

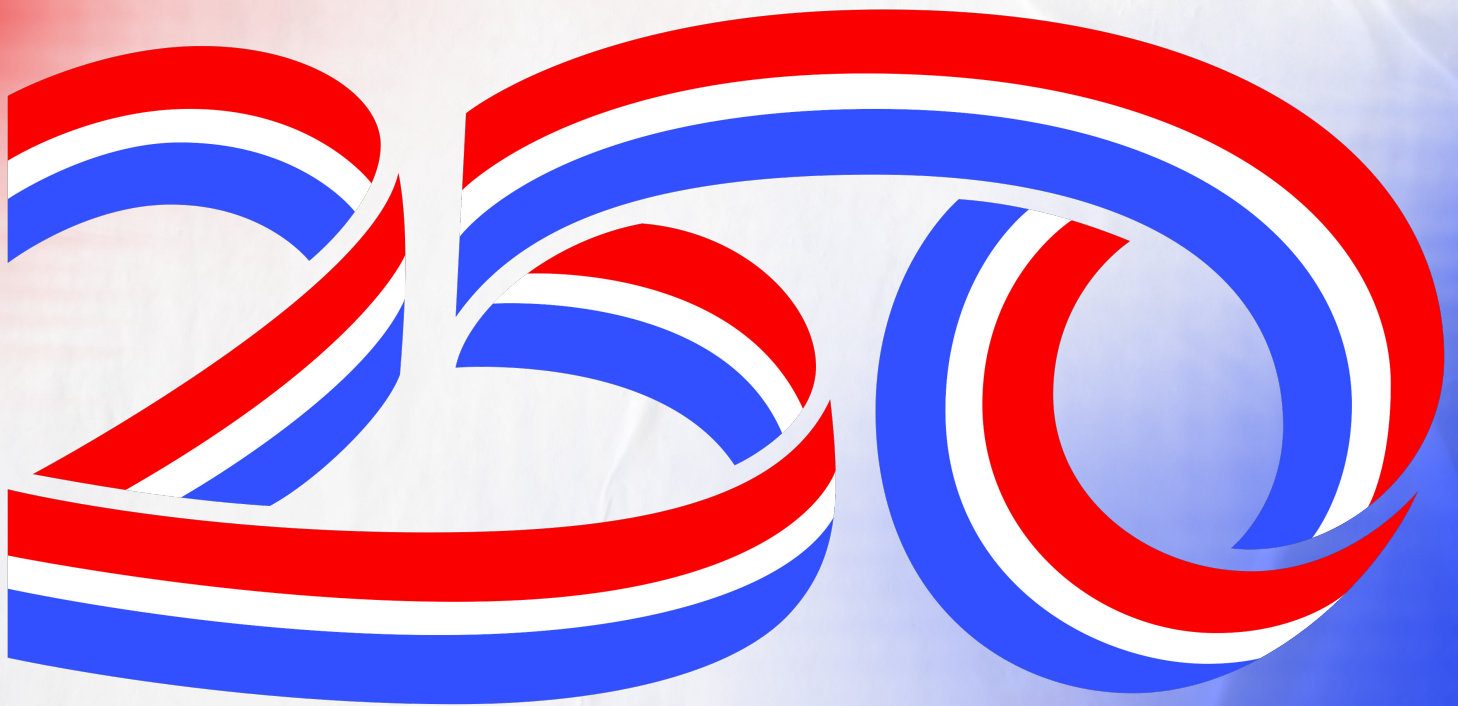


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BOARD OF DIRECTORS ~ MISSION STATEMENT ~

The Sandy Pines Board of Directors
will provide positive leadership and
management direction so as to ensure
the long term viability and success of
Sandy Pines Wilderness Trails, Inc.



PARK PRESIDENT NEWS

BY JEFF SWEITZER

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Celebrating Freedom This Fourth of July

As we celebrate Independence Day, we pause to honor the courage, sacrifice, and enduring spirit of those who helped establish and preserve the freedoms we enjoy today. The Fourth of July reminds us of the values that have shaped our nation for nearly 250 years—liberty, unity, perseverance, and the pursuit of opportunity.

At Sandy Pines, we are especially grateful for the chance to gather with family, friends, and neighbors in a community that reflects the best of those American traditions. Whether you're enjoying a parade, sharing a meal with loved ones, decorating your site or golf cart in red, white, and blue, or simply relaxing and enjoying the beauty of summer, this holiday provides an opportunity to celebrate both our nation and the blessings of community.

As flags wave proudly across Sandy Pines and families come together to make lasting memories, we thank the men and women who have served, continue to serve our country, and even paid the ultimate sacrifice. Their dedication and sacrifice help safeguard the freedoms we cherish every day.

On behalf of the Sandy Pines' board, staff and entire community, we wish everyone a safe, joyful, and memorable Independence Day. May your holiday be filled with gratitude, celebration, blessings, and pride in the nation we call home. Happy Fourth of July! God Bless America!

June Board Meeting

Last month, the Board approved additional resolutions aligning with EGLE's January 2026 Structures letter. A summary is below:

- Resolution 051526B Shade Structures (tabled from May 2026)
- Resolution 051526C Screened and Porch Enclosures (tabled from May 2026)
- Resolution 061926C Decks, Railings and Steps

We thank the Rules Committee for their prompt review and recommendations to the board to update our rules to current standards. For further review, our resolutions are posted on our website <https://sandypines.com/resolution-summaries/> and posted throughout the park.

Board of Directors Candidates

The 2026 Sandy Pines annual board of directors' election is quickly approaching. We are blessed to have another set of strong candidates to pick this year to support our community. This year, the Board must fill three (3) Director positions, each for a three-year (3) term.

Congratulations to the following five candidates who have expressed their willingness to serve our community:

- Jill Grung
- Brad Hutchins

- Angie Kuppler
- Patience Pike
- Craig Van Beek

A Meet the Candidates event will be held at the North Shore Building on Saturday, July 11, 2026, and we encourage members to attend, ask questions, and learn more before making an informed selection for the Board of Directors. Thank you to all the candidates for stepping into leadership and helping Sandy Pines remain a wonderful place to create family memories. We are grateful to the members who are willing to help address the challenges and opportunities facing Sandy Pines and Lake Monterey Golf Course. All candidates will appear on the 2026 annual election ballot, with voting scheduled for August 15, 2026.

Please continue reading this edition of Footprints for candidate photos and bios.

2026 Annual Election and Proposals

This year's annual election will take place on August 15, 2026. There are two (2) board of directors sponsored proposals on the ballot this year for membership to review and decide.

Proposal A: Resolution 061926A Capital Investment Fund will be voted on to replace the current 10-Year Capital Reserve expiring on September 30, 2027.

This is a critical decision to continue to invest in our park to secure our individual site investments as well as the condition of our community. We have many structures and amenities over 50 years old, which need updating, renovating, or replacing. Much work has been done by committees, cross-functional teams and independent third-party experts to develop a 25-year plan addressing park challenges.

