



Birch Bay Leisure Park
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THE NEWS

MAY 2018

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UPCOMING MAY EVENTS

<i>CIRCLE REPRESENTATIVES MEETING</i>	<i>BRIER</i>	<i>10:00 AM - MAY 6</i>
PANCAKE BREAKFAST	ELM	9:00 AM - MAY 19
<i>BINGO</i>	<i>ELM</i>	<i>7:30 PM - MAY 19</i>
PATIO SALE	PARK-WIDE	8:30 AM - MAY 19
<i>TOWN HALL MEETING</i>	<i>ELM</i>	<i>10:00 AM to 12:00 PM - MAY 20</i>
CAESAR SUNDAY	ELM	1:00 PM - MAY 20

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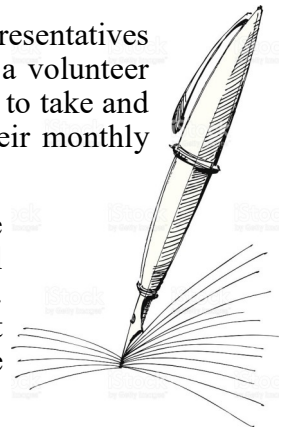
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**WELCOME BACK
BBLP MEMBERS!**



BBLP Circle Representatives are still looking for a volunteer Recording Secretary to take and prepare notes for their monthly Meeting Minutes.

Position will require attendance at the Circle Reps Meetings and general note taking and typing skills. Interested persons should contact Doug Parmenter at CW-19 or the BBLP administration office.



Park Directory & Informational Phone Numbers

BOARD OF DIRECTORS 2017-2018

President	Bill Grant
Vice President	Tom Collins
Secretary	Richard Shore
Treasurer	Susan Stuart
Rules and Regulations/By-Laws	Syd Hughes
Grounds & Maintenance	Karilee Green
Entertainment & Recreation	Rhonda Robinson
Public Relations/Communications	Tom Collins

OFFICE HOURS

May 15th – Sept 10th 7 days/wk 9am to 5pm
Oct 1st – May 14th 7 days/wk 10am to 4pm

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
St. Joseph's Hospital (Bellingham)	800-541-7209
Red Tide Hotline	800-562-5632
Fire/Aid/Police*	911

APPOINTMENTS

Transfer Secretary	Sharon Ingham
Recording Secretary	Jan Faulkner
Nominating Committee Chair	
Nominating Committee Vice-Chair	

CIRCLE REPRESENTATIVES

Circle Rep Chair	Doug Parmenter
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*B.C. Cell Phones Call 360-676-6711 NOT 911

Leisure Park Email: birchbayleisurepark@comcast.net

Leisure Park Website: www.birchbayleisurepark.com

LEISURE PARK STAFF

General Manager	Don Brown	360-961-3243
Office Manager	Shelly Pettit	360-961-0788
Office Staff	Betty Troup	
	Jennifer Timmreck	
Maintenance Foreman	Ken Perrin	
Maintenance Staff	Steven Powers	
(Grounds)	Ruth Brown	
	Brad Benard	
	John Carta	
(Custodian)	J. Carol Alvarado	
Head of Security	Dennis Hansen	
Security Staff	Vernon Billing	
	Matt Koker	
After Hours Security Cell #	360-961-5424	
Pool Staff	TBD	

POOL HOURS

POOL OPENS:	May 18st – Friday thru Sunday (Holiday Mondays)
POOL OPENS DAILY:	June – 8:00 am to 10:00 pm
POOL LAPPERS:	8:00 am to 9:00 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

Pool attendants are not lifeguards.

Rec Tags, bath house 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.

