

# The Sentinel

August 2011

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Dear Members:

It's been a spectacular summer so far and we sincerely hope that you are enjoying all that Lake Lenape has to offer. Yes, we've had some darn hot weather, but how wonderful is it to have such a relief resource just down the road!

There have been tasks to complete and we've held some fun events. None would have been accomplished without the help of many. The community sincerely thanks you!!!

Beach setup day brought out families and friends, old and young. We thank Ray Wexler, Hildegard and Danny Power, Chris and Margaret Christopherson, Jim and Kelsey Bederka, Jim Diverio, Sandra, Sean, Bryana and Brandon Taylor and Grandmom Ampara, Diane and Kyle Plumb, Barry Holland, Chris Widgren, Viki and George Hochschwender. A special thank you to Mickey Kurnides who generously donated his time and use of his tractor to spread the new beach sand.

The Great American Bar-B-Que was a great time and many thanks to our hosts Hildegard Power and Diane Plumb who orchestrated the

events of the day. Thanks also to the kids that counted clams, to Jim Bederka for making the trek to Newark for the clams and the too-many-to-name young and not-so-young volunteers who helped throughout the day. Thanks also to Joey Kimble who masterfully bar-b-que'd the pulled pork and chicken.

I would like to thank the following people who helped me dismantle and remove the old fence and put up a brand new one the following morning: Jim McGovern, Ken Bandel, Bob Reidmiller, Chris Widgren, Ray Wexler, Joe Farinella and Brian Brennan, Hildegard Power and her sons, Danny, Jamie and Owen.

It was a great group effort and with all the help, it took ten hours for the entire project. We saved \$900 by doing it ourselves.

Volunteering to help our community is truly a rewarding thing. Get involved the next time the Board reaches out for help. You will be glad you did. Thanks again!

Rich Hammler  
President  
Lake Lenape Association

Jody Halteman hosted the July 4th picnic and busted her buns doing so. In spite of the demands of hosting an event, she graciously said she would volunteer for the event next year - but only with additional help!

Gary Papparello provided the music even after his set time period. He stayed and played music that was coordinated with fireworks. An anonymous member provided a fireworks display to the enjoyment of all. This anonymous fireworks setter-offer also roped

off a safe area for the fireworks and cleaned the stone dock afterward. You're awesome, man!

Selling the 50/50's during an event is at the very least a two-hour commitment of volunteer time. Of course, it is a win-win for both the winner and Lake Lenape. Our thanks to the following sellers: Melissa Bandel, Ed Galinski, Viki Hochschwender, Chris Widgren and Rich Hammler.

The clubhouse has screen doors! No more flies! Many thanks to Walter Hart and Harry Hanson.

Thanks to Peggy and Larry Poleti for donating an air conditioner to the clubhouse. The Board meets twice a month during the summer and it has provided cool relief to some very long meetings!

A crew consisting of Mike Longman, Ray Wexler, Barry Holland, Chris Widgren and Danny Power worked to clear a tree that had fallen into the lake near the clubhouse.



Photo courtesy of Jamie Power

The basketball court is ready for action! Thanks to Jim McGovern for replacing the rims/hoops on the basketball court.



## Rent the Clubhouse for Your Event

The clubhouse is a great place to celebrate.

Members can rent the clubhouse for the whole day for only \$120 and a \$100 security deposit. To reserve your special event, call Brenda Post. Clubhouse is available on a first call, first served basis.

## 2011 Calendar of Events

### Final Campout of the Summer Saturday, August 13



### Labor Day Picnic Sunday, September 4 2 pm



Burgers, hotdogs, condiments and drinks will be provided. Please bring a dish for all to enjoy.

Although summer does not officially end until September 23rd, the Lake's annual Labor Day picnic marks the end of the season for many. Past Labor Day picnics have been celebrated with games and contests. This year, we are looking to celebrate the day with a variety of boat races.

If you haven't noticed, kayaks are now king at Lake Lenape. Although still in the planning stages, we are thinking of having a variety of races, including kayaks, canoes and even boogie boards for all age groups.

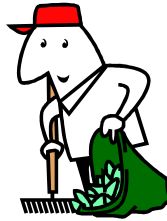


So don't forget to bring your watercraft of choice and life jackets. Volunteers for judging and keeping score are appreciated. If you want to help out, please call Peggy

Widgren at 786-6099.

### **(Sadly) Beach Clean UP**

**Saturday, September 17**  
9 am. Please come!

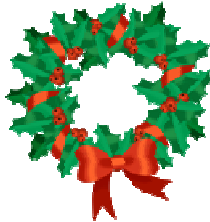


### **Kids Halloween Party**

**Saturday, October 29**  
2 pm

### **Holiday Party**

**Saturday, December 3**  
7 pm, Hillside Barn  
Unfortunately, this year there will be a nominal charge due to a lack of funds.



