

ACTIVITIES & EVENTS

Friday, September 2nd 2016

7pm- Free Kids Candy Bar Bingo @ the 3rd Street Clubhouse. Please bring a candy bar to play

8:30pm- Euchre @ the Beach house. Register in advance at 8:15pm.

Saturday, September 3rd 2016

9am to 1pm On Lot Yard Sale. See article.

10am- Free Kid's Arts & Crafts @ 3rd St. Clubhouse w/Samantha

12pm- Horseshoe Tournament. Across from the beach house. See article.

1pm- Noise Parade, meet at the carousel area. See article.

3pm- Poker Run, see article.

3pm- 3-Legged Race, Tug a War & Potato Sack Races @ 3rd Street Clubhouse.

5pm- Kid's Dodgeball, meet at the tennis courts to play.

6pm- All About Me Parade. See article.

7pm- Bunco @ the Beach house. Sign up in advance at 6:45pm.

7pm to 11pm Teen Dance @ the Rec Center. See rec center for more info.

7pm to 11pm Band "Still Runnin" & 50/50 at the rec center pavilion.

Sunday, September 4th 2016

9am to Noon Golf Scramble. Meet at the first tee. The course is only open to those in the scramble until noon.

12pm- Pinochle @ the Beach house, sign-up in advance by 11:45am.

12pm- Corn Hole Tournament, see article for more info.

1pm- Water balloon Volleyball. Meet on the beach volleyball net behind the beach house to play.

3pm- Family Kickball. Meet at the ball diamond by the Store.

3pm- Poker Run, see article.

5pm- Kids Candy Bar Bingo @ the 3rd street clubhouse. Please bring a candy bar to play.

6pm- Labor Day Parade. See article.

7pm to 11pm Band "Alibi" & 50/50 @ the Rec Center Pavilion.

9pm- Labor Day Drawing at the Rec Center Pavilion.

Monday, September 5th
Happy Labor Day!



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FAMILY CAMPGROUND

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ISSUE: #15 WEEKLY NEWSLETTER Friday, September 2nd 2016

"Labor Day Weekend" Welcome to GWA! We hope you enjoy your stay with us. If there is anything we can do to make your stay better please let us know.

*Please note the Portage Road Gate will be open starting on Thursday and staying open thru Monday for our seasonal campers and their visitors. Over night and weekend campers please use the Hilton Road entrance.



Back by popular demand! We are proudly excited to announce the re-opening of the Brick Fundraiser. We are inviting everyone who would like to participate, the opportunity to support and share in this special project. The engraved bricks will be displayed at the rec center pavilion and become a permanent fixture to Greenwood Acres Family Campground. You can have a brick honoring your family, friend, pet, business or special loved one. **These engraved bricks will be a lifelong tribute to each and every supporter who buys a brick.** (View our current beautiful display at the rec. center pavilion). Proceeds go to the American Cancer Society. Each engraved brick is \$40.00. This includes the brick, engraving, paint, sealant, installation, shipping, tax and small art work if you desire. Contact Nancy Mueller (313) 399-3210 or lot 38 on 7th Street. Or you may place your order directly with **Cut In Stone** by visiting their website at: www.cutinstone.biz

Labor Day Prize List & Drawing Info: Tickets are available at the Store, Rec Center, Linda Robbins 9 Farm View, Fred & Nancy Mueller 38 on 7th, Audrey Farrar 15 on 27th, Frank & John 19 on 23rd street and various campers throughout the park for 3 for \$1 donation. No need to be present to win. Prizes are below:
\$700 off your 2017 lot rent \$500 off your 2017 lot rent
\$200 off your 2017 lot rent \$100 Wal-Mart Gift Card
\$100 Meijer Gift Card (2) \$100 Speedway Gift Card
\$100 Home Depot Gift Card \$100 Lowes Gift Card

*Labor Day Drawing will be held at the rec center pavilion on Sunday, September 4th @ 9pm.