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 \$50.00 USD





BIRCH BAY LEISURE PARK

Calendar of Events

2018

2018	DATE	FUNCTION	PLACE	TIME	CONTACT
FEBRUARY	18	BOARD MEETING	BRIER	CLOSED MTG	
MARCH	25	BOARD MEETING	BRIER	CLOSED MTG	
	31	EASTER EGG HUNT	CIRCLE 17	NOON	AVELING/WALKER
APRIL	29	BOARD MEETING	BRIER	CLOSED MTG	
MAY	6	CIRCLE REPS MTG	BRIER	10:00AM	
	19	BOARD MEETING	BRIER	CLOSED MTG	
	19	PANCAKE BREAKFAST	ELM	9:00AM	
	19	BINGO	ELM	7:30PM	
	19	PATIO SALE	OFFICE	8:00AM	CHOLETTE
	20	TOWN HALL MTG	ELM	10AM-12PM	
	20	CAESAR SUNDAY	ELM	2PM-7PM	GMUR/VYSE
JUNE	3	CIRCLE REPS MTG	BRIER	10:00AM	
	24	BOARD MEETING	BRIER	CLOSED MTG	
	30	PANCAKE BREAKFAST	ELM	9:00AM	
	30	BINGO	ELM	7:30PM	
JULY	7	MOTOWN DANCE	ELM	8:00PM	ALLEN
	8	CIRCLE REPS MTG	BRIER	10:00AM	
	14	KIDS DAY AT THE POOL	POOL	11AM-1PM	WEST
	21	KIDS SPORTS DAY	CIRCLE 17	11AM-2PM	CHRISTENSEN/EDWIN
	22	BOARD MEETING	BRIER	CLOSED MTG	
	28	HAMBURGER DAY	CIRCLE 17		NICOLL
	28	PATIO SALE	PARK-WIDE	8:00AM	CHOLETTE
AUGUST	4	WACKY WHEELS PARADE	CIRCLE 17	11AM-12:30	TINDALE
	5	CIRCLE REPS MTG	BRIER	10:00AM	
	12	BOARD MEETING	BRIER	CLOSED MTG	
	18	KIDS CARNIVAL	CIRCLE 17	2PM	POITRAS
	25	GOLF TOURNEY DINNER	ELM		GMUR
SEPTEMBER	1	PANCAKE BREAKFAST	ELM	9:00AM	
	1	BINGO	ELM	7:30PM	
	2	AGM	BLAINE PAC		
	2	CAESAR SUNDAY	ELM	2PM - 7PM	GMUR/VYSE
	16	CIRCLE REPS MTG	BRIER	10:00AM	
DECEMBER	31	NEW YEARS EVE DANCE	ELM	7:30	GMUR/VYSE



Bill Grant - President, BBLP Board of Directors

I am sure you are all looking forward to another great summer of fun with family and friends here in the Park.

This past year has been a busy one for the Board as we have strived to bring more stability and continuity to all our processes to pass on to future Boards.

A lot of work has gone into getting our financial house in order with a sound foundation to build upon. A long-range capital account has been set up with proceeds being added each year to pay for the replacement and rehabilitation of Park assets. This will reduce the possibility of raising annual fees for these major projects and it gives the Park the ability to carryout long-range planning knowing funds exist to complete needed plans in a phased approach where necessary.

A good example was the replacement of a Park pickup truck with the boom truck. In the past the Park had to rent a boom truck at a cost of \$95 per hour. Since we have acquired the boom truck we have saved approximately \$9,000 and were able to schedule the work when we wanted it done not at the time scheduled by the equipment renter. This saving is more than half the cost of the truck. We did not add to the fleet we replaced an older vehicle.

We have added to the number of committees to gain additional input from members who have special skills to bring to the committees. No one person or Board has all the answers so we rely on the support of our committees. If anyone is interested in getting involved in the Park, becoming a committee member is a great way to start. This list of committees includes the following; Appeals Committee, Bylaws Committee, Entertainment Committee, Finance Committee, HR & Compensation Committee, Long Range Planning Committee, Newsletter Committee, Nominations Committee, Public Relations Committee and the Rules & Regulations Committee.

I am very fortunate to be working with a Board comprised of 7 people who each have a professional approach and are dedicated to making the Park a great place for all members. Not all our decisions are easy and I can assure you none of them are made frivolously, however making the right decision is the key to maintaining the longevity of the Park and that is in all of our best interests.

