

# LAUREL LOCK CHATTER

July 10-12, 2020

Your Campground Newsletter

Volume 12

## Weekend Events

### Saturday

**11 a.m. – Do-It-Yourself Insect Repellent Workshop** with Beth Gray. Beth will teach you how to use Young Living essential oils to make a safe and effective repellent. Interested campers meet at Beth's site #106. \$5 Raindate is July 19 at 11 a.m.

### Sunday

**9 – 10 a.m. - Easy Yoga** at the adult beach. Breathe, stretch, rejuvenate. Bring a towel and/or mat and wear comfortable clothing.

**10 a.m. – Prayer Service** at the adult beach. BYOC (bring your own chair)

## Upcoming Events

**July 18 – Halloween** – Trick or Treating will take place this year. Kids, get your costumes ready. Campers who want to treat, don't forget to pick up the candy.

**July 18 – Fleet** A local band playing rock and classic rock music for your listening and dancing enjoyment.

**July 25 – Jimmy Pino** brings his microphone and audio equipment to the gazebo to play and jam with campground musicians and singers.

## Laurel Lock Rocks Contest

Campsite number rocks have been delivered and rocks all over camp are donning a fresh coat of paint with numbers, pictures and names of occupants. We're seeing lots of creativity and artistry. Yeah! A sign-up sheet is posted on the bulletin board for those who want to be judged for contest. You have until the end of the month to paint your rock and sign up. There will be 3 prize categories: most original, most beautiful and most representative of Laurel Lock.

## Boat Parade Winners

Fifteen boats from Laurel Lock came out for a spin around the lake last Saturday afternoon and conditions were perfect. The winners of the decorating contest were as follows: Most original went to the Ransom family for Family Feud, most creative went to the Gray family for May The 4<sup>th</sup> Be With You and best overall went to the Malinguaggios for Hooked Up. Winners received a bottle of Happy Camper wine and gift certificates for guest passes. Many thanks to the Baron family; Kaelyn, Jayce, Taryn and Keith from site #46 for judging the event.

## Dogs On Beaches

A couple weeks ago we addressed the issue of dogs on the beaches. We feel we need to be more specific in our description of "the beaches." The adult beach is the entire grassy area up from the waterline, since there is only a sliver of sand there, most beach goers hang out on the grass. Please don't walk, hang out with your dog or allow your dog to defecate in this area. At the campers' beach, the beach includes the area to the right of the kayak racks, (looking at the water) the area around the gazebo, the picnic table area south of the sand area and of course, all the sand area from the gazebo to the water. We consider Laurel Lock to be a pet-friendly atmosphere, but the beaches are definitely off limits.



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## Trailer For Sale On Site

Do you know someone who would be interested in a trailer at Laurel Lock? On the market is a 34' Open Range Journeyer on site 81 that features dual a/c, 3 slides, a 4-season package and a fireplace. There are lots of extras to go with this trailer. Check out our bulletin board for all the details.

## 2020 Deposits

Deposits for seasonal camping in 2021 are due during the month of July. The office requests an individual check for your non-refundable \$300 deposit as these monies are put into a separate operating account. You will not receive an invoice for the deposit. Please let the office know if you are not planning to camp in 2021.

## What's In Store

The store isn't officially open but we are selling ice, propane, firewood and stones. We've added a few more essential items to our shelves and they include masks (\$5), ingredients for s'mores; (marshmallows, graham crackers and Hershey chocolate bars) and snickers bars. The store also has a variety of sundries including paper goods (toilet paper, paper towels, paper plates, cups, tissues, foil, wraps and table coverings), toilet chemicals, dish and laundry soap, Kingsford charcoal and otc drugs. We also have a small amount of groceries including pasta, ketchup, mustard, relish, dressing, bbq sauce. So if you run out of something, before you drive to Big Y, call or ask. We just might have what you need.

**Happy 50<sup>th</sup> Birthday  
Melissa and Lisa**

**Gardner Lake  
Water Temperature 73 °**