On Lot Yard Sale: is on Saturday, September 3rd from 9am to 1pm. Make sure to visit every street so you do not miss out on great finds. **Please put your yard sale items away @ 1pm. This is not an all-day event.** If anyone has any sports equipment that does not sell and would like to donate it, please do so by bringing it to the rec center. We can always use it for the kids. Thanks☺

Jumping Pillow Hours and Information: Hours for the Jumping pillow; Monday thru Friday 3pm to 6pm, Saturday & Sunday 12pm to 6pm. **Socks and shirt must be worn while on the pillow; swimsuits are not acceptable.** Please follow the posted rules while on the pillow. All bikes need to be parked in the bike racks. This will help to keep the street clear for oncoming traffic. All carts are asked to park by the rec. center parking area.

GWA Sweatshirts & Tee-Shirts will be available for purchase @ the Rec Center during regular business hours. Hoodies are \$25 and Tee-Shirts are \$12. We have a variety of sizes from toddler to adults. Size 2xl are \$3 more and 3xl are \$4 more for each shirt.



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Camper Announcement: I want to wish my husband Michael a very happy anniversary on September 4th. People said we would only last 6 months, but the last time I took math 17,885 days totaled 49 years and not 6 months. Happy anniversary honey! I can't wait for #50 Vegas Baby Vegas. Love You Bunches Josie

Poker Runs: will take place **Saturday, September 3rd @ 3pm and on Sunday, September 4th @ 3pm.** Proceeds from both dates for the poker run will be donated to the homeless shelter. We are asking that each team bring 6 items to be donated to the shelter. **Saturday items for adults, Sunday items for kids.** (Examples: Body soap, shampoo, toothpaste, toothbrush, comb or brushes, school supplies, baby wipes, bottles, etc.) Sign up with Cheri Huff at 20 on 25th street or Nancy Lancina 1 on Hilton Road. The cost is \$10.00 per team. **You must register in advance.** Rules are available at time of registration. Slots will fill fast don't wait.

Noise Parade: Are you ready for the Noise Parade? The purpose of the Noise Parade is for the kids to make as much noise as they can. Use a pot and wooden spoon, a whistle, a noise maker or anything that makes noise. Meet at the carousel area at **1pm on Saturday.** The Parade route will go down Court to Main St. and end at 14th and Main. Since this is for the kids, no golf carts are allowed. **This is a walking Parade.** If the child is unable to walk the distance, strollers, wheelchairs or tricycles are permitted. No Bikes Please! As a spectator, sit on the sides of Main Street, block traffic and cheer them on! Ok Kids, let's get loud!

Horseshoe Tournament: is on **Saturday, September 3rd @ 12pm.** Meet at the horseshoe pits across from the Beach House. Cash prizes! Registration is at 11am @ the Horseshoe Pits. Cost is \$14 per team

All About Me Parade: This Parade Is All About you...Come join the "All About Me Parade" **Saturday, September 3rd @ 6pm.** Decorate your golf cart, bike or yourself however you like. How about a Butterfly Cart, Cancer Cart, Clown Cart, Music Cart, Sports Cart, Candy Cart and/or many more family fun ideas. Award Medals will be given to first, second and third place winners, and also a beautiful 21 inch grand prize trophy for one year's worth of bragging rights. For more information see: Darryl & Ramona at 19 Hilton or email them at: AllAboutMeParade@hotmail.com

Corn Hole Tournament: is on **Sunday, September 4th at 12 pm.** The corn hole tournament will be held by the horseshoe pits. Please bring your own regulation size boards. GWA does not have regulations size boards. Registration starts at 11am at the pavilion by the horseshoe pits or see Jim 26 on 11th Street.

