

The Sarnia Riding Club

June 2014

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to WINKLING STOARS



Happy Hour *every* Friday!

Thursday, June 19th, Tween Dance

Sunday, July 6th, 2nd Annual Staff Golf Tournament

Thursday, July10th Beer School!

Thursday, July 17th Ladies Lunch

Sunday, July 20th GALA DAY!!!

Thursday, July 24th Summer Camp Out on the hill:)

Saturday, July 26th Hawaiian Luau Summer is upon us! Are you ready for some FUN?

YOUR SRC BUCKET LIST...

Swim in lake at sunrise or sunset;

Play in the waves and swim to the sandbar! Play a game of bocce ball on the hill (did you know we have a set in pool office?)

Play tennis with my children.

Enjoy a plate of fresh cut fries from the Lakefront Café

Show off the Club to your friends!

Use our BBQ's overlooking the lake—let us provide a bottle of wine on ice.

Read a book or take a nap in the hammock.

Come for our HappyHour Specials on Friday Nights—let the kids swim in the pool or get ice cream from the Café.

Stop by on your boat, tie up to our buoy and come on up for a refreshing drink and swim!

Whatever it is you want to do this summer, just do it. Summer is short – have some fun.

Please take time to WELCOME NEW MEMBERS to the Club this season!

Juan and Jessica Cruz Bob and Carole Dubs Rob and Jennifer Gilpin Mark Hillier and Sandy Scott-Hillier Kevin Lowenberger and Jennifer Thomm George and Nicola Plaff

Mike Browne and Mary Prendiville

Bill and Beverly Woods
Sonya Cooper
Doug Pearson
Marie Tremain
Jeff Wong & Sawyer!
Donald Best and Suzanne LaSha-Best
Maureen Crichton
Johnson, Devin and Michelle
Goodacre, Deborah





THE SOCIAL CLUB



Every Friday night Victoria Day through Labour day is Happy Hour from 4-8! Lakefront Café will be open for tableside service & weekly specials.



Wednesday is...
GIANT CORONA
HUMP DAY:)
SPECIAL \$6





CLUB SIZE Caesar Sundays \$6

Saturday, July 26th—Hawaiian Luau Friday, August 29th—Cliff Erickson on the lawn

The Lakefront Café will be open every Friday for Happy Hour 4—8 pm and Saturdays & Sundays Noon until 5pm...weather permitting.

SALUTE!

A Wine & Beer School by Nancy Michieli

Nancy is a member of The Sarnia Riding Club and Certified Specialist of Wine. We are excited to host her wine and beer school series this summer at The Club.

Time: 7:30 – 9:00 pm Cost: \$20 members or \$25 non-members

Thursday, July 10th: Intro to Ontario Craft Beers

What is summer without a great cold beer to sample? This class will introduce you to the world of Ontario Craft Beers. Warm weather will mean we will be sampling on the patio overlooking the lake!

Thursday, August 14th: A World of Beer

Tour the world through beer. Come and taste a palate of beers each from a different country. Let's hope for warmth and sunshine so we can be outside again!

Please RSVP directly to Nancy at nmichieli@cogeco.ca or call her 519.542.3897. *Space is limited, act now.*





SNOOKER TABLE

For Sale!!!



You arrange to move it & it is yours.

Call the office.

SRC Tween Dances

Thursday, June 19th

Thursday, July 24th

Thursday, August 28th

7:00-9:00

All members get in FREE, non-members \$7

Grades 5-8

LUAU PARTY



THE TIKI GODS REQUEST YOUR PRESENCE



SATURDAY, JULY 26TH COCKTAILS 6 PIG ROAST 7ish

DANCING UNDER THE STARS TO FOLLOW DINNER

CASUAL ATTIRE—HAWAIIAN SHIRTS, & GRASS SKIRTS!

\$25 PER PERSON plus tax & grat



Day Camp

Here's what's going on in the Day Camp room this month!



The Reptiles are coming—Friday July 25th!! Cost is \$5 per family. Please RVSP with Allie & Meghan in the day camp office daycamp@sarniaridingclub.com

A Riding Club favourite for years....

Meghan Hislop is back for her 3rd summer at the Club as Day Camp Director. As a recent grad of McGill University, Meghan is off to the University of Ottawa in September to attend Teachers' College. She is looking forward to building sand castles at the beach and being turned into a mermaid (a sand mermaid, of course!)

