

# Resort Report

Klines Resort Sept. - Oct. 2016

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## NOTICE!

Keep off lakefront with golf carts and vehicles until cones are removed.

Ground is saturated and you will damage the lawn. Thanks!

## C&S Pizza Dinner & Elections Sept. 15

It's a September tradition! The final C&S dinner of the summer is a \$3 PIZZA PARTY! Ticket sale times tba.

Even if you can't make the dinner, everyone's invited to the general meeting and election at 6:45 PM.

Four positions are open on the board this year. There's still time to add your name to the ballot if you are interested in serving. Info on CB bulletin board.



## Fall Yard Sales Sept. 10

Clear out the clutter and add some cash to your Christmas fund! On Sept 10 anyone who wants to have a sale in their yard, driveway, carport or garage may do so. We will sell doughnuts & coffee and hand out maps near the office showing the location of all these in-park sales. (Sorry - the resort cannot provide any tables for your sale.)



*Please call office to be listed on Resort yard sale map.*



## "Witness"

### Gospel Concert

Sun. Sept 4 - 6:30 pm

*Freewill offering - Ice Cream Social Following*

Join us for a special evening of praise & music.

*Rain location: West Mendon UMC*

# CALENDAR

- **Aug 27: Free Golf Cart Inspections** 8-10 am @ S. Storage area (behind shop across from office).
- **Aug 27: Appreciation Dinner:** Bring your tickets!
- **Aug 29: Book Club Discussion:** 10 am CB library
- **Aug 31: Generous Hands Backbacks:** sign up CB
- **Sept 3: Campfire & Popcorn:** 8:30 pm @ Klines
- **Sept 4: Gospel Concert: "Witness"** 6:30 pm
- **Sept 4: Ice Cream Social** after gospel concert



## LABOR DAY Sept. 5

### C&S Pancake Breakfast

8 - 10 am - Last one this year!

- **Sept 10: Community Yard Sales:** 8am -1pm
- **Sept 10: Portage River Cleanup** 9:30am from Angevine Rd. <http://www.stjoecountycd.com>
- **Sept 11-12: Casino Getaway**
- **Sept 15: C&S Pizza Party & Elections** 6 pm
- **Sept 18 - 24: St. Joseph County Fair**
- **Sept. 20: Flu Shots** 8:30 - noon, sign up CB
- **Sept 21: 3rd Wed. Ladies** go to Crane Orchards
- **Sept 26: Book Club Meets** 10 am CB library
- **Sept 29: Friends of P.L. Dinner/Elections** 6 pm
- **Oct 2: "Captivating Keyboards"** 6:30 pm
- **Oct 3: Andy Griffith Bible Study begins:** 4pm
- **Oct 3-4: Foot Clinic:** Sign up CB
- **Oct 13: Soup/Chili Potluck:** \$1 & dish to share.
- **Oct 15: Winter billing surveys** are due at office.
- **Oct 15: Hazardous Waste Collection: Fairgrnds**
- **Oct 17: Winter office hours begin:** MWF 9-2.
- **Oct 31: Book Club Meets** 10 am CB library.
- **Oct 31: Halloween:** Turn on porch light if giving candy
- **Dec 8: Save the Date!** Resort Christmas Party.



## COA Lunch: Noon Fridays

Sept. 2: BBQ Bar

Sept. 9: Soup & Salad

Sept. 16: Salad & Deli Bar

Sept 23: Baked Potato & Chili

Sept 30: Soup & Sub Bar

Reservations requested 24 hours ahead.

Call COA at 279-8083.

Walk-ins accepted if food permits.

**Please cancel if unable to attend!**

# Kid's Fun Day



Thanks to everyone who helped make Kid's Fun Day a big success!

Pictured (from top) Paul Elswick's train entertained riders, Joseph & Amanda fed Frisbees to the "monster," and Emmy's duck pond offered nice prizes.



## "Fall Housekeeping" Reminders

Along with this newsletter you are receiving:

1. **Winterize Request:** Return min 2 weeks prior to departure
2. **Winter Billing Survey:** Return by Oct 15.

**Inform the office if any of the following has changed:**

1. Mailing address, winter address, email address, telephone #'s, emergency contacts, etc.
2. New locks? Be sure new keys are given to the office.
3. Storage area changes (see storage reminders at right).

# Phil's Corner

The sump pumps started running soon after the rain came, so I was surprised when Joseph came up from his basement bedroom one midnight to tell me his carpet was wet. It didn't take long to discover why; water was several inches up on the glass in his escape window, and was pouring through the window sill and onto his floor.

We worked by flashlight to get a pump working in the window well, and Joe stayed up all night to turn the pump on and off manually every 30 minutes. The next day we hooked up an automatic pump and began drying out. That's the hose in our side yard... We were lucky Joe found it early; there was no damage.