Labor Day Parade: Show your colors! Decorate your golf cart or bike and wave your flags in the GWA Labor Day Parade. The Parade starts off on **Sunday, September 4th @ 6pm.** Meet by the grass wagon at 5:45pm to assemble. For safety purposes, golf carts will go first then the bicycles. Walkers, runners and strollers will be at the end of the Parade. If you choose to be a spectator, sit by the parade route and wave! **The Parade will start** down Hilton to Court to Main St. then down to Lake Shore and finishing off at Second St. by the restrooms. All vehicles and golf carts please use alternative routes during the parade.

This year we continue to help kids with cancer at St. Jude Children's Research Hospital "Cans for Kids". Instead of taking cans/bottles to the store, donate them to "Cans for Kids." Containers are located throughout GWA. Please do not put trash, garbage or other debris in these clearly marked containers. **A special thank you goes out to Brad & Kathy Mercier for helping this season in taking back bottles/cans.** Current total collected to date is \$3,482.30. If you have any bottle slips please turn them into Sharon Kinchsular in the office.

***Please make sure you drop off all donations or money raised for the American Cancer Society to John Gibbs @ Lot 19 on 23rd Street no later than 2pm the next day. "All ACS money goes to John Gibbs; not the office."**

Please take time to inform your family and your guests of the campground rules for everyone's safety and enjoyment. **The Speed Limit is 10 mph.** Please remember there is no riding on the tailgate or the back of trucks. No bike riding after dark. You can obtain a list of rules from the front office, gate house or online at www.greenwoodacrescampground.com

If you would like to donate food for the Peacocks please drop it off at the front gate. Thanks!



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It's not the end of summer. It's the start of fall!

FUTURE EVENTS: please note more events will be added as they become finalized. Events are subject to change without notice & or weather permitting. **Golf Scrambles & Pinochle are every Sunday but are not listed below.**

Friday, September 9th: Family Movie Night, Euchre

Saturday, September 10th: Arts & Crafts, Golf Outing, Kids Fishing Contest, Bunco, Band "Whiskey Bullet"

Friday, September 16th: **Fall Fest Begins**, Kids Candy Bar Bingo, Euchre

Saturday, September 17th: Arts & Crafts, Pony Rides and Petting Zoo, Bunco, Hay Wagon Rides, Band "Act III"

Friday, September 23rd: Family Movie Night, Euchre

Saturday, September 24th: Arts & Crafts, Laser Tag, Kids sports Activities, Hay Wagon Rides, Bunco, Band "Alibi"



Please keep in mind we have Activities and Events all Season long. You won't want to miss the Fall Hay Wagon Rides, Laser Tag, Bands, Campfires, Chamberlin petting zoo and pony rides, Fall Community Picnic and all the Halloween fun we have planned for you in October.

October: Reserve your site early for our spooky Halloween weekends.

Saturday, October 1st: Arts & Crafts, Fall Community Picnic, Kids Activities, Hay Wagon Rides, Band "Van Rives"

Friday, October 7th: **Halloween Weekend "Kick Off"** Family Movie Night, Euchre

Saturday, October 8th: Arts & Crafts, Trick or Treating, Hay Wagon Rides, Wrap the Mummy, Band "Hooligan"

Friday, October 14th: **Spooky Weekend** Kids Spooky Moonlight Miniature Golf, Haunted Forest, Euchre

Saturday, October 15th: Arts & Crafts, Pie Eating Contest, Kids Sports Activities, Trick or Treating, Hay Wagon Rides, Haunted Forest, Band "Dixie Mafia"

Friday, October 21st: **Happy Haunting Weekend** Family Movie Night, Haunted Forest

Saturday, October 22nd: Arts & Crafts, Pumpkin Carving Contest, Trick or Treating, Wrap the Mummy, Kids Sports Activities, Hay Wagon Rides, Haunted Forest, Band "Still Runnin"

Friday, October 28th: **Final weekend of the season.** Family Movie Night

Saturday, October 29th: Arts & Crafts, Trick or Treating, Pumpkin Painting, Adult Costume Contest, Band "Alibi"

Monday, October 31st: **Happy Halloween!** Campground Closes at 4pm.

