



Lincoln – Woodstock Recreation News

Fall Soccer Program:

The Lincoln – Woodstock Youth Soccer program is ready to begin for the year! All of the teams will begin practicing on Saturday, September 8th. The 4 year olds - 1st Graders will be from 8:30- 9:30 am, and their coach will be Blair Weeden. The 2nd -5th Grade Girls will be from 9:30-10:30 am, and their coaches will be Aaron Loukes. The 2nd - 4th Grade Boys will be from 10:30— 11:30 pm and their coach will be Aaron Loukes. The 5t & 6th Grade Boys began on August 16th, and their coaches are Tom and Dalton Bentley. If you are interested in helping out with this program, during this season, please let me know. We are always looking for referees for the home games, and are always interested in having positive community support at any home games. So come and support the youth of the Lin-Wood community!



After School Program & Outing Club:

The *after school program* is for grades K-4, meets at the front entrance of the elementary school after school, and ends at the Community Center at 5:00 pm. The 1st session will run from September 10th until October 26th (session #2 will run from October 29th—December 21st). The cost is \$8/ day, \$25/ week or \$120/ session. Watch for flyers with registration information the first day of school! We are in the process of designing an *outing club* for grades 5th-8th... watch for a flyer with more details during the month of September!

11th Annual Burner Jr. Golf Program:

This year was the 11th year for the Burner Jr. Golf Program! There were 30 golfers ages 8-14 that took part in the 8 weeks of lessons at the Owl's Nest Golf Course. The lessons included instruction on driving, chipping, putting, and real course play. The program was taught by the Owl's Nest Golf Course staff, Program Coordinator Cricket Gagnon, and helpers Bill Willey and Andy Nicoll. Thank you all for your dedication to these young golfers and to this program!

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Lincoln – Woodstock Recreation Department:

- Tara Tower, CPRP – Recreation Director
- E-Mail Address: recreation@lincolnnh.org
- The Recreation Department office is in the Lincoln Town Office Bldg.
- Office Hours are: Monday – Thursday, 8:00 am – 4:00 pm, and are subject to change based on program schedules.
- **Phone Numbers:** Office 745-8673
Kanc 745-2831
Community Center 745-8958



Fall Programs:

White Mountain Avalanche:

Interested in learning how to play ice hockey?

We are a USA sanctioned league based in Holderness, NH that caters to skaters from the ages of 5-15 years old. We are currently compiling a list of names of people who would like to receive an information packet for this October's hockey season.



If you are interested in receiving more information please contact Leo Marien at 745-3365, and check out their website at www.whitemountainhockey.org.

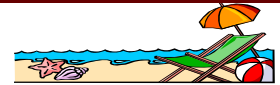
Swim Club:

The fall session of swim club will run On Wednesdays for six weeks, from October 3rd -October 24th & November 7th-14th At The Alpine Club in N. Woodstock.

These lessons are for ages 4 and up, and the cost is \$30 for the 6 week session, payable at the recreation department office before the first class. 1/2 hour classes will be offered from 3:00-5:45 pm, and space is VERY LIMITED! Space will be filled on a 1st come 1st served basis, so fill out a registration form at the Recreation Department and call Instructor Stacey Caulder at 745-6599 today!



Day Camp 2007:



This year's summer day camp program began on June 25th and ran for 8 weeks, until August 17th. During the 8 week program the campers made craft projects, played games, swam, climbed, put on talent shows, took many field trips, went to the theatre, and made many new friends and memories!

Special thanks to Day Camp Director Kat Murphy, Co-Assistant Directors Will Desjardins and Sarah Leclerc, and all of the counselors for a fun filled and safe summer program! 2007 Counselors were: Randi MacKay, Adrienne Coyne, Britta Haley, and Meagan Shamberger. Junior Counselors were: Joe Desjardins, Nate King, Aimee Polimeno, Seth Gordon, Alexandra Bartlett, and Chelsea Gallant. Counselors in Training were: Andrew VanHouten and Dexter Drouin.

The Staff would also like to thank The NCCA and the Children's Theatre, Clarke's Trading Post, Whale's Tale Waterpark, VOLM (Paul and Karen Bartlett), Alpine Club (Jay & Maureen Polimeno) for donating time, facilities and supplies to the campers this summer. We all look forward to another great year in 2008!



