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Vacation Bible School



Available for children between the ages of 4 and 14 years, this year's program offers music, drama, Bible exploration and snacks. It will be held at the Delta Baptist Church during the week of Monday July 15th between the hours of 9:30 a.m. and 11:55 a.m.

Teens and adults may join in the fun as leaders too!

For more information call Brian at 613-928-2963 or email deltabaptist@gmail.com

News from the Lower Beverley Lake Association



The **Annual General Meeting** will be held on Saturday, July 13th in the Main Exhibit Hall at the Delta Fair Grounds. The morning will begin at 9:30 a.m. with social time followed by the meeting at 10:00 a.m. The guest speaker for the morning will be Mr. Gary Neilsen who is a Climate Change Project Coordinator with the Ontario Ministry of Natural Resources.

An **"Endangered Species"** presentation will be held on Saturday, July 20th.

Presented by the Lower Beverley Lake Association in conjunction with the Lower Beverley Lake Park, the event will be held at the Bradford Pavilion in the park starting at 10:00 a.m. Tim Wood, species at risk specialist, will explain everything you need to know about local species at risk. His talk will address the factors affecting these species and what is being done to protect them. Tim will dispel some myths, deepen your appreciation for such species at risk as the Gray Rat Snake, and educate you about the value and role of these species in the ecosystem. Tim might even bring some live specimens for you to get up close and personal! Tim Woods is a species at risk technician with the Ministry of Natural Resources in Kemptville.

Volunteers are needed to participate in the annual **"Clean the Lake"** program which will be held on Thursday, August 1st. Volunteers are asked to meet at the Village Boat Launch at 10:00 a.m. A pizza lunch will be provided at the end of the session.

Be sure to mark Saturday, August 10th on your calendar as everyone is invited to participate in our **"Flotilla and Annual Picnic"**. Decorate your boat in a 'Hillbilly' theme and meet by the bridge on English Island at 10:00 a.m. A flotilla will be formed and will circle the lake area which should take approximately 1 hour. The annual picnic will follow at 3:00 p.m. at Kendrick's Park. Join us for some good food and 'Hillbilly' games! While you may bring a dish to share, there will be hot dogs and lemonade provided.



Rideau Lakes Community Garden Project



The Delta Community Garden, which is part of the Rideau Lakes Community of Gardens, is growing well and some items are ready to harvest!

The Delta Community Garden came into being as a result of the work of the Food for All Network which is a group of like-minded individuals who aim to improve access to healthy safe food in the community.

Based on the results of a survey the Network conducted in 2011, a Community of Gardens came alive in Delta, Elgin, Portland, Westport and Seeley's Bay.

Community gardens benefit individuals and communities in numerous ways. As a member, you can acquire the knowledge and skills to grow your own food, and then enjoy the nutritious and delicious harvest. You may gain a new appreciation for a vegetable, given the opportunity to sample the fruits of your labour fresh from the earth. You can meet new people, and get to know them by working together and learning from each other. You become more active and spend more time outdoors; experiencing the positive effects this has on your physical and mental health. A portion of the produce from each garden is donated to our local food bank. Volunteering and contributing your time and energy to help those around you who face food insecurity is a rewarding act that feeds your soul.

Get involved in your community's garden and experience the benefits for yourself. There are volunteering opportunities still available – both for getting hands dirty in the gardens, as well as planning, coordinating and advertising the gardens and workshops. For more information, contact Kate Earl, Community of Gardens Coordinator at 1-888-998-9927, ext.237 or Brian Wheaton at 613-928-2963.

Picnic in the Park

Join with the congregation of the Delta Baptist for a picnic in the Bradford Pavilion at Lower Beverley Lake Park on Sunday, August 11th at 4:30 p.m. There will be food, fellowship, and lots of music featuring the musical group, "North/South".



Looking to Dispose of Unwanted Materials?



The Delta United Church is collecting scrap metal, copper, and lead acid batteries as a fund raising project in support of their accessibility fund.

Materials may be placed in the container at 34 King Street, Delta.

Call Mac at 613-928-2353 for additional information.

Pie and Bake Sale

Come early so you will not be disappointed!

Fresh home baked pies and desserts will be available for purchase on Saturday, July 13th and Saturday, August 17th at 9:00 a.m. at the Bradford Pavilion, Lower Beverley Lake Park.

This Pie Sale is sponsored by the Beverley Senior Citizens and the Delta United Church.





