LAUREL LOCK CHATTER June 12-14, 2020 Volume 8

Weekend Events

Due to restrictions from the state of of Connecticut as a result of Covid-19 we are unsure how many of our activities on our events calendar will take place this season.

Saturday, June 13

9 – 10 a.m. - Easy Yoga at the adult beach. Breathe, stretch, rejuvenate. Bring a towel and/or mat and wear comfortable clothing. If inclement weather, yoga will take place Sunday.

Upcoming Event

Saturday, June 20 - Breakdown Band Come to the gazebo to listen and dance to live music.

Swimming Areas

Per Connecticut Campground Owners Association, our waterfront can now be used under social distancing guidelines. Hooray!!!

Gardner Lake Water Temperature 67°

Thank You Campers

We appreciate our campers being conscientious about social distancing. Please stay diligent and help keep the Laurel Lock community safe.

Want To Make Extra Cash?

Our recycling area collects hundreds of 5¢ deposit cans and bottles each week. Please let the office know if you would like to take these recyclables to make some extra cash for your-self.

Custom Order LLC Shirts

Last call for ordering Laurel Lock sweatshirts, short or long sleeve tshirts, denim shirts, tank tops or hats, we have a sign-up sheet on the office table outside our office building

Your Campground Newsletter

Laurel Lock Rocks

Many of our sites have painted rocks to designate the site number and some are personalized to reflect the seasonal occupant of the site. We are sponsoring a contest of painted campsite rocks. Paint your site number and anything to personalize the site as your own on a rock near the entrance to your site. We'll have a sign up sheet at the office in mid-July for those who want to enter the contest. On July 31 we will select the top 3 and announce the winners of Laurel Lock Rocks contest in the Chatter. If your site doesn't have a rock at the entrance, please inquire in the office so we can get one for you.



June Payments

Final payments for campsite fees are due in June. All accounts should be brought to a zero balance as of July 1.



860-859-1424

Many Thanks

Many thanks to Patrick Royce and Dee Collins of site #75 for the continuous planting and maintenance of the garden at the entrance to the campground. Patrick and Dee planted the garden 4 years ago in honor of Ann Breda, Laurel Lock's founding matriarch. Take a moment to enjoy its beauty the next time you enter the camp (on the left after the barn) or as you exit (on the right near the dead standing oak tree.)

Fish Bucket and Scoops

We have placed a covered bucket and scoop at both beaches near the gray trash and recycling cans for campers to dispose of fish as they wash ashore. Hopefully we are at the end of the annual fish spawn-and-die season and the dead fish are waning.

Our Namesake

The laurel is coming into full bloom this weekend. We hope you enjoy their pink and white blossoms. The laurel is Connecticut's state flower.

Designated Smoking Area

A designated smoking area is located at the picnic table near the gazebo. For the consideration of non-smokers, please only use this area to smoke during day and evening activities.

Gratitude Corner

We are resurrecting the gratitude corner for the *Chatter* for this season to help remind us in these troubled times all that we have to be thankful for. Please text Katie at 860-213-1158 if you would like to share a thought of gratitude with the campground community. You may remain anonymous or have your name associated with your entry.

Katie Hornat is grateful for the Laurel Lock's yogis who show up to practice each weekend.

Trailer For Sale On Site

Do you know someone who would be interested in a trailer at Laurel Lock? A 2014 Hampton Crossroads park model is for sale on site 27. The site has a lovely waterview of the campers' beach. The park model includes a new a/c unit, hard awning, two TVs a large deck and inside fireplace. There are lots of extras to go with the trailer. Check out our bulletin board for all the details.