

September 2017 NEWSLETTER

WHERE HAS THE SUMMER GONE??????? It seems to pass by more quickly than the year before!!

It's been a busy month. Elections were held on August 4 and Duane, Sherry and Yogi were ALL reelected. Thank you for your past, present and future service! You have done an outstanding job and we all appreciate it very much (comments from the Secretary)!!

Rockin the Reservoir had a great turnout and as always Shufflebuggy was tremendous! Mike and Sherry provided some delicious burgers, hot dogs and all the fixins! Mother Nature decided it was time for a little rain and wind but that did not dampen our spirits in any way, shape or form!

The Annual Auction was over in record time. Didn't seem to be as many treasures this year as in years past, but the Club netted \$2600.00. All those in attendance had a great time. Thanks to John Nation for being a wonderful and expedient auctioneer; to Pat and Cathy for handling the issuance of numbers and accepting payment for sold items; to Gary M. and Steve for acting as Vanna White; and to Betty and Marge for setting up the pre-sale table! Also, a special thanks to all who supported the Club with their purchases!

And the fun continued......with the eclipse party, great turnout, on Monday the 21st. Gary S. went all out with eggs and sausage (best I've ever tasted) and with everyone's contributions it was quite a feast! Many jumped on their boats around 10 and went out on the lake while a few stayed dockside to view the wondrous phenomenon. It was amazing how the temperature changed once the sun was covered! Makes complete sense but still it was intriguing.

****The next meeting will be held Friday, September 1st with dinner at 6:30 and the general meeting at 7:15. Please bring a dish to share, your own table service and beverage.

As many of you know, the State has increased the Club's lease by 2% and as a result the membership voted at the last meeting to increase lot fees by \$45.00 and membership fees by \$15.00. This will help to offset that increase as well as increases in other services. This will take effect in 2018 and there will be no further increases for five years.

The Board is interested in submitting a plan to the State for the construction of a three sided barn located on the east side of the property. This will be used for boat storage. The plan must be submitted to the State by October 1 in order to be approved by next summer. Cross your fingers!! Kc will also submit a plan to the State for the burning of the driftwood along the shoreline in the marina. As a side note, the State is requiring any gravel that is brought into the Club must be from an approved quarry so please check that out before you do any work.

DON'T FORGET THE FISHING DERBY AND STEAK FRY Saturday, September 2. Since fishing got a late start there must be some real whoppers in that lake just waiting for you experts to nail 'em!

The TO DO List is posted on the bulletin board on the east side of the Clubhouse so take a look and see what might interest you! We have such a great club because of all its volunteers!! As a matter of fact, one third of the Club's members have volunteered time and talent to the Club. A big, big thank you goes to all of you!!

Still no word from the State regarding the septic system permit and there were no objections during the public comment period.

The Club now has internet but not for streaming and it is advisable **NOT** to do important work such as banking. As a reminder, please do not share the password "*fishing425*" with nonmembers.

WEBSITE - As a reminder, Lonnie Berett is helping with Website administration. Stay informed by going to <u>www.bhbbc.org</u> our own private website for members shielded from all search engines like Google etc. This is a personal secure site, any additions of pictures or general information has to be implemented by Member Administrators which keeps the site from being hacked and our information safe. Passwords depending on browser (Firefox, Internet Explorer, etc.) will be requested depending on browser but is only needed for access to member contact information. It's quite easy & fun once you learn how. Contact <u>kc@bhbbc.org</u> if interested or need password reset or questions. The website has all the latest information and you may send us your club, lake or fish photos for posting on the Gallery Page.

Reminder.....

Club members, old and new......We are on a well and septic system. Please, don't put anything down the toilet (in your house or the clubhouse) that hasn't been eaten or drunk..., except toilet paper. Fix all toilets &/or faucets that do not shut off properly & turn off water supply if leaving for a week or more.Thank you!

Keep us updated on any Address, Email, & Phone # Changes so we can keep in contact & let us know if Emailed Newsletters or regular mailed Newsletters work better for you. We want to make sure you stay connected and involved, while also conserving where we can. Also, if you do not want to renew your membership, please take the time to notify Sherry Brown.

Duane, Kc, Mary & your humble BHBBC Board

BHBBC 2017 Calendar of Events

September 1st-	Board Meeting 4:30pm: Dinner 6:30pm; General Meeting 7:15pm
September 2 nd -	Fishing Derby and Steak Fry
October 6th -	Board Meeting 4:30pm: Dinner 6:30pm; General Meeting 7:15pm
October 7th -	Closing of Clubhouse 9am

Friday Night Happy Hour (5ish) when Clubhouse is not reserved

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