



Birch Bay Leisure Park
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THE NEWS

JULY 2019

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<http://www.birchbayleisurepark.com/events-calendar/newsletters/>

UPCOMING JULY EVENTS

<i>BEANBAG BASEBALL (Adults Only 21+)</i>	<i>ELM</i>	<i>JULY 20</i>
KID'S SPORTS DAY	CIRCLE 17	JULY 20
KID'S DAY AT THE POOL	BRIER POOL	JULY 27
<i>CIRCLE REP MEETING</i>	<i>BRIER</i>	<i>10:00 AM - JULY 28</i>

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KIDS DAY AT THE

POOL

SATURDAY
JULY 27TH
10:30 A.M.



BIRCH BAY LEISURE PARK



2019

2019	DATE	FUNCTION	PLACE	TIME	CONTACT
JANUARY	12	BOARD MEETING			
FEB	23	BOARD MEETING			
MARCH	30	BOARD MEETING			
APRIL	20	EASTER EGG HUNT	ELM	NOON	
	27	BOARD MEETING			
MAY	5	CIRCLE REPS MEETING	BRIER	10:00 AM	DOUG PARMENTER
	18	BINGO	ELM	7:30 PM	VELTHUIJZEN
	19	CAESAR SUNDAY	ELM	2:00 PM	
	20	TOWN HALL MEETING	BRIER	10:00 AM	
	20	BOARD MEETING			
JUNE	2	BOARD MEETING			
	2	CIRCLE REPS MEETING	ELM	10:00 AM	KIRK PICKERING
	29	PANCAKE BREAKFAST	ELM	8:30 AM	
	30	YARD SALE	PARK-WIDE	10:00 AM	GLASSTETTER
	30	CIRCLE REPS MEETING	BRIER	10:00 AM	KIRK PICKERING
JULY	14	BOARD MEETING			
	20	KIDS SPORTS DAY	CIRCLE 17		PACHECO
	21	BEANBAG BASEBALL (21+)	ELM	2:30 PM	SHORE
	27	KIDS DAY AT THE POOL	POOL	10:30 AM	WEST
	27	HAMBURGER NIGHT	ELM	6:00 PM	BOARD
	28	CIRCLE REPS MEETING	BRIER	10:00 AM	KIRK PICKERING
AUGUST	10	WACKY WHEELS PARADE		11:00 AM	MATICK-JONES
	17	VOLUNTEER APPRTN	BRIER	11:00A - 1:00P	ROBINSON
	18	BOARD MEETING			
	24	MARINERS/BLUE JAYS BASEBALL			SANDERS
	25	CIRCLE REPS MEETING	BRIER	10:00 AM	KIRK PICKERING
	31	PANCAKE BREAKFAST	ELM	8:30 AM	
SEPTEMBER	1	AGM	BLAINE PAC	10:00 AM	
	1	CAESAR SUNDAY	ELM	2:00 PM	
	15	CIRCLE REPS MEETING	BRIER	10:00 AM	KIRK PICKERING
OCTOBER					
NOVEMBER					
DECEMBER	31	NEW YEARS EVE	ELM		

Subject to change without notice. Please contact the Birch Bay Leisure Park Administration Office for updates

Park Directory & Informational Phone Numbers

BOARD OF DIRECTORS 2018-2019

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

OFFICE HOURS

May 15th – Sept 10th 7 days/wk 9am to 5pm
Sept 11th – 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	Jan Faulkner
Nominating Committee Vice-Chair	

CIRCLE REPRESENTATIVES

Circle Rep Chair	Kirk Pickering
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LEISURE PARK STAFF

General Manager	Don Brown	360-961-3243
Asst. General Manager	Shelly Pettit	360-961-0788
Office Staff	Betty Troup	
	Jennifer Timmreck	
PT Maintenance Tech	Ken Perrin	
Maintenance Tech	Steven Powers	
Maintenance Tech	Ruth Brown	
PT Maintenance Tech	Brad Benard	
Custodian	Tammy Alexander	
Seasonal Staff	Tristen Alexander	
Compliance Staff	Vernon Billing	
	Matt Koker	
After Hours Security Cell #	360-961-5424	

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

Leisure Park Email: birchbayleisurepark@comcast.net

Leisure Park Website: www.birchbayleisurepark.com

POOL HOURS

POOL OPENS:	May 17th – 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





Bill Grant - President, BBLP Board of Directors

Things are well underway at the Park. Members are fixing up their sites and trailers which bodes well for our long term survival. More families with younger children are moving in and really enjoying all the amenities in the Park and activities that take place.

As you have read in the other Directors' reports we always thankful for members who step up and volunteer to support activities and events. BBLP has always had a tradition of a collaborative team approach to supporting everyone. And you will hear us talking about safety and speeding in the Park. We are all here to have fun so let's make sure we follow the rules to guarantee everyone has a safe and fun summer.