One area that seems to be receiving a lot of recent criticism are the site inspections. The Board must follow the rules and regulations as set out in our bylaws. These bylaws are what governs Birch Bay Leisure Park and we are mandated to follow them. We knew as a Board that there were infractions from the past regarding site inspections and there was a demand from the membership to address them. We responded. We did this by organizing two teams of 3 (4 Board members, the General Manager and the Compliance Officer) with a standard evaluation form to eliminate single person bias. The teams visited all 718 sites. A lot of work went into this process. Think of the effort to walk the Park and visit all 718 sites. Once the initial inspections were completed, where there were concerns, sites were revisited. We had to take into consideration the age of the Park, safety and the original intent of the Park founders. This is a recreational camping Park, the intent of the bylaws was not to build single unit, high fenced properties but to have an open and inclusive Park where social activities and the development of friendships are encouraged.

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Site compliance review is probably the most polarizing activity that a Board must deal with. Decisions are not always easy or popular. We purposely did our inspections early in the year to give members the ability to take appropriate action before the heat of summer would cause additional problems. Some situations were grandfathered and some were not due to safety issues like sight lines while driving. As in all decisions made by any Board there is an appeal process that members can take advantage of where necessary.

We have made great progress in working with Birch Bay Watershed Aquatic Resources Management advisory committee (BBWARM) in support of significantly reducing or eliminating flooding in the Park. They have set aside \$20,000 to pay for an engineering assessment of our drainage situation and this is underway. Don Brown and Tom Collins have made presentations to BBWARM and attend regular meetings to make sure our voice is heard. We will continue with our efforts to develop solutions to our flooding issues.

As you can see we have been busy working toward keeping the Park a fantastic place to be a member. The additional reports in this newsletter will provide more details of what we have been doing. Please take the time to read them and become familiar with what is going on here in the Park.



Richard Shore - Secretary, BBLP Board of Directors

In November 2017 the Board confirmed the policy decision of the 2016/2017 Board to bring individual Leisure Park staff wage rates in line with the 50th percentile for comparable positions within Whatcom County.

For 2018 we again reviewed wage data published by Washington State and the State Consumer Price index (CPI). As a result all staff wages were increased January 1, 2018 by the Washington state CPI of 1.3%. Further adjustments were made on an individual basis to reflect changes in job duties and to bring those furthest behind the 50th percentile more in line with their Whatcom County comparisons. Washington State increased the minimum wage rate from \$11:00 to \$11.50 per hour effective January 1, 2018 and this will affect seasonal employee wage rates.

The Treasurer and Secretary also reviewed the annual Health, Dental and Vision Care Benefits plan renewal and recommended to the Board the plans be renewed. There was a 3.12% premium reduction.

The wage adjustments and benefits renewals were approved by the Board and are provided for in the 2017/2018 Budget.

The Treasurer and Secretary, along with the General Manager, are currently reviewing the impact of Washington State legislative changes impacting holiday and sick benefits for Park staff. This will require an update to the Staff "Employee Handbook" which details policies, benefits and working conditions for Park Staff.



Susan Stuart - Treasurer, BBLP Board of Directors

Treasurer/Finance Report

It's that time of the year that the office is asking about submissions for the Newsletter which means the busy season is upon us...where did fall and winter go? Mark **June 29th** in your calendars, it's the date the payment of your 2nd assessment is due by. Now that that is out of the way....

This report will not include specific details on the 2017 financial results as we are just finalizing the reports and tax return. Specific financial information will be provided in subsequent newsletters and the AGM mail out. When the information is distributed, we ask that members remember that for reporting purposes we consolidate operating and entertainment financial records. We will endeavour to internally report the operating information separately from the entertainment information to provide a better picture of where revenues are generated and expenses incurred.

Assessments

Members are reminded that to reduce costs we are now **emailing assessment notices** to email addresses we currently have on file. The **2nd 2018 Assessment Notification will be emailed in late May** and, as in the past, you are encouraged to read all notices included as they provide details on specific topics we want members to be reminded and/or aware of, including a list of payment options. The assessment documents will include charges for your electrical usage from November 2017 through April 2018 along with any other amounts outstanding (eg. propane, gravel, etc.). If you have a prepaid amount on your account, this will also be noted.

