

Seasonal Guest Newsletter April Fools!



Opening Weekend:

April 29, 2016...Only 28 days away!

Scott & Brad Update:

Scott was able to escape from all the hard work in the mountains and attend the Final Four Men's Basketball Tournament with Dad. A well deserved break, I am hoping both have a ton of fun!

Widening the road, meant that the second campground sign was moved to the "V" in the road. Brad has been busy running new electric.

I ask all of you to extend your appreciation for all that these great guys do for all of us!!

Carol Update:

She has cleaned all Seasonal and Campsites. No leaves, no branches. Life is good! We chatted today and we are hoping that the winds do not drop new branches. I do guarantee that she will be checking seasonal sites on Monday.

When you see Carol this season, please take a moment to Thank her for all her efforts to clean your sites clean!!

New News:

WiFi:

I would like to extend our appreciation to Rick Brummundt. With a very limited budget, he got us all connected!! He offered free labor for installation and guest trouble shooting!! ***Thank you Rick for all you have done for all of us!!***

With such a huge demand for WiFi, we made the decision to contract with a professional company for the 2016 season. Nexu just completed the install today!! It is a mesh system. We will now have 2 modems with 60Mbps and 15 radios. These radios are located throughout the campground. Each radio communicates with one another, thus strengthening the signal. Otter Lake Campground had this system installed a year ago. They are very happy with the system.

The best news for me is that if you have issues, you call the company directly. It is password protected. You will need to text me or call the office for the new password.

Carol logged on to the new system last night and thought it was great!!

Please note that we opted to continue our free WiFi service!!

Weekend Activities:

April 30, 2016 – Welcome Back

9:00 a.m. – noon at the Camp Store
**Come share a cup of coffee and a "Treat"!

May 7 & 8 Chili Cook-off/Mother's Day

**Round up your favorite ingredients and get a simmering!! Judging starts at 4:30 p.m. Festivities will start at 5:00 p.m. in the Indoor Entertainment Center or Pavilion (weather dependent). Prizes will be awarded to the top 3 finishers.

**Pick up your ladle in the Camp Store!

**Electrical outlets will be available for crockpots.

Judging will be based on the following:

1. Presentation – Each entry will be allowed 20 inches to decorate with props. Feel free to use your imagination!!
2. Aroma - Chili should not smell burnt or unpleasant.
3. Taste - A really good taste will stand out.
4. Consistency - Chili should be a GOOD MEAT AND GRAVY combination. Meat should be tender but not broken down.
5. Aftertaste - Residual taste should be PLEASANT.

(P.S. Presentation is the key to being a winner!!)

**Mother's Day activities coming soon...stay tuned!