Allie Rogers is also back for her 3rd season as Day Camp Director. Recently accepted to Queen's University, Allie will begin her Masters of Occupational Therapy this fall. She can't wait for camp to start and is excited to have an armful of friendship bracelets again!

Their Staff: Adam & Daniel Ferrera, Shauna McKiernan, Annabelle Perston, Jasmine Rashed, Laura Drope, Sarah Corrigan, Nick Sproverio, Benjamin Berube, Eric Cardinal & Chris Mulholland.

For more information on the Outdoor Education Program, please contact Allie and Meghan in the Day Camp office at daycamp@sarniaridingclub.com.

SCHOOL PARTIES - it's not too late to book your class's end-of-the-year trip! Or a team building event for a sports team.

Programs: The Outdoor Education Program component is divided into three programs based on age, all of which include a short lesson, a game, and a craft/experiment.

Grades K-2: The Tree Cycle

Grades 3-5: Go Wild! All About Ecosystems

Grades 6-8: Don't Get Lost! Mapping and Orienteering

Outdoor Education Programs can be combined with Swimming and/or Tennis activities for a full-day trip!

THE SARNIA RIDING CLUB DAY CAMP

July 2 – August 29

Ages 4-12



Creating memories and friendships that last a lifetime.

This season we welcome back directors Meghan Hislop & Allie Rogers!!

Summer 2014 Schedule *subject to change

July 2-4* Monster Mania

July 7-11 Camp Castaway

July 14-18 All-Star Sports

July 21-25 Animal Planet

July 28-August 1 Camp 9¾: The Magic of Harry Potter

August 5-8** The Wonders of the World

August 11-15 Under the Big Top

August 18-22 Let Me Atom: Super Science!

August 25-29 Mystery Mayhem

RATES & DATES

Members: \$30/day or \$130/week

*Cost is \$80/week for July 2-4, and \$100/week for August 5-8.

Members may register for Day Camp starting **Tuesday, April 1st**.

Members will be guaranteed a spot in Camp if they register by Monday, May 5th.

Non-Members: \$160/week

*Cost is \$130/week for August 5-8.

Non-members are welcome to sign up for one week in July & one week in August. Non-members who previously used the trial must purchase a membership to attend. Non-members may register for Day Camp as of **Tuesday, May 6th**.

HOW TO REGISTER

Submit your completed registration form by one of the following ways:

- 1) In person, by mail, or drop off mailbox: 980 Riding Club Lane, office hours Mon-Fri, 9-5
- 2) By Email: daycamp@sarniaridingclub.com
- 3) Fax: 519-542-8242
 - * A \$20/week deposit is required in order to finalize registration.

^{*} Members only week

^{**}Four-Day week



Leagues are designed to be a combination of competitive and social play resulting in an enjoyable recreation experience. Players of all ability levels are welcome (for everyone's enjoyment, it is suggested that *beginner level players are able to rally, serve and keep score*). Junior players who are of high school age are welcome and encouraged to play in the leagues.

Cost of Leagues (to cover balls and windup pizza/refreshments):

- Spring & Summer League \$30 regular (\$10 spare)
- Fall League \$15 (\$5 spare)

LADIES Monday Evening League:

• Summer League: July 2nd to August 29th

Fall League: September 5th to October 10th

Time: 7:00 pm to 8:30 pm

Coordinator: Debra Heaton 519.542.9974 or email: debraheaton@hotmail.com

LADIES Friday Morning League:

• Summer League: July 5 to August 30

Fall League: September 6 to October

Time: 9:00 am to 10:30 am

Coordinator: Alice McLeod 519.542.8713 or email: rmcleod3@cogeco.ca



MEN'S Tuesday Evening League:

Summer League: July 1 to August 26
 Fall League: September 2 to October 7

Time: 7:00 pm to 10:00 pm (2 - 1% sessions)

Coordinator: Harvey Wallace 519.542.4880 or email: wallrick1849@hotmail.com

MIXED FUN Wednesday Evening League:

Summer League: July 2 to August 27

Fall League: September 3 to October 8

Time: 7:00 pm to 8:30pm

Coordinator: Bob McLeod 519.542.8713 or email: rmcleod3@cogeco.ca

Sunday Afternoon MIXED Round Robins:

Sundays (when the nets go up in April until the nets come down in early November)

Players of all abilities including Rusty Racquets are welcome. No sign up is required – just show up.!

