

REGATTA

August 1st, and 2nd, 2026

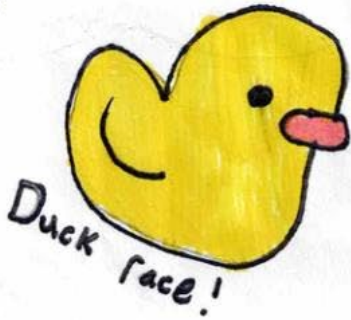
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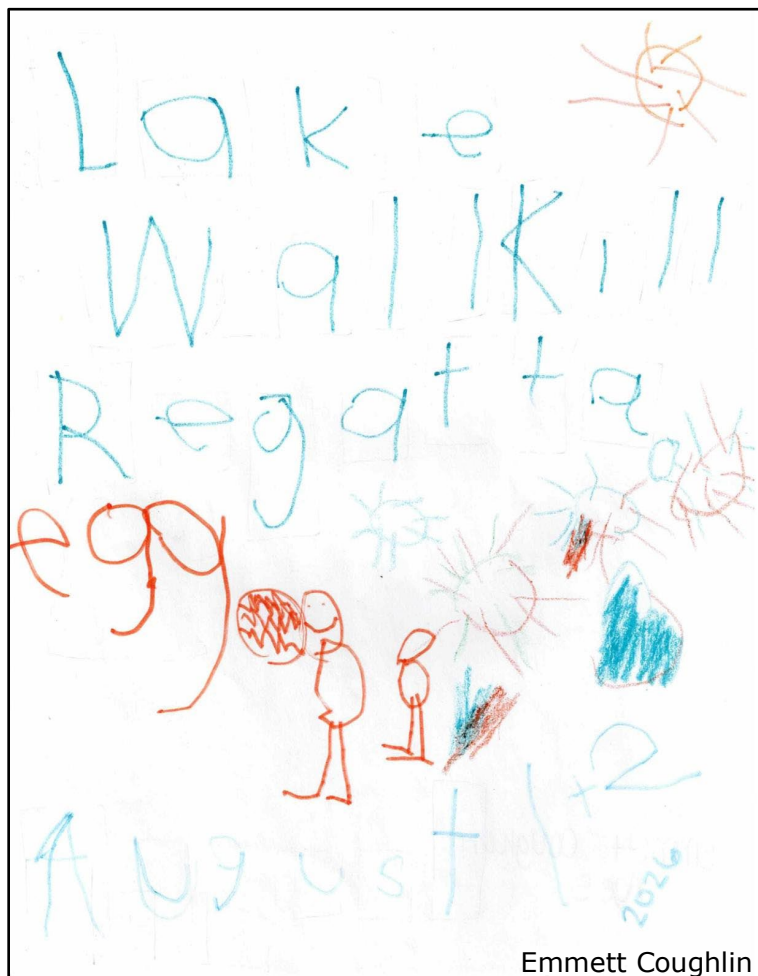
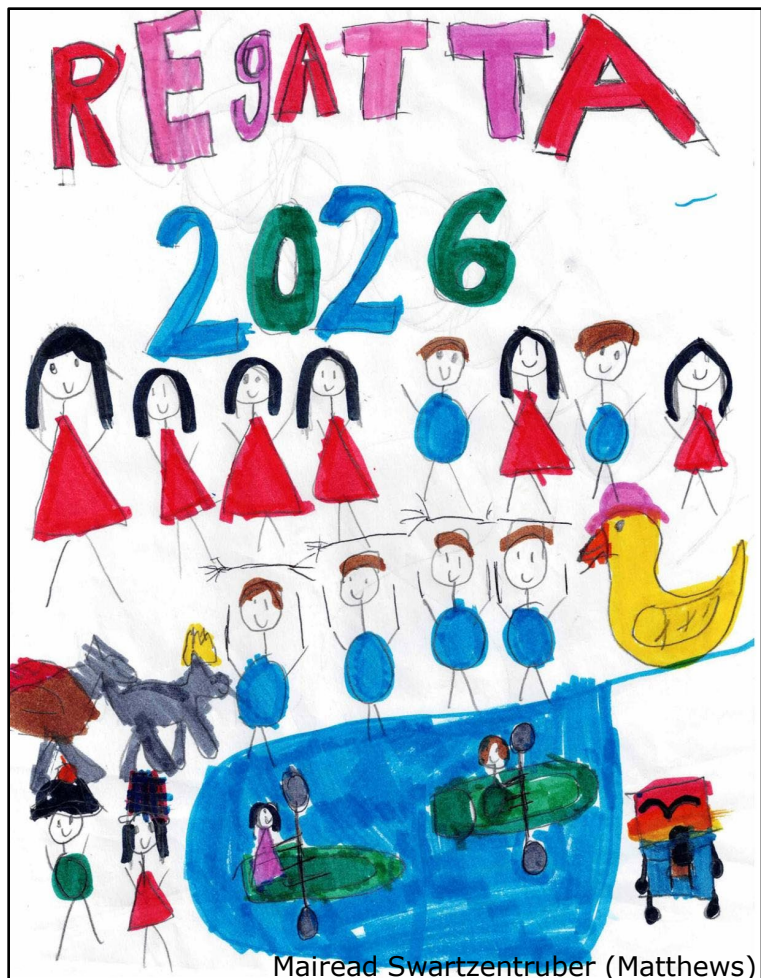