I too want to congratulate Shelly Pettit on accepting her new position as Assistant General Manager – Administration. We are making some positive management changes to support the staff and the operations of the Park which in the long run will benefit the Park, the staff and ultimately the members. New procedures, staff training and work activity reporting will support our efforts to continuously improve.

On two important items, we have received the analysis report on the state of our Park with regard to all of our assets (roads, buildings, water, sewer, park equipment) and the Long Range Planning Committee is in the process of reviewing the report in order to develop our plans for the next 3 to 5 years.

The second item is that we have finally received all the permits and permissions to fix the pipe at the front of the Park. It is amazing and understandable to appreciate all the applications that must be completed to do this kind of repair that may affect the ocean and other environmentally sensitive areas. But now we can get quotes to complete the work.

We are implementing some of the recommendations from our Security Working Group. We are taking a tiered approach where we are making cost effective changes and additions to our security policies, equipment and facility access. We will monitor security issues and deal with them as required. You can do your part by being observant of activities that appear to be wrong and reporting them to Security and/or the office.

Remember this is YOUR Park and with the help of everyone it will remain the great place that it is. Enjoy the summer, have fun, relax and take the time to meet some new friends.

Bill Grant
President, Birch Bay Leisure Park

Richard Shore - Secretary, BBLP Board of Directors



Further to my May newsletter report, concerning the Park policy regarding the use of US currency only, we have now worked out details with Park staff for members to pre-purchase vouchers for events and charge this to your account. This is for members who have indicated that they do not carry US cash. For accounting and administrative purposes the minimum purchase is set at \$10 and only the named member may utilize this service. Vouchers for events like the Pancake breakfast will be for the amount of the event and multiple vouchers may be purchased. For events like Caesar Sunday vouchers in multiples of \$5 may be purchased. These vouchers may then be used to purchase drink and food tickets at the event. Vouchers are non-refundable and may not be used for 50/50 or prize draws. Member accounts for voucher purchases must be paid within 60 calendar days or with the members next assessment, whichever is the lesser period of time. This is being instituted on a trial basis to assess the administrative implications for staff and event coordinators.

The Board is pleased to announce the appointment of Shelly Pettit as Assistant General Manager – Administration. Shelly will have primary responsibility for administration, office systems, accounting, payroll, human resources and policy administration. This will provide continuity of service to Park members and staff during the absence of the General Manager as Shelly will act in his absence. It will also allow the General Manager to focus on operations, maintenance, security and compliance. This change resulted from a recent review of Park operations and staffing needs by the Board and through discussions with all staff. Please join us in congratulating Shelly on her new position

Board members of the Glen and their General Manager met the BBLP Board and General Manager on June 1, 2019 and toured our facilities. You may recall the Glen hosted a visit by our Board and General Manager last fall. We shared experience on many common issues and the information gained will assist us in future Park planning.

Richard Shore, Secretary



Susan Stuart - Treasurer, BBLP Board of Directors

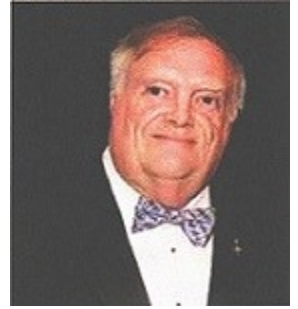
By the time you read this Newsletter, you will have paid your 2nd 2019 assessment and electrical charges as outlined in the notice sent out in late May – payment was due by June 28th. History shows that there will be 25 – 30 members that will have missed the deadline. If you did happen to miss the deadline, please make every effort to make your payment as soon as possible to minimize late payment fees and staff time spent on collections.

Given the Park policy requiring the acceptance of USD only and the recently implemented trial cash voucher program, we have also taken steps to ensure the BBLP membership is not used as a financial institution by those members that are unable to have USD available to attend Park functions/events. As such, we will now be sending out statements more frequently so members must pay any outstanding amount within 30 days of occurrence. A revised Late Payment Policy will be put in place as soon as the Board approves it at the next scheduled meeting this month. The revision will specifically relate to Point of Sale items, under which the cash vouchers will fall, as it states that if the amount owed is not paid as specified there will be a \$25 late payment charge assessed and the members gate card(s) will be deactivated until the account is paid in full (security and staff will let the member into the Park but they will be reminded of their outstanding balance).

As you are probably aware, the Long Range Planning Committee (LRPC) traditionally was established to, among other things, review the Park's current facilities and infrastructure to assess what our replacement/maintenance needs are and will be in the future. With our infrastructures, facilities, and other assets ranging in ages of a few years old to well over 45 years old, the importance of the roles of the LRPC and Finance Committee should go without saying. The Board engaged a 3rd party to perform an independent review and we are now in receipt of a 129 page document! The document now needs to be internally reviewed and understood so there can be joint LRPC and Finance Committee meetings scheduled to better understand the financial implications of LRPC plans for the future based on their findings. The Finance Committee and past Boards have supported, with the steady buildup of reserves, the goal of being able to fund future projects without having to special assess members a significant amount when scheduled projects need to be completed. It will be busy months ahead while the process is worked through and the Board and ultimately the membership are brought up to date on next steps.

