

Presque Isle Harbor Association
April 2025 Update

Well, last newsletter warned about Mother Nature having a surprise and she sure outdid herself with the ice storm!!! Hope everyone has returned to normal. Maybe Spring will try to spring again =)

Here's an update on what's going on in the Association:

Social Activities Update:

- April 19: Easter Egg Hunt at 10AM @ the Clubhouse. Sign up at the Clubhouse
- May 3: Kentucky Derby/Cinco de Mayo @ the Clubhouse. Gather beginning at 5PM. Race time 6-7PM. Bring an appetizer, main dish or dessert to share.
- A complete list of activities can be found on our website: www.presqueisleharbor.org. There is also a current list of activities on the bulletin board at the clubhouse.

National Resources Update:

- It was agreed to schedule the hike on April 19th starting at 1PM and to hike the unadvertised trails of Thompson Harbor south of the Grand Lake outlet. The committee needs to access the trails there due to the recent ice storm so watch for more information.
- The Natural Resources Committee (NRC) will be organizing Guided Hikes this year on the following dates: May 17th, June 28th, July 19th, August 23rd, September 27th, October 18th. Please monitor the PIHA website and FB page for the location of where each hike will take place. The NRC is working with Naturalists and others to participate and provide educational opportunities for all that participate. All hikes will begin at 2PM and will end with a cook-out to enhance fellowship among all those that attend the events.
- A 'Survivor Summer Activity' is planned utilizing Trail Challenge tokens! The committee is still working on this event. More details to follow.

Campground Update:

- Campground will open May 1st
- Reminder: We have a new Campground Manager, Lee Compton, who will be starting mid-April.
- **Reminder: Propane refills and Ice will not be available for purchase this season,** although both are available at nearby businesses.
- **Reminder: Effective immediately, RV's will not be moved by campground employees from storage to your campsite.**

Clubhouse Update:

- The roofing materials have arrived and work should begin April 14.
- The pool will remain closed until further notice.
- PIHA is looking for summer help for beach/clubhouse attendants. Anyone interested can contact the office or come in to get more information.

IT Committee:

- Reminder: The Committee is still looking for volunteers with a background in IT, especially anyone with a Network background. Please contact Mike Grochola (mike.grochola@dxc.com)

Pool Committee Update:

- The PIHA BOD has approved a contract with Shoreline Architects to begin developing a plan for pool replacement. Phase 1 will include a presentation to the membership at our Annual Meeting on June 21. As more information develops, we will keep our membership updated.

Financial Updates:

- Reminder: PIHA Annual Dues were due April 1st. Late fees are being assessed.
- Credit Card Fees: The fees for credit cards is a continuing financial burden for the Association. Options available to offset these fees were discussed with the Finance Committee and their recommendation was presented to the board for a dual price solution. The PIHA BOD has approved that dual price solution. All transactions will have two options for the member to choose when paying for services/items. There will be posted a cash price and a credit card price. This system will take 2-3 months to implement and will not affect dues invoices until 2026. Watch our website and this newsletter for more information.

Lake Level Special Assessment (SAD):

- We still don't have a SAD update. Board members continue to attend the PI County Board of Commissioners meeting to obtain updates and/or information. Letters have been written to Robert Macomber, PI drain Commissioner and to date we have been unable to get answers.

Other important dates

- April 20: Easter Sunday – Clubhouse closed
- May 13: PIHA BOD Monthly Meeting – 6PM @ PIHA Clubhouse