Swim races!

you gotta REGATTA!!!



Baby Parade!



REGATTA 2026

Chairpersons Debbie Lynch, Kerri Thompson, and Jayme Lynch

Teen Canteen Advisors Blanka Faucaud and Katie Brennan

REGATTA COMMITTEES

Banner Chairman Thomas Frank

Decorations & Set up	Terence Brill	Bob MacLean
	Mike Curry	Bill Shaw
	Paul Faucaud	Karen Shaw
	Brian Fay	George Streisel
	Bob Frank	Mary Ann Green Stinson
	Thomas Frank	David Woeckener

Program Cover & Poster Contests Megan Matthews

Program Debbie Lynch, Kerri Thompson, Jayme Lynch, Denise De Simon, Megan Matthews, and Jim Gallagher

Master of Ceremonies & Audio Specialist Bob MacLean

Recorder / Ribbon Distribution Kathleen McKeever and Ellen Nietsch

Events Recorder Bernadette Olsen

Refreshments Saturday: Ladies of the Lake
Sunday: Teen Canteen

Program Cover Contest Winners:

Front: Delaney Kennedy (age 11)

Back: Remi McWilliams (age 9)

Honorable Mention: Kennedy Coughlin, Mairead Swartzentruber (Matthews), Emmett Coughlin, Cooper MacLean, Lernell Frazier, Logan Kumpf, Brian McNamara, Camryn McEvoy, Bridget Talorico, Claire McNamara, Harley Wadleigh, Clyde McDonald, Dominic Fiorentino, Kaylee McEvoy, Teagan Talorico, Reese McWilliams

Thanks to all participants in the Program Cover Contest and the Poster Contest.

All other chairpersons are listed under their respective activities.

THANK YOU to ALL VOLUNTEERS

who help to make this a fun, exciting, and successful Regatta!

When you volunteer at least one hour, you can get a Lake Wallkill pennant.
(one per household)

WELCOME TO REGATTA 2026!

We encourage everyone to take part in all 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 also remember that the children of our lake practice all of July to perform for you. Please come and see their performances and help to cheer them on!

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 1, 2026

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 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. Come up and enjoy a cup of iced or hot coffee, drinks, fresh bagels, muffins, or pastries being sold on the back porch of the clubhouse! Italian bread, pretzels, and other goodies are also available.

9:00 AM: The Races Begin!

This event is organized by Larry McGannon, Michael Duffy, Terence Brill, John Brill, Mike Cunningham, Kenny Muller, Nick Summa, Anthony Silecchia and Tommy 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 Smith-McLean-Kirchner Memorial Hole-in-One Contest

This event is chaired by Gordon Merck, Peggy Merck, Michael Smith, and Sarah Smith. 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: The Jim and Pat Smith Memorial 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: The Jim and Pat Smith Memorial 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:

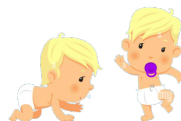
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10:40 AM: Basketball Foul Shot

Chaired by the Sports Club Director, Matt Summa. This event challenges boys and girls as well as men and women to take foul shots. 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 and Toddler Trot

Chaired by Jayme Lynch, the **Baby Crawl** 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. The **Toddler Trot** is for walkers up to **18 months**. The first toddler to cross the finish line wins! A trophy will be presented to each winner and all participants will receive a ribbon.



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, pulled pork and more. 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, scooters and bicycles at home. Since parking space is limited, please consider walking to the weekend's events. Only authorized personnel will be allowed in the Office and at the podium.



1:00 PM: Official Opening Ceremonies

Bob MacLean will open our afternoon activities. Please join in the singing of our National Anthem, led by Colleen McBride-Tosti.