What can you look forward to in the August Newsletter? Information on the 2018 financial statements as provided in the AGM package which you should receive by email later this month. Please look for this package in late July, and again, if for some reason you do not receive it please reach out to the office staff that will make every effort to get you the package. The Park can be a very busy place for members to work together to mutually enjoy. As members we are obviously responsible for our own actions but are also always responsible for the actions of our guests. When unsure of a rule, expectation, requirement, etc. please simply ask a staff person for clarification beforehand - they are always willing to help. This is also true of many members as there is clearly a genuine desire to help out and volunteer - because of these traits our Park has a long successful history!

Susan Stuart, 39 – 10
BBLP Treasurer



Welcome to Summer!!!

I wish to stress that the speed limit in the park is 5 mph for all vehicles. This includes Bikes, Golf Carts and Electric Scooters as well as cars, etc. Speeding is still a problem in the park, and it is something that your board of directors takes very seriously. We have a zero-tolerance policy for speeders and proceed directly to issuing fines rather than warning members and their guests.

Golf Cart owners should also be aware that you must be in possession of a valid driver's licence to operate these vehicles in the park. Children are not allowed to drive Golf Carts even under parental supervision. Also, if driving your Golf Cart at night in the park it is required to have operating lights that are turned on.

All members that have Golf Carts that are not registered with the park office are asked to register them with the Park office. In future any unregistered Golf Carts will be stopped, and a violation fine issued so please register your Golf Cart. If you are unsure of the procedure just drop into the office. The staff can quickly let you know if you are registered or not and if not, the registration process is very quick taking less than 10 minutes.

Recreational Wood Fires within the Park

All recreational fires should meet the following requirements:

- Contain only seasoned firewood or charcoal
- Placed in an enclosure that is no larger than 3 by 3 feet and 16 inches high made of blocks, stones or steel.
- Be at least 25 feet away from structures, timber and combustible material
- Next to a garden hose or two 5-gallon buckets filled with water.
- Near a shovel or rake that is capable of extinguishing fire.
- Attended by at least one individual that is 16 years or older, at all times.
- Monitored until out cold.
- Burn only when winds are 7 mph or below.

According to the Fire Marshal, violations of these burn restrictions can result in a minimum \$250 fine.

For current outdoor burning information please call the Outdoor Burning Information Line at **(360) 778-5903**.



Rhonda Robinson - Recreation and Entertainment, BBLP Board of Directors

Greetings members,
Happy Canada Day!

It's a very busy weekend in the park with pancake breakfast, bingo and yard sale. I hope you took time out of your busy day to partake.

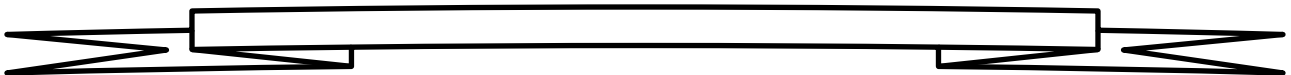
Thank you to all the coordinators and volunteers that made it possible for the events to take place! You're all awesome!

Members are reminded that all events requiring cash is in US funds. Rec tags must be worn when attending events.

Volunteering is a great way to meet new people. Many friendships have been born from volunteering. When email blasts are sent out asking for volunteers put your name in and join the fun. If enough volunteers are not found for events then unfortunately the event has to be cancelled. We don't want to see that happen.

Enjoy your summer everybody! Relax, have fun and enjoy family and friends. That's what Leisure Park is all about!

Kindest regards
Rhonda Robinson - Entertainment Director



Dave McRae - Public Relations & Communications,
BBLP Board of Directors



History shows that many great ideas, discoveries, or breakthroughs began with a question. Therefore, it seems reasonable to begin this article with one:

Who is responsible for community safety, security, and quality of life? An answer might exist, but, if so, it might not be simple. After all, safety and security are complex elements that are vital to the quality of life in any community.

Birch Bay Leisure Park is a community of approximately 1500 people (and more), along with a staff of 12 and many guests at any given time.

Security is freedom from, or resilience against, potential harm caused by others.

Beneficiaries of security may be persons and or social groups, objects (buildings and equipment), institutions and ecosystems.

- *Protective systems* (e.g. lock, fence, wall, cameras, antivirus software, etc.)
- *Warning systems* (e.g. alarms, cameras)
- *Diplomatic and social action* intended to prevent insecurity from developing (e.g. conflict prevention and transformation strategies)
- *Policy* intended to develop the lasting economic, physical, ecological and other conditions of security.

