

BIRCH BAY LEISURE PARK JULY 2016 NEWSLETTER



General Manager's Report JULY 2016

Happy July Everyone!

The summer holiday is finally here. The kids are out of school, the sun is shining and everyone is ready to have some fun!

Firstly, I would like to thank everyone who helped set up the new awning at the Elm Center. The new addition looks great and should be enjoyed by our members for years to come. We truly appreciate all of your hard work.

I am also happy to announce that the park has acquired some new shade providing gazebos that we are going to be set up around the pool deck. We hope to provide a place for some of the younger children and parents to escape the ravages of the hot summer sun and enjoy some quality time by the pool.

Some of our members have come to me expressing some surprise and concern regarding the electrical billing on their latest statement. I should explain that Puget Sound Energy increased their price per kilowatt from 0.057 to 0.087, as of January 1st, 2016. This may seem like a small increase, but it does add up quickly. Members who effectively used less electricity than they had during the same 6 month period in 2015, ended up paying more overall due to PSE's price increase.

Birch Bay Water and Sewer has instituted their voluntary watering schedule, effective June 1st through Sept 15th. According to this schedule, Birch Bay Leisure Park members should water on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. We would like to ask all of our members to be conscious of their water usage and try to conserve as best as they can.

Birch Bay Leisure Park is here for its members. If anyone has any questions, any comments - good or bad, or if there's an idea that you would like to bring to our attention, please feel free to come in to the office and talk with us about it.

I look forward to seeing everyone over the next couple of months. Remember 5 miles an hour around the park!

Thank you.

See you around the park!

Voluntary Watering Schedule

Please help conserve water.

Water Wisely Watering Schedule

The District, along with other Cities and Districts in Whatcom County, is implementing a voluntary watering schedule from June 1st through September 15th. During that time, residents with odd numbered street addresses are being asked to limit watering to Wednesdays, Fridays and Sundays. The watering days for even numbered street addresses are Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. The District has designated Mondays as non-watering days to allow reservoir levels to recover after the weekend.

WATER WISELY WATERING SCHEDULE						
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
ODD	No Watering	EVEN	ODD	EVEN	ODD	EVEN

The watering schedule will help to reduce the impact of peak-use periods on District water supplies. During the summer, BirchBay experiences peak demands up to three times higher than the average demand during winter months. A chief concern during these peak-use periods is maintaining adequate water pressure for basic functions such as toilet flushing and providing water for firefighting. Outdoor water use accounts for 30 percent of the total average residential water consumption, with most of this usage going for watering lawns and gardens. Turf grass needs only one inch of water per week - including rainfall - to stay healthy and green, which means that a lot of lawns are getting more water than they actually need. Traditionally, utilities have built larger and more costly facilities to meet peak period demands. Ultimately, these costs show up in higher bills for ratepayers. By reducing the amount of drinking water used for landscape irrigation, the District can diminish the burden on its water supply and defer future facility costs.

LEISURE PARK GOLF TOURNAMENT

SATURDAY, AUGUST 13th
GRANDVIEW GOLF COURSE

**THIS IS A FUN EVENT FOR GOLFERS AND THOSE WHO
ARE NOT GOLFERS, BUT WHO LIKE TO HAVE FUN!**

**18 HOLES BEST BALL
SHOTGUN START AT**

9:00am SHARP!

ENTRY INCLUDES GOLF (WITH CART) PLUS DINNER

\$55.00 CND

AT ELM CENTER 6:00pm

**EVERY GOLFER MUST BRING A \$15 PRIZE
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IN A BROWN TAPER BAG

JOIN AS A SINGLE, DOUBLE,FOURSOME OR.....

DEADLINE FOR ENTRANTS TO REGISTER AND PAY BY
AUGUST 5TH TO COORDINATORS WES & CAROL
GMUR, 31-7

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5TH

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THE FOURTH OF JULY 2016

My family and I are always very excited about celebrating the **Fourth Of July** in Birch Bay.

It seems to be the start of the summer and of the amazing activities and celebration we enjoy in the bay!

If you are new to BBLP and the Bay you will enjoy the holiday and fire works, but I would like to caution anyone getting to close to the actual beach as it can be very crazy.