1:15 PM: Children's Choral Group

Lauren McEvoy 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

Scarlett Kelly and Tala Del Rosario Tapan will lead our talented young boys and girls in a performance that you won't want to miss!



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

Lynn Curry will chair this event. 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. See Lynn Curry to submit your votes.



2:00 PM: Awards Ceremony

Our new Miss and Mr. 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. Keigan Thompson and Tim Olsen will chair this great event. When the whistle blows make 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. Trophies will be awarded in two categories: 12 & younger and 13 & older. Register at the starting point next to Fire Lane #7.



2:45 PM: Hat Parade

Kim Muller will chair this event. Decorate a hat, give it a name, and register at the office before 2:30PM. 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

Kathryn Costello, Meghan Summa, and Molly Sokolewicz will lead the young ladies in a delightful water ballet performance.

Baby Parade



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).



4:15 PM: Jazzbelles

Saoirse Curran and Avreigh Hornyak, with help from Charlotte Curry and Scarlett Phillips, have created an energetic dance number for our talented young girls. Enjoy the presentation of the latest dance moves!



4:30 PM: Juggling Jokers

Aidan Brennan, Liam Cunningham, and James Giamboi will lead our skilled young boys in a special routine to entertain you with their "Devil Sticks tricks!"



5:15 PM: Cabin Decorating Contest

The Frank family and the judges 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! Mark Costello will chair this exciting event.



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, weather permitting. (Please remember no one is allowed in the office or on the porch).

Help **Light up the night!** Add a string of lights to your boat and cruise the lake to add even more glow to a lovely Regatta evening. All you need is a 150-300 watt inverter to be added to the boat battery and a string of holiday lights (preferably LED). Contact Paul Foucaud if you have any questions. Let's also **Light up the night** with your **registered** golf cart. Add a string of lights and take a lap around the lake.

Sunday, August 2, 2026

Come down to the beach area and enjoy breakfast, while watching the morning events. Breakfast goodies and beverages (while they last) can be purchased.

9:00 AM: Kathy McMahon Memorial Triathlon



This is a true test of athletic ability. The challenge is to swim across the lake, then canoe back to the beach (just bring your canoe to the Foucauds' landing prior to the start), and finally, run three times around the lake. The event is open to men and women aged 13 & up, with a special award given to "40 and Over" winners. There is also a Family/Friend Relay with each leg of the triathlon performed by a different person. There will be three categories for the relay: ages 13-39, 40 and older, and mixed (must include at least one member under 40 and one member over 40). If you are not participating, come down and provide encouragement to all of the racers! Register at the beach by 8:45 AM on Sunday morning to receive full details and safety rules from the chairperson Janet Nelson Smith.



9:30 AM: Junior Anglers

Calling all anglers ages 9 to 16 to participate in this event chaired by the Hohnarth family. All anglers will meet on the boardwalk by the diving towers. Participants must have their own pole with lure (no live bait or food allowed) and must be able to catch and remove fish independently. Please remember, this is a "catch and release" lake. The person that catches the most fish within the time period will be awarded a trophy. Medals will be awarded for second and third place.



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 this event.



11:00 AM: Greased Pig Contest

Tommy MacLean and Mike McWilliams will lead all **good** swimmers in this event. There will be two groups: ages 9-12 and ages 13-16. Please report to the diving tower; no pre-registration is necessary. The winning group will enjoy juicy slices of the watermelon.



11:30 AM – 12:30 PM: Canoe Races

Paul and Blanka Foucaud will chair this event, with help from Joanne LeFurge. No pre-registration is required. Just bring your canoe to the Foucauds' landing. Tell your ages so your category can be determined. Please DO NOT paddle over the swim lanes; stay to the left of the diving boards.

- **11:30 AM: Women's and Girls' Canoe Races (Doubles Only)**

Trophies will be awarded to the 1st place finishers in two categories: ages 15 & younger and 16 & older (age group is determined by the oldest in the canoe)

- **11:50 AM: Men and Boy's Canoe Races (Doubles Only)**

Trophies will be awarded to the 1st place finishers in two categories: ages 15 & younger and 16 & older (age group is determined by the oldest in the canoe)

- **12:10 PM Mixed Doubles Canoe Races**

Trophies will be awarded to the 1st place winners.



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 from **12:00-2:00 PM**.



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

The Warren family will chair this event. If you have live, tame, house pets, 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, Judges' Choice, and Best Superhero. Please be aware that the road may be hot for our four-legged friends.



