



SPRING TIMES

Spring Fling : April 27 & 28, 2024

Saturday, April 27th

Food Fare.....	Times Vary by Vendor.....	Pavilion
Silent Boat Auction.....	Viewing 9:30 a.m. Auction 10 a.m....	Family Center
DIY Wooden Windchime \$2.....	10 a.m.-11 a.m.....	Creation Station
Susan Duke-Tackle Box Troubles.....	10 a.m.-3 p.m.....	Nature Center - Font Entrance
Free Craft: Flowering Tree Circle.....	10 a.m.-3:30 p.m.....	Nature Center - Screen Porch
Storybook Walk - Scaredy Squirrel ...	10 a.m.-4 p.m.....	Nature Center - Yard
Nature Center Farmers Market.....	10 a.m.-4 p.m.....	Nature Center - Front Yard
Ticket Tent.....	10:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m.....	Pavilion
Animal Adventures.....	11 a.m.-4 p.m.....	Pavilion Playground
Paint Your Own Brick \$4.....	12 p.m.-1 p.m.....	Creation Station
Nature Center Tree Giveaway.....	1 p.m. - Till Gone.....	Nature Center - Pavilion
Traditional Tree Sale.....	1:30 p.m.....	Pavilion
Painting Party.....	2 p.m.....	Creation Station
Painting Party.....	5 p.m.....	Creation Station
Spring Fling Trivia.....	5:30 p.m.....	Rec Plex - Multi-Purpose Room

Sunday, April 28th

Food Fare.....	Times Vary by Vendor.....	Pavilion
Signs of Spring Nature Walk.....	9 a.m.....	Nature Center - Front Entrance
Open Air Market.....	9 a.m.-3 p.m.....	Rec Plex - Open Market Path
Ticket Tent.....	9:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m.....	Pavilion
Nature Pinch Pots \$4.....	10 a.m.-12 p.m.....	Creation Station
Free Craft: Flowering Tree Circle.....	10 a.m.-2:30 p.m.....	Nature Center-Screen Porch
Storybook Walk - Scaredy Squirrel ...	10 a.m.-3 p.m.....	Nature Center - Yard
Animal Adventures.....	10 a.m.-3 p.m.....	Pavilion Playground
BINGO.....	1 p.m.....	Pavilion

SILENT BOAT AUCTION

Saturday 9:30 a.m. Viewing
10 a.m. Auction 

We have a pile-up of boats, both from the Watercraft Rentals at the Beach and the unclaimed boats from the Lakes/Resource Department. The Auction will be held on Saturday April 27th in the Family Center parking lot. Interested bidders may start viewing the boats at 9:30am. Silent Auction procedures will follow starting at approximately 10 a.m. and ending around 10:30 a.m.. All boats will be sold as is and to the highest bidder. Purchased boats must be removed from the family center immediately after the sale has been finalized. Payment in the form of cash and checks will be accepted. If you have questions, please contact the Aquatics Manager, Faith Schafer, at 815-849-5209 ext. 141.

FOOD VENDOR FARE

Times Vary by Vendor 

As always you will want to check out all the food vendors. With some old, and some new there are always great food options to explore! Food vendors will be available Saturday & Sunday of Spring Fling Weekend. Stop by to check out The Rib House, Mickey's Massive Burritos, Didoughs, Leo's, The Press Box & more! And don't forget the Pool 1 concession will be open as well! *Times open will vary by vendor*

ANIMAL ADVENTURES

Saturday 11 a.m.-4 p.m. 
Sunday 10 a.m.-3 p.m.

Animal Adventures are such an important part of Spring Fling! What better way to enjoy the weather than on a horse drawn wagon ride? Spring is also the perfect time to visit all the new baby animals over at Miller's Petting Zoo, and don't forget about the pony rides! Take the whole family for a day of fun by visiting all 3 of these attractions. Tickets will be made available at the Ticket Tent both Saturday & Sunday.

Please be in line 30 minutes before the attraction is scheduled to close to guarantee a chance to participate

FACILITY HOURS

Association Office

Monday - Saturday 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Woodhaven Lakes Realty

Monday - Saturday 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Woody's True Value

Monday - Saturday 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.
Sunday 8 a.m.-2 p.m.

Rec Plex

Friday 4 p.m. - 10 p.m.
Saturday 10 a.m.-10 p.m.
Sunday 10 a.m.-4 p.m.

Lakeview

Daily 7 a.m.-Dusk

General Store

Friday & Saturday 8 p.m.-8 p.m.
Sunday 8 a.m.-1 p.m.

