

WELCOME TO REGATTA 2017!

We encourage everyone to take part in the fun activities throughout the weekend. We are looking for many participants in all events to make this Regatta one of the best. Please consider decorating a hat, a boat, your cabin, a float for your baby - or even dress up your pet! We need everyone to get involved to ensure a good time.

Please be sure to visit the Ladies of the Lake tables by the well for special purchases, chances to win gift baskets, lottery tickets, and the 50-50 raffle! Also, show your pride in Lake Walkkill by purchasing and wearing LWK apparel, on sale in the area by the well.

Schedule of Activities

Saturday, August 5, 2017

Morning activities will take place in the area of the Clubhouse and the ball field. There is no need to pre-register, except for the Hole-in-One Contest. All starting times are approximate and based on the completion of the previous or similar concurrent activities. We encourage you to walk to the Clubhouse, because there is only limited parking space in the area. Also, due to the large crowds anticipated throughout the weekend, we ask that you please leave your pets and bicycles at home.

9:00 AM: The Races Begin!

This event is organized by Larry McGannon, John Kennedy, Kevin Duffy, Terence Brill, Kenny Mueller, Nick Summa, and Michael Duffy. **Races include: Running, Potato Sack, and Potato-on-a-Spoon.** Boys and girls will receive ribbons for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd places. Come and cheer for your favorite competitors!

Group	Ages	Length
1	4-5	25 yards
2	6-8	25 yards
3	9-10	50 yards
4	11-13	50 yards



9:30 AM: The George & Margie Smith Memorial Hole-in-One Contest

This event is chaired by Bob McLean, Gordon Merck, Michael Smith, Sara Smith, and Lynne and Pete Kirchner. Each participant has three attempts to hit a golf ball closest to the pin. **Registration is necessary** and will take place between 9:30 and 10:00 AM. Trophies will be awarded to the male and female contestants who hit the ball closest to the pin.



9:45 AM: Turtle Races

Bob Smith, Dave Smith, Tom Smith, and Fred Mayer will chair this event. Girls and boys up to the age of 15 are invited to cheer on their turtle to win the race! **Turtles are supplied to the contestants for the race;** please do not bring your own! The winner of each heat will compete in a championship race for medals.



10:15 AM: Frog Jumping Contest

Bob Smith, Dave Smith, Tom Smith, and Fred Mayer also chair this event. Boys and girls up to the age of 15 are invited to participate. **Frogs will be provided**; please do not bring your own. Medals will be awarded for the longest distance covered in three jumps.



10:20 AM: Football Toss

John Brennan and Brian Schubert will run this event. Take a chance on throwing the football through the hoop. Medals will be awarded to the male and female with the highest score in each age group:

- Group 1 - ages 6-11
- Group 2 - ages 12 -16
- Group 3 - 17 and up



10:30 AM: Soccer Kick

Mike Boyle and Martin Brennan will run this event. Give it your best shot at kicking the ball into the net for a GOAL! Medals will be awarded to the male and female with the most goals in each age group:

- Group 1 - ages 6-11
- Group 2 - ages 12 -16



10:40 AM: Basketball Foul Shot

Chaired by the Sports Club Director Ryan Collins, this event challenges boys and girls as well as men and women to take a foul shot and set a record. Medals will be awarded to the most successful male and female in each age group.

- Group 1 - ages 6-11
- Group 2 - ages 12 -16
- Group 3 - 17 and up



11:00 AM: Baby Crawl

Chaired by Nathalie Brill, this event is open to all non-walking babies. The first baby to crawl out of the circle is the winner! Parents are not allowed in the circle, and walkers will be disqualified. An award will be presented to the winner.

11:15 AM: Tug-o-War

Tim Fay will line up boys versus girls aged 9-14. Winners will receive a juicy slice of cold watermelon.



11:30 AM: Egg Throwing Contest

The Flesche family will chair this very popular event. Grab a partner and try not to have the egg break. *Participants must be at least 13 years of age.* Two categories: **ages 13-19** and **20 & over**. Trophies will be awarded to the winners.



Lunch Time



Activities now move to the beach area. Please come to the beach and enjoy lunch while watching more Regatta festivities! Lake Wallkill clothing and novelties will be on sale. Show your Lake Wallkill spirit; purchase and wear the LWK apparel proudly!

The barbecue is smoking hot! Volunteers will prepare hamburgers, cheeseburgers, hotdogs, and more. *Back by popular demand:* pulled pork! Ice cold drinks will also be available.

Note: *Alcoholic beverages are prohibited on lake property.*

Again as a reminder, due to the large crowds anticipated throughout the weekend, we ask that you please leave your pets and bicycles at home. Since parking space is limited, please consider walking to the weekend's events.