2:00 PM: Boat Pageant

The Pappa family will be on-hand to oversee the decorated boats 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 by 2:00 PM. The boats will come into the swim area in front of the raft. Please look for the opening of the outside ropes. Trophies will be awarded in the following categories: Most Beautiful, Most Comical, Most Historical, Most Original, and Judges' Choice.



2:30 PM: Aquamedians

Thomas Costello will lead our young divers in a hilarious performance on the diving boards.



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: Rubber Duck Race

Megan Matthews, Jenna Mackesy, and Amy Cunningham will chair this event. Don't miss this exciting event showcasing the best dressed swimming ducks at Lake Wallkill. Ducks must be decorated and should be at the office by **2 PM**. Trophies will be awarded to the Best Superhero, Most Beautiful, Most Historical, Most Comical, Most Original, and Judges' Choice. **The race will start at 3:30 by the lanes.** Prizes awarded for 1st, 2nd, 3rd place winners of the race! You can purchase your ducks from the chairpersons.



3:45 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 3 PM with Coaches Kacey Brill, Thomas Costello, Matt Summa, and Meghan Brennan. Medals will be awarded to the first place winners. Don't forget about the "Friends and Family" relay race for those 19 and over. Start forming your teams now and sign up early to challenge your rivals. You may even recognize some past Wallkill Warriors!



4:15 PM: Awards & Presentations

Gather around as Miss Lake Wallkill and Mr. Lake Wallkill will present the awards to the winners of the Cabin Decoration and Boat Pageant.