Approaches to security are contested and the subject of debate. For example, some argue that security depends principally on developing protective and coercive capabilities in order to protect the security in an environment. Others argue that security depends principally on building the conditions in which equitable relationships can develop, partly by reducing antagonism between parties, ensuring that fundamental needs can be met, and also that differences of interest can be negotiated effectively.

In any community association, whether it's a town, a condo association or BBLP, security is an issue you can't ignore. The safety of the residents is your responsibility, and threats can come from anywhere. When it comes to security, it's not a one-size fits all operation. Security measures that work well for a small condominium may not work well in a larger neighborhood of owners such as BBLP. There are a lot of decisions to make and steps to take toward keeping a community secure and it's important to take community and resident safety seriously.

We are taking those steps at BBLP. We have formed a new security committee to review our current security footprint and to make recommendations for short term, midterm and long term solutions in regard to the challenges we are facing and may have to face in the future.

Two park members (with extensive security experience and background) have joined with two members from the Board and the General Manager to form this new committee. Our first meeting took place in late April, with another meeting June 1st.

We are currently addressing immediate needs. We have implemented a few new steps such as a few new cameras and signs in key areas of concern. We also are addressing the fact that several keys have never been returned. We have changed our locks several weeks ago to secure rooms, product and equipment. In our meetings going forward we will be determining the scope and vision of our new security program. This is a work in progress.

We are looking at procedure and or policy changes to our security needs, along with a physical security review that will take place soon. We will have recommended upgrades, along with a new approach to security in all that we do at BBLP.

We will be bringing all suggested upgrades to the membership for your comments, input and approval prior to any major changes being employed.

We ask that all members be vigilant in observing our rules and regulations along with a dedication to keep BBLP a safe and secure community for all members, your families and friends, as well as our staff. Enjoy the great summer ahead in Birch Bay Leisure Park.

Dave McRae
Public Relations and communications

News from the Nominating Committee

Members will be asked to elect four directors to fill vacancies on our Board of Directors at the Annual General Meeting scheduled for September 1, 2019.

2018/2019 terms end for Directors Syd Hughes, Karilee Green, Rhonda Robinson and Richard Shore.

Association Bylaw II lists the duties of the Board of Directors. In general, the roles and responsibilities of our board may be stated as follows. *Board members are the fiduciaries who steer the organization towards a sustainable future by adopting sound, ethical, and legal governance and financial management policies, as well as by making sure the non-profit has adequate resources to advance its mission.*

A board of directors is a group of individuals that are elected as, or elected to act as, representatives of the membership to establish corporate management related policies and to make decisions on major association issues.

BBLP may be viewed as a community having all of the features of a small city – roads, potable water, sewer, electrical distribution systems, pool, recreation centers and employees. Our board will be asked to address a wide range of issues. We need directors having knowledge and experience ranging from accounting, finance, human resources management, legal, strategic planning, construction, to diversity issues and stakeholder engagement.

Individuals wishing to nominate or to run for office, are asked to contact Jan Faulkner, Chair so that eligibility and director duties and responsibilities may be explained. Jan Faulkner may be contacted at Site 47-07 or **Phone:** 604-685-0500 or through his e-mail: jan.faulkner@shaw.ca.

2019 Nominating Committee

Jan Faulkner

Coleen Hunter

Rick Lightheart

Cut-off Date for Nominations

Members wishing to run for a position as director must file nomination papers with Secretary, Richard Shore at least ten (10) days prior to the election as required by Association By-law VI (c).

VI (c). Nominations for the office of Director of the Association shall not be valid unless a written acceptance of such nomination by the nominee has been filed with the Secretary at least ten (10) days prior to the election.

The deadline as determined by the Board of Directors is
5:00pm on Thursday, August 22, 2019

Volunteers Needed for Annual General Meeting

Volunteers are needed to serve as Registration Clerks, Ballot Counters and Ballot Collectors at our Annual General Meeting scheduled for Sunday, September 1, 2019 at the Blaine Middle School Performing Arts Center.

Please contact Jan Faulkner, Chair, Nominating Committee,
at Site 47-07,
Phone 604-685-0500 or via e-mail at jan.faulkner@shaw.ca

Board Committees 2018/2019

For convenience of members, below is a list of the standing committees and members serving on the committees.

- (a) Appeals Committee. Director Richard Shore. Coleen Hunter, John Unsworth and Jim Miller.
- (b) Bylaws Committee. Director Syd Hughes. Rick Lighthead.
- (c) Entertainment Committee. Director Rhonda Robinson. Wes & Carol Gmur, Joanne Glasstetter, Janet Hastings, Roslynn McRae, Jen Tindale, Joanne Ste Croix, and Daryl Vyse.
- (d) Finance Committee. Director Susan Stuart. Don Brown, Ken Forcier, Bill Symons, Don Hincks and Rick Lighthead.
- (e) Human Resources and Compensation Committee. Director Richard Shore. Susan Stuart, Don Brown, Ana Lopez and Jim Miller.
- (f) Long Range Planning. Director Bill Grant. Don Brown, Doug Hunter, Michael Trites, Tom Collins. *Financial Advisor to Long Range Planning* - Bill Symons
- (g) Communications/Public Relations. Director Dave McRae and Jennifer Timmreck.
- (h) Nominating Committee. Jan Faulkner.
- (i) Rules and Regulations. Director Syd Hughes. Mike Murrell, Tom Collins and Diane Smith.