Delta Fair

183rd Annual Edition

July 25th - 28th

www.deltafair.com



SHOW LOCATIONS

Animal Land (A)	Horse Ring (H)
Band Shell (B)	Infield (I)
Cattle Barn (C)	Main Stage (M)
Goat / Sheep Barn (G)	Pavilion (P)

THURSDAY, JULY 25th

9:00 a.m.	Judging of Homecraft and Agricultural Produce
12:00 p.m.	Animal Land Opens (A) featuring 'Hear the Anvil Ring' Blacksmith Display
12:00 p.m.	Mini King & Queen Pageant (B)
1:00 p.m.	Silly Sally's Magic Show (B)
2:00 p.m.	Big Time Pro Wrestling (M)
3:00 p.m.	Silly Sally's Magic Show (B)
4:00 p.m.	Children's Races (M)
6:30 p.m.	Official Opening (B) Citizen of the Year Youth Award of Excellence
7:00 p.m.	Texas Tuxedo (B)
7:00 p.m.	Horse Draw (M)
9:00 p.m.	Main Exhibition Hall Closed
11:00 p.m.	Grounds Closed

FRIDAY, JULY 26th

10:00 a.m.	Main Exhibition Hall Open
12:00 p.m.	Animal Land Opens (A) featuring 'Hear the Anvil Ring' Blacksmith Display
12:00 p.m.	Little Ray's Reptile Show (B)
1:00 p.m.	Eddy & the Stingrays (M)
1:00 p.m.	Ry Guy Magic Show (B)
2:00 p.m.	Little Ray's Reptile Show (B)
3:00 p.m.	Ry Guy Magic Show (B)
4:00 p.m.	Teddy Bears' Picnic (B)
5:00 p.m.	Ry Guy Magic Show (B)
6:00 p.m.	Ambassador Pageant (M)
7:00 p.m.	The Stars of Pop (M) Featuring tributes to Justin Bieber, Taylor Swift, Lady Gaga, Katy Perry and One Direction
9:00 p.m.	Main Hall Closed
11:00 p.m.	Grounds Closed

SATURDAY, JULY 27th

9:00 a.m.	Lawn Mower Pull Registration (M)
9:00 a.m.	4-H Sheep Club Achievement (C)
9:00 a.m.	Family Horse Show (H)
10:00 a.m.	Lawn Mower Pull (M)
10:00 a.m.	Main Exhibition Hall Open
11:00 a.m.	Baby Show (B)
12:00 p.m.	Animal Land Opens (A) featuring 'Hear the Anvil Ring' Blacksmith Display
12:00 p.m.	Leeds 4-H Cloverbuds (C)
12:00 p.m.	Goat Show (G)
12:00 p.m.	Little Buckaroos Kid's Show (B)
12:30 p.m.	Parade Line Up, Foundry Street
1:00 p.m.	Music of Don & Steven Curtis (M)
2:00 p.m.	Parade
2:00 p.m.	Little Farmers Kid's Show (B)
2:30 p.m.	Music of Don & Steven Curtis (M)
4:00 p.m.	Little Pirates Kid's Show (B)
7:00 p.m.	Kira Isabella (M)
9:00 p.m.	Main Exhibition Hall Closed
11:00 p.m.	Grounds Closed

SUNDAY, JULY 28th

9:00 a.m.	Registration for Tractor Pull
9:00 a.m.	4-H Dairy Club Achievement (C)
10:00 a.m.	Western Horse Show (H)
10:00 a.m.	Antique Tractor Pull
10:00 a.m.	Main Exhibit Hall Open
11:00 a.m.	Pet Show (B)
12:00 p.m.	Animal Land Opens (A) featuring 'Hear the Anvil Ring' Blacksmith
12:30 p.m.	Fun for Kids (B)
2:00 p.m.	Children's Pedal Tractor Pull (M)
2:00 p.m.	Tom Wilson / Country All Stars (B)
4:00 p.m.	Cow Chip Bingo (H)
4:00 p.m.	Beef Barbeque (P)
5:00 p.m.	Main Exhibition Hall Closed
6:30 p.m.	Jeannie Seely (M)
	50/50 Draw Conducted
8:00 p.m.	Fair Closed

2013 DELTA FAIR DISCOUNTS

WORLD'S FINEST SHOWS ADVANCED SALE RIDE COUPON

Unlimited Ride Coupon for any one day of the fair: **ONLY \$25**



Purchase before July 25th at one of the following locations and **Save \$10**

ON-GROUNDS BRACELET COUPON \$35

Athens: Laine's Coffee / Convenience & Willard's Bakery

Brockville: Home Hardware

Delta: Lower Beverley Lake Park & Delta Country Market

Elgin: Akop's Pharmacy & Elgin Express

Lyndhurst: Lyndhurst Groceteria & Lyndhurst Home Building Centre

Portland: Ultramar Gas Station

Seeley's Bay: Sweet's Food Market

Smiths Falls: Mr. Gas - Lombard Street and Mr. Gas - Union Street

Toledo: Kitley Grocery

Westport: Kudrinko's Country Grocer



WORLD'S FINEST SHOWS

Midway Hours of Operation

July 25 th	1:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.	July 27 th	11:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.
July 26 th	12:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.	July 28 th	12:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