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

Wallkill, We Love You

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

John Novotny

Lake Wallkill Community

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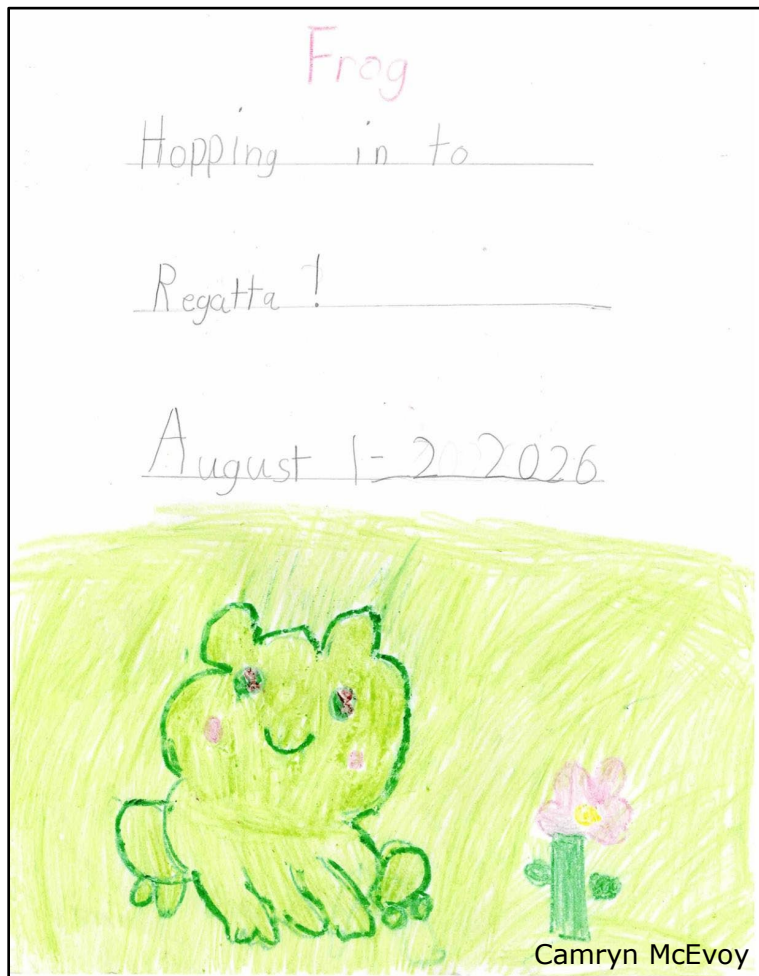
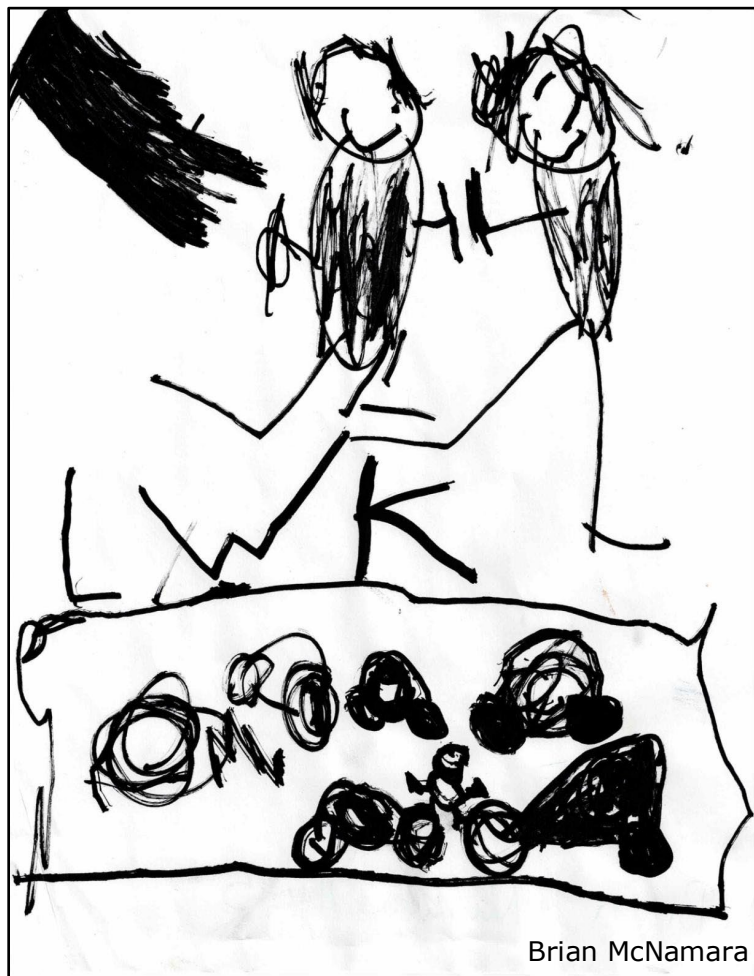
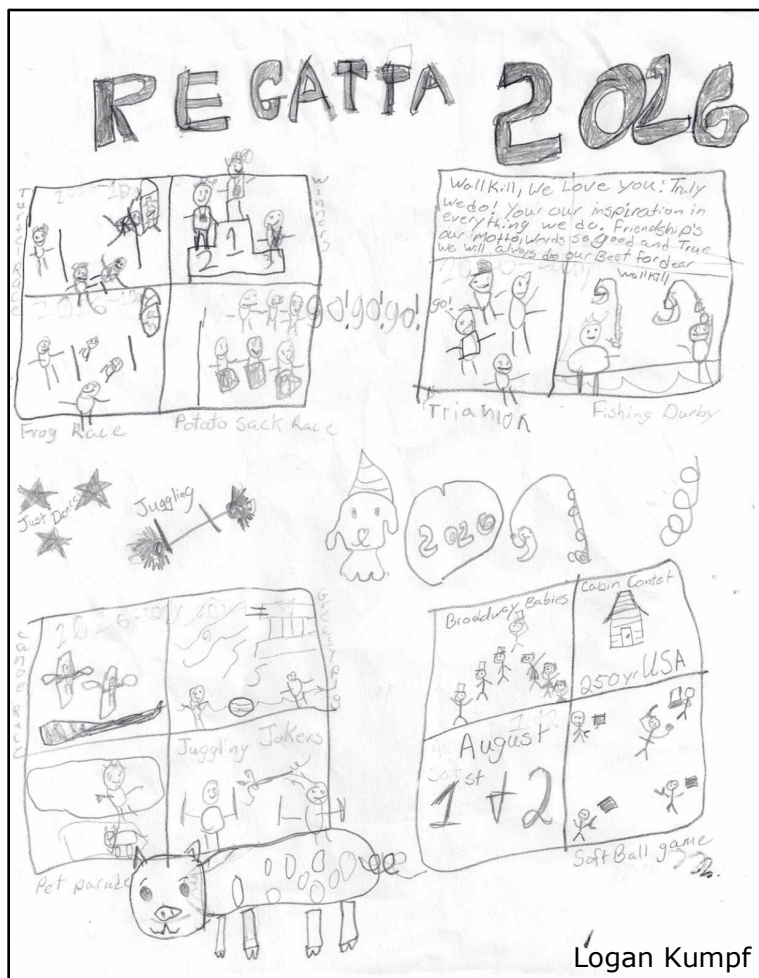
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Violet Finke
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District Ten

