



August 2021

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Newsletter Ideas?

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at Stone Port

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Back to School Supply Drive

From August 2nd-30th we will be collecting school supplies to donate to Peak View Elementary School.

Most needed items include: glue sticks, scissors, pens, backpacks, wide ruled & college ruled notebook paper, index cards, construction paper, hand sanitizer, tape, colored pencils, crayons, markers, 3-ring binders, erasers, paper towels, spiral notebooks, 2-pocket folders, tissues, highlighters, dry erase markers, rulers, Ziploc bags, and binder dividers.

Please bring supplies to the Clubhouse during office hours.

For every 5 items you donate, you will be entered to win a Roku Premiere!

August Resident Event- Movie Night

We will be partnering with Xfinity to host a movie night by the Clubhouse Pool on Friday, August 27th starting at 8:15pm.

We will have popcorn and waters for our residents to enjoy! Feel free to bring blankets and an extra chair as seating will be limited.

Be on the lookout for a survey on which movie you would like to see played.



Dog Days of Summer

We will be hosting a Dog Days of Summer event for all the pups on Tuesday, August 17th from 4-6pm in front of the Clubhouse. We will have sweet treats for all of our four-legged furry resident to enjoy!

Office Hours

Monday 10:00 am–6:00 pm
Tuesday 10:00 am–6:00 pm
Wednesday 10:00 am–6:00 pm
Thursday 10:00 am–6:00 pm
Friday 10:00 am–6:00 pm
Saturday 11:00 am–4:00 pm
Sunday Closed

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Watch for Flashing Lights

Drivers; slow down, be alert and obey the rules when driving near school buses and bus stops. By law you must remain stopped until all people are clear of the roadway and the bus is in motion. A stop is NOT required when approaching a stopped bus from the opposite direction upon a highway of four or more lanes.

Crack Into Coconuts

In its many forms, coconut shows up in everything from foods and fragrances to furniture. Here's some inside scoop on the tropical fruit.

- It's said that Portuguese sailors gave it the name "coco," a term for a laughing face, since the three indentions on its shell look like a face. The English word nut was added later.
- Coconuts are the fruit of the coconut palm tree, called the tree of life because there are so many uses for every part of it.
- One tree can produce 50 to 100 coconuts per year.
- Indonesia, the Philippines and India grow and harvest most of the world's supply.
- Prized for their flavor, coconut meat, milk, water and oil are used in a variety of dishes and drinks in many cultures.
- You'll often find the oil as an ingredient in beauty products, and its tropical scent is used as a fragrance.
- Coconut water comes from young, green coconuts. Some competitive athletes drink coconut water because it packs more replenishing potassium than four bananas.
- Made of shredded coconut covered in chocolate, Mounds candy bars were included in combat rations during World War II and became a military favorite.
- The brown fiber of a coconut's husk is called coir, which is made into items such as doormats, ropes and brushes.
- Coconut shells were sound effects staples in the early days of entertainment, mimicking the clip-clop of horse hooves.



Pool Safety

We would like to remind all residents that the swimming pool closes promptly at 9 p.m. including the fire pit, hot tub, and grilling areas.

Also, please remember that there is no lifeguard on duty. As always, no smoking, alcohol or glass containers are permitted on the pool deck!

Individuals under the age of 16 must be accompanied by an adult resident. These rules were established for your safety, so please keep them in mind when using the pool. Thanks!

Step Into a Scavenger Hunt

Encourage kids to get engaged at The Reserve at Stone Port and enjoy some physical activity with a walking scavenger hunt! Create a list of items you would find in the community, such as a stop sign, a tree or plant, someone wearing a ball cap, or the letter R on a license plate, then head outside. Provide easy features for youngsters to look for, or make the hunt more challenging for teens. Once they complete the scavenger hunt, reward them with a nice summer treat such as a Popsicle.



Wild World: Fireflies

Also called lightning bugs, fireflies are nocturnal beetles that thrive in warm and temperate regions of the world. There are about 2,000 firefly species.

Their glow comes from light organs located under their abdomens. When the insects take in oxygen, special cells combine it with a substance called luciferin to produce light with almost no heat. The flashing glow pattern is unique to each species and is believed to help in mating, but it may also be a defense mechanism warning predators that the lightning bugs taste bad.