The board heard member feedback and approved to place on the ballot to vote on 15-years of the 25-year plan. This will cover over 60% of the projects identified while cutting the member investment over the 15 years by approximately 50%. The remaining 10 years of the 25-year plan will be revisited, adjusted if needed and approved by a later vote.

Proposal B: Resolution 061926B Board Eligibility will be voted on to establish Board of Directors eligibility requirements. Currently, members have criteria we must meet to be a part of our Sandy Pines community. Our Board believes this, and future Boards, should be held to a higher standard with Board eligibility criteria. This does NOT remove the ability for members to elect their board members nor does it remove the ability of members to remove board members with a member vote under certain circumstances.

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Stay informed with the correct information! Updates continue to roll out to members including Fast Facts and FAQ's with answers regarding both proposals. Click the link <https://sandypines.com/2026-election/> for more information.

2026 Ballot

The 2026 Ballot is set and will be available this month to start the Absentee voting process. Members will be able to vote via absentee ballot by picking up their ballot at Member Service. Please make sure you bring your Membership ID to get your ballot. If you have any questions, please contact Member Service. If you are not voting via Absentee Ballot, we look forward to seeing you at the North Shore Building on August 15, 2026, for in-person voting. Please see the sample ballot later in this edition of the Footprints.

Town Halls

This month, our town hall communications continue. We have additional information regarding our Capital Investment Fund to roll out to allow members to be informed to make a sound, educated decision when voting.

We are working to schedule a workshop with Wightman Engineering for members to ask questions about our structures, projects, renderings, brainstorm ideas, etc. The date is set for July 10 from 6 - 7:30 pm at the Phase 1 Indoor Pavilion.

July 18, 2026, will be our next Capital Investment Town Hall. The project list referenced in the ballot proposal will be shared with estimated costs. We hope to see you there!

Member Thank You

Site clean-up deadline has come and gone. However, please remember the work to keep our park looking amazing and beautiful does not end at our site cleanup date passes. A huge shout out and Thank You to our members! The park looks amazing due to all your efforts. Thank you for working with the Park Inspector's Office to be proactive on communication, questions and guidance sparking your clean-up efforts. Thank you for your efforts in keeping our park beautiful.

Lastly, Thank You for allowing our staff and me to serve you. Everything we do, we do for the betterment of this wonderful park. We are truly blessed to be at Sandy Pines.

God Bless! Have a Happy and Safe Fourth of July Holiday!

"If any of you lacks wisdom, you should ask God, who gives generously to all without finding fault, and it will be given to you."

James 1:5



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MEMBER SERVICE NEWS

BY NICHOLE MILBOCKER MemberService@SandyPines.com

Office Hours

Monday - Friday: 8 am to 4 pm

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Sunday: Closed

Important Dates

JULY 10	Wightman Membership Workshop 6-7:30
JULY 10-12	Halloween Weekend 10 Halloween Bike Parade 9pm Waterpark Trivia - LMGC 6-9
JULY 11	Meet The Candidates 9-10 am
JULY 11	Little Red Express 9-11 am (same day tickets at train depot) Poker Run Trunk or Treat 5-6:30 at Chapel
JULY 13	Lake Treatment - subject to change
JULY 16	Absentee Ballots Available - one vote per membership
JULY 17	Board of Directors Meeting 6pm North Shore
JULY 18	Garage Sales Phase 1,2,4,7 (Condos) Town Hall 9pm North Shore Golf Cart Testing (\$20) 9am North Shore - Lower Level
JULY 25	Family Fun Day 11-3 pm Phase 1 Pavilion to Craft Show Area Get tickets/wristbands - Day of the event at ticket booths. Karaoke Night at LMGC 7pm-10pm Member Account Payments Due
JULY 27-31	Vacation Bible School 9am-11am North Shore

Happy 4th of July, all! Wow, summer is flying by! As July begins, keep these upcoming fun dates in mind as you make all your plans.

Member Accounts

Be sure to check your email for your monthly statement. You will be emailed a statement each month even if you have a zero balance for your reference. All monthly statement balances are due by the 25th of each month. If you need assistance with payments, please call and we will be happy to help you.

Renewal Stickers

If you have not yet done so, members please, please, please, stop in and grab your renewal stickers at the administration office. We don't want to see anyone get a violation for no stickers. Only site owners are allowed to pick up stickers. Please bring a photo ID with you.

Portal Login/Issues

If you have trouble logging into your member portal, billing link, or general set up please reach out to member service for assistance. Remember to always sign your guest in via your member portal for cost savings.

Themed Weekends

Everyone join in on the fun and let the weekly theme inspire your dress. Stop by member service in your fun theme inspired outfits for a photo op to add to the Photo wall! We love making and sharing memories with our Sandy Pines Family!

BOARD OF DIRECTORS UPDATE

BY CRAIG VAN BEEK BoardOfDirectors@SandyPines.com

Looking Ahead Together

One of the greatest strengths of Sandy Pines has always been its people. We are a community made up of individuals with different backgrounds, experiences, opinions, and ideas. That diversity is healthy, and it often leads to thoughtful conversations about the future of our park. As the Board of Directors and membership continues to discuss our Capital Investment Plan, it is important to recognize that not everyone will agree with every decision that is made. In a community of over two thousand memberships, that is simply not possible. Reasonable people can look at the same issue and come to different conclusions about the best path forward.

However, the responsibility of the Board is not to make decisions that satisfy every individual preference. Our responsibility is to make decisions that are in the best interest of Sandy Pines as a whole, both for today's members and for future generations who will call this place their summer

home. Many of our buildings, infrastructure systems, roads, utilities, and recreational facilities have served us well for decades. Some of these assets are now more than 50 years old. While we can be grateful for the vision and stewardship of those who came before us, we also have a responsibility to ensure that Sandy Pines remains strong, safe, and financially stable for years to come.

Capital investments are rarely exciting. They often involve repairs, replacements, and improvements that may not be immediately visible. Yet these investments are essential. Just as homeowners must occasionally replace a roof, repair a foundation, or upgrade aging systems, Sandy Pines must invest in the infrastructure that supports our entire community. As we move forward, the Board will continue to seek input from members and make decisions based on long-term needs rather than short-term preferences. We welcome respectful discussion and differing viewpoints

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because they help us make better decisions. At the same time, we must remain focused on what is best for the entire park. Sandy Pines has thrived for generations because of previous leaders and members that were willing to make difficult decisions and invest in the future. Today, we as members have the privilege and responsibility of doing the same. While we may not always agree on every project or

priority, I believe we all share the same goal: preserving and strengthening the place we love.

Thank you for your continued support, your feedback, and your commitment to Sandy Pines. Together, we can ensure that this community remains a place where families create memories for generations to come.