Campstove Restaurant

Friday-Sunday 8 a.m.-11 a.m.

Pizza Plus

Friday & Saturday 11 a.m.-7 p.m.
Saturday 11 a.m.-2 p.m.

The Bait Shop

Saturday 8 a.m.-4 p.m.
Sunday 9 a.m.-3 p.m.

Nature Center

Saturday 10 a.m.-4 p.m.
Sunday 10 a.m.-3 p.m.

Pool 1 Concessions

Friday 11 a.m.-6 p.m.
Saturday 11 a.m.-8 p.m.
Sunday 11 a.m.-6 p.m.

* Special 2 hot dogs plain for \$5
Small nachos with cheese \$4



TICKET TENT

Saturday 10:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m.
Sunday 9:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m.



Make sure to hit up the Ticket Tent to gain access to all the weekend activities! For \$20 your child will receive a wristband that is good for both Saturday & Sunday. This wristband will gain them access to the wagon rides, pony rides, petting zoo, and mini golf as many times as they choose. Individual tickets will also be available for an adult or child who chooses. Individual tickets will be \$4. The Ticket Tent will open 30 minutes before the attractions, and close 30 minutes before they close. Regular mini golf admission can be purchased through the Rec Plex.

TRADITIONAL TREE SALE

Saturday
1:30 p.m.



The Recreation Department, in conjunction with the local Amboy Soil and Water Conservation Office, offers many different species of trees and shrubs for sale. Douglas Fir, Red Maple, and Lilacs are just a few of what we will have available. Usually close to 2' high (or higher) and a few years into their growth, these trees and shrubs are native to the area and often survive very well after you have found the perfect place to plant them. First available Saturday, any that are left over will be brought back out on Sunday.

OPEN AIR MARKET

Sunday
9 a.m.-3 p.m.



This will be the first of six opportunities this year to venture through the unique and varied items for sale from the many different vendors, crafters, and garage/yard sellers. The path of vendors will extend from the Rec Plex Horseshoe Pits, all around to the front of the General Store. Hop on the path in either direction and check out the awesome deals!

BINGO

Sunday
1 p.m.



Need some supplies to prepare for the summer? Head on down to prize BINGO and win some new summer essentials. We will have both adult and child categories and will have a winner from each category, each round. Prizes like new beach towels, yard games, kids toys & more will be available to win!

PAINTING PARTY

Saturday
2 p.m. & 5 p.m.



Reserve your spot for the Spring Fling Painting Party! Paint gorgeous Highland cow adorned with spring blooms for the season. All materials included. Bring your favorite beverages and snacks if you wish. Seating is limited so book today!

Fee: \$27 for a 11x14 canvas

Book online: www.paintingpartiesbylucy.com

VENMO also accepted: @LucySchmidt99 815.910.5221

NATURE CENTER HAPPENINGS

Free Craft: Flowering Tree Circle

Saturday 10 a.m.-3:30 p.m. | Sunday 10 a.m.-2:30 p.m.

Spring trees are showing their leaves, and some are starting to show their beautiful flowers. Flowering trees are important to wildlife, bringing bugs for birds to eat and nectar for hummingbirds. Stop over at the Nature Center to create your special spring flowering tree and decorate your home for spring, using paper and tissue paper. While supplies last.

Nature Center Farmers Market

Saturday 10 a.m.-4 p.m.

Stop by the Nature Center Yard to pick up some of your favorite food goodies! A few of our Farmer's Market vendors are planning on coming out for the weekend (weather dependent), including honey, jams, desserts, and flowers! (PS: Poci's Greenhouse and Johnson Honey Farm will be on site Mother's Day, May 12th.)

Susan Duke - Tackle Box Troubles Book Signing

Saturday 10 a.m.-3 p.m.

Big Jake, Sammy Spinner, Francis Frog, Musky Ike, and other fishing lures tell fun fishing stories in the children's picture book series Tackle Box Troubles. Susan Duke, author, and full-time teacher, has two published books in this book series. Fish Tale #1: Sammy Spinner and Fish Tale #2: Bucky Bucktail and Tommy Topwater. These beautifully illustrated books feature stories about fishing told from the perspective of the fishing lures. Meet Susan Duke and purchase your autographed copies of Tackle Box Troubles outside the Nature Center/Bait Shop this Saturday!