Assessments payments must be deposited to the designated bank account in such a way that it is dated on or before the **due date of June 29th** as we go by our bank statement date to determine the date payment was received.

When in doubt, contact the office who will gladly inform you of what your balance payable is and what payment options are available.

The 1st 2018 Assessment collection process went as expected but we are disappointed that the term "repeat offender" can be used in multiple situations. The following is a summary of the number of members with outstanding balances at the end of each month indicated:

December – 20

January – 10

February – 5

March – 2 (including 1 membership that the Board is currently dealing with the revocation of)

It goes without saying, much of what is done from a treasury and finance perspective could not be done without the day to day assistance of our helpful and resourceful administrative group!

Susan Stuart, 39 – 10
BBLP Treasurer



Karilee Green - Grounds, BBLP Board of Directors

Hello Members,

Six people, four board members and two staff members carried out site inspections. The park was divided into two sections, two board members and one staff member did the front half and two board members and one staff member did the back half of the park. Inspections were performed over a two-day period and then we met as a board and discussed our findings.

We thought about all the beautiful flowering trees that add so much to the value of the park and decided that we would take pictures of the flowering shrubs and trees and grandfather them at the height they are now to preserve the beauty of the park. Pictures are kept in the members site file.

Letters were sent out in February so that any pruning could be done while trees and hedges were dormant, thus minimizing stress to the tree or bush.

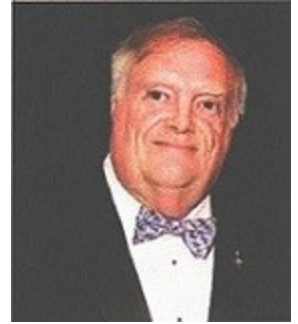
Given the parks age and the beauty of the trees, it was agreed by the board to raise the height limit from 25 ft. to 35 ft. as long as the tree is healthy.

Since compliance letters went out, we have met with many site owners upon request, to devise a plan to bring sites into compliance over a two or three year period. The intention of the board was to preserve the beauty of the park while still being compliant with rules. If it is determined that trimming a tree or shrub too drastically will be detrimental to the health of the tree or shrub, we are willing to take the required time to bring it into compliance while still maintaining healthy shrubs and trees.

If you have questions or concerns regarding a compliance notice you have received please send an email to the Park Office and someone will contact you to discuss and/or arrange a site visit.

Karilee Green
Compliance Director

Syd Hughes - Rules & Regulations, BBLP Board of Directors



Welcome back to the park! As we begin the busy season in the park it's time for a few friendly reminders. I have included Rule references. If you do not have a current copy of the Park rules they can be downloaded from the Birch Bay Leisure Park website by going to www.birchbayleisurepark.com and clicking on the Rules and Regulations tab. Failing that you may pick up a hard copy in the office. It is your responsibility to be knowledgeable of the Park's rules and to follow them at all times.

Be considerate of your neighbours

- Noise levels should be kept in mind especially when your neighbours are around. Quiet time is from midnight to 8 am. (Section E part 2).
- Construction noise is NOT permitted prior to 8 am and after 7 pm. (Section E part 2).
- It helps to keep your windows and blinds shut on your near neighbour's side of your trailer when they are there. You can have lots of air circulation from the windows on the other side of your trailer.

Pets (Section E part 3)

- All pets must be on leash when off your site.
- Clean up after your pet.
- There are two doggy walks located in the park. Please use them. While it is not always possible to make it to the doggy walk before your pet relieves itself please remember that children play on the berms and you MUST clean up after your pet if an "accident" occurs. Circle 17 is NOT a off-leash area.
- Rule Section E part 3 d. reads "Pets are not permitted to walk on any grassed area within the park (berms or circle 17) other than the two doggy walks".