FINANCE & ACCOUNTING NEWS

BY KIMBERLY WILLIAMS Kim@SandyPines.com

The May 2026 financial statements for both Sandy Pines Wilderness Trails (SPWT) and Lake Monterey Golf Course (LMGC) have been approved and are posted on the Finance page at www.sandypines.com.

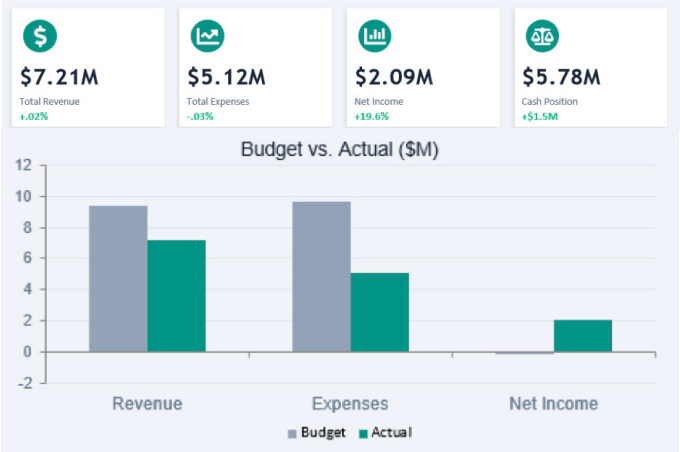
Sandy Pines Wilderness Trails

For the eight months ended May 31, 2026, Sandy Pines Wilderness Trails remains in a strong overall financial position, with total assets of \$29.78 million, up from \$28.58 million at the same time last year. Year-to-date revenue totaled \$7.21 million, representing 76.6% of the annual budget, while operating expenses were \$5.12 million, or 55.2% of budget. Year-to-date net income was \$2.09 million, compared to \$1.75 million during the same period last year.

Key financial highlights include:

- **Resort Services** remains the largest source of revenue, including dues, cable/Wi-Fi, and lake development. This cost center has generated approximately \$2.66 million in net profit year-to-date and continues to provide significant support for overall operations throughout the season.
- **Maintenance income** totaled \$548,029 through May and continues to perform significantly ahead of the prior year.
- **Retail Services** has had an excellent start to the season, including:
 - Dairy Dip year-to-date taxable income of \$45,362, up from \$33,993 last year.
 - Country Store year-to-date income of \$18,592, slightly ahead of last year's combined food and clothing income of \$17,597.
 - Country Café year-to-date income of \$22,428, up from \$12,830 last year.
 - The Coffee Shop is also expected to contribute additional revenue growth in the coming months.
- **Sales operations** continue to contribute positively as seasonal activity increases, generating \$392,497 in year-to-date net income profit.

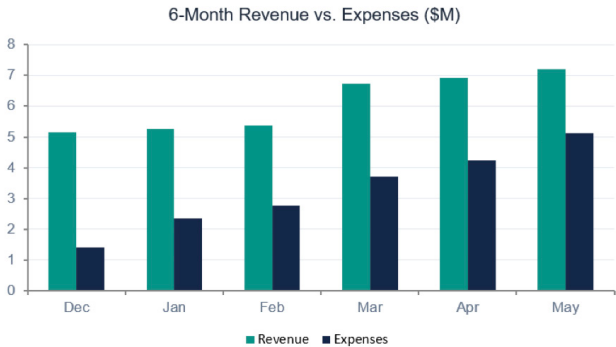
Graphs for Sandy Pines Wilderness Trails: The following visuals highlight key financial metrics, monthly revenue and expense trends, and year-over-year comparisons of profit and loss performance.



Graph 1: Sandy Pines key metrics, including revenue, expenses, net income, and cash position through May 2026.

May Highlights

Total Revenue	\$7,211,535
Resort Services Revenue	\$5,289,227
Sales Revenue	\$611,525
Maintenance Revenue	\$548,029
Retail Center Revenue	\$135,133
Total Expenses	\$5,124,682
Net Income	\$2,089,657



Graph 2: Sandy Pines monthly revenue and expense trend through May 2026 YTD.

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Cash Position: \$5.78M

- \$622K from April

316 days cash reserve as of May 2026

(\$22,976 expense per day)

Sandy Pines Profit & Loss Statement			
May 2025 vs. May 2026			
Category	May 2026	May 2025	Variance
Resort Income	\$5,289,227	\$5,106,944	+\$182,283
Sales Income	\$611,525	\$722,481	-\$110,956
Maintenance Income	\$548,029	\$450,780	+\$97,249
Retail Income	\$135,133	\$136,450	-\$1,317
Total Revenue	\$7,211,535	\$7,099,787	+\$111,748
Payroll & Benefits	\$1,808,139	\$1,795,248	+\$12,891
Maintenance & Upkeep	\$1,263,353	\$1,550,450	-\$287,097
Utilities & Insurance	\$948,517	\$849,415	+\$99,102
Supplies & Misc	\$161,410	\$182,568	-\$21,158
Total Expenses	\$5,124,682	\$5,277,421	-\$152,739
Net Income	\$2,089,657	\$1,747,553	+\$342,104

Graph 3: Sandy Pines year-over-year profit and loss comparison for May 2026 versus May 2025.

Lake Monterey Golf Course

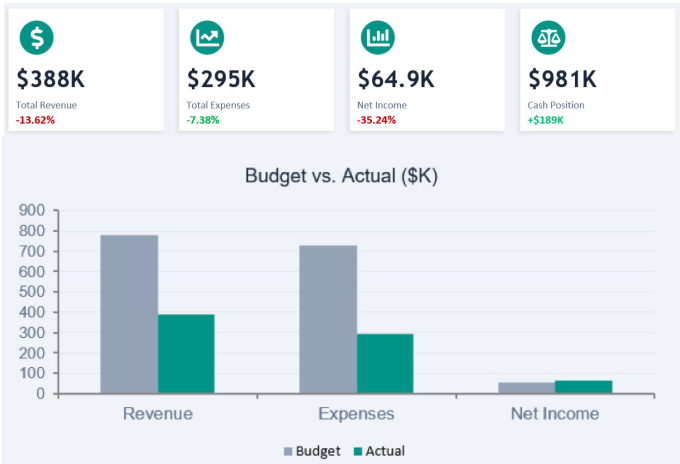
Lake Monterey Golf Course closed the month of May 2026 in a solid financial position, with total assets of \$2.17 million, up from \$1.97 million last year, and total equity of \$1.90 million. Year-to-date revenue totaled \$387,699, representing 49.6% of the annual budget, while operating expenses were \$295,490, or 45.9% of budget. Year-to-date net income was \$64,869, exceeding the annual budget target of \$57,200, although below last year's year-to-date net income of \$100,174.

A significant factor impacting the year-over-year comparison is the reduction in member assessment contributions to operations, which decreased by \$54,075 compared to the prior year.

