

Manager's Corner



What a wonderful, enjoyable fun night on Saturday, July 16th! The beach was packed for the Bonfire, Fireworks and Music, as well as the piers filled with Black Pointers and their guests. In the past 5 years I have been involved with the annual bonfire, this was by far the largest attendance we have had!

My thanks to the Beach Patrol Team for the very long day they worked, and thanks to Steve Beauchene for providing the electricity and to Josie Cianci for providing a water supply.

The heat wave continues which is a good thing if you are here enjoying the beach. The jellyfish will be arriving soon, so please be aware of your surroundings for your families, especially the little ones.

Sadly, and unfortunately, one of the 2 golden cranes we mounted on the pillars of the Woodland Stone Walls was in place for only 1 and ½ days before it was vandalized and stolen. We removed the remaining crane before it also disappeared.

Please, if you "See something, Say Something".

As in the past, you can call me on my cell phone between the hours of 8:00 AM and 6:00 PM, at (860) 917-1573. In addition, you can text to the same number, Or email me at mgmt@blackpointbeachclub.com. Telephone any time in the event of a BP emergency.

Regards,

Tom Sheehan
Association Manager, BPBC



Great time at Club Olympics on the Beach on July 14th

Recreation Club

Black Point 2016

Hello Black Pointers,



The upcoming week in Club is as follows:

Saturday July 23rd : Summer Olympics Swim Races (Each participant will earn points for his or her team!) 10:30am

@Main Beach

Monday July 25th : Mathletes Day at Club

Tuesday July 26th : Bocce Day at Club

Thursday July 28th : Club Olympics Closing Ceremonies @11am at Club. (All are welcome to attend)

Friday July 29th : Career day at Club (We are in need of one more person, please email me at gickey1120@gmail.com if your interested in coming to speak.

Thanks, Garrett Hickey

Black Point Beach Recreation Director

Sand Castle Contest



Truck Mountain



Shark Bite



Soccer Field



Sand Crab

Women's Club News

I just love Tuesday evenings! Where else in the world can you go on Tuesday evening to eat, drink, be with friends and learn to apply makeup like a movie star? Only at the Black Point Women's Club, that's where! A big thank you to Patricia Parsons-Vigants for joining us this week. Also a big thank you to Evelyn Forlick for sharing her friend with us all. Now we will all be looking great from the inside out, not that we didn't already! ☺

Next week we switch gears from looking like stars to making them. Starfish sun catchers.

Don't forget to bring your beads, sea glass or old jewelry with holes! Approximately 9 inches worth of beads. Starfish and wire will be provided.

Lastly, please be sure to sign up on Tuesday for our Pot Luck dinner as it is coming quick. It's always so nice to have a variety of foods for all to enjoy. Look forward to seeing you on Tuesday!

Abbie, *President*

Here is what we have going on this summer;

July 26th - Craft night, starfish sun catchers.

August 2nd - Pot luck dinner and Business meeting.
**Dinner at 6:00p.m.*

August 9th - Fashion Show by Saybrook Country Barn's Apparel Shop. **Meeting starts at 6:30p.m.*

August 10th - Presidents trip, Newport RI.

August 16th - Annual Banquet, Filomena's restaurant.

Always feel free to contact me with any questions at Bpwomensclub@gmail.com or my cell # 860-514-7544
Abbie Flaherty, *President*



Yoga at Black Point

Feel free to join us:

The classes will be held at the
**Black Point Beach Clubhouse on Mondays,
Wednesdays and Fridays at 7:00a.m.**
last about an hour.

The fee is \$3.00 a class and they are open
to beginners as well as seasoned Yogis.

Bring your yoga mat
and water!

(Sponsored by the Men's Club)

Men's Club Summer Schedule

~2016 Men's Club Activities~

Wednesday, July 27th 7:00p.m.- Crazy Presidential Elections of The Past ... And Their Crazier Aftermaths (and you think this year is weird)- Dave Ogle- Open to all

No question that this is a crazy presidential year, with probably the two most unpopular candidates who have ever sought the Oval Office. But it has been no more crazy that may of the previous elections--and what happened after them. Among the questions that will be answered:

- * What presidential candidate threatened to start a civil war if he was denied the election he believed he had fairly won?
- * What presidential candidate murdered an opponent . . . and got away with it?
- * What president was a bigamist?
- * What president spent his entire time in the White House in bed?
- * Who was the only president buried with a foreign flag on his casket?
- * What president claimed to have fathered an illegitimate child, and then married the daughter of the man who was very likely the child's real father?
- * What candy bar may or may not have been named after a president's child?
- * What president was elected with the smallest percentage of the popular vote?
- * What presidential candidate lost the election because he failed to make one five-minute phone call?

As crazy as this year has been and promises to continue to be, these and many other stories and anecdotes about previous presidential campaigns and their aftermaths will show that throughout our nation's history there have been many other presidential election years that have just as crazy as 2016.

