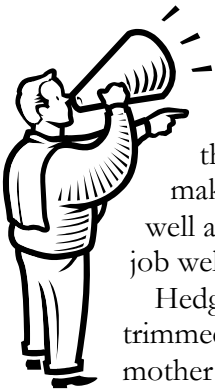


Manager's Corner



Congratulations to our Recreation Director Garrett Hickey for an outstanding, well planned and organized Club Fair. It takes a lot of planning and hard work to provide this fun filled event, and he even managed to make the rain stop! Many thanks to Garrett, as well as all the club workers and volunteers for a job well done.

Hedges and shrubs are very attractive when kept trimmed, however, when they are not maintained, mother nature takes over, and they unfortunately affect some portions of our roadways and intersections with hazards for pedestrian and motor vehicles. I have had calls with complaints for the following areas: Indianola and Sunrise, Whitecap and East Shore Drive, as well as Osprey and East Shore Drive. There are other areas, and our Zoning Enforcement Officer has addressed some of these areas. We hope homeowners will correct these issues, however, without improvement, we will ask for assistance from the Town of East Lyme.

We start the month of August with the Annual Black Point Road Race on Saturday, August 2nd. Get out and cheer the runners!

If you did not receive the e-mail blast, or haven't checked the web site lately, please note Saturday, August 16th the Town of East Lyme is sponsoring a mass dispensing exercise for Potassium Iodine Pills for residents. Participate in the drive-thru and also be sure to tell your neighbors.

Where: East Lyme Middle School,
31 Society Road, Niantic

When: Saturday, August 16th, 2014 from 9:00
a.m. - Noon



For more information, please contact East Lyme Public Safety at 860-739-4434.

Don't forget to subscribe on our web site for future email notifications.

There are a number of additional fun activities in August with the Men and Women's clubs for our members to enjoy! See You On The Beach!

I can be reached on my cell phone at [860] 917-1573 between the hours of 8:00AM and 6:00PM. Telephone at any time in the event of an emergency. You can also email me at mgmt@blackpointbeachclub.com

Regards,

Tom Sheehan

Association Manager BPBC

The 40th Annual Black Point Road Race is Saturday! August 2nd 2014

Registration begins at 8:45 at the bottom of Seacrest. Kids race (ages 7 and under) at 9:30-----awards for top 3 finishers for male and female. Children's 1/2 mile race at 9:45-----awards for top 3 finishes male and female. Adult 5k at 10 am-----5k Awards for both male and female in the following categories:

High school
Open-----ages 18-29
Sub-Masters-----30-39
Masters-----40-49
Grand-Masters-----50-59
Seniors-----60-69
Walt Sullivan Division-----70+



Cost is \$5.00 for 5k and \$2.00 for children's race.
Kids race is free.

Any questions contact
Mary Liz Williams---860-906-6890

Staff vs. BP Residents Basketball Game



The Black Point residents won in overtime 92-87.

Women's Club News

We enjoyed Rita Parisi's one-woman, one-act play "I am Zelda." It was interesting to learn about the person behind the great author, F. Scott Fitzgerald. She was so much more than the Roaring 20s Flapper we first think of when hearing her name.

We are looking forward to making numbered house plaques on Tuesday night. Jan Ghio and Sue Murray will be leading us. If you have not already signed up, please do so ASAP.

If you do not sign up in advance, you might be disappointed if we do not have enough materials for "walk ins". Please call me by Friday to get your name on the attendance list. There is no additional cost.

Hope to see you on Tuesday evening.
Carolyn Boyle, **President**
860-739-5124



August 5 Business Meeting and making House Plaques with Janet Ghio and Sue Murray. (small cost for supplies; must pre-resister.