Make a Friend, Be a Friend

You can never have too many friends, but it's impossible to meet everyone without a little help. In honor of International Friendship Day on the first Sunday in August, let's nurture our community's kindred spirit. We're summoning all residents—from those who are shy to the brightest social butterfly—to go out of their way to meet someone new and make a new friend. Introduce yourself to your neighbors, get to know their interests and hobbies and, above all, make new friends!



Camp the Great Outdoors

Want to become one of the millions of Americans who go camping annually? With a little planning, some gear and a sense of adventure, camping can be a great way to get away from it all. **Safety.** Don't forget a first-aid kit. Remember to tell someone where you're camping and when you'll return, even if you're not far from city limits.

Necessities. Water seems obvious; however, take into account the number of campers, weather and activity level. Note whether potable water will be available and decide how you'll clean cooking utensils. (You should never clean items in a river or stream.) Pack a multi-tool knife, a lantern or flashlight for each camper, bug spray and sunscreen, a map of the area and a cell phone. Go to www.KOA.com, a nationwide campground operator, for a list of other must-haves, including the all-important tent and sleeping bag.

You can also find all local campgrounds on this website.

Some of our favorite spots to camp:

- Shenandoah Acres
- Natural Chimneys
- Sherando Lake Recreation Area
- Hone Quarry
- Todd Lake
- Brandywine Campground
- Skyline Drive



Crazy Candy Ice Cream Sandwiches

Prep time: 10 minutes

Servings: 6

- 1 cup vanilla ice cream
- 1/4 cup chopped candy bar
- 6 graham cracker sheets, broken into 12 squares
- 1/2 cup semisweet chocolate morsels
- 1 1/2 tablespoons refined coconut oil or vegetable oil
- multi-colored sprinkles (optional)
- In medium bowl, stir ice cream until just softened. Stir in chopped candy.
- Working quickly, scoop ice cream mixture onto six graham cracker squares. Top with remaining graham cracker squares, gently pressing down until ice cream reaches edges of crackers. Place in shallow, wax paper-lined pan. Freeze 1 hour.
- In small, microwave-safe bowl, combine chocolate morsels and coconut oil. Microwave on high 40-60 seconds, or until melted, stirring vigorously every 20 seconds. Let stand at room temperature 10 minutes.
- Remove sandwiches from freezer. Dip half of each sandwich into chocolate mixture. Immediately scatter sprinkles over chocolate, if desired. Return to wax paper-lined pan. Freeze about 5 minutes, or until chocolate sets. Serve immediately or individually wrap in plastic wrap and store in freezer.



Rockingham County Fair August 16th-August 21st

Admission/Ticket Pricing:

Adults \$6

Child (ages 7-12) \$3

Ages 6 and under free

Address:

4808 S. Valley Pike
Harrisonburg, VA 22801

Monday, August 16th:

Veteran's Day

Free Admission for Veterans

Wednesday, August 18th:

Youth Day

12 & under Free Gate Admission

13-18 \$3 tickets

Thursday, August 19th:

Older Adults Day

60 or older \$2 tickets

Fair Concerts

Tracy Lawrence- August 16th 7:00pm

Jimmie Allen with Matt Stell- August
17th 7:00pm

Hardy with the Hackens Boys- August
18th 7:00pm





Other Events

Diesel Drags- August 19th
7:00pm-9:00pm

Demolition Derby- August 20th
8:00pm

Interstate Tractor Pull- August 21st
And much more!

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2 School Supply Drive Begins!	3	4	5 Town of Bridgewater- Free Summer Movie! Lego Movie at 12:30pm and 3:00pm at the Sipe Center.	6 	7 Splash and Dash Harrisonburg at Westover 9am-11:30am
8 Sunday Brunch with Live Music at Crosskeys Vineyards from 11am-3pm!	9	10	11 West Virginia State Fair begins tomorrow and goes through the 21st!	12 Town of Bridgewater- Free Summer Movie! Smallfoot Movie at 12:30pm and 3:00pm at the Sipe Center.	13	14 
15 Staunton Music Festival is today starting at 5pm!	16 Rockingham County Fair Begins Today!	17 Dog Days of Summer Event at the Clubhouse from 4-6pm!	18 	19	20	21
22	23 School begins for K-12 students in Rockingham County!	24	25	26	27 Movie Night by the Clubhouse Pool starting at 8:15pm.	28 Dayton Summer Concert Series: Big City Band 7pm at Dove Park in Dayton, VA
29 	30 The School Supply Drive ends today!	31	<h1>August</h1>			

Whether you wag, shake or roll over



celebrate man's best friend on

National Dog Day!

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