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MEDFORD LAKES COLONY NEWS



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JOIN THE PARADE • MONDAY, MAY 30, 2022

In keeping with the tradition of Medford Lakes Memorial Day Celebrations, all children are invited to decorate their bikes, trikes, wagons or strollers to commemorate the Memorial Day holiday. All participating children will receive a dollar coin for their efforts and prizes will be awarded for the best decorated entries in the following new categories:

1. Strollers, trikes, wagons (Pre-school)
2. K & 1st grade
3. 2nd & 3rd grade
4. 4th grade and up

There will also be the traditional drawing for two bicycles.

All Parade participants should assemble at Wilson Field
45 Osage Trail, Medford Lakes at 9:00 -9:30AM.

The Parade starts promptly at 10:00AM and proceeds down Onondago Trail, left on Hiawatha Trail to Lenape Trail, then turn right onto Stokes and right onto Minnetonka, ending at the Memorial Park by Cabin Circle Drive – across from Oaks Hall.

MEDFORD LAKES MEMORIAL DAY 5K RACE

Join us for 50 years of running a 5K here in Medford Lakes on Monday, May 30th, 2022. The race starts promptly at 8:00 am.

Race Day Bib Pick Up: 7:00 AM—7:45 AM

LOCATION: 79 Tecumseh Trail Medford Lakes, NJ 08055

COURSE: Flat and fast Chip Timed 5K through and along the shaded trails and lakes of historic Medford Lakes on a USATF certified course. 1- & 2-Mile markers We will have bottled water and light refreshments at the finish. Please note that in order to space runners out at the start of the race, age group awards will be based on Chip time and not gun time.

REGISTRATION: \$15 There will be NO Race Day Registration

To register visit: <https://runsignup.com/Race/NJ/MedfordLakes/MedfordLakesColonyMemorialDay5KRun>

Veterans, Active Duty/Reserve Military \$10

AWARDS: are for Overall Male & Female

First Male & Female Veteran/ Active/Reserve Military

Age Groups male and female, 3 deep 10 & Under, 11-14, 15-19, 20-29, 30-39, 40-49, 50-59, 60-69, 70+

SOCIAL MEDIA: Like us on Facebook for the latest Race Information <https://www.facebook.com/MedfordLakesMemorialDayRun>

ALL Race proceeds benefit Handicap Accessibility here in our Borough

On Memorial Day we honor the lives, courage and legacy of fallen service members. In memory of those who paid the ultimate sacrifice, the race will support Operation Yellow Ribbon. We will be collecting items that will be sent in care packages to those serving in harm's way.

CANOE CARNIVAL SPONSORSHIP

As our community prepares to celebrate the 90th annual Canoe Carnival, we humbly ask for your support. Your support is greatly needed and appreciated. The financial aspects of such an undertaking are significant and your help is essential to making Canoe Carnival possible. We offer several ad options. CALLING ON ALL BUSINESSES, FLOAT GROUP AN ORGANIZATIONS, please consider sponsorship. We also offer FAMILY AND INDIVIDUAL PATRON SPONSORSHIP. Please email Allison Burton at lakerallie@yahoo.com for ad specifications or Bill Frame at Bill@entitepress.com regarding your ad design /graphic. All ad selections must be received by July 14, 2022.

CANOE CARNIVAL APPAREL FOR SALE

The 2022 Canoe Carnival T-shirts, polos, tank tops, and hats are for sale in the Medford Lakes Colony office and Binkley's on Stokes Road. Stop in soon. Supplies are limited.

TWO TUESDAYS

The Colony office will be open additional hours on Tuesday, May 17 and May 24. On those two Tuesday's office hours are 8:30 a.m. – 8:00 p.m. to allow pickup of Colony Beach tags. Tags checker will be on patrol any day now.

BEACH TAGS ARE READY FOR PICK UP

If you have paid in full the 2022 Colony dues, please stop in the Colony office to pick up your beach tags. Office hours are Monday – Friday, 8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

The Colony office is located in the back of Vaughan Community House, 79 Tecumseh Trail.

The office may close from noon – 1 p.m. for a lunch break depending on the number of employees working on any particular weekday.

Please call 609-654-7747 with questions or you can email office@medfordlakescolony.org

TO SCHEDULE THE USE OF COLONY PROPERTY

Members are able to schedule the use of the beaches and the Craft Pavilion for private parties. Note – alcohol is not permitted on Colony property.

The link to request the use of Colony property is found on our website:

<https://www.medfordlakescolony.org/eventpropertyform-1>

The By-laws (pages 22 – 30) must be followed in order to have your event approved and scheduled.

The By-laws can also be found on our website: <https://www.medfordlakescolony.org/by-laws>

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COLONY CAMP AND TRADING POST WAY ESSAY CONTEST

Colony Camp, in conjunction with Bent Canoe Brewery, Two Fishes Restaurant, The Sand Stand, Capital Wealth Planning, The Painted Turtle, and CHAR-COAL Apparel would like to invite students finishing 5th, 6th and 7th grade, and attending Medford Lakes Colony Camp this summer, to participate in an essay contest, the winners of which will receive the following prizes:

- *1st Place \$475 (full cost of camp tuition).
- *2nd Place \$100 (partial cost of camp tuition).
- *3rd Place \$30 Sand Stand gift card.