Nature Center Tree Give-Away

Saturday 1 p.m. - Till Gone

Need a tree to add to your property? Stop by the Nature Center Pavilion for our Annual Tree Give-Away! We will be giving away bare root trees to reforest your lot. Evergreen species of trees will be available and maybe a few deciduous. We ask Property Owners to take a max of 1 tree total, even if you own more than one lot so we may spread the trees across the property! Left-over trees will be available on Sunday to anyone.

Storybook Walk - Scaredy Squirrel

Saturday 10 a.m.-4 p.m. | Sunday 10 a.m.-3 p.m.

Do you enjoy the outdoors? What about reading? Guess what, you can enjoy the great outdoors while reading a storybook this weekend at the Nature Center! This self-led storybook trail will walk your family through nature while reading a fun nature story. This storybook trail is great for kids and adults of all ages! Stop by the Nature Center to pick up your activity guide to go along with the story!

Signs of Spring Nature Walk

Sunday 9 a.m. | Nature Center Entrance

Enjoy a walk through nature with us! As we travel the trail, we'll be on the lookout for various signs that spring is here! From flowers and plants, to birds, animals, and so much more! Be prepared to walk the nature trails by dressing for the weather and wearing good walking shoes. Bug spray and binoculars are recommended if you have them. (Weather dependent)



SPRING FLING TRIVIA

Saturday
5:30 p.m.



Join us Saturday night for some exciting rounds of trivia! Prepare yourself to be thrown into the world of fun & games as we prepare for this upcoming summer! The trivia questions are family friendly and directed for both kids and adults. Grab some friends and head on down! We will pair up tables to create teams of 6-8. Everyone is welcome!! The winning table will be awarded a gift basket to share with their team. We can't wait to see you all there!

UPCOMING MEETINGS

April 27

Deer Management Comm. Meeting
1 p.m. | Family Center

May 25

Board of Directors' Meeting
9 a.m. | Rec Plex Multi-Purpose

May 4

Facilities Planning Comm. Meeting
11 a.m. | Association Office

June 1

Facilities Planning Comm. Meeting
11 a.m. | Association Office

May 18

Communication Comm. Meeting
8 a.m. | Association Office
Finance Committee Meeting
8:30 a.m. | Association Office
Section Reps Meeting
9:30 a.m. | Rec Plex Multi-Purpose

{ please refer to the online
Calendar of Events for most
up-to-date meeting schedule }

ARTS & CRAFTS



SATURDAY, 27th

DIY Wooden Windchime | 10 a.m.-11 a.m. | \$2

Let the springtime breeze bring you into the Creation Station to make a Wooden Windchime! There are a variety of designs to pick from, great craft for all ages!

Paint Your Own Brick | 12 p.m.-1 p.m. | \$4

Let's build a solid foundation for this cart - it's gonna be brick-tacular! Paint your brick however you like, it might be a favorite book or your lot number. This craft will involve acrylic paint, it will stain clothing, you will also be spraying it with a weatherproofing spray, adults may want to help their smaller friends. ***While supplies last.***

SUNDAY, 28th

Nature Pinch Pots | 10 a.m.-12 p.m. | \$4

These clay pinch pots make an adorable gift or fun decoration for a loved one or yourself. They can be used as a trinket or jewelry dish! This craft may be difficult for individuals with fine motor skills due to air dry clay being harder to work with. ***While supplies last.***

RESTRICTED MATERIALS PROCEDURES



In order to provide Owners a way to dispose of restricted items in the refuse industry, we have provided roll off dumpsters at the Maintenance Shop; dumpsters are accessible 24/7 for Property Owners. You will need your Property Owner pass to access the site. Please make note of limits and pricing. Items that have a fee will need to be paid for at the Association Office prior to be taken to the dumpsters.

MATERIALS WE WILL ACCEPT

Appliances(white goods): Refrigerators, freezers, ranges, water heaters, air conditioners, and humidifiers; **1 per lot**

Electronics: laptops/monitors/keyboards; **3 per lot, \$5 per item**

TVs: **1 per lot, \$25**

Microwaves: **1 per lot, \$5**

Propane Tanks: 20 pound cylinders only; **1 per lot**

Concrete: We will accept a wheelbarrow-sized load or smaller

Furniture: We will accept all furniture unless it is determined to be a health hazard; **3 per lot**

Metals: Large; **1 per lot** | Small; **5 per lot**

Large - lawn mowers, grills, swing sets, patio sets

Small - lawn chairs, lawn ornaments, bird feeders

Construction/Demolition Debris: we will only accept small amounts, for example, a wheelbarrow-sized load; **limit 1 load per lot**, or bring extra loads at a cost of \$5.00 per wheelbarrow load. The material must be clean, no nails, spikes, staples, etc. Property Owners are required to obtain their own container from a waste hauler for construction or demolition projects generating larger amounts of debris.