4 DAY GATE ADMISSIONS PASS: Only \$25 in advance

Purchase before July 25th and **Save \$11**



Delta Fair Committee Contacts



Agricultural Awareness	Marie Flood	924-1501	Horse Draw	Brian Hart	924-2407
Agricultural Produce	Ernie Curtis	928-2964	Horticulture	Pat Best	359-5503
Ambassador Pageant	Sherron White	928-2255	Labour	Steve Ball	928-2006
Barbeque	Melinda Cowan	924-1849	Lawn Mower Pull	Chris Patterson	802-3519
Bavarian Garden	Angela Ferguson	928-3383	Livestock	Ed Cavanagh	275-2113
Children's Activities	Tricia Laming	928-2411	Official Opening	Brenda Perrin	802-3518
Concessions	Marlaine Hart	924-2407	Parade	Peggy Fuller	928-2297
Entertainment	William Morris	928-2800	Promotion	Cathy Livingston	928-2796
Executive	Charles Nichols	275-2762	Property	Art Cowan	924-1849
Finance	Tracy Perrin	928-2272	School Exhibits	Ruth Sheridan	928-2092
4-H Competitions	Brenda Dunster	342-0014	Social	Linda Barker	272-2533
Hall Rental/Dance	Sherron White	928-2255	Sponsorship	Amy Schur	387-3181
Homecraft	Heather Young	928-3202	Tractor Pull	Chris Patterson	802-3519
Horses	Katie Bjergso	812-6833	Volunteers	Anne Nichols	275-2762

Delta Fair Executive

President	Charles Nichols	Tracy Perrin	Treasurer
Vice-President, 1st	Arthur Cowan	William Morris	Secretary
Vice-President, 2 nd	Melinda Held-Cowan	Linda Barker	Assistant Secretary-Treasurer

Lower Beverley Lake Park Summer of 2013

Events for the Entire Family

July 1	Kid's Games	10:00 a.m.
July 1	Entertainment: <i>Doherty Brothers</i>	1:00 p.m.
July 1	Free Cake & Iced Tea	3:00 p.m.
July 5	Teen Dance	8:00 p.m.
July 6	Kid's Crafts	10:00 a.m.
July 6	Volleyball Tournament	11:00 a.m.
July 6	Bingo	7:00 p.m.
July 10	Scavenger Hunt	10:00 a.m.
July 12	Movie Night: "The Great and Powerful OZ"	8:30 p.m.
July 13	Pie & Bake Sale	9:00 a.m.
July 17	Mini-Putt Tournament	10:00 a.m.
July 20	"Species at Risk" Presentation	10:00 a.m.
July 20	Bingo	7:00 p.m.
July 24	Pet Show (Dogs)	10:00 a.m.
July 27	Texas Hold'em Tournament	10:00 a.m.
July 31	Little Ray's Reptiles	1:00 p.m.
August 2	Karaoke	7:00 p.m.
August 3	Bingo	7:00 p.m.
August 4	'Fun In the Sun' Horseshoe Tournament	9:00 a.m.
August 4	Entertainment: <i>The Posse</i>	1:00 p.m.
August 7	Halloween Party	10:00 a.m.
August 9	Teen Dance	8:00 p.m.
August 10	Car Show	9:00 a.m.
August 10	Entertainment: <i>The Reasons</i>	10:00 a.m.
August 10	Chicken Barbeque	4:00 p.m.
August 14	Teddy Bear's Picnic	10:00 a.m.
August 17	Pie Sale	9:00 a.m.
August 17	Yard Sale	9:00 a.m.
August 17	Bingo	7:00 p.m.
August 21	Sand Castle Building Contest	10:00 a.m.
August 24	Kid's Crafts	10:00 a.m.
August 24-25	Ball Tournament	9:00 a.m.
August 30	Karaoke	7:00 p.m.
August 31	Kid's Bingo	10:00 a.m.
August 31	Entertainment: <i>Eddy & the Stingrays</i>	1:00 p.m.
August 31	Bingo	7:00 p.m.



"Elbe": Park Mascot

ATM



For the convenience of our campers and members of the general public, an automated teller machine has been installed in the Gate House.

Propane Tank Exchange Program

Lower Beverley Lake Park is once again offering a propane tank exchange for the convenience of our customers and members of the general public. Empty 20 pound tanks may be exchanged for full tanks provided that the tank issuance date is not prior to 2005. Tanks with propane may also be purchased at the Gate House as well.