Yes, this is the highest I have seen the lake rise in 20 years. "Thanks" for your patience while things are slowly returning to normal. Let's avoid damaging the lawn; don't drive on the saturated ground. It's a small inconvenience compared to down south where folks lost homes and jobs. Thanks for your cooperation.



Summer's not over yet, and Fall is the best season of all! I'm training for a half ironman on Sept. 10. I'll be swimming in Tawas Bay, biking and running for a total of 70.3 miles. Pray for me! :) God Bless,

*Phil*

## Storage Area Reminders

Labor Day brings lots of activity to the storage lot. Help us out; please follow these rules:

1. **Use only your assigned spot.** Only the office can assign a spot! No swapping, trading, etc.
2. If you are unsure of your number, call the office.
3. Back squarely into space. **Center boat on #.**
4. Don't overload your space. **8' wide limit please!** Your neighbors need room to swing in and out!
5. Never take blocks or materials from a neighbor's site.
6. Improperly parked units may be moved or impounded. You may be charged for our time.
7. If someone is in your spot, **don't take another's spot.** Park in office lot until we can sort things out.
8. **Share the pontoon trailer!** 1 hour limit weekends.
9. Use pontoon trailer with care. Report any problems. **Trailer may not leave the resort at any time!**
10. License plates & boat tags must be current.
11. Annual storage lot fees are billed in October.
12. **Tarps don't work!** Use shrink wrap or a custom cover. A flapping tarp may damage another unit.



## SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS

1 Joyce Merrell	19 Karen Randall
2 Breanna Wyles	20 Bob Peters
3 LouAnn Devries	21 Jerry Roosz
Quentin Meyers	Marcha Dills
Mark Wright	22 Char Buckhout
4 Art Mortimer	23 Charles Stowers
Robert Sanders	24 Dave Huff
Dean Dudley	25 Bev Ketchbaw
5 Elaine Rupert	26 Nancy Elswick
6 Don Smith	29 Mike Descheneau
8 Shirley Huff	30 Emmy Williams, Mel Kuis
Dee Cotner	Kathleen McNamee

## ANNIVERSARIES

9 Esther Munster	1 Jeff & Polly Hollenbeck
Bill Slater	7 Mark & Betty Salisbury
10 Steve Dills	David & Sally Timm
11 Peggy Pratt	8 Bob & Carol Jones
12 Don Boos	9 Mark & Denise Tiesenga
Roger Yonkers	11 Roger & Flo Stienbarger
13 David Boeskool	12 Wayne & Virginia Smith
James Mandeville	14 Jim & Barb Martus
14 Robert Barton	Gary & Teri Rogers
Joe Todd	15 Duane & Fran Bushfield
Mick McLaughlin	16 Gerald & Chris Taylor
16 David Fronczak	Mike & Rosemary Emigh
17 Duane Peekstok	17 Bob & Lorraine Barton
18 Mary Bennett	23 Bob & Joan Cole
Phyllis Shrout	

# At the Clubhouse

Clubhouse Hours: 7:30 am to 9:30 pm

T TH F:	Walk Away Pounds	9:00 am
Tu Th Sat	Pickleball	9:00 am
Monday:	Simply Yoga	8:15 am
	Texas Hold'em	12:30 pm
	Euchre	7:00 pm
Tuesday:	Sews & Sews	9:00 am
	Hand & Foot	1:00 pm
	Dominoes	6:30 pm
	"500"	7:00 pm
Wednesday:	Simply Yoga	8:15 am
	COA Arthritis Exercise	11:00 am
	Poker	12:30 pm
	Pinochle	7:00 pm
Thursdays:	"313"	1:00 pm
	Potluck	6:00 pm
	Table games	7:00 pm
Friday:	Crochet, Knitting & Crafts	10:00 am
	COA Arthritis Exercise	11:00 am
	COA Lunch & BINGO	12 noon
	Poker - Dealer's Choice	12:30 pm
Saturday:	Coffee Hour / Doughnuts	8:30 am
Sunday:	Sweetwater Doughnuts	8am 'til gone

## OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

1 Joyce Kline	17 Kent Fase	<b>Anniversaries</b>
2 Denise Tiesenga	18 Leo Cook	3 Chris & Heather Bogner
3 Andy Kragt	Lillian Arnold	George & Karen Sampley
Rebecca Roberts	20 Rich Grevenstuk	5 Don & Rose Johnson
Rose Johnson	J R Medendorp	6 Gene & Marilyn Brown
4 Patty Playford	Bob Howard	9 John & Charlene Esman
6 Bob Rainwater	24 Jim Brotherton	10 Jerry & Barb Skiba
7 Bonnie Cole	26 Donna Kragt	Don & Robin Smith
Roger Peters	Betty Lamons	16 Merle & Bev Gray
Bob Vogel	28 Jim Hamrick	18 Doug & Phyllis Shrout
Cheryl Brotherton	29 Joseph Kline	23 Earl & Bobbi Buckman
10 Mike Charvat	Phyllis Hickman	24 Dave & Jolaine Snyder
11 Paul Elswick	30 Pat Ouding	29 Brian & Jennifer Pierson
13 Donald King	Dick Flinn	Richard & Marilyn Ransom
Shelly Vogt	Ernie Meyers	30 Ron & Valerie Jones
Sharron Cox	Anne Horn	
15 Pat Therkildsen	31 Rebecca Linihan	
Tom Mandigo		
Karen Dougherty		
Ann Peterson		
Kathy Descheneau		

**FREE TV RECYCLING** is available thru the end of Sept. at Westside Landfill, on M-60 west of Three Rivers.

**Self serve hours:** M-F 7-4:30, Sat 7:30 - noon.



### Andy Griffith Bible Study

*A six week study using the Andy Griffith Show to teach important life lessons and Biblical principles.*

**Mondays 4-5 pm**

**beginning Oct 3**

**Fireside Room**

Sign up CB - class size limited

Workbook \$8 per participant.

*Questions? Call Robert Barton*

649-9513

# Jottings...

**High Water!** Please do not drive on the wet, soggy lakefront!!! Ground is saturated, you will cause damage!

**Dock Reminders:** Now that you've seen how high the water can go, please set docks on blocks at least 8" off ground above the high water line. Small boats are OK on top of docks if well anchored. **No bright colored tarps!**

**Heat Tapes:** You should check your heat tape every Fall! Make sure it is plugged into a working outlet; on a cold morning you should feel heat! Also check insulation over water crock. Disconnect and drain hoses and unheated pipes.

**Household Hazardous Waste Collection:** Oct. 15 at Centreville Fairground. Tires, electronics, chemicals, paint, auto batteries, and more!

**"Thanks!" to everyone who supported our Sunday Services!** Send ideas for next summer to Jeanine at 649-3414. Services resume in January.

**Vicksburg Lions Golf Scramble:** Cheer our team on Sept. 10 at 2pm, States Golf Course.

**Veterans!** Be sure to turn in your ticket for the Quilt of Appreciation drawing on Sept 4th.

**Pedal Paddle Tour Canceled:** originally scheduled for Sept 16-18. Go to LMB.org for details.

**Wed Morning 9 hole golf** continues in Sept. Sign up CB by noon on Tuesday. Sharon 760-7431

## Shrink Wrap Service

Rex Rork

269-217-5040

*Ask Rex for pricing & scheduling information.*

## Fred's Pharmacy Flu Shots



Klines Resort Fireside Room

**Tues, Sept. 20 8:30 to noon**

*Sign up CB - Walk ins as able*

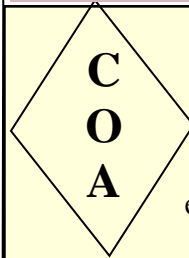
## Captivating Keyboards

Sun, Oct 2, 6:30 pm

**Clubhouse Dining Room**

Join us for another great concert with piano duo Scott Griffin and

Allan Tripp.



**COA Memberships expire** when their fiscal year ends Sept. 30. Staff will be here to assist with renewals. Current year **restaurant program tickets** also expire if unused by Oct 31. New restaurant tickets sales begin Oct. 1.

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED** to help in the dining room or with BINGO on COA Fridays. Sign up for Fridays thru the end of year on dining room board. Please help!

**Note:** The income based **Contribution Scale** suggested with your membership renewal is voluntary. You are **not** required to sign this document. All donations remain confidential and voluntary. Please contribute as you are able. Thanks!

## 3rd Wed. Ladies

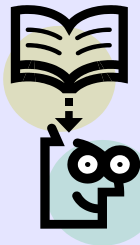


**Wed. Sept 21:**  
Crane's Orchard & Pie

**Wed. Oct. 19:**  
**tba**

**Everyone Welcome!**

*For Info & to Sign up check CB bulletin bd.*



## Book Club Discussion Group

**All are welcome!**

Meets last Monday of each month at 10 am, CB Library

- **August 29:** "The Light Between the Oceans," M. L. Stedman
- **Sept. 26:** "The Art Forger," by B. A. Shapiro
- **October 31:** "Me Before You," by Jojo Moyes

Questions? Ferne: 475-5197

## Friends of Portage Lake

Annual Meeting



**Thurs. Sept 29**

6 pm Dinner

7 pm Meeting/Elections

**Bring a side dish or dessert. Main course (sandwich & 2 sides) will be provided free by FPL.**

**Everyone Welcome!**