Site Clean up

- This year your Board of Directors did site inspections early in the season to allow for time to bring sites into compliance. It has been a great pleasure to meet many of the park members who have requested extensions, explanations, etc. to the requests for compliance that were sent out. If you have any concerns about your site compliance please get in touch with the board, through the office and we will set up a meeting with you to work through issues. We are fully aware that it may take two or even three years for trees and bushes to be trimmed so that they remain healthy and the Board of Directors is more than willing to assist you through this procedure.

General Garbage

- Please keep the area around the Bath house dumpsters clean. If the dumpster is full you should use the large dumpster located near the office. This will help to keep the rodent population in the park under control.

Swimming Pool

- As per the Rules and Regulations your Board of Directors has approved the Pool and Tennis court rules for the upcoming Season. These rules were circulated as an attachment to the March Board of Directors minutes and are available on the Park's Official Website. The Pool Rules were updated to conform to the Washington State requirements and regulations. New signs have been ordered and will be posted at the Pool. Please remember that a cleansing shower is required by all persons using the pool.

If you ever have a Rules question, please get in touch with me through the office and I'm sure we can get you an answer.

Syd Hughes Director – Rules & Regulations.



Rhonda Robinson - Recreation and Entertainment, BBLP Board of Directors

Hello Members

We have had a cold and wet start for spring but Courtney Aveling-Walker and Ashley Aveling managed to kick the season off with the Easter egg hunt on March 31st. The event was a resounding success with 92 kids registered. Thank you to Courtney, Ashley, volunteers and staff that made this event possible.

Marilyn Sanders spent many hours trying to arrange a Seattle bus trip to the Blue Jays game; unfortunately she was unable to procure transportation, as every available mode of transport was already booked. We appreciate all your efforts Marilyn!

Last year's Entertainment Director, Daryl Vyse, was instrumental in starting the process of purchasing a new bingo machine for the park. I'm pleased to say the new machine has arrived and will be ready for the first bingo session in May.

The playground at Circle 17 will be receiving a bit of a facelift, complete with much needed park benches, parking, and perimeter edging. We appreciate your patience while the work is ongoing. The Entertainment Committee is providing a bike rack for the playground and Elm Center as well as an additional bike rack for Brier.

Events don't just happen, it is through our wonderful members and park staff that dedicate countless hours planning, coordinating, and volunteering that allow for events to take place. If you have some ideas for summer fun and you would like to coordinate an event, please contact me via the office and I would be more than willing to work with you.

A calendar of events is posted in all issues of the park newsletter. Be sure to keep it handy so you don't miss out on an event. Have a great summer everyone.

Rhonda Robinson
Entertainment Director

Tom Collins - VP & Communications, BBLP Board of Directors



HAPPY SPRING EVERYONE!

We hope everyone had a pleasant winter and have started getting trailers ready for a great summer season ahead!

SO....this is my 1st Newsletter, and as such I will need your help with suggestions (ie- how to get stains out), articles, recipes, jokes, how to deal with moles, and sayings, to name a few!

This year we've structured The Newsletter with an index to hopefully make it a little easier to read and to find "stuff". We have increased advertiser's rates slightly which seems to be acceptable as most find it a great way to reach members with their messages and will add to making it a self-funding paper.

Newsletter rates to we, the members, still remain at \$1.00/copy either Canadian or U.S. so please make certain you pick up your copy – with all your help with suggestions, etc. and the changes we've made – it should be filled with lots of "good stuff"!

First with a bit of news in the "good news" category – myself and Don, our General Park Manager, have been working closely with Whatcom County in trying to get a fix to our "flooding issues". Without going into a lot of detail, I've got to tell you that we have partnered with The County. Our plans for the near future look promising – as an example, Don Brown (sits on the County Board) and myself (Birch Bay liaison for our Park) after an initial presentation to The County and several meetings with The County including County Engineers on our premises these last couple of months have moved us from #50 on their priority list to a #4 position (that in itself is promising).

Let's not forget our Town Hall Meeting on May 20th, 2018 at Elm Center from 10 am to Noon. Please try to attend – 2 hours filled with lots of information including a presentation from Rice Insurance on Trailer Insurance/Park Model Insurance!