BEAN BAG BASEBALL

THIS IS AN ADULT ONLY EVENT AS ALCOHOL WILL BE SERVED

Come join the fun! Game time is *2:30 P.M. at the Elm Center on 21 July.*

No skill required other than tossing a bean bag.



If you are interested in forming a team please leave your name and email address at the office. You will be contacted with game rules and other info.

A team consists of 8-10 players, equal number of males and females.

Coordinator for this event is Sil Shore, circle 47-5.



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

Don Brown

Shelly Pettit

Jennifer Timmreck

Betty Troup



RECYCLABLE ITEMS INFO

At this time, we cannot accept the following plastics for recycling in the recycling program.

NOT RECYCLABLE:

- Plant pots, planters, trays or agricultural plastics
- Bags / Packaging (grocery, newspaper, produce, bakery, deli, dry cleaner, garden, shipping, mail order, storage/freezer, frozen food, etc.)
- Film plastics or Wrap (food wrap, magazine/mail, bubblewrap, spun fiber packing, poly sheeting/Visqueen, painter's drop sheets, pallet wrap, etc.)
- Hinged plastics and blister-type plastic packaging ("Blister" packaging - plastic packaging used to package items like batteries, toys, toiletries, ink cartridges, etc.)
- Tarps
- Tableware/utensils
- Toys
- Play kids pools
- Snow sleds
- Plastic pumps
- Styrofoam
- Foam rubber
- Buckets larger than 1 gallon
- Pipe
- Video cases
- Corrugated plastic (Coro-plast, etc.) yard signs
- Commercial/Construction – (insulation bags, lumber wrap w/o paper backing, "Super Sacks", silage bags, etc.).
- Insulation or any plastic containers that held potentially hazardous materials



PLASTIC CONTAINERS

The following plastic containers can be recycled in our recycling programs:

RECYCLABLE:

BOTTLES, JUGS, CAPS & RINGS, CUPS, JARS, TUBS, PAILS, BUCKETS & LIDS

All colors and numbers. Labels OK. Remove lids and caps. Rinse CLEAN. FLATTEN bottles. Replace caps and recycle containers loose or nested together.

Recycle plastic containers used for these types of products:

Beverages, dairy products, deli foods, sauces/condiments, cooking oils, soaps, detergents, cleaners (kitchen, laundry & garage), snack foods, frozen foods, storage/freezer containers, hair/body care, health/medicine, single-serve cold beverage cups/lids, hot beverage lids, caps and rings.

ASEPTIC CONTAINERS (AKA TETRA PAK)

Aseptic cartons and boxes, often referred to as "Tetra-Pak" containers, are non-refrigerated, shelf-stable food and beverage containers that include juice boxes, juice pouches, milk/dairy beverage cartons, soup/broth cartons, etc. Tetra-Pak is a brand name of the largest maker of aseptic packaging. Aseptic packaging and other types of papers with foil component (ex. foil gift wrap) are neither recyclable nor compostable in our area at this time. Aseptic packaging is recyclable in other areas of our state that are closer to markets. It is cost prohibitive at this time to ship this material from Whatcom County. **They should be thrown in the trash.**

WHY DO MATERIALS NEED TO BE CLEAN FOR RECYCLING?

Properly rinsing leftover food and residue from bottles, cans and plastic containers is an important step in the recycling process. As materials are baled in large compactors, any residual food or residue left in the containers gets squished out, making a mess and potentially creating storm water run-off issues at the recycling center. When bales are stored prior to shipment, and again when broken open at the mill, residue attracts disease vectors like rats and insects. All these factors lower the value of the material being recycling, which means brokers pay less, and local program see higher costs, which are ultimately passed on to customers.

Helpful Tip: Wash sticky or goopy bottles, cans and plastic containers with other dirty dishes in the dishwasher or sink.

PAPERBOARD CARTONS (REFRIGERATED/FREEZER)

There are two kinds of cartons for food and drink – refrigerated/frozen paperboard and non-refrigerated, shelf-stable cartons, also known as aseptic.

