



# The Riverbend Register

THE GOOD LIFE

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## Family camping at its best

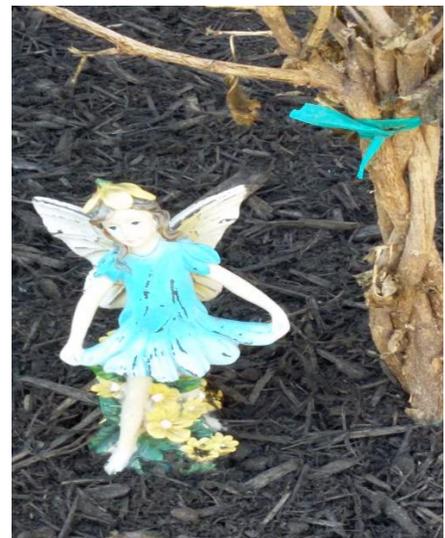
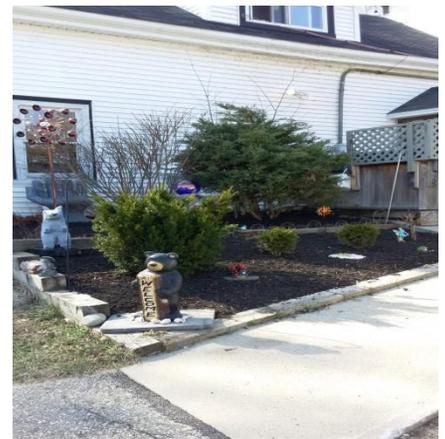
By Laura Dominiczak

Boy everyone is getting excited about camp opening. Many have been coming to camp and getting an early start on cleaning. Glad to see you all.

Keep in mind that we do have some flooding in the lower field and there still are muddy areas. Roads will have crates or cones across them if it's still too muddy. Please do not drive past these areas.

### And the gardening begins:

This is just a few things I've done around our garden, any suggestions?





## Welcome to the family

A special welcome to the family, for the new seasonal campers at Riverbend Campground: Site 46A Charlie Chase, and Robert and Helen Robillard on site 82. That's it folks we are FULL.

## Spotlight

I thought I'd let everyone in on some of the birds that we have at the campground. There are bird houses and feeders all around the campground so watch for some of our and your favorites. These are right out in our front yard.

My favorite bird picture. This is Mr. and Mrs. C. Hope to see some beautiful babies soon.

We have several pairs of Downy and Hairy woodpeckers but this was the only Red-Bellied that we have seen.

We also have Blue Jays, American Gold and Purple Finches, several kinds of Sparrows, Mourning Doves, Chickadees, White and Red Breasted Nuthatches, Robins, Slate Colored Juncos, Tufted Titmouse, Cow Birds, Grackles, and Red Winged Black birds. I'm sure there have been more but those are the only ones I know for now. I look forward to learning more about all the Maine birds.

## A look back at winter:

Guess where this is?



This is a male red-bellied woodpecker on left and a male Hairy Woodpecker on right.



This is a well fed (Tufted) squirrel who can get on the roof to grab a snack. He thinks all of our feeders are drive up restaurant. Bellies up to the bar and helps himself. LOL



Anyone going to miss it?  
Didn't think so. LOL



## Upcoming Events

Campground Bingo:  
Stay tuned folks; it's working its way through legislation.

### COMING UP IN JUNE

Sunday June 3rd at 12 noon for a **PAMPERED CHEF PARTY** (BBQ Chicken Wrap) Hosted by Jessica Koscinski.

[www.pamperedchef.biz/JessicaKosinski](http://www.pamperedchef.biz/JessicaKosinski). Come and have some fun, socialize and get a great meal to. Order books will also be in the store.

Sun June 25<sup>th</sup> at 1 pm for **CHALKY PARTY** Must pre-order kits by June 12<sup>th</sup>. Hosted by Lauren Odiorne. Please contact Lovia for flyer and catalog.

**CELEBRATION of LIFE** for Mike Landry on Saturday June 17<sup>th</sup> (tentative date) at the Left Hand Club on Old County Road in Lisbon. More details to come.