You need to wear your rec tag to get back into the park, also do not bring alcohol onto the beach as it is against Washington state law. (Please make sure you have ID on your dogs) especially on the 4th. The noise can be terrifying for them, dogs have been known to run and hide and get lost during the fire works. If you set off fire works please clean up after yourself!

Just to remind all of our members fire

works/crackers & Japanese lanterns are not allowed in the park, so PLEASE do not be tempted to light them off in the park, you will be fined.







BBLP POOL RULES

We would like to remind our fellow member's to please follow our posted rules for our pool and those that are on our website. These rules reflect Whatcom County Health Codes and Regulations.

This is just a friendly reminder

- Be respectful and polite to our pool attendants.
- If your child is younger than 13 they must have an adult with them on the pool deck.
- If you are between 13 and 17 you must have at least one other person in this age range or older with you. Swim with a buddy!
- Children 4 years and younger must wear a swim diaper.
- Take a cleansing shower if you are going in the water. No one wants to swim



in other people's bath water.

- No food or drinks other than water in a plastic container is allowed on the pool deck.

- Do not argue with the pool attendants. (They have the final say)

HAPPY CANADA DAY EH!

Happy Birthday to us! We are turning 148!

Our birthday is July 1st 1867.

This is the day Canada got its own constitution (the British North American Act)!



According to CNN 10 things Canada does better than any other county is-

Apologizing - apparently we all like to say "sorry" for absolutely nothing at all!

Lakes & Cottage Country - We have more lakes than any other country around 3 million and we know how to use them!

Stand in movie locations - Lets face it they love to film every thing in all of our big city's!

Air- The (world Health Organisation) placed us 3rd in the world for the cleanest air in the world!

Humor- We are very funny Jim Carrey, John Candy, Eugene Levy, Seth Rogen, Catherine O'Hara, Dan Aykroyd, Mike Meyers, Phil Hartman, Michael Cera, Leslie Nielsen, Phil Hartman and many more!

Chocolate bars - Canadian chocolate is higher in fat and it is a higher particle size, " Hershey's senior chocolate expert noted in the National Post, adding that Hershey now offers a separate recipe for the more discriminating chocolate palate.

Ski Country- I do not even have to expaline this to any one who skis!

Nation branding - No national symbol is as ubiquitous as the Canadian maple leaf! Anyone who has back packed across Europe knows how true and nice this is!

Highway Grub - Who knew? I guess we have great fast food!

Adorable terms & phrases - Toques, hoser, take off, Toonies, Loonies, two-four, serviettes, rink rat, given the gears and many more!

A BIG SHOUT OUT TO KEN

I would like to say thank-you to one of our very special staff member's (KEN).

He has been on staff at BBLP for many years and works very hard for all of us. One of his duties is taking care of our pool, I am very happy to report the County inspector has stated "BBLP has the cleanest pool in the county"!

Way to go Ken, and thank you!



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BBLP administration is very pleased to announce that all of our RV, Boat and Trailer storage spaces have been rented by our members!

Trailer storage spaces have been rented by our members!
If you are still interested in renting an RV storage space for your RV, trailer, or boat, the administration office is maintaining a waiting list for any spaces that become available.

Spaces are rented on a First-Come, First-Served basis, so don't delay!

DIVE IN MOVIE



FINDING NEMO JULY 16

We have had **SUCH A HUGE RESPONSE** for our **JAWS** night, how could we not do a family friendly **FINDING NEMO**

*It will start at (9:00pm - 9:30)
(depending on when it gets dark).*

*This is a family friendly event
so it open to everyone!*

You are allowed to bring a float to sit and watch!

If it rains, it will be rescheduled.

PET WARNING

We have a very sad and horrific incident to report to all of our pet owners.



May long weekend a Birch Bay resident was in front of Cafe Via with her small dog which was reported to be a few feet from her.

The dog was swooped up and taken to the nest of one of our local bald eagles that live in the trees above shores.

Apparently this is not the first time this has taken place, in this area.

Please watch your pets and keep them on a leash as we do have eagles and coyotes in the area and in the park.