Key financial highlights include:

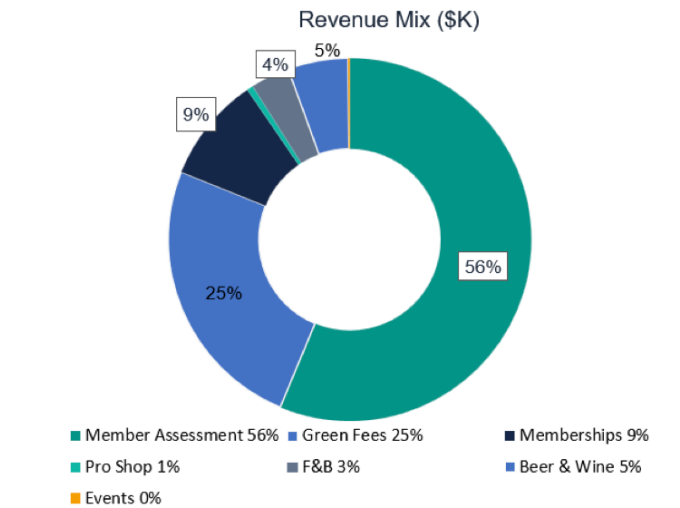
- **Green fee revenue** totaled approximately \$94,915 through May, compared to \$105,601 during the same period last year. The golf course's busiest summer months are still ahead.
- **Repair and Maintenance** expenses for Equipment and Course operations totaled \$17,152 year-to-date, compared to \$39,532 last year, reflecting lower maintenance costs to date.
- **Fertilizer, Chemicals, and Seed** expenses totaled \$33,529 through May, compared to \$39,278 during the same period last year.

Overall, Lake Monterey Golf Course remains financially stable and well-positioned heading into the peak golf season.



Lake Monterey Graph 1: Lake Monterey key metrics, including revenue, expenses, net income, and cash position through May 2026.

May Highlights	
Total Revenue	\$387,699
Membership Assessment	\$216,300
Green Fees	\$96,583
Memberships	\$36,088
Pro Shop Sales	\$2,161
Food & Beverage	\$13,301
Beer & Wine	\$20,454
Events & Banquets	\$660
Total Expenses	\$295,490
Net Income	\$64,869



Lake Monterey Graph 2: Lake Monterey monthly revenue and expense trend through May 2026 YTD.

Cash Position: \$981K

-\$10K from April

608 days cash reserve as of May 2026
(\$1,614 expense per day)

Lake Monterey | Profit & Loss Statement

May 2026 vs. May 2025

Category	May 2026	May 2025	Variance
Membership Assessment	\$216,300	\$270,375	-\$54,075
Green Fees	\$96,583	\$84,463	+\$12,120
Memberships	\$36,088	\$29,290	+\$6,798
Pro Shop Sales	\$2,161	\$10,343	-\$8,182
Food & Beverage	\$13,301	\$7,244	+\$6,057
Beer & Wine	\$20,454	\$21,639	-\$1,185
Events & Banquets	\$660	\$0	+\$660
Total Revenue	\$387,699	\$448,826	-\$61,127
Payroll & Benefits	\$134,334	\$117,680	+\$16,654
Course Maintenance	\$57,662	\$93,236	-\$35,574
Utilities & Insurance	\$25,421	\$27,187	-\$1,766
F&B Cost of Goods	\$29,326	\$31,136	-\$1,810
Marketing & Admin	\$10,928	\$10,623	+\$305
Total Expenses	\$295,490	\$319,021	-\$23,531
Net Income	\$64,869	\$100,174	-\$35,305

Lake Monterey Graph 3: Lake Monterey yearoveryear profit and loss comparison for May 2026 versus May 2025.

Summary

Both SPWT and LMGC remain in strong financial positions entering the summer season. SPWT continues to perform ahead of budget while maintaining strong cash reserves, and LMGC is operating profitably with healthy cash balances and positive momentum as seasonal activity increases.

Please see the special Capital Investment Proposal insert included with this edition of Footprints for updates and additional information that will be shared throughout the season.



Sandy Pines Wilderness Trails, Inc. Capital Investment Proposal

Member-Owned Community Stewardship Plan | Long-Range Capital Renewal Outlook

A brief overview of the proposed capital plan for the lake, amenities, safety, operations and long-term member value.

Concepts are not final. They are working ideas shaped by member feedback, committee and outside collaboration and further review.

Why Members Are Reviewing This Proposal

Sandy Pines is evaluating a long-term capital investment plan to protect core assets, improve member experience and prepare the community for the next generation. The proposal focuses on practical priorities members identified most often: Lake Monterey, repair and replacement of park amenities, safety, aging structures, operational equipment and responsible funding.

1271 members responded	900 comments reviewed	67.4% support renewing fund
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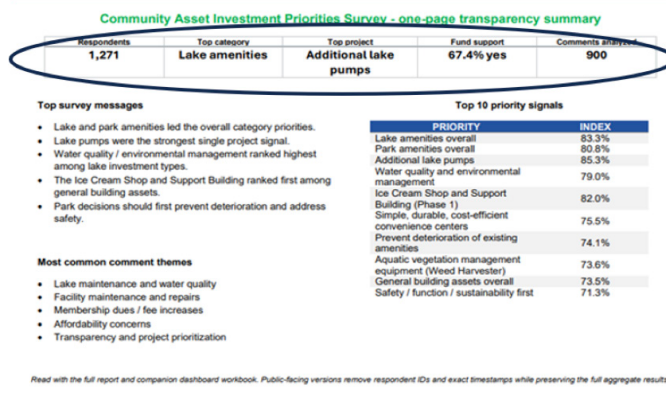
What Members Told Us

Member feedback pointed toward maintaining and improving the community's most-used and most-visible assets. Lake and park amenities led every category, while members also emphasized affordability, transparency, safety and preventing deterioration before repairs become more expensive.

- **Lake priorities:** additional pumps, vegetation equipment and erosion solutions.
- **Amenity priorities:** refreshed gathering areas, trails, pools and recreation spaces.

- **Building priorities:** Ice Cream Shop/Dairy Dip and support facilities ranked high.
- **Member values:** maintain what exists, improve safety and invest where usage is strongest.

Sandy Pines Survey Snapshot



Concepts Under Review

The displayed renderings are concepts, not final decisions. A concept is a general idea for what a space could become; a rendering is a visual interpretation used to gather feedback and refine the plan.

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Core Area Members liked the idea of a casual ice cream and gathering space, but want the look and layout reconsidered.	Pickleball Hub Interest is strongest among active players, while many members remain neutral or unsure about usage.	Five-Year Plan Members see value in a balanced project mix, with support, concern and excitement all present.
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Key takeaway: members support continued planning, but want decisions to remain transparent, practical and responsive to feedback.

