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Oak Terrace Summer Fest!



It wouldn't be summer without Oak Terrace's annual Summer Fest. This is the one night that brings our community together to enjoy great food and great music. It is a chance to meet new neighbors and connect with old friends. Last year was so much fun! If you didn't get a chance to enjoy last year's festivities, make sure you save the date for it this summer.

Summer Fest will take place on Saturday, July 30 from 4:00 PM to 9:00 PM at Beach Park. We will kick off the party with the traditional Cardboard Boat Regatta. This is the chance for kids to unleash their creativity and build a boat from cardboard and duct tape.

Below, you will see the rules for this race. Following the boat race, there will be food served, vegetarian dishes will be available. Water will be provided and feel free to bring your own drinks if you would like something other than water. After dinner, prepare to dance the night away as The Dynamix-Ultimate Cover Band plays familiar songs we all love to hear. Outdoor games will also be available for those kids and adults who have a fun, competitive side. Throughout the evening, raffle tickets will be sold to win some great prizes. You must be present to win the raffle. Admission is FREE for Oak Terrace members in good standing. Also, note that the W Lake View bridge near Willow Avenue will be closed from approximately 3:00PM-10:00PM.

We are looking for 10-15 volunteers to help out. All we need is 30-60 minutes of your time before and/or after the event to help set up and put away tables, chairs, and food. If you are able to help, please contact Lisa Brickert at 614-507-2848 or lisa.brickert@gmail.com.

Please stay tuned for any additional information about the Oak Terrace Summer Fest, which will be sent to the Oak Terrace email distribution list. If you are not on that list, please send your email address to: oakterraceneighbors@gmail.com

Construction Material and Rules for The Cardboard Boat Regatta

- The ENTIRE boat must be built from cardboard and duct tape. Duct tape may be used to reinforce seams.
- Hull wrapping in duct tape is allowed.
- Corrugated cardboard, carpet tubes, cardboard blocks can be found at recycling centers, appliance stores, department stores, discount club warehouse stores, and electronic stores.
- Pre-treated cardboard such as waxed cardboard is allowed. No paint or varnish is allowed on the day of the event, all paint and varnished cardboard must be cured prior to launch in our lake. Paints and varnish must be used as decoration only, not for waterproofing purposes.
- Fastening material is to be duct tape only.
- Decorations are allowed and encouraged provided they are not used as structural

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NEXT BOARD MEETING

Aug 3- 7:00pm Location
Beach Park

or floatation elements.

- Crew costumes are encouraged.
- Design is left to the builders...let your imagination take over.
- No wood, plastic, rubber, inflatable devices, styrofoam, or fiberglass allowed.
- No caulking compounds, two-part/mixed adhesives, glues or epoxy mixtures or coatings are allowed.
- No electrical, gasoline, benzene, propane, or other chemical or electrical propulsion systems are permitted. --The only propulsion method may be one dingy size paddle oar per crew member.
- No surfboard-style boat is allowed. Crew members must be kneeling or seated fully on the vessel.
- The judges of the contest will inspect boats prior to launch for adherence to the above-stated rules. Any decision of the judges will be final.

Participant Rules

- All crew members should be wearing personal floatation devices.
- During the race, every crew member must be inside the boat, not towing it, or holding onto it, or swimming along the side of it.
- Throwing water on another boat will result in elimination.
- Contestants are expected to maintain the decorum and dignity expected of true yachtsmen.
- All refuse from the race must be taken out of the water and disposed of properly, leaving no trace of any vessel.
- THIS IS A FUN EVENT! Any behavior deemed detrimental to the event or other participants will result in the team disqualification.

Beach News!

It is a great time to use our beach. The water feels good on those hot, hot days. Please enjoy the beach and be mindful of your area. Please, let's all do our part to keep this area clean. There are garbage cans located inside the beach area for your convenience.

Remember to **bring your cell phone** with you as there is no longer a phone at the beach site. This is mandatory and is for your safety! **Keep your pets at home** as there are no pets allowed on the beach property. This is a rule of the Health Department. We want to make sure we are able to keep the beach open and not violate any health rules. If you do not have your Key Fob, please contact Ken Hohs at kenhohs22@gmail.com.

Boat Ramp: If you haven't gotten your boat ramp key yet, please contact Ken Hohs at kenhohs22@gmail.com

Mundelein Community Events

We live in an area with an abundance of things to do. The summer months are filled with activities that fit a variety of different interests. There are trails to hike, such as the Millennium Trail, Old School Forest Preserve, and the Rollins Savanna Trail in Grayslake. Remember, if you visit one of the trails, don't forget your sunscreen and check for ticks when you are done. If hiking isn't your scene, maybe you are into outdoor concerts. I have found that many towns around offer outdoor concerts. In Mundelein, they are held on Sundays at 5:00 at Kracklauer Park. Grab a picnic basket and enjoy the outdoors and free entertainment. Maybe you are more into rides and games? Surrounding towns have carnivals planned for August, like Gurnee Days and Grayslake Summer Days. The Lake County Fair starts at the end of July and runs for 5 days. Don't forget to watch the 2022 Mundelein Cycling Grand Prix come to town on July 25. Find out more information at visitlakecounty.org.

*I hope everyone has a happy and safe summer!
See you at Summer Fest!*

OAK TERRACE 2022 CALENDAR OF EVENTS:

Summer Fest July 30

2022 OAK TERRACE BOARD MEETING DATES (open to ALL residents)

Aug 3, 2022 7pm- Beach Park

October 5, 2022 7pm- TBD

November 2, 2022 7pm- Annual Board meeting,

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