HAMBURGER DAY

JULY 30th
11:00 - 2:00
Elm

ENTERTAINMENT

As we roll into warmer weather and kids starting summer holidays, families are returning to their Leisure Park getaway. You can hear the chatter of little voices playing , riding bikes and reuniting friendships.



July is a busy month of events in the park. Please come out enjoy and support the fund raising events.

The volunteers work hard hosting these events of which the profits provide funding for all kids events through the years.

Adult activities and functions are self supported.

**Don't miss out on the July clander of events
pancake breakfast, bingo, kids day at the pool, dive in movie for
teens, Motown dance, car show, patio/sale and hamburger day!**



Birch Bay Leisure Park Collector Car Show

PLACE: BBLP Central Park

DATE: July 23, 2016

Bocce Bistro

If raining, then Elm Center

TIME: 10:00 am to 4:00 pm

Registration fee: \$15.00 per vehicle (US or CAN Funds)
(Pay in advance or on arrival)

Fee Includes:

1. 1. (2) Hot Dogs
2. 2. (2) Soft Drink Cans
3. 3. Dash Plaque for first 60 cars
4. 4. Fun for all who attend

Note: Additional Hot Dogs cost \$1.00 each, and Soft Drinks \$1.00 each.
No alcoholic beverages available, BYOB (21+, Drive Sober, though)
Any proceeds go to the park recreation and entertainment fund.

Registration Form

Name: _____
BBLP Site Number: _____
Member or Guest: _____
Vehicle: _____
People Attending: _____
Amount Paid: _____ US _____ CAN _____ Pay at Show: _____
Volunteer to help: _____ Yes _____ No _____
(if yes, phone number: _____) Thank-You



PATIO SALE

JULY 30th

**You may pick up your balloon
at 8:00am at the office.**



ICE FOR SALE

Starting July 1st you will be able to buy bags of ice at the office for \$1.50_{USA}



CRAFT CORNER

How To Make A No Sew T-Shirt Tote Bag



SUPPLIES

- Old t-shirt - The thicker the fabric, the sturdier the bag
- Sharp scissors, preferably fabric scissors
- Washable marker (optional)

DIRECTIONS

Step 1: Cut the sleeves off

If you'd like to fold the t-shirt in half you can cut both sleeves at once so that they are identical. Or, if your material is too thick to cut them both at once, you can cut one, then fold it in half and use the cut side as a guide for the next sleeve.

Step 2: Cut the neckline area

If you'd like, you can turn the shirt inside out and trace the outline of a bowl before cutting. I used both methods and personally, I like free-hand cutting better because I prefer a slightly oval shape to a perfectly round one. I ended up trimming this one a bit to make it more oval.



Step 3: Determine how deep you want the bag to be

If you haven't already turned your t-shirt inside out, do it now. Determine where you want the bottom of the bag to be and trace a line across. Keep in mind that depending on the fabric used, your tote is likely stretch and become longer when it's filled with stuff.

Step 4: Cut fringe

Now grab your scissors and cut slits from the bottom of the shirt up to the line marking the bottom of your bag. You'll want to cut both the front and back layers together because they need to match up for the next step. Cut slits about 3/4 to 1 inch apart.



Step 5: Tie Fringe

Okay, this is going to sound really complicated, but it's NOT, promise. Take your first pair of fringe and tie it into a knot, then tie two more pairs. Now if you lift your bag you'll see that although the pairs are pulling the bag together, there's a hole between each pair. This next step will close those holes.

In the photo you see three sets of fringe that have been tied in knots. What I do next is grab one strand from the middle set (the one with the arrow pointing left) and tie it in a knot with one of the strands on the left

set. Then I take the other strand from the middle set (the one with the arrow pointing right) and tie it in a knot with one of the strands on the right set.

Then I take the remaining strand on the right set and tie it to the next set of strands, and so on and so forth until all the strands are tied. Now turn your t-shirt right side out again and voila, you're done!

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JULY 2ND 7:30
ELM





KIDS DAY AT THE POOL

JULY 9, 10:00 am
come and make a splash and have fun!
pre-register at the office
For kids of all ages!