What It Costs

Two cost reviews were completed and landed within approximately \$2 million of each other. The cross-functional team’s plan totals \$40.9 million and includes lake, amenities, structures and operational assets. The third-party review totals \$42.9 million but does not include the lake or operational assets.

Cross-Functional Team Plan	Third-Party Review
\$40.9M total Includes lake, amenities, structures and operational assets	\$42.9M total Includes structures and amenities only.

Cost Impact - Projects	
July 2025 Third Party Capital Structure Review: - Structures: \$31.7M - Amenities: \$11.2M Total: \$42.9M ❖ Does NOT address Lake or Operational Assets	Sandy Pines Cross Functional Team: - Lake: \$ 3.0M - Amenities: \$ 8.8M - Structures: \$18.5M - Ops. Assets: \$10.7M Total: \$40.9M ❖ Reduced overall cost while addressing all park assets!

The Member Impact

Current capital reserve \$200 per membership	Proposed capital investment funding \$650 per membership, per year
Bottom line: The estimated cost is approximately \$37.50 per month during the first year, with an annual inflation adjustment of 3.5% applied each year over the 15-year term.	

How the Plan Would Be Funded

- Annual capital dues:** the existing capital commitment with CPI adjustments for recurring replacement and maintenance.
- Capital investment assessment:** proposed revised renewal after FY2027 to support major projects.
- Grants and partnerships:** opportunities for storm shelters, dam safety and environmental improvements, in future (if available and applicable).
- Operational transfers:** strategic use of available surplus where appropriate.

Why It Matters

The proposal is intended to protect member value, maintain community assets, improve safety and keep Sandy Pines competitive with modern recreational communities.

- Protect site values** through reliable infrastructure and well-maintained amenities.
- Improve daily member experience** with updated recreation, gathering and convenience areas.
- Support safety** through storm shelters, structure repairs and electrical upgrades.
- Preserve the Sandy Pines legacy** for the next generation of members.

Questions & Next Step

This proposal is an investment in the shared future of Sandy Pines: the lake, the grounds, the amenities, the safety of families and the long-term value of membership. Member input remains essential as concepts are refined and funding decisions are considered.

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LAKE COMMITTEE NEWS

The Lake Committee has made great strides toward overall lake improvement in its mere 6-year existence. The minions, the North Shore handicap beach access path, kayak launch/fishing pier, and increased marine lake patrol are just a few examples that are the most visible. Tackling shoreline erosion via riprap in strategic areas, battling fluctuating water levels by insisting on pump usage and maintenance (and the demand for more of them), and helping establish the ban on certain water activities deemed potentially harmful to our fragile lake ecosystem have all contributed to a healthier water playground. Now, however, they are tasked with one of the greatest challenges to date... weeds.

SP veterans know that this year's water clarity on Monterey Lake is unparalleled. It's beautiful, right? We can "blame" the zebra mussels for the bulk of this. While invasive, they've done a phenomenal job at filtration. (An aside, it should be noted that many of them have died off due to extremely low water levels last fall.) The downside of this clearness is increased sunlight at greater depths, resulting in a better opportunity for photosynthesis, a process that the plants love but the boaters and swimmers detest.

Two of the biggest culprits this season have been Milfoil and Elodea, both aggressive invaders not native to our lake, thus brought here by unsuspecting boaters. The former has been a nuisance for years, but the latter one is new just this season. If you've been on the water this year, you've seen the rapid growth of these rascals. The causes are many, while eradication remedies remain perplexing.

The lake management team that the Park uses is PLM. That's the boat you see periodically spraying during the week, sometimes resulting in swimming bans. Because chemicals are used, they are stringently regulated by EGLE as to where and what, i.e. only certain products can be utilized in certain areas. The challenge is that not all weeds are created equal, thus all cannot be treated the same way. Results of spraying take up to three weeks so determining effectiveness is a slow process. Even more restrictive is the "where" as they are only permitted to spray within 100 yards of shore. Fortunately, thanks to PLM's insight, they were able to secure a short-term permit allowing application up to 300 yards from the new fishing pier/kayak launch, an especially troubled area choked with weeds.

What about a weed harvester? There's been a lot of chatter around this subject recently, and, on the surface, it looks like a no-brainer. Just chop 'em up, gather, and dispose. Perfect, right? What the Lake Committee discovered, however, is it's like a lawn mower. Because it only removes roughly three feet of vegetation and weeds can grow 6-10 inches per day, it becomes potentially a bi-monthly chore. Couple that with the volume of our lake, this would become a monumental task. In addition, the harvester doesn't remove everything and, in fact, could actually exacerbate weed growth by spreading debris to new areas.

A couple of other points to ponder. Are certain weeds evolving thus becoming immune to previously effective techniques (very possible)? Because of increased clarity, are we actually seeing weeds that we couldn't see before (less likely but certainly somewhat)? And what about fish habitat? They need some weeds for oxygen, food, and protection. According to anglers I've spoken with, they're seeing fish that are healthy and plentiful, qualities that the committee certainly don't want to interfere with.

So where do we go from here? There is no simple answer because, as you can see, there are multiple obstacles. I wish there was a magic potion we could use to cure all our ills but that's not realistic. Trust me, the committee is troubled by this and frustrated with a lack of progress as well. But the LC is diligent and will continue to explore all options. Something all of you boaters can do to help is heed the warning signs by the boat ramp (see attached). Please be patient as we tackle a problem that didn't happen overnight and won't be cured overnight either.



Sandy Pines Election August 15, 2026

Proposals to be Voted on by the Membership

Proposal A: Capital Investment Fund

The following ballot proposal, if approved, will replace the present \$200.00 Capital Reserve Fund Assessment expiring on September 30, 2027:

Shall the membership approve the amount of \$650.00 per membership for the first 15 years of the 25-year Capital Investment Fund plan. The assessed amount will contain an annual inflation escalator of 3.5% per year for the 15-year period. Collection of annual assessments will be quarterly for each membership throughout the fiscal year over the 15-year period.

The resulting accumulated Capital Investment Fund assets shall be dedicated to capital expenditures, as listed and reviewed annually, on the Capital Budget estimate, beginning fiscal year 2027/2028 over 15 years, for the purpose of making capital improvements to common area depleting infrastructure and amenities in such a way as to maintain the use and financial stability of the park. Projects are identified on document: 25-year Identified Project List 06.19.2026.pdf.

All funds collected shall be maintained in a separate account earmarked for capital expenditures and shall not be comingled with the general funds or any other funds. Amounts not expended for the projects indicated shall only be expended for capital projects approved by the board.