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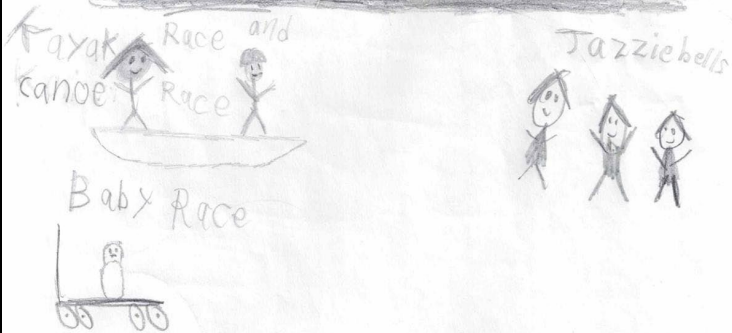
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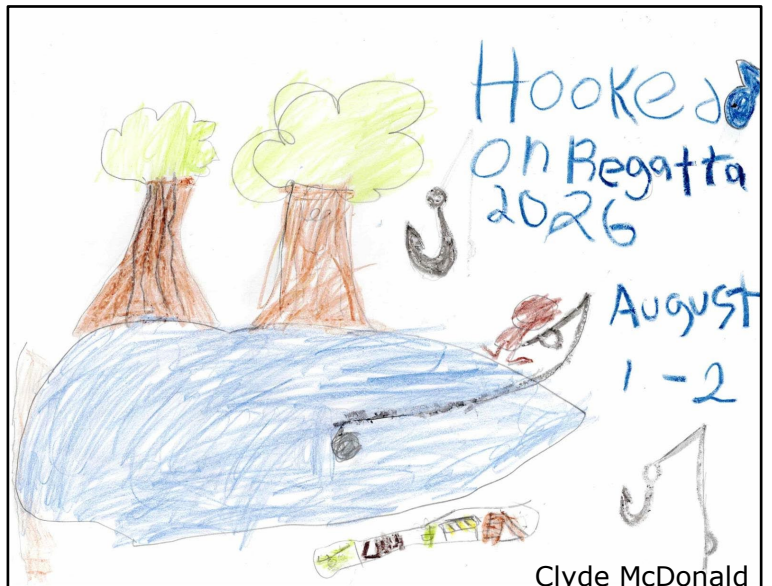
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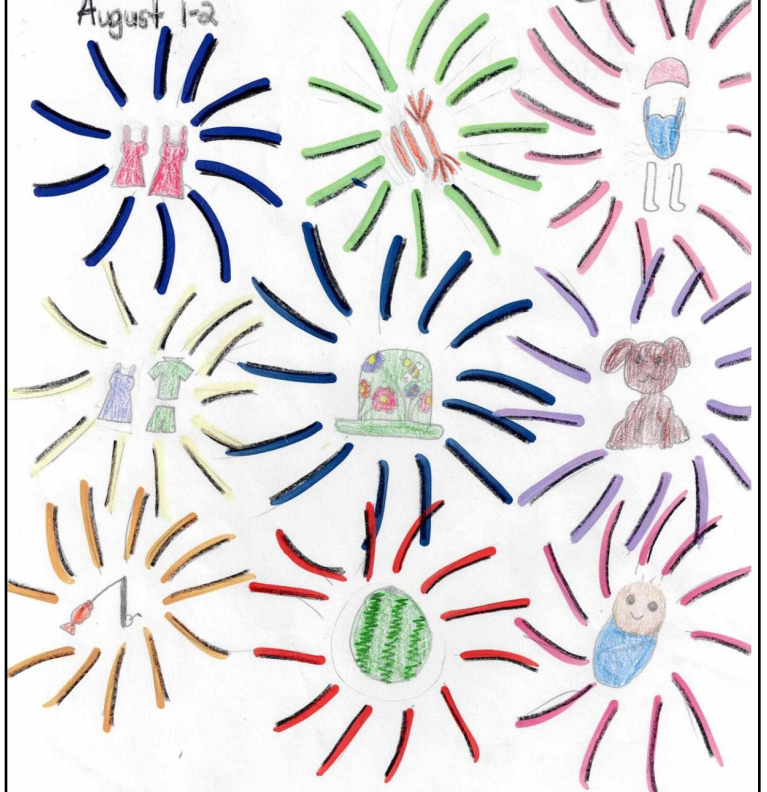
Harley Wadleigh

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Clyde McDonald



Reese McWilliams

Regatta Weekend Events at a Glance!

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