BBLP Presidents Report, July 2016

It has been just 9 months since arriving on the board, and it is perhaps a good time to pause and review the board's accomplishments;

- Improvement of staff working conditions and benefits, and staff/board relations
- Re-instatement of Dennis Hansen as head of security. Thanks to Dennis for building the security team. Addition of a security vehicle.
- Expanded pool hours
- More community recreational events and family based events.
- Elm Center improvements, thanks to Wes Gmur and his dedicated group of volunteers
- New Brier patio furniture and gazebos thanks to the entertainment committee and Vicci Burnett
- Financial responsibility - Reduced costs for members, and future savings on assessments, thanks to the help of Don Brown for keeping costs as low as possible.
- Removal of the manager's residence and lot are clean-up

There is still a lot of work the board needs to do and problems we need to address. If we work together in a spirit of co-operation, there is no problem or issue we can't resolve. Thanks to all the volunteers, and to the staff for their service and excellent job they are doing. Thanks to the members of the

their service and excellent job they are doing. Thanks to the members of the board for volunteering and especially to those that were willing to step in when other elected members decided to quit. It is a pleasure working with all of you.

Mike van Geyn



PANCAKE BREAKFAST



Saturday, July 2nd
9:00 AM until 12 NOON
At the Elm Center



SERVING

- ◆ PANCAKES
- ◆ SAUSAGES
- ◆ SCRAMBLED EGGS
- ◆ JUICE
- ◆ COFFEE
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2016 BOARD ELECTION

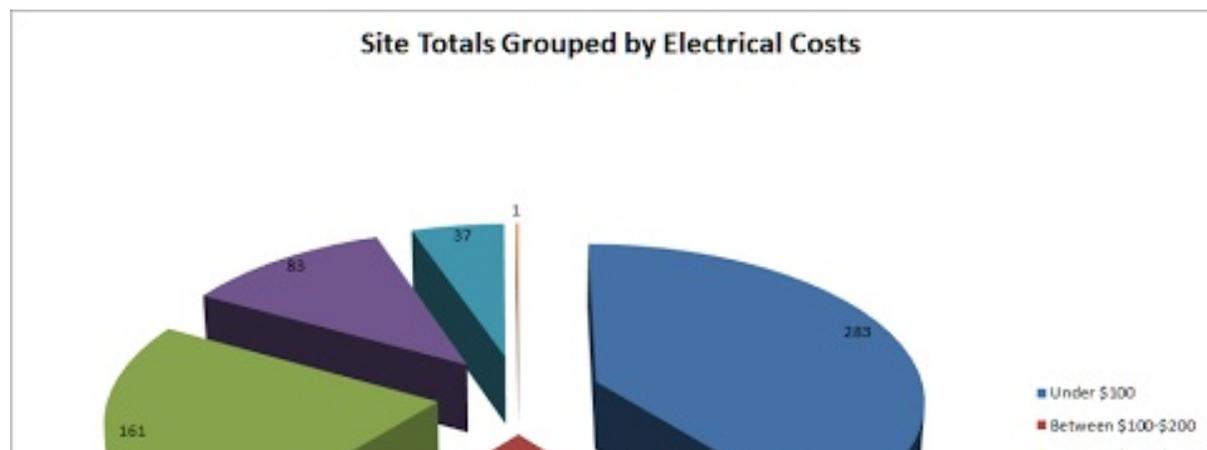
If you are thinking of tossing your hat in and running for the board (good for you) it is important to participate in our community.

