

THE PARK POST

LOWER BEVERLEY LAKE PARK

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The Countdown Is On!

In less than a month, the park will be open
and we will be well on our way to celebrating the summer of 2012!



The park will be open to the public for occupancy between the dates of Friday, May 11th and Monday, October 8th. While Seasonal Campers may access the park to clean their lots/trailers during the week prior to our opening day, overnight stays are not permitted until May 11th.

Registration Packages



Upon arrival to the park, we request that all Seasonal Campers stop at the Gate House to collect their 2012 packages. As part of the package, Seasonal Campers will be provided with two proximity gate cards, the May Issue of the Park Post and a 2012 Park Brochure.

Since the park's closure for the season in October, a new gate system has been installed at the Main Entrance. Operating on the same principle as the Boat Launch automated entrance; you will now require a proximity card to gain admission to the park via the Gate House entrance.

To facilitate the distribution of the registration packages, Reception Staff will be available prior to the park's opening on the following days:

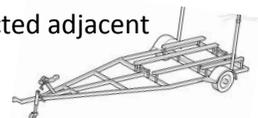
April 30th to May 4th between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m.
May 5th and May 6th between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.
May 7th to 10th between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m.

Boat Trailer Storage

As part of our 2012 capital program, a secure fenced compound was constructed adjacent to the wood lot which is now available for boat trailer storage.

Storage is available at a cost of \$100 per season.

Storage space may be reserved by contacting Reception Staff in the Gate House.



Spring Clean Up



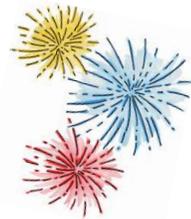
Just a reminder to those Seasonal Campers who will be in the park cleaning up their lots prior to opening day that any raked leaves need to be placed in a garbage bag and taken to the road for Maintenance Staff to collect. Similarly, garbage should be dealt with in the same manner.

Please remember to remain on the dry, well-travelled portions of the roadways within the park. Some areas are still quite soft in spite of the early arrival of the milder spring like temperatures.

As outlined in Schedule B to By-Law #2011-18, all proposed outdoor work and / or projects must be pre-approved by Park Management prior to any construction taking place. This includes but is not limited to the adding of soil, cutting or planting of trees or the spreading of gravel. Anyone wishing to complete such an alteration is asked to submit their request to Reception Staff at the Gate House for consideration by Management.

Welcome New Seasonal Campers

Within the past two months, three new families have joined our seasonal family. We would like to take this opportunity to officially welcome the following new seasonal campers.



Jim Thompson/Linda McPherson-Brinston
Grant and Brenda Radmore-Ottawa
Don and Penny Biccum, Brockville



Volunteers Make A Difference!

More than five million Ontarians volunteer each year and contribute more than 800 million annual volunteer hours in helping Ontario grow stronger. They play a significant role in building strong and diverse communities, and are instrumental in the enrichment of their respective communities across the province.

Each year, the Ontario Ministry of Citizenship and Immigration recognizes such volunteers across the province through the presentation of the Ontario Volunteer Service Award. We are very fortunate to have many active volunteers within the park and the community, both past and present. While the Park Management Board would like to refer all of the volunteers for recognition at once, the provincial program only allows for the submission of six people per year. For the 2012 season, the Management Board would like to acknowledge the contributions of Joyce and David Morley, Mary Ellen Moorhouse, Vickie Davy, Judy Garrett and Judy Pearson. Recipients will be receiving an invitation to attend a gala presentation evening in Kingston in late June.

Six additional volunteers will be recognized next year for both their past and current contributions.

2013 Rates

During the March meeting of the Management Board, members passed By-Law # 2012-03 which established and now regulates the rates / fees for all sites / services during the 2013 season. Please note that the rates applicable to **Seasonal Sites have not increased** and as such, the following rates will apply to all seasonal camping sites.



Non-Serviced Sites: \$1000.00 + \$130.00 (13% HST) = \$ 1130.00
 15 amp Service: \$1625.00 + \$211.25 (13% HST) = \$ 1836.25
 30 amp Service: \$1900.00 + \$247.00 (13% HST) = \$ 2147.00

2013 Payment Schedule

NOTE: 13% HST is included in the payment schedule.

Site	September 30 th , 2012	February 28 th , 2013	May 10 th , 2013
Non-Serviced	\$376.67	\$376.67	\$376.66
15 amp Service	\$400.00	\$718.12	\$718.13
30 amp Service	\$400.00	\$873.50	\$873.50



Our deepest condolences are extended to the family of the late Larry Gauthier who passed away on October 1st.

Larry and his wife Verna spent several summers in our park as Seasonal Campers. Our thoughts and prayers are with Verna and her family as they go through these difficult times.

Farmers' Market

In the February Issue of the Park Post, preliminary information was included regarding the potential hosting of a Farmers' Market within the park on Saturday mornings during the peak season. Unfortunately, the Market has been cancelled as we were not able to register enough vendors in order to make the program economically viable.



Recreation Committee Needs YOU!

In years past, we have been fortunate to have a very active and progressive Campers' Recreation Committee within the park. This group of dedicated individuals has sponsored such events as bi-weekly bingos, karaoke, pancake breakfasts, yard sales, 50/50 draws and events for the children.

Proceeds from their efforts have supported various projects within the park including the purchase of the new raft at the main beach, a playground climber for young children, the revitalization of the mini-putt, the installation of the playground lights and upgrades to the Bradford Pavilion.



Please contact Pat Philips (Site D 06) at 613-928-2712 or by email to harymary@ripnet.com should you have some time and are willing to volunteer. Help us maintain our summer programs!

From the Desk of
Brent Rathwell
Seasonal Campers' Liaison



Hi Folks;

April is upon us and with that, the drier and warmer weather makes us think of returning to Lower Beverley Lake Park.

Upon arrival this year, the first new thing you see in the park will be the redesigned entrance at the Gate House with new lanes to help with the process of accessing the park; complete with new pavement, gates, signage directing traffic and decorative flags. This project is just one of the many developments completed since the park closed for the season last October.

The park is drying up well and I am sure people will be looking forward to tidying up their lots and getting their trailers opened for the upcoming season after a fairly open but long winter.

Numerous activities have been planned this year for your enjoyment. A complete list of events will be provided in your welcome package upon your arrival. The preliminary list of activities is now available on-line at www.beverleylakepark.com. Hopefully you and your family will be able to enjoy them all.

Until then,

Happy Camping Ahead!
