

ONEIDA RAG

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER OF ONEIDA CAMPGROUND & LODGE



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It's Early 4th of July

This promises to be a great weekend with plenty to do! The club will be open Friday and Saturday night until 3 a.m. with guest DJ Mauro. Saturday there will be more than enough to keep you busy. At 2 p.m. in the field, Ron & Tony will have their annual Pina Colada Party. Also at 2 pm in the field, Miss Eddy will be hosting Bingo with Edna Beehive. Get your drinks and run on over to the Bingo game and lose your money!

Saturday evening at 8 p.m. join Brian at site 38 for his annual Fireworks Party. The fireworks show will follow at 9 pm and can be seen from Brian's site. After the fireworks, come down to the club for one last night of dancing and debauchery!

Free STD Testing on Saturday

Caring Communities will provide free STD and HIV testing in the field on Saturday afternoon at 1:00 pm. Testing is completely confidential and only takes a few minutes.

Weekend Events

Friday 9 P.M. Camp fire started at Club "O"
Club open from 10 till 3 a.m.

Saturday Afternoon: 1:00 Free STD/HIV testing in the field

2:00 Pina Colada Party in the field

2:00 Bingo in the field

Saturday Evening: 8:00pm Fireworks Party
at site 38

9:00 PM Fireworks Show at Upper Pond

Saturday Night: 9 p.m. Campfire started at Club "O". Club open from 10 p.m. till 3a.m.

Golf Cart Fuel Info

I have recently seen a huge increase of fuel related problems in the golf carts around camp. Issues like stalling, hesitation, disintegration and dissolving of engine rubber and plastic parts (hoses) and drying out of parts are undoubtedly attributed to E-10 fuel (10% ethanol). Golf cart engines with carburetors as well as most small engines were not designed to use this gas.

Ethanol in the gas attracts water from the atmosphere. Rapid temperature changes causes the water suspended in the gas to fall out and since water is heavier than gas it falls to the bottom of the tank where fuel is siphoned. This also reduces the octane as much as 4 points.

Ethanol reduces efficient combustion, which decreases performance and leads to stalling and rough running. The shelf life of ethanol gas is also only 3 months. As the ethanol ages it forms a gum leading to clogged carburetors and fuel filters. Fuel discoloration is a sign of contamination from rust dirt or sediment. Ethanol speeds up this process.

Use ethanol free gas or gasoline with octane levels of 89 or above (premium or super premium) and add a product such as Sta Bil, which will break down moisture, clean carburetor, and protect against gum, varnish rust and corrosion. Ethanol-free gasoline is available at HO-Mart-Sunoco 242 Church St. in Montrose or any Mirabito station. Octane rating 91.

Office Hours

Sunday - Thursday

10 a.m. - 6 p.m.

Friday - Saturday

10 a.m. - 11 p.m.

Office phone: 570-465-7011

Wristbands for Bear Hunt Available at the Office

Wristbands for Bear Hunt 2017 are on sale in the office.. They are \$20 for seasonals and their guests until July 4, then they will go up to \$40. Remember to buy them early!

Bear Hunt Raffle

Thanks to Trooper Tom for donating the bear in the office to be raffled off. Raffle tickets are on sale in the office for \$1.00 each or 20 for \$10. The winning number will be chosen on bear weekend.

Cafe Hours

The cafe is open! Stop by and try out some of the new menu. Rib Eye steak is now on the menu!

Dinner: Friday and Saturday 5 p.m. till 8 p.m.

Breakfast: Saturday and Sunday 9 a.m. till 11 a.m.

Late Night: Friday and Saturday 12 am till 1:30 am

Submissions to the Rag

All submission to the Rag are to be made in WRITING no later than 6 pm the Sunday before publication. You may drop them at the office or email to information@oneidaresort.com

For Sale Site F5

Includes everything except personal items. Golfcart, gazebo, 2 cabins 24' trailer 2 sheds tiki bar, etc. \$12,000 OBO. If interested see Miss Eddy.

For Sale Site FL2

Full site contents for sale. Includes 32 foot camper and contents. New Mattress, new shower and kitchen faucets, shed, deck and firepit. Asking \$4500 OBO. Site is FL2 on the fruit loop. Please contact Bill at 802-236-7597

For Sale

Contents of Site 61 on Broadway Includes 24 ft trailer with roof over trailer and deck. Outdoor shower and kitchen, 10x12 Breakfast deck and new 12x12 cabin. Selling as is. \$8000.00. Contact Billy at 317-417-3721.

Missing from Site 6

Rose Quartz religious pendant. Was inside on Saturday night, not there Sunday morning. No monetary value but irreplaceable great personal value. If found or you know where it is, please call Lloyd at 570-239-5614

Chuck & Tom's St. Patrick's Day Party July 7th-8th

On Friday July 7th stop by for a shot party on your way to the Club from 9-11 pm. and return to site 25 Saturday July 8th for a St. Patrick's Day Party from 12 noon to 3 pm for fun, food and beer. There will be a most creative "under the kilt" contest, most creative St. Patrick's wear and much more. Don't miss this annual party

For Sale

Brand new 12 volt golf cart battery for all brands of gas golf carts. \$95.00 Still has the caps on the posts. If interested text Mark Douglas at 973-570-4513

For Sale 1950s Vagabond Camper

"One of a kind" haven't found one like it. Needs some TLC but is in great shape for her age. All real wood interior. No leaks. Livingroom, kitchen, Bathroom and bedroom that fits a full or queen mattress. There is "No" holding tank but can be added to have use of toilet. New on demand hot water heater included just needs to be installed. Small portable heater included also. Will come with most furnishings inside and out also has a beautiful large concrete patio and gorgeous garden in a prime location just steps from the pool. Site F8 yellow Camper can stay on site or be moved. Asking \$14,500 motivated Seller will take a reasonable offer. Call Trisha at 315-870-2089 !! or Oneida office 570-465-7011

Arts & Crafts Showcase

The 5th Annual Camp Arts and Crafts Show and Wine and Cheese Pairing will be held on Saturday afternoon, July 14th from 1:00 - 3:00 PM Once again, Joe and Robert will be hosting the event at site #41 and there will be a tent to house the artwork. As in the past years, Trooper Tom will be providing keyboard music on the front deck. There are no restrictions on the types of medium you can display. Just show off what you have! Registrations are a must however to assure adequate space so make your plans now for what you want to display. Register with Joe & Robert at Site 41, email Joe at <JCFischer@twc.com> or call Joe at 315-476-8544 to leave a message.

Upcoming Events

Next weekend July 7-8th Tom and Chuck will hold their annual shot party on Friday night from 9-11 pm. The following afternoon they will hold their annual weenie roast with a St. Patrick's theme. Saturday evening July 8th we hold our annual Miss Oneida Pageant. We already have some contestants but still have space for more. If interested in running call the office at 570-465-7011.

On Saturday afternoon July 15th there will be a camp arts and craft showcase with wine and cheese at site 41. That night at Club "O" there will be an underwear party and if weather permits, the pool will be open from midnight to 1 a.m. Make sure to bring a towel!

On Saturday July 22 join in on the fun with our annual Christmas in July Party held at site 27 Nhoa, Nhoa. Bring a new unwrapped child's toy to put under the tree for local charities.

The month finishes off with the Great Bear Hunt on July 28-29 with 2 cocktail parties, a bear BQ and Mr. Bear Hunt Competition!