu.

-Garrett Hickey, Director

Kid's Club Registration-

Please see directors at clubhouse for details.

Club Rates: Weekly Rates:

1st child......\$70.00 2nd child......\$65.00 3rd child.....\$60.00

Daily: \$12.00

*Season and Weekly Rates include Swimming Lessons. Guest Rate: Per child.........\$12.00 (a guest for one day) (make checks payable to Black Point Beach Association)

Bird Quiz ???

Can you guess what kind of bird this is??



Black Point Dog Owners Group

Not only a perfect sunny Saturday morning but seven canine participants! In sizes, ranging from 10 to 70 pounds, all the dogs showed great enthusiasm, a willingness to learn and their owners appeared to have good sense and good fun. Although we expected some "beginners" to obedience, everyone progressed rapidly. If all do their practice "homework" we will have some great canine citizens.







Sports Corner

The Black Point 5.K Road Race

The Annual Black Point 5.K Road Race is Saturday August 6th at 10:00am. Children races begin at 9:30. Registration begins at 8:30 at the bottom of Saltaire. Cost is \$5.00 for 5.K and \$2.00 for all children races. DIVISIONS:

Children: ages 7 and under run at **9:30 am**. Children: half-mile, ages 8-12 run at **9:45 am**.

Adult 5.K is 10 am sharp.

Categories for both men and women: Children's half mile----13 and under

High School

Open----18-29

Submaster---30-39

Masters----40-49

Grandmasters---50-59

Seniors----60-69

Walter Sullivan Division: 70+

Baby jogger

Trophies awarded to all first place finishes.

Ribbons to 2nd and 3rd place.

Road race tee-shirts available for \$15.00. Anyone that finishes the 5.K before Beach Manager Mike Manifold will receive a Dunkin Donuts gift card.

This only applies if Mike runs the race. Questions call Mary Liz at 860-906-6890.

<u>Classifieds and Help Wanted</u> For Sale:

Bicycles Wanted-old, used bicycles and any partscondition unimportant. these bikes will be refurbished for needy children. I will be happy to pick up what you have. Please call Will Fountain 860-739-5975

Boat For Sale:

2004 Bayliner Boat. 18', 135 Horse Power Mercury Engine Depth Finder and trailer included. Low hours. \$7,000 or best offer.

Please call (860) 214-2659.

Help Wanted:

Babysitter - Hannah Lauson 13, completed a certified Safe Sitter class. Available most days and evenings. Experienced. Great with young kids. References available locally.

Please call: 310-977-8086

Experienced Babysitter: Senior in high school certified and reliable. Has several years of experience with infants and toddlers. Please call Haley at (860) 739-3746 or (860) 705-8232.

Board of Governors Meetings:

Thursday, July 28th @ 7:00p.m. Clubhouse

Zoning Meetings:

This Friday, July 22nd @ 6:00p.m. Clubhouse



Black Point Market

The store will be open every day from 7:00 am until 5:00 pm.

On **Thursday, Friday** and **Saturday** evenings the store will be open from 7:00 pm until 8:30 pm for ice cream, italian ice, and all other merchandise - **except for the deli, which will be closed after 5 pm.**"

From the Editor:

Thank you for all the great comments and glad to see so many people stopping by the market to grab a pointer each week. If you can't make it to the market or clubhouse be sure to keep up on our website: www.blackpointbeachclub.com



Looking for great pictures or special news please, everyone loves to read about fellow neighbors exciting news. Black Point rules require only members can place classifieds

and help wanted ads, but cannot include business advertisements.

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 Seacrest Ave in small black mailbox on wooden post.

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

~ Suzanne Smith, Editor ~

Phone Numbers

Emergency- Fire, Ambulance, Police	911	
Police- routine matters	860-7	739-5900
Resident Trooper's Office	860-7	39-7007
Montville Troop Barracks	860-8	48-6500
Beach Manager: Mike Manifold	860-9	41-8608
Animal Control (hours 8-5)	860-4	42-9451
Poison Control	1-800-3	343-2722
Charter Oak Medical Center	860-7	39-6953
Tick Information	1-800-	789-7241
Black Point Market	860-	451-8045

For More Information go to: www.blackpointbeachclub.com

Answer to Bird Quiz: The photo on the front page is an Great Egret -A large white heron (39in) White with yellow bill and blackish legs and feet.