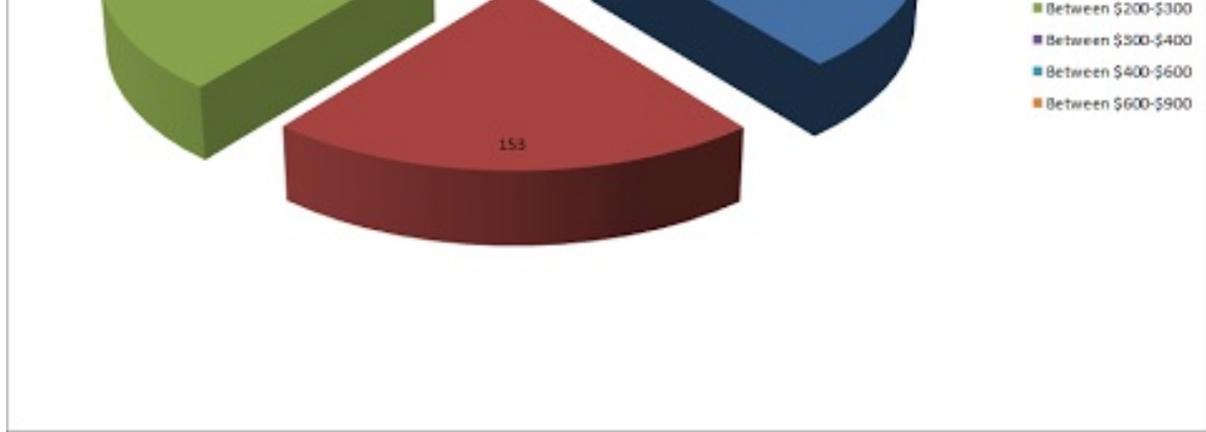
I encourage all members to participate.

Our nominating chair is Len Finnigan 50- 08, if you are going to run you must have handed in your nomination in person to one of the following NO LATER THAN AUGUST 26 12:00 NOON:

- The office
- Vicci Burnett 22-2
- Len Finnigan

The board would like to thank Len for stepping up and helping out the park and volunteering to take this position on!





DO NOT FORGET

You will be seeing bait boxes just like this on berms, in our back circles, at the garbage, and around all buildings.



Please DO NOT TOUCH THEM THEY HAVE RAT POISON IN THEM!

If you see any rats, please let our Grounds and Maintenance know, or report it at the office.

And please take down your bird feeders!
Thank you.

Birch Bay Leisure Park is also trapping the occasional skunk and two (so far!) wily raccoons to be re-released into the wild forest lands near Deming, WA.

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BOGO
Snow Cone



Sept. Café & Pizza:
BOGO Brownie



TEEN DIVE IN MOVIE

JAWS

July - 2nd 9:00

This is for our teens 13- 19

At the pool, please not if it rains
we will reschedule.



BBLP 1ST AMAZING RACE

If you have a younger member of BBLP who would like to be
in our own version of the amazing race please

register at the office no later
than July 29.

This event is for youth 8 - 17

they will be put into teams and be moving through the park having to find things and complete

tasks in order to obtain clues.

This is planned for August 7th 12:00

it will start at circle 17.



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Security Report July 2016

A happy holiday weekend to everyone!

July is shaping up to be a fun and busy month here at Leisure Park. The kids are out of school, the weather is warming up and the Park is planning a number of great entertainment events for everyone to enjoy.

We hope that everyone remembers to celebrate safely. If you are planning on spending the 4th of July with us, please remember that the use of fireworks is **strictly prohibited** anywhere in Leisure Park. Anyone caught igniting fireworks anywhere in our Park will receive an automatic citation and a hefty fine, so don't do it! Please take all your pops, bangs and colorful flashes out to the beach.

The 4th of July is also a crucial time to be wearing your Park Rec Tag. With so many people coming and going through the front gate it's essential to know who does, and who does not, belong in Leisure Park. Rec Tags are the fastest and easiest way to identify our members and their guests. Whether you are traveling on foot, bicycle, roller skate, inline skates, skate-board, long-board, or on piggy-back, wear your BBLP Rec Tags with pride!

Site inspections are still happening around the Park. Letters are being sent to those members whose sites could use some TLC. These site inspection letters are meant to inform members of the areas of their sites which are non-compliant with our Park's rules and regulations. Members who receive a site inspection letter will have two weeks to address any issues outlined in their letter. Please remember that any work that involves building - new fences, decks, awnings, sheds or concrete work - requires an approved building permit; available for free at the administration office.

BBLP security staff would like to remind everyone that our park's rules and regulations are readily available to view on our website; as well, printed copies are available at the administration office, free of charge.

We would also like to remind everyone that members are fully responsible for the actions of their guests. Do try to remind your guests to be on their best behaviors when they visit.