1:00 PM: Official Opening Ceremonies

Bob MacLean will open our afternoon activities. Please join Larry and Nancy Cutrone in the singing of our National Anthem.

1:15 PM: Children's Choral Group

Nicole Deloi will direct our youngsters in a medley of songs for your enjoyment. All children ages six and under are welcome to join in the fun. A small pennant will be given to all participants on Sunday!



1:30 PM: Broadway Babies

Fiona Brennan and Jen Sloven will lead our talented young boys and girls in a performance that you won't want to miss!



1:45 PM: Mr. Lake Wallkill Contest & Miss Lake Wallkill Contest

The contest is open to all teenage boys and girls. Trophies will be presented to the young man and young woman who best typify the spirit and friendship of Lake Wallkill. Don't forget to vote for your favorite contestant! Voting closes at 8 pm on Friday of Regatta weekend. There is one vote per cabin, plus one vote for each member of the Teen Canteen.



2:00 PM: Awards Ceremony

Our new Miss Lake Wallkill will present awards to the following winners: Program Cover Contest and Poster Contest.

2:15 PM: Kayak Race

Attention all kayakers! Bring your kayak to Thompson's landing, next to Fire Lane #7. Tim Olsen and B.T. Thompson will blow the whistle to send you on your way across the lake toward the swim lanes. Please DO NOT go over the swim lanes and stay to the left of the diving boards. Register at the starting point next to Fire Lane #7.

2:45 PM: Hat Parade

Gail Ferrone is in charge of this very popular competition. Decorate a hat, give it a name, and register at the office between 1:30 and 2:30 PM: All participants will receive a ribbon. Awards will be presented to the first, second, and third place winners in the following categories: Most Beautiful, Most Comical, Most Original, Most Historical, and Judges' Choice.



3:15 PM: Aquacade

Kaylyn Thom and Makenzie Thompson will lead the young ladies in a delightful water ballet performance.



3:30 PM: Aquamedians

Max McGannon will lead our young divers in a hilarious performance on the diving boards.



3:45 PM: Baby Parade

We've waited all day for this one! The highlight of Regatta is the famous Baby Parade! Lillian and Denise De Simon will coordinate this event that is open to all children who have not reached the age of four by July 31st. All contestants must be registered in the office by noon on Regatta Saturday. Copies of the rules are available in the office. Participation trophies will be awarded to all participants. Large trophies will be awarded to the winners in the following categories: King, Queen, Infant, One-year-old, Two-year-old, Three-year-old, and Judges' Choice (optional). *Winners will be announced shortly after the judges make their decisions.*

4:15 PM: Jazzbelles

Anna Bolino and Erin Murtha have created an energetic dance number for our talented young girls. Enjoy the presentation of the latest dance moves!



4:30 PM: Juggling Jokers

Sean Nietsch and Anthony Thoma, will lead our skilled young boys in a special routine to entertain you with their "Devil Sticks tricks!"



5:15 PM: Cabin Decorating Contest

Ellen Frank, Debbie Suchocki, John Beckmann and Daniele Perna will make their way around the lake to judge the winners of our Cabin Decorating Contest. Register your cabin at the office by 2 PM on Regatta Saturday. All are encouraged to decorate their homes and keep the Regatta Spirit. Please remember to decorate around a central theme. A string of lights or flags do not qualify. Trophies for first and second place.



6:30 PM: Softball Game

Come join in the fun at the annual Married versus Single Men's Softball Game. No need to register. Just come to the softball field (by the Clubhouse) with your glove, ball, and bat. Your support is needed to field two teams!



Dancing Under the Stars

Come join in the fun and dance under the stars. What better way to end a fun-filled day! The dance will be held at the beach area in front of the office.

Glow sticks will be available for purchase as a fundraiser for the Teen Canteen.

Sunday, August 6, 2017

Come down to the beach area and enjoy breakfast, while watching the morning events. Breakfast goodies and beverages can be purchased next to the Office.



9:00 AM: Kathy McMahon Memorial Triathlon

This event is a true test of athletic ability. The challenge is to swim, then canoe across the lake (please bring or borrow a canoe), and finally, run three times around the lake. The event is open to men and women aged 13 & up, with a special "Over 40" race and a Family/Friend Relay (each leg of the triathlon is performed by a different person). If you are not participating, come down and provide encouragement to all of the participants! Register with Jill Vondervor-Frank at the beach by 8:45 AM on Sunday morning to receive full details and safety rules.