15th Annual Memorial Golf Tournament:



The 15th Annual Memorial Golf Tournament (in memory of Joe McInnis, Bill Boyle, and Butch Gagnon) sponsored by the Friends of Recreation and the Lincoln - Woodstock Recreation Department was held on Sunday, August 12, 2007, at the Maplewood Golf Course in Bethlehem. The event was a success again this year thanks to the generosity of the local business community. Joseph B. McInnis Jr. Snow Plowing sponsored this year's Memorial T-shirt.

We would also like to thank the following businesses for their support:

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| American Legion - Post 83 | Indian Head Resort | Sons of American Legion Post #83 |
| Brittany's Cafe & CJ's | Innisfree Bookstore | Sport Thoma |
| Citizen's Bank | InnSeason Resorts | Truant's |
| Conn Bros. Construction | Loon Mtn. Rec. Corp. | Wayne's Market |
| Daydreams Hair Salon | Maplewood Country Club | Woodstock Inn |
| Elvio's | North Country Ctr. for the Arts | Woodward's Resort |
| Hobo Hills Mini Golf | OD Silkscreen | |

This year's tournament winners were: Men's 1st Place: Wayne Tucker, Shane Tucker, Lance Tucker, and Seth Quail; Men's 2nd Place: Jeff Woodward, Stan Dovholuk, Tom Hughes, and Tony Mure; Men's 3rd Place: Jim Gagnon, Dana Gagnon, Steve Shamberger, and Randy Boyle; Women's 1st Place: Megan Harrington, Charyl Lavigne, Christine Hapgood, Allison Hickey. Women's 2nd Place: Christie Dovholuk, Becky Noseworthy, Sally Nicoll, Hilary Lamontagne; Women's 3rd Place: Sandy Dovholuk, Jodie Dovholuk, April Dovholuk, Louise Willey; Mixed 1st Place: Raymond Mulleavey, Chris Mulleavey, Marci Mulleavey, and John Mulleavey; Mixed 2nd Place: Patty Norman, Dale Hines, Tom Hines, and Ron Sousa; Mixed 3rd Place: Todd Dauphine, Mick Cloutier, Leigh Bell, and Scott Gardner. Additional prizes were awarded for Men's & Women's Longest Drive on Hole #16: Seth Quail and Mick Cloutier; Men's & Women's Shortest Drive on Hole #1: Jack Bartlett and Christine Hapgood; Men's & Women's Longest Putt on Hole #18: Bill Willey & Louise Willey; Men's Closest to the Pin on Hole #11: Chris Beaudin and Marci Mulleavey; Youngest Golfer: Hilary Lamontagne; Most Mature Golfer: Les Gauthier; Best Whiffs of the Day: April Dovholuk and JJ Bujeaud (for his dance moves); Team with the Highest Score: Sandy Dovholuk's Team.

We would like to thank everyone that helped in the planning and organizing of this event including: American Legion Post #83, The Sons of American Legion Post #83, and the cooks (Lee Lamontagne, Chris Lamontagne, Kim Strathdee, and bartender (AI) at the Legion, Wayne's Market & Chris Clermont for providing the delicious food, and Willard Ouellette for organizing all of the BBQ preparations, Jim Gagnon, and Bill Willey for their help in planning and running the event. We would also like to thank all of those who participated in this year's tournament and we look forward to seeing you for the 16th Annual Memorial Tournament in 2008!



Lincoln – Woodstock Friends of Recreation:

The Lincoln – Woodstock Friends of Recreation is an organization of volunteers that give their time and energy towards the goal of quality, low-cost, recreation for every member of this community. They achieve this by spending countless hours working on fundraising events, community activities, and advertising for upcoming programs. The current officers for the Friends of Recreation are:

Stacey Caulder, President, 745-6599

Jessica Tamulonis, Vice-President, 745– 3279

Vicki Iles: Treasurer, 745-6562

Danielle Avery: Secretary, 745– 9739



Anyone that is a resident in either Lincoln or Woodstock can be a “Friend of Recreation”. If you are interested in becoming more involved in this worthwhile cause, please contact any of the above officers at their number listed, or contact the Recreation Department office today! Friends of Recreation meetings are scheduled depending on upcoming activities, are posted around both towns, and are open for all to attend and participate!

Holiday Craft Fair:



The 11th Annual Holiday Craft Fair will be held on Saturday and Sunday, November 10th & 11th from 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. It will be held at the Lin-Wood High School, in the Gym and Multi-Purpose room. Lunch and refreshments will be served, and door prizes will be drawn hourly! There will be many different crafts available, and a great opportunity to purchase some unique Christmas gifts. No admission fee.

Be sure to mark your calendar!

