# LAUREL LOCK CHATTER

May 1 - 3, 2020

Welcome Back Campers

Volume 2

#### **Recreation Notes**

To help quell the spread of Covid-19 at this time we are not allowed to have our buildings open to campers or run recreational activities that don't allow for social distancing. We hope our campers will all do their part in participating in social distancing so that we <u>can</u> get back to a more normal lifestyle as soon as possible.

Saturday 7:30 p.m. Social-Distance Bonfire - weather permitting

# Curbside New Season Check In

All campers must check in to the office before occupying your site for an overnight stay. This will be done curbside and you do not need to get out of your car. At the time of check in, our office staff will make sure your payments and files are up to date and all paperwork including rabies certificates and proof of golf cart insurance haive been received. We have a thank you gift in the office for those who have completed paperwork.

#### **Construction Noise and Notes**

Noise from construction is not allowed during the weekends beginning May 22, so please plan accordingly. All construction must be pre-approved through Tom Hornat (860-965-1453) and subject to any necessary permits prior to beginning work. Shed placement also needs to be approved. Please call Tom with any questions.

## **Anti-Syphon Valves**

Each campsite water spigot has had an anti-syphon valve placed on it prior to this camping season. These valves protect our water system from becoming contaminated by bacteria in hoses or RVs. Under no circumstances are campers allowed to remove the anti-syphon valves from the spigot. There will be a \$100 fee assessed to any camper whose water spigot has had the anti-syphon valve removed.

## Camping During The Days Of Covid-19

We feel very fortunate to have received at least a partial waiver to the non-essential business restrictions imposed by the state of Connecticut on campgrounds. We believe these restrictions are in everyone's best interest and sound public policy at this time. For the good of the campground community and for your own protection, we are requiring strict compliance with guidelines for social distancing and the wearing of face coverings outside your campsite. Also, gatherings must be limited to 6 people.

### **Guests And Helpers**

Due to Covid-19, at this time, we are not allowed to admit guests or early season helpers to come onto camp property.

### **Campground Phone Numbers**

| Katie Hornat | 860-213-1158 |
|--------------|--------------|
| Val Hornat   | 860-213-1159 |
| Pete Hornat  | 860-213-1160 |
| Tom Hornat   | 860-965-1453 |
| Office       | 860-859-1424 |

## Office Hours - Early Season

| Friday            | 12 a.m. – 7 p.m.  |
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| Saturday          | 10 a.m. − 6 p.m.  |
| Sunday            | 10 a.m. − 4 p.m.  |
| Monday – Thursday | 1  p.m. - 2  p.m. |

A mail slot has been installed in the camp office door. Please know this is a secure depository for payments and paperwork.



#### **Snowbirds**

We are requesting compliance with the state of Connecticut's recommendation that all seasonal campers arriving in CT from out of state quarantine at their sites for 2 weeks upon arrival.

# **April Payments**

April payments were due by April 30 and are delinquent as of May 1. We will accept April payments without late fees if received in our office by Sunday, May 3. If you are having difficulty making your payments on time, please call Katie to arrange a payment plan.

#### **Boat, Dock & Cart Payments**

Boat, dock and golf cart payments are due in our office by May 15. There is no grace period on these payments so make sure your payment is received in our office by the 15<sup>th</sup> to avoid a late fee. Dock slip holders who don't pay slip fees will not have their slips held for them.

#### **RV Water System Cleanout**

Each RV water system should be disinfected prior to hooking up your drinking-water quality hose to the campground water system. Refer to your RV manual for specific disinfecting instructions. Your drinking water hose should be replaced periodically.

### **Dogs And Treats**

Gentle, generous and dog-loving campers: Please be aware of any dietary restrictions and dog owner wishes before offering treats to campground dogs. Please ask each dog owner if a treat is allowed.

#### Wifi Password

The wifi connection outside and around the rec hall is named ASUS and the password is "15cottageroad."