MATERIAL WE WILL NOT ACCEPT

Hazardous chemicals: paint thinner, turpentine, herbicides, pesticides, fertilizers, etc- contact your local recycler

Liquids of any kind: anti freeze, fuels, etc - contact your local O'Reilly's, AutoZone, or car service center

Oils: motor oil, vehicle lubricants, cooking oils, etc- contact your local O'Reilly's, AutoZone, Tire/Lube Center

Unsolidified paint: Oil based: contact your local recycler; Latex: cat litter or paint hardener to solidify (available at Woody's True Value)

Tires: Contact your local tire dealer

Batteries: Contact your local Radio Shack, Home Depot, Staples

Fluorescent bulbs: contact your local Home Depot, Lowes, or Battery Plus Bulbs center.

Any of the above items that are brought to the drop off will be marked by staff so their origin can be identified if found in an outlot or in or near a garbage container.

If you have any questions, you can contact Greg Dimmig at 815-849-5209.



WELCOME TO SPRING FLING WEEKEND AND THE 2024 CAMPING SEASON AT WOODHAVEN!

With our Spring Fling Weekend upon us and ushering in the unofficial start to the camping season, we would like to issue a few simple reminders to make your camping season relaxing, hassle-free and much more enjoyable:

- Speed limit is **20mph** throughout Woodhaven, and heavily enforced.
- Quiet hours are midnight to 7:00 a.m.
- Please keep pets on a leash at all times, ***even on your lot.***
- Don't leave campfires unattended; have a water source readily available.
- Property Owners are responsible for their guests' actions, even when the Property Owners are not on property with the guests.
- When walking or riding a bike, use the trails whenever possible to help reduce congestion on the roads. Trails can be used for pedestrian travel between all the major facilities and recreations areas on property. Maps can be picked up at the Association Office. *Bicycles on the road should obey all traffic rules; ride WITH traffic and single file, as well as obey traffic signs. Pedestrians should walk AGAINST traffic, single file.*
- Please note the below items not accepted at our dumpsters. If you have items which are not accepted, please refer to the Restricted Materials Processing article for info on disposal.
- Before beginning any improvement projects on your lot, no matter how minor they may seem, please contact the ESAC Department. The ESAC Department is located at the Association Office and can be reached at 815-849-5371. Many projects do require a permit, which only take a few minutes to complete and are free. When in doubt, seek ESAC out!
- Smile, wave and say "Hi" to your neighbors and passersby! Who knows, you just may meet someone new you'll enjoy sharing a cold drink with for years to come!

If you have any questions, we encourage you to use Woodhaven's official sources of information, which include:

- Website: woodhavenassociation.com
- Facebook Page: facebook.com/woodhavenlakes
- Mobile App: Downloaded on iTunes or Google Play Store (Search "Woodhaven Lakes")

If you're not comfortable with these forms of electronic communications, just pick up the phone and give us a call at the Association Office at 815-849-5209.

NOTICE

UNACCEPTABLE MATERIALS AT THE LANDFILL

DO NOT DISPOSE OF THE FOLLOWING ITEMS IN THE GARBAGE CONTAINERS:

- **Appliances**
- **Hazardous Chemicals**- Paint thinner, turpentine, mercury, etc.
- **Oils**- Vehicle lubricants/fluids, undrained filters, etc.
- **Full Paint Cans**
- **Landscape Waste**
- **Construction Debris**- Roofing material, block, lumber, railroad ties, etc.
- **Electronic Equipment**- Computers, TVs, monitors, printers, stereos, cell phones, etc.
- **Batteries**
- **Liquids of any kind**- AntiFreeze, fuels, etc
- **Unsolidified Paint**
- **Tires**
- **Propane Tanks**
- **Fluorescent Lamps** (contain mercury)
- **Concrete**

The above items listed, with the exception of construction debris, are NOT accepted in landfills. Those that may have construction debris will need to acquire an appropriate container suitable for these items from a disposal company. Please help the garbage haulers by cooperating so they can continue to provide the Association with efficient service.

***For safety, DO NOT put furniture of any kind in the containers**

PROGRAM LOCATION GUIDE



Association Phone Numbers

Association Office	815-849-5209
ESAC	815-849-5371
Realty Office	815-849-5476
Public Safety	815-849-5915
	815-849-5950
General Store	815-849-5189
Woody's Pizza Plus	815-849-5197
Woody's True Value	815-849-5107