Paperboard cartons (without foil liners) can be composted. This includes all refrigerator cartons for dairy, juice, ice cream, and other refrigerated or frozen food boxes without plastic liner bags. Please discard any spouts or plastic parts before placing the cartons in your compost. Tip: paperboard cartons make convenient holders for kitchen food scraps before composting. FYI-to recycle freezer boxes with plastic liner bags, separate and recycle the box with scrap paper and recycle the clean, dry liner bags at most local grocery stores, along with other common household plastic bags – produce, sandwich bags, newspaper bags, garment bags, bubble wrap, etc.

BUBBLEWRAP

Bubblewrap and Styrofoam™ peanuts are accepted for reuse at these Bellingham locations:

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BBLP POOL RULES

As a reminder to member's and guests the following information is being circulated.

It is essential that the posted rules for the Pool are followed. There are also rule clarifications in the official BBLP Rules which can be found on the Park website.

Be respectful and polite to the pool attendants and remember that they are not lifeguards.

All children under the age of 12 they must have an Adult with them on the Pool deck.

If you are between 12 and 17 you must have at least one other person in this age range or older with you. Swim with a buddy!!

Children 3 years and younger must wear a swim diaper.

A cleansing shower is required by everyone going into the pool.

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

You must wear your rec tag at all times while on the pool deck.

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



POOL HOURS

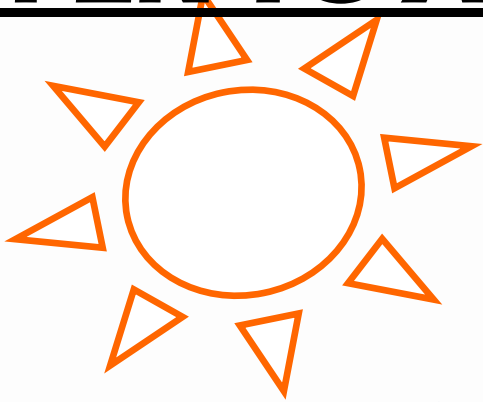
POOL OPENS:	May 17th – Friday thru Sunday (Holiday Mondays)
POOL OPENS DAILY:	June – 8:00 am to 10:00 pm
POOL LAPPERS:	8:00 am to 9:00 am
AQUASIZE:	9:00 am to 10:00 am
ALL SWIM:	10:00 am to Noon 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm 5:00 pm to 9:00 pm
ADULT SWIM:	Noon to 1:00 pm 4:00 pm to 5:00 pm
TEEN SWIM:	9:00 pm to 10:00 pm



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POOL

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**SATURDAY
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**RACES! 10:30 AM -
12:30 PM**

PRIZES & RIBBONS!

GAMES!

KIDS DAY AT THE POOL is still seeking volunteers to help hand out ribbons, prizes, ice cream, etc.! Please contact the Birch Bay Leisure Park administration office if you would like to help! Thank you!

FUN & GAMES

Candy

Find and circle all of the Candy treats that are hidden in the grid.
The remaining letters spell a secret message.

S J E L M S E S S I K Y E H S R E H S Y L Y
 B E E L L U M S O L S Y J E C L U L T Y B S
 E A N N S A G H L P O M T R W B E T O S R L
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| ALMOND JOY | CRACKER JACK | LIFESAVERS | RED HOTS |
| BABY RUTH | DUBBLE BUBBLE | LOLLIPOPS | SEN-SEN |
| BAZOOKA GUM | GOOBERS | MILK DUDS | SLO-POKES |
| BOTTLECAPS | GUMMI BEARS | MILKY WAY | SMARTIES |
| BUBBLE YUM | HERSHEY KISSES | MOUNDS | SOUR BALLS |
| BUTTERFINGERS | HUBBA BUBBA GUM | NECCO WAFERS | SPEARMINT LEAVES |
| CANDY NECKLACE | JAW BREAKERS | OH HENRY | SWEETARTS |
| CHICLETS | JUJUBES | PEPPERMINT PATTY | TOOTSIE ROLLS |
| CHUCKLES | KIT KAT | PEZ | TWIX |
| CLARK BAR | LEMON DROPS | POP ROCKS | TWIZZLERS |
| COFFEE CRISP | LICORICE PIPE | PUMPKIN SEEDS | WAX LIPS |

Sudoku #5 (Medium)

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

Sudoku #6 (Medium)

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

GIGGLES AND GROANERS

Why should you never use a dull pencil?

It's pointless.

Why did the bird go to the hospital?

To get tweetment.

What do you call a pile of cats?

A meowtain.

Why did the skeleton go to the movie by itself?

It had no body.

How do you get a peanut to laugh?

Crack it up.

Why was the apple so mean?

It was a crab apple.