_____ YES

_____ NO

Proposal B: Board of Directors Eligibility

The following ballot proposal, if approved, will replace Article VIII, Section 1 of the Bylaws so that it shall read as follows:

Section 1, Number of Directors / Eligibility for Office: There shall be nine (9) directors. In order to be eligible to serve as a Director, the following requirements shall be met:

- A. The Director shall be a member in good standing, with no money or fees past due to Sandy Pines throughout the tenure in office;
- B. The Director shall be at least eighteen (18) years of age (as required by the Michigan Nonprofit Corporation Act); and
- C. During or before the annual September Board of Directors meeting, all Directors shall annually sign the Sandy Pines' Board of Directors Code of Ethics Policy, as it may be amended from time-to-time.
- D. The Director shall not have been cited for any violation of Article VI (Conduct Rules), Section (G)(3), which prohibits verbal or physical abuse, harassment, threats, domestic violence or abuse and stalking, of member, staff or guests, during a term of office or in the preceding five (5) years of a term in office.

A Director who does not meet all of these requirements shall be automatically removed from office, with the vacancy to be filled, if at all, pursuant to Article VIII, Section 7 of the Bylaws.

_____ YES

_____ NO

Board of Directors

Vote for no more than three (3) candidates

☐ Jill Grung Site 5259 ☐ Brad Hutchins Site 0545 ☐ Angie Kuppler Site 4182

☐ Patience Pike Site 1327

☐ Craig Van Beek Site 4403

I voted for (number of candidates) _____

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MEET THE CANDIDATES

Jill Grung



My name is Jill Grung and I am running for a seat on OUR Board of Directors.

I am a retired CPA with 30+ years of auditing nonprofit organizations. My work focused on the financial side of looking at an organization and how that organization spends responsibly and plans for its future.

This is my 3rd season here at Sandy Pines. I spend the entire summer right here in phase 5 enjoying everything Sandy Pines has to offer. In the off-season I live locally in Jenison.

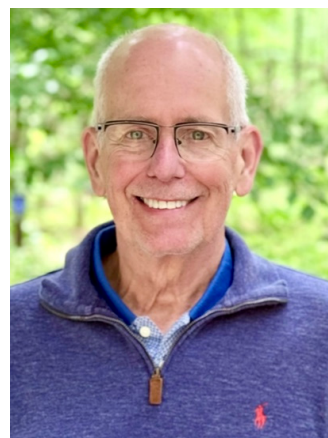
I meet so many new and interesting people here in the park. I have developed an understanding of many issues on the minds of the membership. I believe I can offer a new, clean and refreshing perspective to “business as usual”.

I do come with experience of sitting on a large Board of Directors. I spent six years as a member of the Community Unit School District 300 Board of Education in Illinois, and for many of those years, I was an officer on the board. This governing body was responsible for a \$90 million budget and approximately 15,000 students. I learned there are times when hard decisions are necessary to protect the masses and that you can’t please all the people all the time. However, I found that being transparent with information and educating your constituents on the reasons behind certain decisions, can gain the respect of all parties.

I would appreciate and consider it a privilege if you allowed me the opportunity to represent YOU, the membership, on OUR board.

Thanks Jill Grung, CPA

Brad Hutchins



Hello, my name is Brad Hutchins. My wife and I are in our 10th season at Sandy Pines, a place we discovered through my sisters and niece, all of whom have places here. We have two adult children who enjoy visiting when their schedules allow. I grew up in Holland, Jackson, and Ann Arbor, Michigan, and after college, we moved to a Chicago suburb where we’ve lived for over 35 years.

I’m proud to be part of this vibrant community. Sandy Pines offers a unique environment with activities focused on family, recreation, and social bonds, all of which keep us coming back year after year.

I’ve always believed in giving back. I’ve served on several Sandy Pines committees, including the Long-Range Planning Committee for five years and the cross-functional Capital Reserve Master Plan team for the past year and a half. Many members may also recognize my name as the instructor of the Fused and Stained Glass Classes here. This experience has allowed me to connect with many members, many of whom I now consider friends.

My professional background is in healthcare, beginning as a Speech-Language Pathologist and later as a Hospital Vice President of Clinical Programs. The second half of my career was spent as a Chief Development Officer, notably at the American Academy of Pediatrics and the national Easter Seals organization.

In addition to my roles here at Sandy Pines, I have extensive experience serving on various Boards of Directors, including Our Children’s Homestead, a foster care organization focused on helping adolescent children in foster care, and the International Pediatric Association Foundation, which promotes education and pediatric healthcare worldwide. Additionally, I also served on two school Boards in Glen Ellyn.

All these experiences have taught me the importance and role of Board Members in strategic oversight, fiduciary responsibility, active listening, effective communication, and respectful collaboration—key qualities for a Board Member. I believe in

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offering relevant insights and being open to discussions on important topics.

I hope to serve as your representative on the Sandy Pines Board of Directors. My background and experiences have prepared me to help guide Sandy Pines' growth today and into the future.

Please feel free to contact me with your thoughts, concerns, or goals for Sandy Pines as you decide your vote.

All the best, Brad Hutchins, M.A.

Angie Kuppler



My name is Angie Kuppler and I am running for a seat on the Sandy Pines Board of Directors.

My husband Kurt and I have been married for 34 years. After purchasing our Sandy Pines site in 2022 and later purchasing a condo in 2024, we chose to make Sandy Pines our year-round home. We are fully invested - emotionally, financially and wholeheartedly in the future of this community. I want to ensure that the decisions made today will sustain the Sandy Pines experience and to continue making Sandy Pines a place everyone can enjoy.

Prior to moving here we lived in Texas Township, near Kalamazoo, and raised our three children. Today, our family includes four grandchildren, and some of our greatest memories are made right here at Sandy Pines. Family, community, and creating lasting traditions are at the heart of why I am running.

Professional & Leadership Experience

I founded and operated three successful service businesses, including a 440-customer cleaning company, along with window cleaning and mosquito/pest control businesses. Through those experiences, I developed strengths in budgeting, financial oversight, operations, staff leadership, long-range planning and customer service.

I have also served in numerous volunteer leadership roles. I was PTO President for two different elementary schools, sat on a committee when the school system expanded, President of a little league - 750+ player little league program and managed my sons travel soccer team. Given that one of those tenures as President of a PTO involved starting a new school - I have also

had involvement with drafting governing by-laws to support long-term organizational success. I know what it means to lead, to collaborate, and to make decisions that stand the test of time.

Currently, I serve as Secretary on the Sandy Pines Condo Board of Directors. In this role, I work closely with fellow board members on governance, communication, meeting administration and representing condo co-owners' interests while balancing responsible stewardship of community resources. This experience provides current hands-on insight into board operations, decision-making, and serving the broader Sandy Pines membership.

My Vision for Sandy Pines

Sandy Pines should continue to improve without losing the character that makes it unique. I support thoughtful growth, strong stewardship of member investment and preserving the traditions that bring families together. We need to remember that the foundation of this community started based on camping, camp fires, enjoying friends and family, safe spaces for children and being budget friendly. While we can add new additions to the park-like pickle ball courts, tennis courts, new pools and various other items that we would enjoy, I would like to see the park stay like a park - open, natural and family centered. No big structures with restrictive guidelines that would block the lake or take away from the family camping experience.

