



BURNING ISSUES

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Restoration Project

Noticed any improvements lately? Now that the construction along Mars Hill and Burnt Hickory Rd. is completed, BHL is in the process of restoring the landscaping. Many thanks to Dick Koch for spear heading this project. Dick has been working with Cobb DOT, Cobb EMC, and landscapers to replace the grass, remove and prune trees and shrubs, replant new shrubbery, and lay a new sprinkler system.

Next year BHL will install new lighting around the signage on the corner of Mars Hill and Burnt Hickory Rd. Millie Altman has also kindly offered to oversee the restoration of the Burnt Hickory Rd. entrance. Soon, our beautiful neighborhood will be in ship shape. Thank you Millie and Dick!

POA Conversion Cont'd!

If you have not returned your completed POA Amendment form, please do so ASAP. You should have received this along with the description of the Amendment a few weeks back. If you have misplaced your form, please go to burnthickorylakes.com for a copy.

Please sign and return to All-in-One Management by fax **678-363-6481** or emailing a scanned copy to cwilliams@allinonemgmt.com, or you can drop it in one of the BHL Board members mailbox. If for some reason, you are against this change, please note so on your form including your name and address, so we do not contact you about this going forward.



We will be following up by phone and door-to-door in the next few weeks to get this effort completed, so please help us out by completing your form and sending it back today.

Don Bisges

BHL Annual Garage Sale

This year's garage sale will be on Saturday, **April 30th** starting at 8 am until 2 pm. (rain or shine) As always, signs will be placed at both entrances and local newspapers will be notified. Place balloons on your mailbox to indicate your sale, as well as directional signs leading to your location.

The **American Kidney Foundation** will come by between 2:30 pm and dusk to pick up donations. They will accept small household items, toys, books, stuffed animals and clothing. They will **NOT** pick up appliances or furniture.

Place the items on the curb by the mailbox with a sign saying "AKF" and they will leave a tax receipt in your mailbox.

****PLEASE DO NOT LEAVE LARGE ITEMS!****

Spring Cleanup Weekend 4/29-5/2

In conjunction with the BHL garage sale, spring clean up and charity pickup we will have a large trash bin available at the BHL pool parking lot. Please help keep BHL beautiful by cleaning out your own yards as well as adjacent community common areas including the lakes and creeks.

Bring trash to the pool parking lot during the garage sale weekend Saturday 4/30 thru Monday 5/2.

The following rules apply:

No hazardous materials (oil, gas, etc)

No concrete

All items must be put in bin...no exceptions, do NOT put anything next to bin

Remember BHL Login

If you would like to read the monthly Board Meeting Minutes on burnthickorylakes.com, you must login. User name is **BHL** and the password is **Thornapple**

Pool Conversion

The current BHL Board is continuously looking for ways to improve our neighborhood. We are excited to announce that we are in the process of converting our pool to a salt-water system for the 2011 swim season and future!

The benefit to having a saltwater system versus chlorine is that the water is much better on your skin and eyes, and gentle on your swimsuit. It also saves us on the cost of pure chlorine as only small amounts are needed. You will notice when swimming that the water has a salty taste to it and not as much of a chlorine smell. We hope you enjoy this new upgrade to BHL!

Don Bisges

New Swim Wristbands

The pool opening is right around the corner and in order to create an enjoyable atmosphere at the facilities for BHL members and their guests, we will be issuing wristbands to all homeowners in good standing. BHL HOMEOWNERS NOT IN GOOD STANDING ARE NOT ALLOWED AS GUESTS. Wristbands will be checked by the gate worker and lifeguards. All residents must sign in at the gate. YOU WILL NOT BE ALLOWED ADMITTANCE WITHOUT YOUR WRISTBAND ON YOUR WRIST.

You may pick up your wristbands for your family at the pool on the weekend of **May 14 - 15** from **12 - 5**, or from the gate/concession worker after that. Daily wristbands will be issued for guests who are signed in by a resident. BHL families are limited to 4 guests per household (unaccompanied BHL minors are allowed 2 guests). If you have a special circumstance, please discuss with the gate worker so they can contact a Board member on call. Lost wristbands will cost \$20 to replace.

Swim Team News

BHL is proud to announce that our swim team has again been placed in the Gold Division, the most competitive level of the Cobb County Summer Swim League! This season will be swimming against Brookstone, Marietta Country Club, Oak Amber, Heritage Oaks and Saddlebrook.