August 12 Glass Painting with Abbie Flaherty

August 14 President's Trip

August 19 Our Annual Meeting/ Banquet

Men's Club Summer Schedule

Summer Schedule:

Wed Aug 6 @ 7:00 pm

Pizza and a Movie – "Last Vegas"

Wednesday Aug 13 @ 7:00p.m.- "A Nazi at Black

Point" - James Littlefield will tell the story of William Colepaugh, a Nazi sympathizer who grew up on Black Point. And spied for the German during World War II- Open to All at clubhouse

Wednesday August 20 @6:00

Fantasy Football Draft

Friday September 12 @ 6:30pm

Bocce Banquet



Irish Proverb:

"We will all be friends until we are old and senile – and then, we will become new friends!"

Support the Cahill Black Point Education Fund!

The *Cahill Black Point Education Fund* is happy to announce two new ways to help the *Fund* and its scholarship program.

First, we would like to encourage Black Point families to support the *Fund* by purchasing a lawn sign. For a \$50 donation, you can purchase a 12" X 16" sign that proudly says, "We Support *The Cahill Black Point Education Fund!*". If you are interested in supporting a cause that gives our families an opportunity to earn wonderful scholarships for years to come, please call Joe Spalluto at 860-833-6933 or Brian Comer at 860-490-3716.

We are also planning a **cash raffle**. The drawing will be held at the Association's Labor Day meeting at the clubhouse on Saturday, August 30, at 9:00 am.

You do not need to be present to accept your winnings. Tickets can be purchased at a cost of 2 for \$5, or 5 for \$10. To purchase tickets, please call Ellen Spalluto at 860-604-2650 or Anita Schepker at 860-604-4749.

Tickets will also be sold the morning of the meeting. If we raise more than \$500 in this raffle, we will draw more than one winner!! Please note that on the morning of the August 30th we will be joined by Allison Wood of the Community Fund of Eastern Connecticut ("CFEC"). This is the organization that helps us with the Scholarship Fund. Besides managing our endowment, they also manage the annual essay contest that determines our scholarship recipients. Allison will give us an update and be available to answer any questions Black Pointers might have about CFEC and the Fund specifically. We encourage you to come and learn more about this great relationship. We should be comforted knowing that the Fund enjoys continuity of management for the long term and independent oversight.

Thanks in advance for your continued support of
The Cahill Black Point Education Fund!

Trivia Questions

#1. Which Kennedy was married to Ethel?

#2. Who began life as Robert Zimmerman?

#3. How did Rocky Marciano die?

#4. What team won the First Super Bowl?

Answers on Back of Pointer!



Zoning Corner



During the summer a little peace and quiet with your morning coffee and around dinner time is a nice thing to have.

Per Section IV of the General Regulations part 11, as set forth by the Zoning Commission, states that no construction or related activity shall commence prior to 8 am nor conclude later than 6 pm on any day. Please inform your contractor of this when hiring him for your Black Point home re-build or renovation. If you have any questions, check the Zoning section on the BPBC website or call me at (860) 559-8030. ~Dave Murray~

Zoning Commission Meetings: All meetings are held at the Black Point Beach Club Association Clubhouse on the third Friday of the month at 6pm, unless otherwise noted. The remaining meetings are: August 15, 2014, September 19, 2014, October 17, 2014 (if needed)

Recreation Club Black Point 2014

Hello Fellow Black Pointers,

First I would like to say thank you to everyone who came up for the Club fair on Saturday, it was a great event. I want to specifically thank Sue Coppola, Gene Galati, Susan Sullivan, Debbie Sinning, Sandy Sheehan, Sharon Bruce, Charlie Bruce and Rene and Fred Autorino for their help as volunteers during the event.

I would also like to say thank you to the following people for donating baskets for our raffle:

- Men's Club
- Women's Club
- Elevado Family
- Mertel and Mazadoorian Family
- Moffett Family
- Frank Bonelli
- Sheehan Family
- Peary Family
- Sue Mattson
- Comer Family (Karin and Marty)
- The Children's Museum of Niantic
- Nan Carmen
- Debbie Sinning
- Monica Burnett
- Autorino Family



Crabbing Contest: Winning Team caught 185 crabs!