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I should add that Email Blasts are sent to keep Members informed on generally what's going on in the Park. I ask that if any Member has not updated their Email address with our Office, please do so and if you don't have a computer or Email address, please drop by the office for a hard copy of any current Email Blasts!

To all our members, if you have any questions or concerns regarding any aspect of Birch Bay Leisure Park life, please stop by the office and let us know! If you have any Site Compliance questions or issues, please submit your concerns to us in writing, care of the Birch Bay Leisure Park Administration Office.

I would like to give a special Thank You to Jennifer Timmreck, Maureen Siddall, Don Brown, Shelly Pettit and Betty Troup for all of their hard work in putting together our Newsletter. We couldn't have done it without you.

And Thank You to all of our advertisers. I encourage all of our park members to help support local Birch Bay businesses in our community.

In closing, I hope you enjoy our summer together and each of the 5 monthly Newsletter publications!

Warmest regards,
Tom Collins

P.S. Don't forget to have a look at our Birch Bay Website – lots of good stuff!



Don Brown - General Manager, Birch Bay Leisure Park

Welcome back Birch Bay Leisure Park (BBLP) Members and friends! It is sure to be another great summer season here in Birch Bay.

There have been some small improvements to the park over the past few winters; as many of you may have already noticed. The recycling area at the front of the park has undergone a transformation. We now have two large containers at the front recycling area. One for household trash (left side) and one for recyclable items (right side).

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I implore that all the park Members use the new recycling area properly. **Please be conscious of how and where you place your recyclable items!** When household trash gets thrown into the recycling bin the entire bin becomes regular trash and then nothing gets recycled and it costs the Park and the Membership more money to have it removed from the Park. Please be careful! Keep in mind that recycling requirements in the US are much different than in Canada. Only glass bottles, plastic bottles, jugs, and tin cans are recyclable. The aluminum cans go in the recycle shed next to the card board bin. Thank you for all for your cooperation with this important process.

The Park's maintenance yard (the large refuse disposal area at the end of Dogwood, aka land fill area) has been seeing a lot of use these last few weeks. If you are making a trip up to the maintenance yard to dispose of some things, please read the signs and place your refuse in the proper places. **Do not leave items on the ground. If you require assistance with heavy items, please contact the administration office for assistance.** The more clean-up that the Park staff are required to do the less time they have towards making improvements to the park.

Lastly, we will not be offering our spring dumpster this season. In lieu of the spring dumpster, Members will be allowed free access* to the Park's maintenance yard to dispose of unwanted items **UNTIL MAY 24TH**. After May 24th Members who wish to use the maintenance yard to dispose of items must purchase a dump permit from the BBLP Administration Office.

Also, the garbage dumpsters at the bath houses will be open for Members to use before the Victoria Day weekend.

The pool is scheduled to be opened on May 18th for Friday-thru-Sunday weekends until further notice. Sometime in early June it will open daily weather permitting.

See you around the Park!
Don Brown
General Manager, Birch Bay Leisure Park

Free access does not include the disposal of appliances which does carry a charge of \$40.00 **usd per item, as we must pay to remove these items from the park. Please stop into the Administration Office to purchase your permit.*

UPCOMING EVENTS!!

PANCAKE BREAKFAST - MAY 19TH



9:00 AM
At the
Elm Center



WANT TO BE A
VOLUNTEER?

Inquire at the
BBLP
Administration
office to find out
how!

PATIO SALE - MAY 19TH



Purchase your Balloon at the Office

Beginning at
8:00 AM



BINGO - MAY 19TH

Doors open at 7:30 PM
At the Elm Center



NEXT MONTH:

PANCAKE BREAKFAST - JUNE 30TH

BINGO - JUNE 30TH

We hope to see you there!



BBLP SPORTS DAY
Saturday, July 21, 2018

Recruiting Volunteers!

Sports Day is back and we are trying a Saturday this year, July 21. Please join us with 4 hours of your time to help make another successful event for the kids. There are several working parts – please help us.

We have 25 - 30 volunteer spots to fill – we hope many teens will come forward this year too. The primary goal is to have 2 volunteers guide a multi-aged team through a specific race event.