I feel like I "check all the boxes" required for someone in the role of a board member. In addition to my past experiences:

- ☒ We have a condo and a trailer so I am invested in both places. I pay two sets of dues and want to keep them reasonable while protecting your investment.
- ☒ We own a boat with a boat stake - so I care deeply about the lake and the infrastructure that supports it.
- ☒ Our grandchildren love to come out and play on all the different playgrounds - each playground is unique. They love the water park and going to the pools. They enjoy all of the kids activities that the Recreation staff provides. These are things that we need to make certain we maintain and keep in good repair.
- ☒ I play tennis and pickle ball and my husband loves to golf.
- ☒ We enjoy Karaoke, Music Bingo and clubhouse events, and feel we can expand these offerings while keeping costs down.

With all the above being said I will most definitely fight to keep this park "open" for 6 months and not just the 4 months like we seemed to have morphed into this past season. Sandy Pines should be enjoyed for the full season it was designed for.

I would be honored to earn your vote and the opportunity to serve Sandy Pines with thoughtful leadership, fiscal responsibility, common sense, and a long-term commitment to preserving the community we all love.

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Patience "Pat" Pike



Hello Sandy Pines Neighbors,
I am Patience "Pat" Pike, and I am honored to announce my candidacy for the Sandy Pines Board of Directors.

Family & Community Roots

My husband, Dean, and I have been happily married for 34 years. Together, we raised four wonderful children—three boys and a girl. Our journey began in Plainwell, Michigan, before we relocated to Fulton to be closer to my parents. Watching our children grow up alongside their grandparents was a gift, and the lessons my parents taught us about family have shaped exactly the kind of grandparents Dean and I strive to be today.

A Lifelong Dedication to Education

Education and community service have always been at the core of who I am. I earned my undergraduate degree in Mathematics from Grand Valley State University, followed by a Master's degree in Special Education from Western Michigan University.

For 24 rewarding years, I served with Battle Creek Public Schools, teaching everything from 6th-12th grade mathematics and accelerated middle school math to 8th-grade special education. Though I retired from Battle Creek last year, teaching is truly in my blood. After stepping in to teach part-time at Climax-Scotts High School this past year, I realized I'm not quite ready to step away from the classroom—I have happily accepted a full-time teaching position at Climax-Scotts for the upcoming school year.

Impact Beyond the Classroom: Athletic Coaching

In addition to teaching, my commitment to mentoring youth has always extended to the athletic fields and lanes. My coaching journey began right at home, supporting my own children as a coach for their Little League baseball and soccer teams. Over the years, I expanded my involvement to school athletics, coaching at multiple levels:

- High School: Varsity soccer and bowling.
- Middle School: Tennis and soccer (coaching both the girls' and boys' programs).

Whether on the field or in the classroom, my focus has always been on fostering teamwork, confidence, and dedication in our youth.

Our Sandy Pines Story

Dean and I became a part of the Sandy Pines community in the Fall of 2018, and it is easily one of the best choices we have ever made. Whether spending our summers here or planning for retirement, this park has given us priceless family memories and some of our absolute closest friendships.

Sandy Pines is a family community through and through. Our grandchildren absolutely love the recreational activities here, and watching two of them learn how to swim in the park are memories I will cherish forever. This community holds a very special place in our hearts.

Leadership & Proven Involvement

I believe that the best way to understand and care for a community is to roll up your sleeves and get involved. Over the years, I have sought out opportunities to serve Sandy Pines by volunteering for park activities and dedicating my time to key committees:

- Finance Committee (5 Years): Served actively as a committee member and as the committee's Secretary, working to ensure responsible financial oversight for our park.
- Library Committee: Recently appointed as the Committee Chair, working to protect and enhance our community resources.
- Public Safety & Securities Committee: Newly joined to advocate for a safe, secure environment for all residents and guests.

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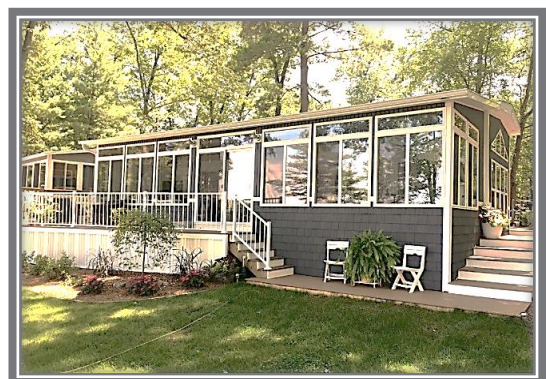


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My Vision for the Board

I deeply believe in everything Sandy Pines stands for and am dedicated to ensuring it remains a vibrant, safe, and welcoming community for generations to come. As a member of your Board of Directors, my commitment is to represent your voice, preserve our wonderful traditions, and responsibly manage the amenities and activities that make our park so unique.

Throughout my final years in education, I was deeply involved in service-learning programs—initiatives designed to enrich our community by encouraging active, meaningful contribution. This passion for giving back is what drives my candidacy for the board. I would be incredibly grateful for your vote and the opportunity to serve you.

Warmly,

Patience “Pat” Pike Candidate for Sandy Pines Board of Directors

Craig Van Beek



My name is Craig Van Beek, and I am asking for your support as I run for the Sandy Pines Board of Directors.

Sandy Pines has been part of my life for as long as I can remember. My grandparents and my parents were members of the park, and many of my childhood memories were made here. My parents even operated the Golden Onion Restaurant during the late 1970s and early 1980s, making Sandy Pines not just a campground, but a place our family has proudly called home for generations.

I had the privilege of working in the Sandy Pines Maintenance Department for 25 years before accepting God's call into ministry as a local pastor. Those years gave me a firsthand understanding of how our park operates, the challenges it faces, and the importance of caring for this special community. Today, my wife Laura and I are members of Sandy Pines and enjoy spending our summers in Phase 4 with our three daughters. We love the friendships, traditions, and sense of community that make this place so unique.

I have always believed that serving others is one of life's greatest responsibilities. Along with serving as a local pastor, I currently serve as an Allegan County Commissioner and as the Vice Chair of the Allegan County Board of Commissioners. These roles have given me valuable experience in leadership, budgeting, long-range planning, listening to diverse perspectives, and making thoughtful decisions for the benefit

of an entire community.

I believe my lifelong connection to Sandy Pines, combined with my experience in public service and leadership, has prepared me well to serve on the Board of Directors.

If elected, I will work hard to represent all members with honesty, integrity, transparency, and respect. I will listen carefully, communicate openly, and strive to make decisions that preserve the traditions we cherish while thoughtfully preparing Sandy Pines for the future.

Thank you for your time, your trust, and your consideration. I would be honored to earn your vote and serve our Sandy Pines community.