News from the The Delta Mill Society




We are pleased to introduce the Mill, River and Flour exhibition which features a journey into the world of Canadian flour milling. This bilingual exhibit showcases the importance of agriculture to Canada and its direct link with our country's development. Immerse yourself in the world of flour mills from the New France era to the early 20th century.

Admission is free!

MILL, Exhibit
RIVER at the
AND
FLOUR Mill

Beautification Partnership

The Baptist Congregation




Baptist Chapel, built in 1880


Established in 1811 under the leadership of the Rev. Elder Abel Stevens, Sr., a dedicated group of 20 parishioners met to discuss the construction of a much needed Baptist Church. Under Stevens' leadership, the walls and roof were erected but because of financial restraints, the interior remained incomplete. Seeking assistance to complete the building, both Methodist and Anglican congregations worshipped in the church until 1864 when the church was sold to the Anglican Church of Canada for \$1.00 at which time, the church was renamed St. Paul's Anglican.

For the next 15 years, the Baptist Congregation worshipped with their fellow church members in Philippsville. In 1879, Delta residents decided that they should have their own chapel and so, on a lot which was purchased for \$125 by Nicholas Matrice, a Baptist Chapel was constructed in 1880 with red bricks from the Russell brick yard (now Lower Beverley Lake Park). The church was dedicated on December 16th, 1880 by the Rev. A. Cameron from Ottawa. Additions to the Church were made in 1929 to accommodate a Sunday school room and in 1997 when the Memorial Hall was constructed.


In 1908, the Trustees of the Church purchased a large brick house from parishioners Dan Davison and his wife, Hannah Sexton. This house would serve as the parsonage until 1953 when the Delta and Athens parishes would unite and the minister moved to Athens.



King Street Travelling NE



Baptist Parsonage, built 1872



Village Residents Constructing Sidewalks

JULY 2013

Thanks to an ongoing partnership between the Lower Beverley Lake Park Management Board and the Delta Beautification Committee, a heritage plaque will soon be installed adjacent to the Baptist Church.

This plaque will be the fifth in a series of heritage displays in which photos and anecdotes of Delta's history are showcased.



The Deadline for the September / October Edition is August 19th, 2013

Submit your information today to the Park Office!

Email: bevlake@ripnet.com

We regret that we are not able to accept information after the deadline.



Take A Closer Look



If you know of any events being held in the Delta area which are not being included in the Delta Pilot, please encourage the organization to submit the information to the Park Office prior to the monthly deadline.



CALENDAR OF EVENTS



Beverley Senior Citizens' Club #460

- Euchre party every Tuesday at 1:00 p.m. at the Delta Fair Office.

Delta Agricultural Society

- Board of Directors Meeting at the Fair Office on July 18th at 7:00 p.m.
- Board of Directors Meeting at the Fair Office on August 22nd at 7:00 p.m.

Delta Baptist Church

- Choir Practice is held on the second Thursday of each month at 1:30 p.m. New members welcome!
- Vacation Bible School will be held during the week of July 15th at the Church from 9:30 a.m. to 11:55 a.m.
- Community Picnic at Lower Beverley Lake Park on August 11th at 4:30 p.m.

Delta Food Bank

- Open on the second and fourth Tuesday from 9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. at the United Church Hall.
Call Sharon at 613-928-2885 for information.

Delta Mill Society

- Chicken Barbeque at Lower Beverley Lake Park Pavilion on August 10th at 4:00 p.m.

Delta United Church

- Choir Practice is held every Thursday at 7:00 p.m. New members welcome!

Good Food Box

- The Good Food Box offers fresh fruits and vegetables at wholesale prices for all community members.
Payment is required on the 7th of the month and delivery is on the 3rd Tuesday.
Call Claire at 613-928-2761 for information.

Lower Beverley Lake Association

- Annual meeting at the Delta Fair Hall on July 13th at 10:00 a.m.
- "Endangered Species" Presentation on July 20th at 10:00 a.m. at Bradford Pavilion, Lower Beverley Lake Park
- "Clean the Lake" work party on August 1st at 10:00 a.m. at the Village Boat Launch, Lower Beverley Lake Park Road
- "Flotilla & Annual Meeting" on August 10th starting at English Island at 10:00 a.m.

Royal Canadian Legion, Branch #207

- Meetings are held on the second Tuesday of the month at 7:30 p.m. at the Legion Hall.
- Euchre party is held every Friday evening at 7:00 p.m. at the Legion Hall.

Royal Canadian Legion, Branch #207 Ladies Auxiliary

- Meetings are held on the third Thursday of the month at 7:00 p.m. at the Legion Hall.

SUNDAY SERVICES

Baptist Church	9:30 a.m.
United Church	9:15 a.m.

Contact Information

LOWER BEVERLEY LAKE PARK MANAGEMENT BOARD

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