Lincoln—Woodstock Coalition for a Healthy Community:

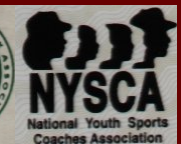
The Lincoln-Woodstock Coalition for a healthy community is a group of community members that is working on wellness, safety and risk behavior prevention in the Lincoln-Woodstock Community. We currently have members from the school, recreation department, ADAPT, Police Departments, parents, and would like to include people from the churches, health care, and anyone and everyone that would like to be involved.

If you are a person who would like to help out in some way, and you are available to attend one meeting every-other month (except during summer months), please attend our next meeting on Thursday, September 19th at 8:00 am at the Woodstock Town Hall.

If you have any questions you can call either of the co-chairs of the Lincoln-Woodstock Coalition for a healthy community: Sean O'Brien at the ADAPT office at 745-9092 or Tara Tower at the Recreation

Affiliations:

The Lincoln- Woodstock Rec. Dept. is a proud member of the following organizations:





Adventure Camp 2007!

This year we have added a Summer “Adventure Camp” for campers 10-14 years old, which ran from June 25th, until August 17th. The Adventure Camp ran out of the Community Center, and the campers took trips, tried new activities, (like kayaking and the zip line) hiked, swam, climbed, and worked as community volunteers.

The Adventure Camp staff members were: Teneil Rineer—Adventure Camp Director; Kim Tyler, Counselor; Cameron King, Counselor; and Sean Donahue, Counselor. We look forward to another great summer in 2008!

Update on Community Center!

Since the community center was purchased in August of 2005, we have been busy renovating, expanding, and transitioning programs into the new “Father Roger Bilodeau Community Center”. The goal has always been to have this facility be an intergenerational facility. In 2006 the center added a renovated and expanded wing that is leased by the Lincoln-Woodstock Community Child Care Center, with a new entry-way, a new classroom, new windows, and new restrooms. These renovations also brought the kitchen up to state food license standards, provided a new paved walkway to the rear of the building, and a remodeled office space. The kitchen and office space is being leased by the Grafton County Senior Services for the Lincoln-Woodstock Senior Meal site. Aside from the leased spaces, there is a “senior citizen room” and a multi-purpose room. The “senior citizen room” that is open for senior citizens that would like to play cards, do a puzzle, read a book, watch a movie, or just relax. This space is dedicated to you...please feel comfortable using it!

Currently the main entrance to the Community Center is at the rear of the building. This will be changing this fall, with a new parking lot, a new main entrance into the multi purpose room, and the last childcare class being re-located to it’s new space in the “childcare wing” of the building. A new heating system will be installed as well, replacing the antiquated and inefficient current boiler. The new heating system, the addition, and the parking lot renovation were made possible by a grant from the United States Department of Agriculture, Rural Facilities grants.

The community center is well used during the day, by the LWCCC, the Lin-Wood Senior Services, and the Recreation Department’s after school and adventure camp programs. Karate classes are currently being held on Monday & Wednesday evenings (call Scott Douglass at 616-6924 for details), we are also looking to start beginner dance, and beginner gymnastics classes as well.

We look forward to the additions and renovations being completed, and the programs expanding, so that there will be something for every resident offered at this truly community facility!



Fall Senior Citizen Trips:



Fall Foliage Trip:

On Tuesday, **September 18th** we will be driving around NH and VT to see some of the best foliage spots. And stopping for a tour of the **Cold Hollow Cider in Waterbury Center, VT**. This is one of the very few cider mills that still press cider the old fashioned way, with a rack and cloth press built in the 1920's. We will be leaving from the Lower Town Hall parking lot at 8:00 am and returning at about 3:30 pm.



Transportation is free, the tour is free and everyone pays for lunch in the area on their own. Space is limited, so call 745-8673 to reserve your spot today!

Fryeburg Fair:

Thanks to Loon Mountain we will once again be able to offer this annual trip at no cost! We will be going on Tuesday, **October 2nd** (Senior Citizen Day, 65 and over get in FREE)! We will be leaving from the Town Hall lower parking lot at 7:45 am and returning at about 5 pm.

Sign up today by calling the Recreation Department at 745-8673.

Christmas Shopping:

On Tuesday, **November 13th** we will go on the 8th annual Senior Citizen Shopping trip to the Christmas Tree Shop in Salem, NH. We will be leaving from the Town Hall lower parking lot at 8:30 am spend a few hours at the Christmas Tree Shop, go to the Rockingham Mall for lunch and more shopping, and then arrive back in Lincoln at about 3:30 pm. Transportation is free, and everyone pays for lunch on their own. Space is limited, so sign up today at 745-8673.