I would like to thank the counselors and volunteers for the time on Saturday to make the Fair possible. Lastly, I would like to thank Mr. Sheehan, as well as my mom and dad for all their work and help to make the fair possible!

Thank you again!

Garrett Hickey

Black Point Beach Recreation Director

Fun times at the Club Fair!!

CLASSIFIEDS:

FOR SALE: Stay Cool. DeLonghi 13000 btu and Haier 12000, all window panels, duct manuals, remote control, excellent condition, used little. Installed central air recently. New \$425 and \$400, selling at \$300 and \$250. Call Pat or Bob at (860)526-1950 in Chester, Ct.

FOR SALE: Walker Bay Rigid Inflatable model 270 Genesis with 2007 Mercury 9.9 HP Outboard and trailer. Call or text (860) 460-7773.

FOR SALE: Sun Thor Tandem Kayak (1or 2 people) 16.5' (New \$1,600) Call 860-460-4477 or at 18 Sea View Ave.

FOR SALE: "Commercial Cool" Portable air conditioner with remote & window kit. 11,500 BTU's, timer, 3 speed and dehumidification function. Never used. \$500 New, Asking \$350. Call Sharon (860) 561-0048.

FOR SALE: Waterford Crystal (never used) and Lladro Collection (too many to list). Mint condition. Call Angela at (860) 235-5569.

FOR SALE: Like new 17'ft Swift Kippawa Canoe. Bright yellow hull with ash color gunnels and yoke. Canoe comes with two life jackets and two wooden paddles. Will throw in a few extra items. Asking \$1250, OBO. Call 860-739-9598 or 860-306-3500.

Odd Jobs: In need of any odd jobs done around the house? For your landscaping, painting or even dog sitting needs, please contact Matt Laffin (860) 716-9092 and John Fox (860) 819-9542 (grandsons of Maureen and Brendan Fox). Wages are negotiable.

Looking for Storage Space: Looking for a garage to store one car for a short time during the winter. The storage time needed is from Jan.1st 2015-April 30th 2015. Call Jim at 860-739-4292 if you have space available.

Board of Governors Meeting: Regular meetings of the Board of Governors will be held on the fourth Thursday of the month at 6:30pm, unless otherwise noted. The remaining meetings are:

- Thursday, August 28, 2014 – Regular Meeting
- Saturday, August 30, 2014 at 9:00 a.m. – Annual Association Informational Meeting
- Thursday, September 25, 2014 – Regular Meeting
- Thursday, October 23, 2014 (if needed) – Regular Meeting



Trivia Answers

- #1. Ethel; #2. Bob Dylan; #3. In a Plane Crash
- #4. Green Bay Packers

From the Editor:

So sad to announce that after this issue there is only two more issues left in the summer. So please be sure to get me your ads or pictures this weekend or next to make it into the pointer.

If you didn't get your pointer please stop by the Black Point Market to grab 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. Please send your information by **SATURDAY**. 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 black mailbox labeled Black Pointer on wooden post in driveway.

Have a great weekend!

~ Suzanne Smith, Editor ~

Phone Numbers

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| Emergency- Fire, Ambulance, Police | 911 |
| Police- routine matters..... | 860-739-5900 |
| Resident Trooper's Office..... | 860-739-7007 |
| Association Manager: Tom Sheehan..... | 860-917-1573 |
| Animal Control..... | 860-442-9451 |
| Poison Control..... | 1-800-343-2722 |
| Charter Oak Medical Center..... | 860-739-6953 |
| Tick Information..... | 1-800-789-7241 |
| Black Point Market..... | 860-451-8045 |



The Black Point Market is open every morning at 7 am. Closing times are Monday through Thursday at 6 pm, Friday and Saturday nights at 8 pm, and Sundays we close at 5 pm for a little family time.



For More Information go to:

www.blackpointbeachclub.com