A total of 3 winners per grade level will be awarded.

This tuition will be good toward one student's Summer of 2022 camp fees, made payable to Medford Lakes Colony, or directly to the student's family if fees have already been paid. The response should be no more than 2 pages, double spaced, and submitted as a PDF, document or image via the Google form at [bit.ly/ EssayContest2022_CC-TPW](http://bit.ly/EssayContest2022_CC-TPW)

All submissions must be received by June 5, 2022.
 The winners will be announced by June 15th.

Essay topic: With the inspiration for the new brewery opening in town rooted in a resulting event of July 2004 - the canoe wrapped around the tree in Jackson Park and forever memorialized - candidates are asked to provide their perspective on the historic flood of that summer, its impact on Medford Lakes as a community, their family (if applicable) and neighbors, and share their insights as to how it has shaped events and experiences in this town ever since.

Questions can be directed to essays@bentcanoe.com

MLC CAMP REGISTRATION HAS BEEN OPEN!

PLEASE REGISTER AT <https://www.mlaasports.com/>

Visit <https://www.medfordlakescolony.org/summercamp> for dates and times

Lower Camp for Grades 1-4 – \$475.00
 Upper Camp for Grades 5-8 – \$475.00
 Grades 9 & 10 – \$475.00

“Extended Hours” JULY Program (Grades 1-5) – \$600.00
 “Extended Hours” AUGUST Program (Grades 1-5) – \$325.00

Preschool Camp (ages 3, 4 & 5) – \$155.00
 Five-Year-Old Swim – \$155.00

CAMP SCHOLARSHIP

Please do not wait because we need you to register now! If you are interested in applying for a Camp Scholarship or want to know more information, please call (609) 654-7747 or email camp@medfordlakescolony.org. Deadline to apply is Friday, May 20th @ 4:30 pm.

DONATIONS NEEDED FOR CAMP SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Can you please donate to the Medford Lakes Colony Camp Scholarship Fund? No amount is too small to give. So far there have been many applications to the Camp Scholarship Program, and we expect more children to register for Camp asking for a scholarship. If you can give to this fund, please make checks payable to the “Medford Lakes Colony,” and drop it off at the Colony Office. Camp is a wonderful opportunity for our youth to enjoy summer in Medford Lakes! Thank you very much for your consideration!



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2022
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Interested in applying? Please visit <https://www.medfordlakescolony.org/employmentapplication> to complete and submit an online Employment Application. Questions can be directed to camp@medfordlakescolony.org – thank you!

Archery Instructor

The Medford Lakes Colony needs an Archery Instructor for Upper Camp (Grades 5-8). This position is considered a seasonal, Supervisory Adult (over 18) Counselor and will be expected to work all days of Camp. Certification(s) must be acquired prior to the start of Camp.

Camp Nurse

The Medford Lakes Colony Camp needs a licensed registered nurse (RN). The Camp Nurse is expected to work all days of Camp, as they would be responsible for the proper medical recordkeeping, care, and treatment of all Campers as required by the Burlington County Health Department in partnership with the NJ Department of Health.

Household Hazardous Waste Collection



HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE DROP OFF

Saturday, May 21, 2022
Address: 12 Stokes Road, Medford Lakes, NJ 08055 (Public Works Department)
Schedule: Third Saturday of February, May, August and November from 9am-Noon.
Contact: Mark Witezak Phone: (609) 654-9383 Fax: (609) 654-1816

ACCEPTABLE ITEMS: Latex Paint Oil Based Paint Solvents Driveway Sealer Aerosols Antifreeze Batteries Fluorescent Lights Ballast Pesticides/Chemicals Residents will be required to show proof of residency and fill out a form, which will include name, address and signature. These types of items cannot be placed at the curb for collection and cannot be dropped off at the recycling area at any other time.
If you have any questions, please call (609) 654-9383.

MAGIC SHOW TOUR IN MEDFORD LAKES

Join Jake Strong for a family-friendly magic show to cap off his first ever tour. The show is fun for everyone and talks about a lot of his life growing up in Medford Lakes. The show is on Monday May 23rd AND Tuesday May 24th and tickets are \$15. Half of all proceeds will be going to Make-a-Wish NJ as usual and tickets can be purchased at www.jakestrongmagic.com/tour
Hope to see you there!

WANTED: PARENTS OF INCOMING KINDERGARTEN GIRLS

A new Daisy Girl Scout Troop will be forming for incoming Kindergartners. The Medford Lakes service unit is seeking parents/guardians interested in becoming troop leaders. Training and volunteer support is provided. For more information contact one of the service unit managers: Leah Bruder at leah.furey@yahoo.com or Annie Jones at rfjones13@verizon.net. Girl Scouts is a movement dedicated to building girls of courage, confidence, and character who make the world a better place. Join us!

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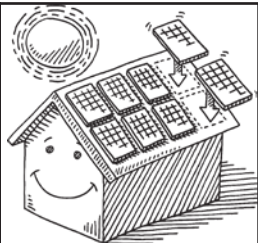
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SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

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 Saturday, May 21 – Hazardous waste collection, 9 a.m. – noon, 12 Stokes Road, Medford Lakes
 Tuesday, May 24 – Recycle Collection

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