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IN BACK

FAMILY AND FRIENDS GOLF TOURNAMENT



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- Every golfer must bring a \$15 prize in brown paper bag
- Join as a single, double, foursome or
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LOCAL EVENTS:

Birch Bay Sand Sculpture Competition & Rollback Weekend Car Show

***July 20th &
21st Weekend***

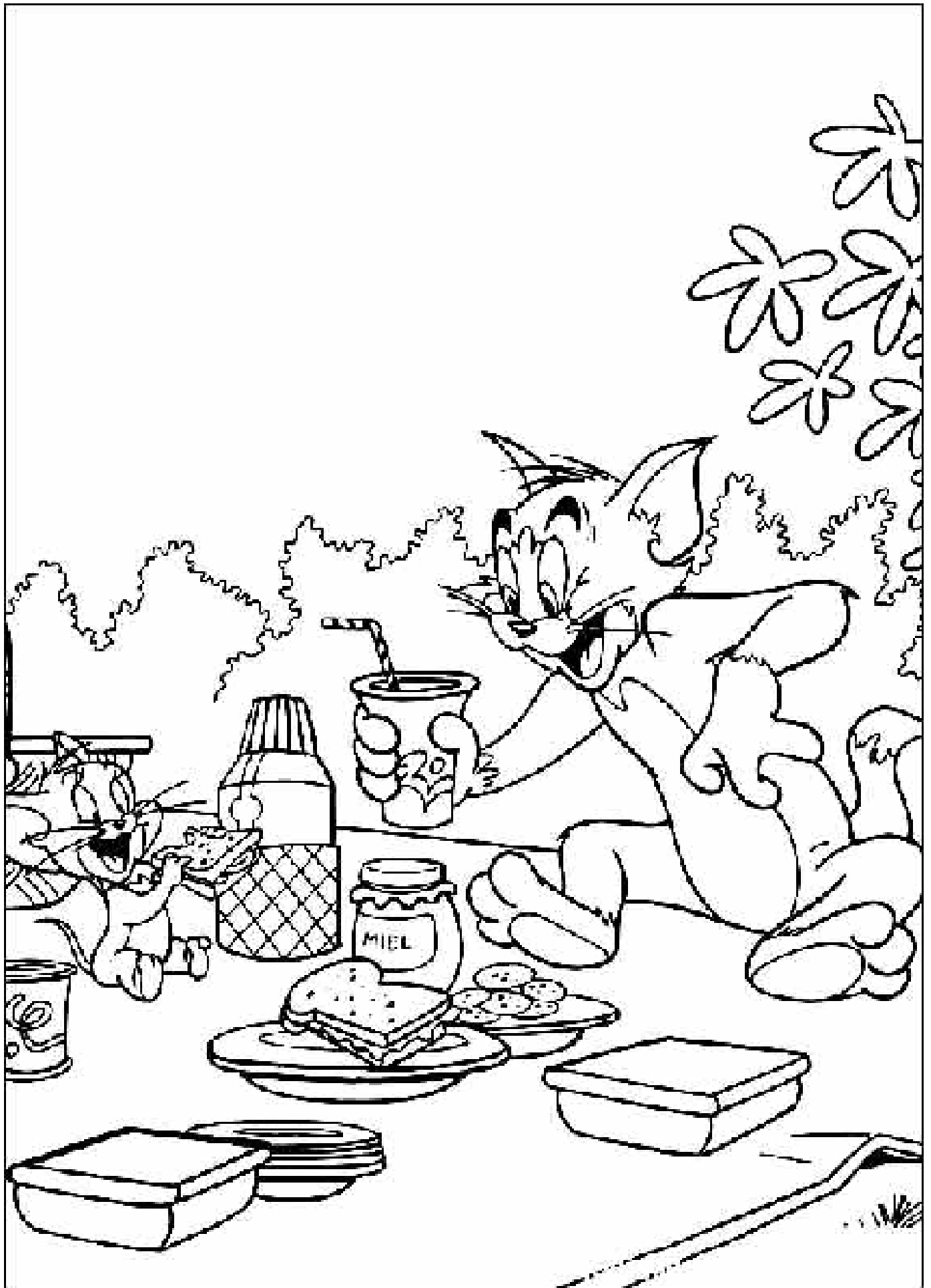
VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY

Birch Bay Leisure Park is on the look out for a Member Volunteer to take on the compilation of the BBLP Summer Newsletter and become our new Newsletter Editor.

Our Newsletter is assembled with Microsoft Publisher, using Excel, Word and PDF documents. Volunteer applicants must also be comfortable with JPG, GIF and PNG files and have reliable email service. The Newsletter editor must be able to meet deadlines and will be expected to work closely with Administration Staff and Park Board Members.

If you are interested in becoming Leisure Park's newest Newsletter Editor, please contact the Administration Office for further details.