### **Board Elections**

**Tuesday, December 6**  
7 pm

**All events are held at the Clubhouse or Beach area unless stated otherwise.**

### **Volunteering**

This ain't no country club, it is a member-owned association. It would be so much easier if we could pay party planners and caterers to hold our events, or to pay craftsmen and women to take on all of our repairs. We cannot afford to do so and we must depend on volunteers.

As members, we should all take the pride of ownership and each member should devote some volunteer hours each year to the Lake.

Don't just sit there . . . please help.

- Chair the upcoming campout
- Help Peggy at the Labor Day picnic
- Bring the kids and help at the beach clean up
- Do you see something that needs to be done? Organize a team and "get 'er done."

### **Lake Lenape T-Shirt**

Lake Lenape Association would like to thank the members who submitted T-Shirt designs for the new LLA T-Shirt that has been on sale this summer. The winning design was submitted by new member, Jessica Cino. Others who submitted designs were Harry Hanson, Adam Taylor, Eva Santamaria and Janet Sullivan.

### **T-SHIRTS ARE ON SALE NOW!**

**Children's size \$9**  
**Adult Size Small to XL \$11**  
**Adult Size XXL \$13**

They are 100% cotton, pre-shrunk and will be available at the Labor Day picnic. Shirts may also be purchased by contacting Elaine Wexler.

**The shirts are excellently priced and the supply is going fast so get your T-shirt today!**

### **Sentinel**

*The Board is very pleased to announce that Elaine Wexler will be the new editor-in-chief starting with the next Sentinel. Elaine has some terrific ideas for the newsletter including a six-part series on the history of Lake Lenape. She would also like to include personal announcements such as birthday wishes, congratulatory notes, items for sale, etc. Elaine welcomes your ideas as well.*

*The Board would like to thank Viki Hochschwender for all the years that she devoted to the Sentinel.*

### **Rules of the Lake**

For the benefit of all, all members and guests must adhere to the following rules:

- No parking on the beach lawn.
- No dogs allowed on beach property.
- Members and guests must wear badges while on the beach or in your boats.
- All boats must be properly stickered with current decals to be on Lake property or in the Lake
- If you use your boat in other waters, be sure to wash it off prior to putting it in Lake Lenape to avoid introducing the Water Chestnut to our beautiful lake.
- Cars must display current decals. The paved area immediately in front of the lawn is private Lake Lenape property. Parking requirements will be enforced.
- Absolutely no glass containers or bottles are permitted on Lake property. Please inform your guests!

Please help the Board protect your rights, privileges and property.

There's still lots of time to ...

**Earn cash for LLA and  
Win a FREE  
2012 Free Membership**

**SCRIP is a really, really easy fundraiser for Lake Lenape. Exchange cash for a SCRIP card and use it every time you buy groceries at Shoprite. In turn, Shoprite will GIVE LLA \$5 for every \$100 you spend. How easy is that?**

**For every \$100 in SCRIP you use in 2011, you get one entry into the lottery for 2012.**

Drawing will be held during the General Membership meeting in December.

Remember, the more you use SCRIP, the better your chances!

**Contact one of our SCRIP suppliers today:**

Sharon Belloff  
Ray Doidge  
Paige Bederka

**GET SCRIP!!!!  
AND GOOD LUCK!**

## We Can Do It ... Cookbook

With the popularity of the food television shows and the great interest in cuisines from around the world, we really thought a cookbook from our own members and friends would be a no-brainer. Who doesn't love a cookbook?

We really need your help for the cookbook to "go." We almost have 200 now, but must have at least 250 recipes!

Once done, the cookbook will sell for around \$10 making it extremely affordable. It's a great gift for a teacher, a neighbor or as a stocking stuffer. It would benefit Lake Lenape, too.

There's no limit to the number of recipes you can submit and you do not have to be a member to submit a recipe. You can copy a recipe, send a newspaper clipping, anyway that works for you. You can mail it, email it, or call for a pick up.

Below is the contact info for the cookbook team:

Last	Name	Team
<u>Initial</u>	<u>Contact</u>	
A-F	Viki Hochschwender	
G-K	Diane Plumb	
L-Q	Elaine Wexler	
R-Z	Hildegard Power	

## New Jersey Sales Tax

We received several membership applications that did not include the New Jersey sales tax. Please be advised that the LLA Board did it's best to fight this tax, but New Jersey would not be swayed. The tax you pay for your membership is sent, dollar-for-dollar, to the state as mandated. We share your frustration!