On a personal note, *"I would like to thank everyone who has come by and welcomed me back to the park. It's been so good to see all of you again!"* -Dennis Hansen, Head of Security

Some things to remember: excerpts from the BBLP Rules and Regulations:

- All guest vehicles must be registered at the Administration Office or Security. (Do not use your gate card to let in your visitors)
- Pets are not allowed in any park building.
- Bicycles must be equipped with a headlight and reflectors if used in the park after dusk.
- Drying of bathing suits, towels and laundry must not be done in public view.
- Bird feeders must be taken down this year.

Failure to comply with any Regulation shall be subject to fines as listed.

June Citations:

No citations have been issued for the month of June.

Great job everyone!

Remember, the Birch Bay Leisure Park Security Staff is here to help insure the health, safety, and security of all our members. If you, your family, your guests, your friends or your neighbors need assistance for any reason, please do not hesitate to contact any member of Park Staff.

- Front Gate Sign-Ins for May = 516 (Actual) June = 404 (Est.)

PET OWNERS
Please control your pets!

You wouldn't let your dog poop on your carpet. Don't let your dog poop on the lawn!

This is a not only nasty, but it is a huge health concern.

We will be instructing security to ticket if your pet relieves themselves on a berm, or if you do not pick up after your pet. Young children play, run through and roll around on the lush grass of our berms. No one wants a kid covered in puppy poo.

May I please remind you the dog walks are on the sides of the park, along Mainline Rd and Meadow Rd. **Also berms are not a place to play off leash with your pet. Dogs must be leashed at all times unless they are confined on your site. This also something you may get a fine for so PLEASE leash, walk, and clean up after your furry babies and remind your guests to do the same.**

We have a lot of people and pets in a very small area, lets all do our part to keep the park clean.
Woof!!



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POOL NEWS

The pool will be open full time starting Saturday, June 4th.



8:00am - 9:00am lap swim only * (no attendant)

9:00am - 10:00am aqua size ** (no attendant)

10:00am - 12:00pm free swim

12:00pm - 1:00pm adult swim

1:00pm - 4:00pm free swim

4:00pm - 5:00pm adult swim

5:00pm- 9:00pm free swim

9:00pm - 10:00pm teen swim 13 - 19 years of age only

*Lap swim hour is for adults and also for children that are in competitive swimming training, for laps only. Any child 12 years of age and under must be supervised at all times by an adult 18 years of age or older as there will be no pool attendant on duty at this time. There is one "lane rope" available if required, anyone using the rope is responsible for installing it and removing it before 9:00 am. The pool must be cleared by 9:00 am. The rope will not be allowed for the remainder of the day. This is your time to get your laps in unimpeded!

**Aquasize is now 1 hour long and is for adults 18 years of age and older. No attendant will be on duty at this time.

Do you need assistance?

Contractors, Handymen, Landscapers, Cleaners, Plumbing and Electrical, Tree Removal and much, much more! The Birch Bay Leisure Park Administration Office can help you find the right people for your job. Stop by the office and pick up a free list of local businesses and licensed individuals who can get your job done right!

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Use of Tiger Torches to remove weeds is not allowed in Birch Bay Leisure Park. They were disallowed in Sept of 2013. We have had incidents that have started fires and have caused property damage.



if you are caught using one you will receive a **citation and a fine.**

Please think of your fellow members, these instruments can cause serious damage, especially in the dry conditions of summer.

We have already had one fire this year that was caused by a TIGER TORCH. The fire trucks had to come, and the neighbor of the members using the torch almost lost their trailer.