Our home meets will be June 7th, 21st and 28th from 5 PM - 11 PM. We welcome you to join us as we cheer on the children. Residents interested in volunteering to facilitate parking during home meets would be much appreciated. Please let us know if you're willing to help out.

We are pleased that our swimmers coming from out of the neighborhood are contributing over \$2,000 to the BHL HOA this season. If you have a child age 5 -18 that would like to swim, we still have openings on the team. Additional information can be found online. There's a link for swim team on the right side of the BHL website. Feel free to give me a call if you have any questions.

Pam Locklear - plockli@aol.com or 770-795-7526



Tennis News

Need to work on your stroke? Join us on Monday nights from 7:45 – 9:15 PM on Courts 1 & 2 to work with tennis pro Adam Morehart. The cost is \$10 per person and is appropriate for all levels. Looking for a team to join? Contact me and I'll pass your information on to the teams in the neighborhood.

"No Smoking" signs will soon be placed on the tennis pavilion as we attempt to clean up the activities and appearance of the area. We will also be pressure washing the courts in the next few weeks to remove mildew. Please remind your children that skateboards and scooters are not allowed on the courts.

Pam Locklear - plockli@aol.com or 770-795-7526

Last Day of School Party

Kick off a great and fast summer with our annual Last Day of School party on **Wednesday, May 25!** The fun starts at 4:00 and winds down round 6:30 pm. Pizza and drinks will be provided. **Please bring a dessert to share!**

Please contact Nancy O'Reilly at nnancynemo@aol.com or **770-366-4616** and let her know how many kids will be coming.

The BHL Book Club

BHL Book Club meets every third Tuesday of the month, 7pm at the Clubhouse. We are a very informal group, and would like anyone interested to come join us.

Here are our selections for the coming months:

April	<u>A Soft Place to Land</u> by Susan Rebecca White
May	<u>Rescue</u> by Anita Schrieve
June	<u>The Other Daughter</u> by Lisa Gardner
July	<u>Little Bee</u> by Chris Cleave

Everyone is welcome to bring their favorite book selections! Please e-mail Debbie Ebers at ebersd@bellsouth.net for any other questions or info.

Men's Poker Night

Men's Poker Night every 2nd Thursday of the month at Clubhouse at 7:30pm. Professional Card Dealer Wade Moricle gives lessons from 7:30 to 8pm, Game starts at 8pm.

Sports on the Big Screen!! Drinks provided- please bring an appetizer. It's fun y'all!!

Men of Mars Hill

Fellowship – Bible Study – Community Outreach

Please come and check out the Men of Mars Hill that meets every Saturday morning at the clubhouse at 7:30 am for prayer, Bible study and fellowship. We wrap up by 9am. All men are welcome.

We have a special Big Breakfast scheduled for May 14th at 7:30.

For more information contact:

John Zupancic - johnzupancic.atl@gmail.com
678 - 920 - 1208

Chris Elmore - celmore@mdaturbines.com
678 - 290 - 5005

Keep your faith in all beautiful things; in the sun when it is hidden, in the Spring when it is gone.

~ Roy R. Gilson

Congratulations Seniors 2011!



Graduating Seniors

Do you have a Graduating Senior (high school or college) that you wish to have recognized on our Neighborhood Banners?

If so, please complete the attached form and return along with payment, cash or check, payable to **BHL HOA**. Please give to Suzanne Haynie at 1363 Peppergrass Trail no later than **Sunday, May 8th**. The cost is \$12 per family.

The banners will be placed at both entrances of the neighborhood around the middle of May. Graduating Senior names will also be listed in the Neighborhood Newsletter and there is no charge for this. If payment is not included with the form, your Senior's name will just be listed in the newsletter.

Senior's Name:

(As it should appear on the Banner & /or in the Newsletter)

Senior's School:

Contact Name:

Contact Number:

BHL Swim Schedule 2011 - Subject to Change

This Pool calendar and the Clubhouse can be found under burnthickorylakes.com

May 2011						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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8 Mother's Day	9 Pool Opens! SAOR 9am - 8pm	10 SAOR 9am - 5pm LIFEGUARD TRAINING 5pm - 9pm	11 SAOR 9am - 8pm	12 SAOR 9am - 5pm LIFEGUARD TRAINING 5pm - 9pm	13 SAOR 9am - 10pm	14 SAOR 9am - 12pm GUARD 12pm - 10pm
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September 2011

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