Wednesday, August 3rd 7:00 p.m.- "The History of Beer" - Tasting and singer Chris Dobbs

Saturday, August 6th – 6:00-10:00p.m.- Concert in the Park at the Clubhouse- Sponsored by Men's club and Women's Club. All members are welcome.

Friday, August 12th 6:30p.m.- "Murder Mystery"

Wednesday, August 17th 7:00p.m.- "Trivia Night"

Wednesday, August 26th 7:00p.m.- Open

Saturday, September 10th 5:30p.m.- Bocce Banquet

Sports Corner

The Annual 5k Black Point Road Race will be held on

Saturday August 6th at 9:30 am.

A short run for children ages 7 and under will begin at 9:00 am followed by a half mile run for kids 13 and under.
Race registration begins at 8:30 am at bottom of Seacrest.

Awards given for top 3 male and female finishers in the following age categories:



*8th Grade and Below
High school
Open---20 to 29
Sub-master---30 to 39
Master---40 to 49
Grand-masters---50 to 59
Seniors-----60 to 69
Walt Sullivan award 70+*

Awards also given for top 3 male and female finishers in children's race.

Please contact Mary Liz Williams if you have any questions (860) 906-6890.

THE BLACK POINT GOLF OUTING IS BACK!!



After a brief hiatus, we are happy to announce that we will once again host a BP golf outing. This year's event will be held at the Shennecossett Golf Club in Groton CT on

Monday, August 15, 2016. The cost is \$100 per golfer which will include 18 holes of golf, cart, and dinner and prizes. Any excess money raised will be donated to the Cahill Scholarship Fund. Golfers are asked to gather at the course no later than noon for a 12:30 PM shotgun start. Interested players should contact Joe Spalluto, (860-833-6933), Brian Comer (860-490-3716), Greg McMahon (860-478-7426) or Gene Massey (860-739-8219). Please provide handicaps for each player.

Deadline to register is August 5th.

Fishing Corner:

With so many good days to go to the beach many children have had a great time catching crabs and different kinds of little fish. One incredible discovery this week was a beautiful seahorse. This lucky little girl had the opportunity to observe the tiny seahorse for a short time before it was happily released back into the water to join it's family.



The Black Point Beach Women's Club & Men's Club

invite all Black Pointer's
to Black Point's first

Concert in the Park!

Saturday, August 6th

Featuring the Paul Lussier Band!!!

Music from 6:00-10:00p.m.

Free to all Black Point Members

Bring your blankets, beach chairs, picnic basket
and your family.

For more information please e-mail
Abbie Flaherty,

BPWC President at Bpwomensclub@gmail.com

Beach Rules

- 1.) The following areas have been designated as approved swimming areas. **(a)** the Main Beach located between Nehantic Drive and Sea Breeze Avenue (up to the large boulder) within the swimming markers; **(b)** the South Beach located on the south side of the pier located at the end of Osprey Road within the swimming markers.
- 2.) All swimming is at one's own risk, as the Association employs no swimming lifeguards.
- 3.) No diving or jumping from any piers at any time!
- 4.) Ball playing or "Frisbee" throwing in the approved swimming areas and their beaches is prohibited.

(For more association rules and regulations visit the webpage www.blackpointbeachclub.com)

Classifieds:


FOR SALE - Tomos A35 moped, excellent condition, runs great, new carburetor. \$500.00 Call (860) 691-2480!

BP MEETINGS:

Board of Governors Regular Meeting:
July 22nd @6:30p.m. @ the Clubhouse

Monthly Zoning Commission: August 19th @ 6:00p.m. @ the Clubhouse

Phone Numbers

Emergency- Fire, Ambulance, Police 911 
Police- routine matters..... 860-739-5900
Association Manager: Tom Sheehan..... 860-917-1573
Waterford- East Lyme 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- for hours, questions and ordering ahead call 860-451-8045.

From the Editor:

I wanted to take a moment to recognize the hard work of the people who deliver the Pointers to everyone in Black Point. With teamwork they manage to deliver almost 600 copies. They work very hard on making sure you get your pointer and find the best place to leave your pointer. Be mindful the delivery people need a place to put your pointer so it will not blow away. If available the Pointer can be placed under a mat or left in a door handle. If you do not have these as an option you may consider a small basket or flower pot to help have a place to put the pointer since a mailbox cannot be an option. Thank you for helping and if you have any questions you can contact Garrett at gickey1120@gmail.com or myself with the email or phone below.



Any ideas, announcements or suggestions can be added to our weekly newsletter as seen fit. Black Point rules require only members can place classifieds and help wanted ads, but cannot include business advertisements. Please send your information by **Sunday**. 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 I look forward to sharing great news with you. See you on the beach!

~ Suzanne Smith, Editor ~

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