We will ensure there are communications and clear instructions along the way.

Please contact us, Annette Edwin at annetteandvictoredwin@gmail.com (20-10), or Linda Christensen at lindapaul@telus.net (20-3), or leave your contact information with the office.

Thank you!
Annette & Linda
20-10 & 20-3



IT'S MOTOWN TIME AGAIN MEMBERS



RILEY INGE, MOTOWN LEGEND AND FORMER SINGER OF THE TEMPTATIONS

We are once again pleased to report that **RILEY INGE**, *former member of the Temptations*, will be at the Elm Center for another Motown Dance this year.

As tickets have sold quickly in the past, we encourage you to get yours as soon as possible! Purchase your ticket(s) directly from the Birch Bay Leisure Park Administration Office.

Riley, a superb entertainer, has rocked the house down during his past 3 performances at our Park. This may be Riley's final performance here due to his very busy schedule. *Don't miss out on your chance to see this music legend perform!*

Tickets will be going on sale Friday, May 25th at the Birch Bay Leisure Park Administration Office.

*Due to the high demand for tickets, all ticket sales are final.
Unused tickets will not be refunded.*

\$25 per person

**The dance to be held on Saturday, July 7th 2018
Doors at 8pm, done by 12.**

*So y'all get your Motown groove on ~ along with your boogey blues ~
for another great event!*

BYOB - plus your favorite snacks!



****We will not be offering Reserve Tables/Seating for you folks, so you'll have to be there on time to pick out your spot.**

TAKE A BREAK!!

Gardening

Find and circle all of the words that are hidden in the grid.
The remaining 27 letters spell a Lady Bird Johnson quote.

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 U P E G S P E T U N I A S S N F N R T
 C A G O R T L S O I L O C I N O W A U
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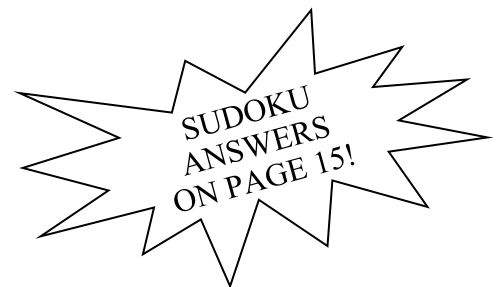
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Sudoku #1

		2				1	3	
			6	2		8		
	6						2	5
			2	8				
8	2			1			5	4
				9	5			
5	7						6	
		3		7	9			
	8	1				4		

Sudoku #2

6		2		4		5	1	
			6			4		
4			3	7		6		
						8	4	
7								5
	2	8						
		1		6	3			9
		6			8			
	5	7		9		1		3



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. (\$2.00 US to wash and \$2.00 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