Office Hours: Daily 8am – 8pm (517) 522-8600

Pool Hours: Daily @ 10am – 9pm. Adult Swim is from 3pm – 4pm daily.



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Wood Vendors. To purchase a face cord of wood, contact~ **King Kut-** Bill (517) 812-2455 or Jared (517) 990-4870. ***No other outside vendors allowed without prior permission from the Office.** Note: Bundles of wood can be purchased at C & B General Store or at the front gate. **“No outside wood is allowed.”**

Kinch’s Kayaks. Call (517) 522-5118 to reserve a kayak(s). Kayak rental prices \$10.00 per hour, \$30.00 per 4 hrs. or \$40.00 for the day. Stand up paddle boards only \$50.00 per day or \$15.00 per hour. Add some fun to your camping adventure!

Blonde’s Buggys Golf Carts Sales. Contact Alan Blonde for more information @ (517) 392-7139 or you can find him at lot 10 on Lakeshore.

John from Golf Carts Plus in Belleville who is an authorized Club Car dealer is here for his 15th year! He is here during the season on Saturdays to offer carts for sale, accessories and service to his customers here at GWA. www.golfcartsplus.com or (734) 397-5667.

Leisure Golf Carts offers on-site golf cart rentals! Basic carts and Deluxe 4 Passenger carts are available for daily or weekly rates. **Call John for reservations at** (517) 740-5129.

Golf Cart Outfitter offers, golf cart sales and service. Call **Craig Arver** at (517) 879-5181 or email **Craig** at golfcartoutfitter@gmail.com

Boat Dock Café: Donny Baker proprietor ***Daily breakfast specials. Friday- taco night; Saturdays- \$1 Coney night. Pizza is on Friday and Saturdays only. Hours: Sunday, Monday & Wednesday 8am – 2pm ~ Thursday 8am-8pm (Closed on Tuesday) ~Friday & Saturday 8am-10pm.**

C & B General Store Hours: Proprietors, Carol & Bill Pudlik **Blue Streak toilet cleaning system is now available.** Golf Clubs and pull cart rental available. Buy your fishing bait and \$5-firewood bundles here! Soft serve, chocolate or vanilla ice cream in a cup or a cone = \$2 each.
Hours: Mon. - Thurs. 9 am - 6 pm ~ Fri. & Sat. 9 am - 10 pm ~ Sun. 9 am - 5 pm. (Open later on holidays).

For your convenience there are ATM’s located inside the general store and inside the rec. center.

Recreation Center: Amber Tripp (517) 416-6081

The Rec Center has **32 flavors of hard served Hershey’s Ice Cream, 24 sno-cone flavors, fresh squeezed lemonade and several specialty coffees.** There are also pool tables, arcade games, board games, air hockey, even adult (only) Diamond Skill machines; that give you a chance to win American Express gift cards! **Holiday Hours: Fri. 9 am-11:45 pm ~ Sat. 9 am-11:45 pm ~ Sun. 9 am-11:45 pm (Free Pool 8pm – 11pm) and Monday 9am – 6pm *New hours coming for this fall after Labor Day weekend.**

Propane Sales at GWA: 1 pm daily. Please pay in advance at the Gate House.

All tanks have a \$3.00 fill fee that is included in the price.

Pick-up and Delivery is \$10.00 per tank.

- 20 lb. Tank = \$19.00
- 30 lb. Tank = \$27.00
- 40 lb. Tank = \$35.00
- 100 lb. Tank = \$83.00
- Partial fill = pay .80 per lb. plus \$3 fill fee.**
- **Motorhomes = \$3.75 per gal.**

• Be certain your name, lot number and street name are on your tank.

In case of Emergency, Call 911 Make sure to tell them, you are at Greenwood Acres Family Campground 2401 Hilton Rd. Jackson, MI 49201. Then give them your lot number & street name. Contact the Front Gate immediately & let them know your lot number & street name, so patrol can show emergency personnel the shortest route to your campsite.



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