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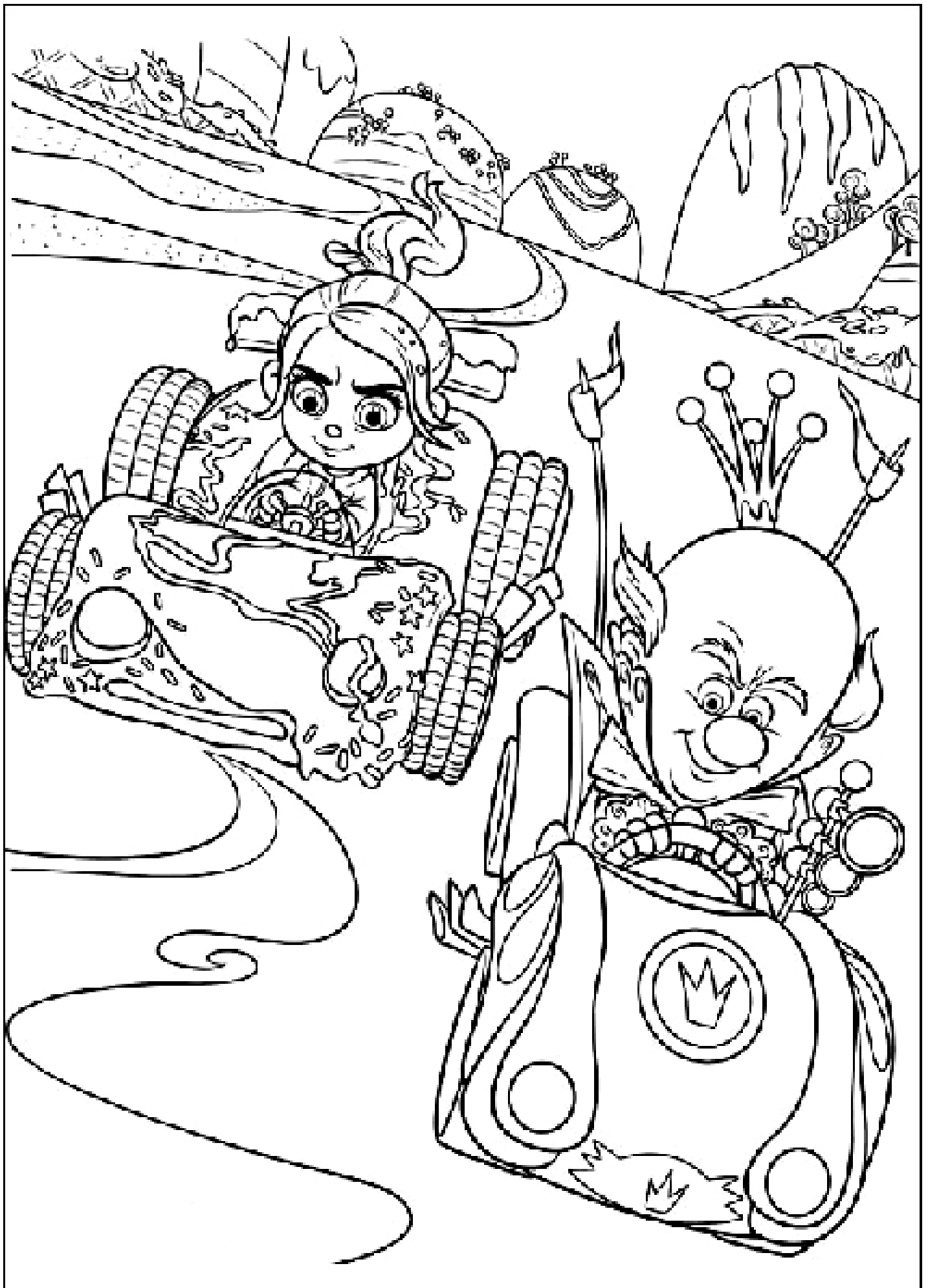
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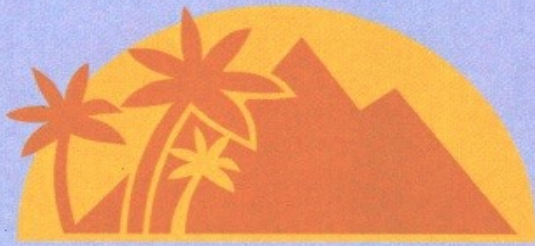
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Sudoku #6 (Medium)

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FRI JULY 5TH 5:30 LOST AT LAST

SAT JULY 6TH 3:00 THREE RADICALS

SUN JULY 7TH 2:30 REPLAYZMENTZ

FRI JULY 12TH 5:30 WICKED TIMING

SAT JULY 13TH 3:00 FANTASY BAND

SUN JULY 14TH 2:30 REPLAYZMENTZ

FRI JULY 19TH 5:30 LOST AT LAST

SAT JULY 20TH 3:00 THE TAKERS

SUN JULY 21ST 2:30 REPLAYZMENTZ

FRI JULY 26TH 5:30 WICKED TIMING

SAT JULY 27TH 3:00 LITTLE BIG BAND

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4 Thu	5:39	8.7	8:59	10.5	1:27	6.9	1:15	-2.8	5:11	9:19	
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