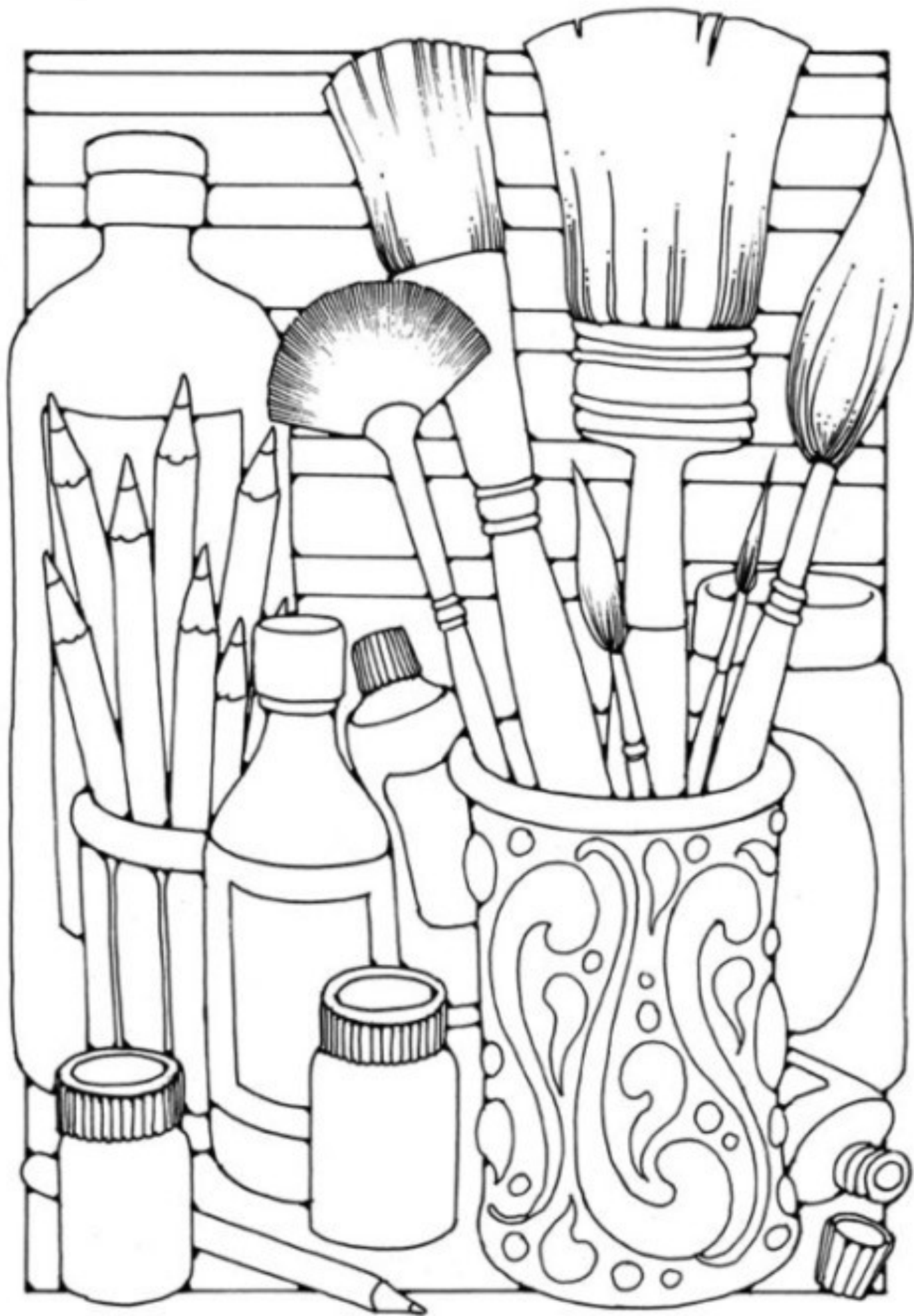
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7	3	5	6	2	1	8	4	9
1	6	8	9	3	4	7	2	5
9	5	4	2	8	7	6	1	3
8	2	7	3	1	6	9	5	4
3	1	6	4	9	5	2	7	8
5	7	9	8	4	2	3	6	1
6	4	3	1	7	9	5	8	2
2	8	1	5	6	3	4	9	7

Sudoku #2

6	3	2	8	4	9	5	1	7
1	7	9	6	2	5	4	3	8
4	8	5	3	7	1	6	9	2
9	6	3	2	5	7	8	4	1
7	1	4	9	8	6	3	2	5
5	2	8	1	3	4	9	7	6
2	4	1	5	6	3	7	8	9
3	9	6	7	1	8	2	5	4
8	5	7	4	9	2	1	6	3

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1	Tue	6:18	8.6	8:24	9.1	1:00	4.8	1:14	-0.5	5:46	8:29	
2	Wed	6:45	8.2	9:11	9.1	1:45	5.4	1:49	-0.5	5:44	8:31	
3	Thu	7:11	7.9	10:00	9.0	2:32	5.8	2:24	-0.3	5:43	8:32	
4	Fri	7:37	7.5	10:50	8.9	3:23	6.2	3:01	-0.1	5:41	8:33	
5	Sat	8:02	7.0	11:41	8.8	4:23	6.3	3:42	0.3	5:39	8:35	
6	Sun	8:29	6.6			5:34	6.3	4:26	0.8	5:38	8:36	
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