July 2016 Tide Chart

USHARBORS  WASHINGTON
 Blaine, Drayton Harbor Tides - Jul/2016
 48°60'N 122°46'W

DATE	HIGH				LOW				☀️		MOON
	AM	ft	PM	ft	AM	ft	PM	ft	RISE	SET	
1 Fri	2:00	9.7	5:07	8.1	9:38	-1.3	9:27	5.8	5:10	9:20	🌑
2 Sat	2:44	9.7	5:59	9.0	10:23	-2.1	10:28	6.2	5:10	9:20	🌑
3 Sun	3:30	9.6	6:45	9.5	11:08	-2.6	11:26	6.3	5:11	9:19	🌑
4 Mon	4:18	9.3	7:28	9.9	11:52	-2.7			5:12	9:19	🌑
5 Tue	5:08	9.0	8:09	10.0	12:23	6.2	12:35	-2.5	5:13	9:18	🌑
6 Wed	5:58	8.5	8:48	10.0	1:19	6.0	1:19	-2.0	5:13	9:18	🌑
7 Thu	6:50	7.9	9:25	9.9	2:18	5.6	2:02	-1.3	5:14	9:17	🌑
8 Fri	7:44	7.3	10:01	9.8	3:19	5.2	2:45	-0.4	5:15	9:16	🌑
9 Sat	8:43	6.6	10:34	9.6	4:24	4.6	3:29	0.7	5:16	9:16	🌑
10 Sun	9:48	5.9	11:06	9.3	5:28	4.0	4:15	1.9	5:17	9:15	🌑
11 Mon	11:10	5.5	11:37	9.1	6:27	3.2	5:03	3.1	5:18	9:14	🌑
12 Tue			1:20	5.5	7:20	2.5	5:58	4.2	5:19	9:14	🌑
13 Wed	12:09	8.9	3:23	6.1	8:05	1.8	7:03	5.2	5:20	9:13	🌑
14 Thu	12:43	8.8	4:32	7.0	8:46	1.1	8:12	5.9	5:21	9:12	🌑
15 Fri	1:20	8.6	5:19	7.7	9:23	0.4	9:17	6.4	5:22	9:11	🌑
16 Sat	2:00	8.6	5:56	8.3	9:58	-0.2	10:12	6.6	5:24	9:10	🌑
17 Sun	2:41	8.5	6:27	8.7	10:33	-0.8	10:58	6.6	5:25	9:09	🌑
18 Mon	3:24	8.5	6:55	9.0	11:08	-1.3	11:38	6.5	5:26	9:08	🌑
19 Tue	4:08	8.5	7:21	9.2	11:45	-1.6			5:27	9:07	🌑
20 Wed	4:54	8.4	7:49	9.4	12:18	6.3	12:23	-1.8	5:28	9:06	🌑
21 Thu	5:42	8.3	8:19	9.5	1:01	5.9	1:02	-1.7	5:29	9:05	🌑
22 Fri	6:35	8.0	8:50	9.7	1:46	5.4	1:43	-1.3	5:31	9:03	🌑
23 Sat	7:32	7.5	9:24	9.7	2:36	4.8	2:25	-0.6	5:32	9:02	🌑
24 Sun	8:35	7.0	9:58	9.8	3:31	4.0	3:09	0.3	5:33	9:01	🌑
25 Mon	9:46	6.5	10:35	9.7	4:29	3.1	3:56	1.6	5:35	9:00	🌑
26 Tue	11:10	6.1	11:13	9.7	5:29	2.2	4:49	2.9	5:36	8:58	🌑
27 Wed			12:56	6.2	6:30	1.2	5:50	4.2	5:37	8:57	🌑
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28 Thu			2:48	6.8	7:30	0.2	7:00	5.2	5:38	8:56	🌑
29 Fri	12:41	9.4	4:05	7.7	8:27	-0.6	8:15	5.9	5:40	8:54	🌑
30 Sat	1:31	9.3	5:00	8.5	9:19	-1.2	9:26	6.2	5:41	8:53	🌑
31 Sun	2:26	9.1	5:46	9.1	10:08	-1.6	10:28	6.1	5:42	8:51	🌑

Local Time

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FROM THE ADMINISTRATION CENTER

Propane Tanks

We fill your small propane tank at the Admin Center. Located between the recycling bins and the dirt is the propane filling station. Tanks left on the "EMPTY" side by 4:00 PM will be ready for pick up by 4:30 PM and placed on the "FULL" side. Please be sure that your tank is clearly marked with your site number and last name for easy identification.

Topsoil & Gravel

We offer 4-way topsoil, crushed limestone or chipped rock for purchase at the Administration Office. You may purchase these commodities by 5 gallon bucket or wheelbarrow full (you fill). We keep a limited supply of these materials on hand, so if you need more than a yard or two we will be happy to put you in touch with a wholesale supplier.