• Time: 3:00 pm to 5:00 pm

Cost: \$0 free...you've got to like that!Coordinator: Bob McLeod 519.542.8713



Rusty Racquets: Wednesday evenings

Spring Session: week of May 26th until end of June

Summer Session: July & August

**night to be determined by group— minimum of 5...non-members are more than welcome to get back in the swing of things!

Time: $6:00 - 7:30 \text{ pm }^*$

Cost: \$50

Rusty Racquets are designed for members or potential new members who are new to tennis or who have not played in a number of years. These sessions are meant to develop/improve your basic strokes and to learn more about the art of doubles tennis. Under the guidance of our tennis pro, half of the classes will be clinics and half will be doubles play. *time may change – based on volume in mixed & rusty league.

Coordinator: SRC Tennis Pro Kristina tennis@sarniaridingclub.com



2014 SUMMER TENNIS LEAGUES

Register on-line www.sarniaridingclub.com by JUNE 20th!!! Or drop off in office.

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		Work/Cell:
	Regular	Spare
Monday Night		
Rusty Racquets		
Wednesday Mixed		
Friday Morning		
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Please indicate any dates byes needed. Please also indicate if you are unable to play early/late Tuesday evening session (Tues. Mens') **Cost is \$30 per league, \$10 Spare** (for tennis balls & windup) **rusty racquets is \$50**. Your account will be billed at the beginning of each league. Please note that in the event of inclement weather, play will be ad hoc. If your plans change please call the office well before the league begins.



Ladies Lunch

Tennis, Bridge and Games

All ladies of The Sarnia Riding Club are welcome and encouraged to bring guests...

Thursday, July 17th, 2013 *Relaxed* Round Robin 9:00 am Luncheon 12:00 noon



Sangria & Wine Specials

Iced tea with mint placed on tables with water glasses
Glazed chicken stir-fry with rice and vegetables
garden salad with a lemon thyme and pepper vinaigrette
Fresh French baguette slices
Fresh individual lemon tarts topped with fruit
Coffee & Tea

Member & Guest Cost \$22 taxes and gratuities included

Please RSVP with the office at 519.542.5588 ext 2 or email chelsea@sarniaridingclub.com























Meet our Junior Tennis Director

Kristina Polakovic graduated from St. Christopher's Catholic Secondary School and is currently attending the College of Coastal Georgia on a full tennis scholar-ship while pursing a degree in leadership business. In high school Polakovic lettered all four years in tennis and currently her college tennis team rank 13 in the nation. Polakovic wants to use her coaching skills and experience to teach others to become successful. In other words, her ultimate goal is to be an energetic instructor who provides players with enthusiasm to improve their tennis game at all levels. Contact Kristina to book a private lesson today tennis@sarniaridingclub.com

Kristina's Staff: Christopher Fazio, Monika Polakovic and Nick Sproverio.

JUNIOR Match day Fridays are designed for junior tennis players to develop an understanding of match play and be part of a competitive environment. Under the guidance of our tennis pros, 30minutes of the class will be a clinic and 1 hour will be match play were players will learn the proper rules of tennis (scoring, point play, sportsmanship, ect...) Match Days Start Friday, July 4th 4pm—5:30pm, \$8 members & \$10 non-members



Rusty Racquets are designed for members or potential new members who are new to tennis or who have not played in a number of years. These sessions are meant to develop/improve your basic strokes & to learn more about the art of doubles tennis. Under the guidance of our tennis pro, half of the classes will be clinics & half will be doubles play. Six days of lessons on Wednesdays, 6:30—8pm (dates may change) \$60 members & non members

For tournaments & private, semi-private or group lessons please email tennis@sarniaridingclub.com

2014 SUMMER JUNIOR TENNIS LESSONS

The junior tennis lesson program will be offered throughout the summer and broken down into four sessions. The organization of classes is based on age groups and experience; children must be at least four to participate. There are only 12 spots available per lesson so make sure you register your kids in advance!