## OPENING WEEKEND: IS EVERYONE GETTING EXCITED YET?

May 5-7 Opening (Tentatively dependent on mother nature.) FREE Cleanup Weekend – Work for site Saturday morning and join us for a Potluck Supper at 5 pm.

May 13 Happy Mother's Day to all our Moms!! Rockin' Rog DJ 7-10 pm

May 20 FREE Family Game Time in Pavilion

May 27 Saturday – Lobster & Clam Truck (\$ - Pre-orders taken) 4:30-7 pm Steve Goucher & Good Old Boys 7-10 pm

May 28 Sunday – Ice Cream Social and Rockin' Rog DJ 7-10 pm

I will add campground events and activities as they are coming up. If you have an activity or something you are interested in, please let me know and we will see what we can do. I've already been informed that the ladies game night, which was started during last season, will be continuing this season as well. All kinds of games and just some social fun.

Remember that we always have Fishing, basketball, horseshoes, swimming pool, playground, game room, movie and book library, dances, kayaks, canoes, ice cream socials and new this year paddleboards.

## Funny Pages

Riddle me this: Answer from April issue

"I have hands, I can't clap, a face but can't smell, see or hear. But no legs or arms. What am I?"

ANSWER: Clock

## Joke of the day:

My four year old daughter had a terrible case of the flu, she was achy, had a high fever, and was terribly hoarse. After waiting in the waiting room at the doctor's office for over an hour we were finally admitted to see the Doctor.

After the usual routine of listening to her breathing and checking her ears, the Doctor looked my daughter in the eye and said, "so what would you say is bothering you the most?"

Without skipping a beat my daughter promptly answered, "Billy, he always breaks my toys!"

Please send any jokes/riddles/funny facts that you would like to see in the newsletter.

## Recipe of the month:

This is one I found that was very easy and who would of thunk of grilling eggs?

"Have you ever tried eggs on the grill by using a muffin pan? Just spray the pan and crack the eggs and put them on the grill. Try adding some chopped peppers and onions or anything to your liking."

Ingredients

- 12 eggs

Directions

1. Preheat an outdoor grill for medium high heat and lightly oil grate.
2. Coat all holes of a muffin pan with cooking spray and crack an egg into each hole.
3. Place on grill and grill over medium high heat for 2 minutes, or to desired doneness.

## STORE HOURS:

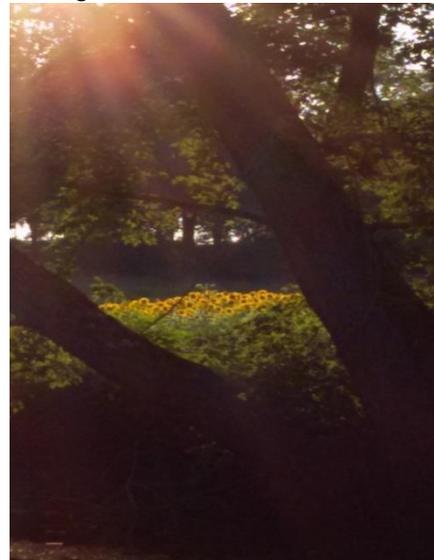
Monday-Thursday.....9am-6pm  
Friday.....9am-8pm  
Saturday.....8am-8pm  
Sunday.....8am-6pm

**REMINDER:** Please check with Marc about any building projects. **NO CONTRACTORS OR BUILDING CAN BE DONE ON HOLIDAY WEEKENDS.**

## For Rent

We have 1 rental unit left this year: It is an older model truck camper with 3 max sleeping. Just call Lovia Koscinski for details.

Pic from campground out on the river in 2015.



On behalf of the KOSCINSKI family and RIVERBEND CAMPGROUND welcome to the third edition of our newsletter. Please contact me by e-mail, Face Book, phone or snail mail for any suggestions, ideas, events, topics of interest, places of interest, new members of your immediate families, favorite camping recipe, jokes you'd like announced or stories you would like to add.

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