10:30 AM: Huck Finn Contest

Bring your youngsters, ages 2-8 years old, to the boardwalk. A pole and bait are provided for all. Children should be accompanied by an adult; however, children must bait their own lines. Those who catch the most fish within the time limit will be awarded first, second and third place trophies. Ribbons will be given to all participants. Terry Matthews and Mike Boyle will lead the boys and girls in this event.



11:00 AM: Rubber Duck Race

Don't miss this exciting event showcasing the best dressed swimming duck at Lake Wallkill. Ducks must be decorated and should be at the office by 10 AM. Medals will be awarded to the Best Super Hero, Most Beautiful, Most Historical, Most Comical, Most Original and Judges' Choice. Prizes awarded for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place winners of the race!



11:45 AM: Greased Pig Contest

Ken Muller will lead all **good** swimmers in this event. There will be two groups: ages 9-13 and ages 14-16. Please report to the diving tower; no pre-registration is necessary. The winning group will enjoy juicy slices of the watermelon.



Lunch Time



Head down to the beach area and enjoy the barbecue prepared by the Teen Canteen members: hamburgers, hot dogs, and cold drinks will be available.



1:00 PM: Children's Choral Group

Encore performance of songs by our cute youngsters.

1:15 PM: Broadway Babies

Encore performance by our performers heading for Broadway.



1:30 PM: Pet Parade

Maryellen Farrelly will chair this event. If you have live, tame, house pets (no snapping turtles, please), dress them up and show them off! Animals must walk on a leash or be carried. THERE ARE NO FLOATS, WAGONS, OR CARRIAGES ALLOWED. Pets must be adorned according to a special theme and title. Please register at the office area by 1:15 PM. Awards will be presented in each of the following categories: Most Beautiful, Most Comical, Most Original, and Judges' Choice.



1:45 PM: Boat Pageant

Yvonne O'Shea-Molfetto and the De Simon family will be on-hand to oversee the decorated boats with the help of Al Alazraki in the water. All boats MUST register at the office by 1 PM and obtain a number. All members who own a boat or can borrow a friend's boat are encouraged to participate. This event used to be a big one, and we would like to see it make a GREAT comeback. All decorated boats must line up in numerical order near De Simons' landing by 1:30PM. Trophies will be awarded in the following categories: Most Beautiful, Most Comical, Most Historical, Most Original, and Judges' Choice.

2:15 PM: Raft Race

The Brill family and the Gallagher family will chair this event. Go to Brills' landing by 2 PM. BYOR (Bring Your Own Raft)! Rafters must paddle using their arms and legs only and race to the ropes at the beach area. All participants must know how to swim. Medals will be awarded to the winner in three age groups: 13 & under and 14 & over.

2:30 PM: Aquamedians

Encore performance by our daring divers.



2:45 PM: Aquacade

Encore Performance by our water ballerinas.



3:00 PM: Juggling Jokers

Encore performance by our talented young boys.

3:15 PM: Jazzbelles

Encore performance by our dancing young ladies.



3:30 PM – 4:30 PM: Canoe Races

Paul and Blanka Foucaud will chair this event. No pre-registration is required. Just bring your canoe to the Foucauds' landing (former Perchmans'). Please DO NOT paddle over the swim lanes; stay to the left of the diving boards. Martin Brennan and Joe Collins will be at the finish line to judge the event.

- **3:30 PM: Women's Canoe Races (Doubles Only)**
Trophies will be awarded to the 1st place finishers in two categories: ages 13 & under and 14 & over.
- **4:00 PM: Men's Canoe Races (Doubles Only)**
Trophies will be awarded to the 1st place finishers in two categories: ages 13 & under and 14 & over.
- **4:30 PM Mixed Doubles Canoe Races**
Trophies will be awarded to the 1st place winners.



4:30 PM: Coach Ron & Ryan Olsen Memorial Swim Races

Don't miss the freestyle swim events for girls and boys up to the age of 18. Register at the diving tower by 4:30 PM with Coaches Katie Boyle, Kate or Conor Collins. Medals will be awarded to the first place winners. Let's bring back the "old timers" relay race for those 19 and over. Start forming your teams now. You may even recognize some past Wallkill Warriors!

5:00 PM: Awards & Presentations

Gather around as Miss Lake Wallkill presents the awards to the winners of the Triathlon, Cabin Decoration, Boat Pageant, and Raft Races.

**THANK YOU one and all
for making this a wonderful Regatta!!!!**

Walkkill, We Love You

Walkkill, we love you,
Truly we do!
You are our inspiration
In everything we do.
Friendship's our motto,
Word so good and true.
We will always do our best
For dear Walkkill.

John Novotny