Times

 $\begin{array}{lll} 8:00 am - 9:00 am & 4-5 \; year \; olds \\ 9:15 am - 10:15 am & Advance \\ 10:30 am - 11:30 am & Beginner \end{array}$

1:00pm – 2:00pm Intermediate & Beginner 2:15pm – 3:15pm Intermediate & Beginner

SESSION ONE (8 days of lessons) Wednesday, July 2 nd – Friday, July 11 th Members: \$56 Non-members: \$80	SESSION TWO (10 days of lessons) Monday, July 14 th – Friday, July 25 th Members: \$70 Non-members: \$100
SESSION THREE (10 days of lessons) Monday, July 28 th – Friday, August 8 th Members: \$70 Non-members: \$100	SESSION FOUR (10 days of lessons) Monday, August 11 th – Friday, August 15 th Members: \$35 Non-members: \$50

Registration deadline is due week prior of each session. Registration forms received after deadline date requires a \$30 registration fee.

Participants name:			
Contact Name:			
Telephone:			
Email:			
Years experience/level:			Age:
Session number(s):	Member:	_ Non-Member:	
Option time #1:	Option time #2:		

We will do our very best to accommodate your schedule. If you have any questions please email them to Kristina at *tennis@sarniaridingclub.com*



KIDS GALA DAY!

Sunday, July 20th, 2014
The festivities begin at 1:00 pm
\$10 per person

Dunk Tank!

Come dunk your favourite staff member! (\$2 for 3 balls)

Pie in the face! Greased watermelon polo! Biggest Splash

Contest! Water Balloon Toss! Watermelon eating contest

...and more!!!

Lakefront Café & Drink Specials all day!

We encourage you to bring out guests for Gala Day!

Register with the pool office no later than Friday, July 18th

pool@sarniaridingclub.com



Summer Pool Schedule June 30th – September 2nd, 2014

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednes- day	Thursday	Friday	Weekend
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9:00		Pool Close	Open es at 10:00 Fr	Swim riday & Satu	rday Night	



2014 Swimming Lessons Registration

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The Sarnia Riding Club STINGRAYS Swim Team -starts July 2nd

Junior Swim Team (Up to 10 years) M, W, F $\frac{9-8:45}{NEW!}$ (NEW!).......\$55.00 Intermediate/Senior Swim Team (10-18 years)M, W, F $\frac{8:45-9:45}{NEW!}$ (NEW)\$75.00

FROM THE DESK OF SELENE...

Please note that I have moved my office downstairs again for the summer. I will be working 9-5, Monday to Thursday for July and August. For the month of June I will be working full days on Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays and until 2 pm on Wednesdays. My phone number stays the same at 519-542-5588 extension 2.

Please note that you can expect your statements about the middle of the month as it is better for me to reconcile the bank statement before sending out the statements.

Are you aware that it costs us extra if we input your credit card without you being present? And that it costs us extra if you are using a "points" credit card? To reduce mounting credit card charges, our preferred method of payment is cash, cheque, or debit. Please note that we have a white mailbox at the front door that you can slip payments into if it is after hours. But if you choose to pay by credit card and are in the area during office hours, would you consider coming into the office to pay in person?

Have a great summer!

Selene Taylor Accounting/Administration

Ph; 519-542-5588 x 2 Fax: 519-542-8242

Email: office@sarniaridingclub.com





NEW Riding Club Members

Ava Kathleen Salem arrived Sunday, May 18th.

(Angela & Sam)

Charlie Murray was born June 2

(Bethany & Bryan)

"We are excited to get them enrolled in some tennis and swimming lessons - the next generation of Riding Club members!"





Monday through Friday 9:00 5:00pm

Selene Taylor, Bookkeeping Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays.





Our Board of Directors

Catherine Creber—Secretary
Vice-President—Blake Morrison
Alice McLeod, Treasurer
Todd Murray, House & Grounds
Michael Barry, Food & Beverage
Melanie Murray-Jones, Day Camp
Bruce Davies, Tennis & Squash
Bryan Murray
Karen Keenan

This message is sent on behalf of the Board of Directors.

The Board of Directors is looking for assistance to address specific issues. We are forming two committees to review and make recommendations for capital spending and general financial matters.

The capital spending committee will focus on prioritizing improvements and major maintenance items around the club. One of the first priorities will be an accessible washroom and a ramp.

The financial committee will focus on streamlining financial reporting and evaluating options for management of retained funds.

It is anticipated that the time commitment will be approximately 2 to 3 hours per month, until key decisions are made. Anyone with an interest that can help with these committees is asked to contact Kelly to volunteer. Your contribution would be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely, The Board of Directors