Brush Bins

Each bath house has a fenced area for small loads of yard waste ONLY. All yard waste should be bagged or bundled for easy removal by park staff. Compost bags are available at the office, five for \$2.00.

Garbage

Please place bagged household garbage in the dumpsters located at the bath houses and at the front of the park. To dispose of larger items (carpet, mattresses,

furniture, etc.) stop by the office to purchase a \$20 dump permit.

Recycling

Please recycle. Aluminum cans (preferably crushed) go in the recycling shed. Newspapers, mixed paper, cans and jars go in bins in front of the shed at the front. Please flatten plastic jugs. Cardboard goes in the bin inside the recycling shed at the front. Please flatten. Additional recycling locations are: Bathhouse #3, #4, #5, #6, #7, #8, #9, #10 – Brier Center and Elm Center. Further details about recycling are available at the Administration Office.

Laundry

Bathhouses 3, 4, 8, & 9 have coin operated washers and dryers. (\$2.25 US to wash and \$1.00 US to dry) **Machines take U.S. QUARTERS ONLY.**

Utilities

We respond to your water, power and sewer problems. If it's a park problem we fix it. If not, we can point you towards a solution. Please be aware of the delicate disposition of our sewer system. Sewage is pumped out of the park and our pumps choke on the smallest of things; a dish rag, that messy diaper (even a supposedly disposable diaper), a potted plant with its roots, a knife, etc. When these things reach the pump, it plugs. We then have to hire a contractor to go down into the

sewer tank to make repairs, costing the park time and money.

Compressed Air

Outside the Maintenance Shop door we provide compressed air for your tires.

Construction / Maintenance Permits

All construction requires a permit. Permit applications are available at the Administration Center and only take a moment to fill out. Office staff are also on hand to assist with the process.

Mail & Parcels

Please stop by the Administration Center to pick up your mail and parcels to make room for more.

Volunteers

Birch Bay Leisure Park is always looking for volunteers to help out with our Park events. If you are interested in lending a hand, come by the Office and sign up!

The Administration Office would like to remind everyone to please check on your account balance the next time you are at the office.

Be safe. Have fun. Be kind to each other.

BBLP Administration

Shelly Pettit

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DOG OWNERS PLEASE NOTE

"Doggie Walks" are provided on Mainline & Meadow Roads. Dogs must be on a leash at all times when off your site. The fine for failing to clean up after your pet is \$50.



OFFICE HOURS

May 23rd – Sept 30th 7 days/wk 9:00am to 5:00pm
Oct 1st – May 22nd 7 days/wk 10:00 am to 4:00pm

TELEPHONE NUMBERS

Leisure Park Administration Center	(360) 371-7122
U.S. Douglas Border	(360) 332-8661
U.S. Peace Arch Border	(360) 332-6318
Canadian Border	(800) 461-9999
Peace Arch Hospital (White Rock)	(604) 531-5512
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Red Tide Hotline	(800) 562-5632
Fire/Aid Car/Police*	911

*B.C. Cell Phones Call (360) 676-6711 NOT 911

Leisure Park Cell Phone (Security) (360) 961-5424

Leisure Park E-mail: birchbayleisurepark@comcast.net
Leisure Park Website: www.birchbayleisurepark.com
Comments and information: info@birchbayleisurepark.com
Newsletter: communications@birchbayleisurepark.com

POOL HOURS

POOL OPENS:	May 1st Friday – Sunday (Monday Holidays)
POOL OPENS DAILY:	June 6 th 8 am to 10 pm
POOL LAPPERS:	8 am to 9 am
AQUASIZE:	9:00 am to 10:00 am
ALL SWIM	10:00 am to Noon 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm 5:00 pm to 9:00 pm
ADULT SWIM:	Noon to 1:00 pm 4:00 pm to 5:00 pm
TEEN SWIM:	9:00 pm to 10:00 pm

The Pool Attendants are not lifeguards.
Pool tags, bathhouse key and showers are required for entry to pool. Adults must accompany children under 13 years of age into the pool to ensure their safety.

STAY CONNECTED:

