LWCA NEWS



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Step Up...We Need You!



By all accounts, it was a banner year in Lakeridge West. Between our social activities, dependable lifeguards, and sparking pools, residents who used the facilities report a great experience.

Here's the problem: we have a nine-member Board operating with just seven members, and one or two trustees are departing at the end of this calendar year. We need people who want to keep our club operating to step up to the plate and volunteer as board members.

Out of season, the time commitment is just a few hours a month that revolve around future planning, communication, and finance. Inseason, the manager handles operations but board members assist at spring cleanup and social events.



Without a full Board, the 2025 season will inevitably have fewer social events such as our Opening day, parade, and holiday barbeques—all events that draw us together. Board members also recruit guest members, write the newsletter, maintain the website and Facebook page, and get quotes for needed maintenance and repairs. With a full Board, these tasks are more manageable. We need the folks who enjoy the facilities to step up.

If you want more info about the commitment or to talk to a current board member, email pool@lakeridgewest.org, or call 732-679-2262.

Halloween Fun on Saturday, October 19



LWCA's 3rd annual Trunk or Treat is coming to our parking lot with fun 'n spooky cars and trucks, little superheroes and villains, and plenty of treats for young and old alike! This year's Spooktacular will also feature a Magic Show sponsored by residents Scott Pappas, and Angela Marcela Pappas of EXP Realty, and face painting by resident Amanda Wong.



The fun will be held on Saturday, October 19, from 4 to 7 pm, with the magic show about 5 pm. (Rain date is Sunday, October 20.)

If you can decorate your trunk, hand out candy, or join us, go to https://tinyurl.com/338kjjcf. You can also email pool@lakeridgewest.org.

News from Old Bridge Police Department



Old Bridge uses an emergency notification system through OnSolve's CodeRED. This system will enable you to receive emails and/or text messages regarding evacuation and shelter-in-place notices, missing person alerts, severe weather advisories, and more. To enroll go to www.oldbridge.com, search CodeRED Emergency Alert, and click on the sign-up form.

There is also a Special Needs Registry that enables first responders to assist children and adults with mental or physical disabilities in the event of emergency or a police encounter. The Registry is voluntary and to enroll a loved one, visit middlesexcountynj.gov/specialneedsregistry, call 732.745.3300, or email SNR@co.middlesex.nj.us.

Vote By Mail or In-Person



Voting for this November's election has begun in New Jersey. Whether you vote by mail or in-person on November 5, make sure you VOTE. This is a precious right and civic responsibility and much is at stake. Besides the Presidential/Vice Presidential contest, voters are choosing a US Senator, a US Congressional Representative, two County Commissioners, a OB Council member in Ward 2, and three Board of Education members. Make sure your voice is heard.

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