SAFETY NEWS

BY STEVE DEYARMOND Steve@SandyPines.com

Dogs & Service Animals

Sandy Pines -Dogs must be on a leash and under the control of their owner.

Allegan County - A dog is legally considered “running at large” if it is not held on a leash or otherwise under the reasonable control of a person.

Michigan state law requires all dogs over six months of age to be licensed and wear an approved tag on their collar.

Dogs are not permitted at the flea market, in buildings, or facilities unless a ADA defined service animal.

Service Animal Definition (ADA)

Under the ADA, a service animal is defined as a dog (in some cases, a miniature horse) that has been individually trained to do work or perform tasks for an individual with a disability. The task(s) performed by the dog/animal must be directly related to the person's disability.

Key questions to determine if the dog/animal is a service animal:

1. Is the dog a service animal required because of a disability?
2. What work or task has the dog been trained to perform?

What does “do work or perform tasks” mean?

The dog must be trained to take specific action when needed to assist the person with a disability.

Are emotional support, therapy, comfort, or companion animals considered service animals under the ADA?

No. These terms are used to describe animals that provide comfort just by being with a person. Because they have not been trained to perform a specific job or task, they do not qualify as service animals under the ADA.

Service Animals

Service dogs/animals are not pets, emotional support animals, or compassionate support animals. They are working animals that have been trained to perform specific tasks.

SECURITY NEWS

BY PAUL SCHAAF Paul@SandyPines.com

Office Hours

Emergency Security Staff is onsite 24 hours/day.

May 2026 Call Stats

In May 2026, Public Safety responded to 155 calls for service. The breakdown of the calls are:

Accident.....	4
Alcohol.....	2
Alarm.....	1
Animal.....	5
Assist.....	32
Boat Stake.....	3
Disorderly.....	6
Harassment.....	1
Illegal Entry.....	5
Lost/Found.....	4
Medical.....	7
Noise.....	11
Open Door.....	33
Parking.....	3
Power Outage.....	1
Property Damage.....	13
Suspicious.....	9
Theft.....	3
Traffic.....	9
Watercraft.....	3

Micromobility Device

Many of the complaints and concerns that I hear pertain to Micromobility Devices. These are the stand on style scooters, one wheels and hoverboards. The concerns usually revolve around the drivers not acting in a safe manner. I know this has been discussed in the past, but these devices must follow the same traffic rules that bicycles, golf carts and vehicles must follow. If you have family members riding these devices, please make sure they know the rules. We want people in the park to be able to ride these and have fun. We don't want to have to limit the usage or ban them from the park. Please follow the traffic rules for everyone's safety.

Training

Recently, some of the Public Safety staff have completed extra training. PSO Bivins and PSO Smither have successfully passed the state Medical First Responder(MFR) training. PSO Harmsen has completed Firefighter 1&2, and Haz Mat certification. Congratulations to these staff members on completing their training. The skills that they acquired from these courses will be a great asset to the Sandy Pines community

CAMPING NEWS

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We are right in the midst of summer, and I am sure you all have made many special memories already. And what a great way to start off the month of July with a holiday! The fireworks are always a spectacular show. Please check out our calendar online for all of the endless activities happening this month! We love having campers visit us, especially newcomers who are just blown away by our special happy place.

New this month! We are doing a weekend campsite giveaway. Please check out the details on our Sandy Pines Recreational Community Facebook page and tell your friends! We will be announcing the winner on the Facebook page as well.

Regular season costs:

Campsite costs are \$80-\$90 per night

Cabin costs are \$125-\$140 per night

Trailer costs are \$190-\$275 per night

Sandy Pines offers a variety of accommodations, ensuring that every guest can find the perfect fit for their camping experience. They can easily reserve a campsite, rustic cabin, or park model trailer online through our website. With flexible dates and a range of options, booking your stay is quick and simple. Please spread the word to family and friends!

Sandy Pines offers spacious campsites designed for traditional camping. Whether you're bringing your own tent or RV, these sites provide the perfect base for outdoor adventures and many memories.

If you're looking for a more comfortable camping experience, Sandy Pines rustic cabins provide the ideal blend of outdoor charm and indoor convenience. These cozy cabins feature all the essentials including comfortable sleeping arrangements, lighting, heat, air conditioning, and a mini fridge. The cabins are perfect for those who want to enjoy the camping experience without sacrificing too much comfort.

For those seeking an even more comfortable stay, Sandy Pines park model trailers offer a fantastic option. These fully equipped trailers include modern amenities such as air conditioning, and full kitchen and living area, ensuring that your stay is both comfortable and convenient. Park model trailers are perfect for families who want to enjoy all the benefits of camping with the added comfort of home.

We have a 10% discount for associate members and a 10% military discount for those who are currently serving or have served in the military. Thank you for your service! To apply these discounts, please contact the camping department directly. You can make reservations via our website at www.SandyPines.com, or give me a call at 616-896-8315 ext. 103 - I'd be happy to assist you. See you soon!

SALES NEWS

BY KENT LIVINGSTON Kent@SandyPines.com

As we move through another busy summer season at Sandy Pines, we're beginning to see activity in the sales market pick up after a very slow start. Buyer inquiries have increased, showings are becoming more frequent, and families continue to search for their perfect seasonal getaway.

One trend we've noticed recently is a slight softening in pricing. While desirable sites continue to attract attention, many buyers are paying close attention to value, and realistic pricing is proving to be an important factor in generating interest and successful sales. For sellers, this means that proper pricing and presentation are more important than ever in today's market.

June also brought an increase in new listings, giving prospective buyers more options to choose from than we've seen earlier in the season. Additional inventory is always welcome, as it helps showcase the variety of opportunities available throughout the park. Whether you're looking for a cozy weekend retreat, a waterfront site, or a family-friendly location close to amenities, there are currently some excellent options available.

If you've been considering selling your site, now is still a great time to have a conversation with the Sales Department. We are happy to discuss current market conditions, pricing strategies, and ways to make your site stand out to potential buyers.

As we celebrate Independence Day, we would also like to take a moment to recognize a historic milestone. This year marks America's 250th birthday—a remarkable achievement and a reminder of the freedoms and opportunities we enjoy. We wish all Sandy Pines members and guests a safe, enjoyable, and memorable Fourth of July as we celebrate our nation's rich history with family and friends.

As always, thank you for your continued support of the Sales Department. We look forward to helping both buyers and sellers throughout the remainder of the season.

Happy Fourth of July and happy 250th birthday, America!



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LAKE MONTEREY GOLF NEWS

BY DAVID INGLES David@GolfLMGC.com

Happy Birthday America!! Book your tee times early for the 4th and that weekend, it will be very busy at the golf course. Exciting things are happening at Lake Monterey Golf Course.

Parties and Gatherings

Our facility is available to rent for your gatherings! Members of the park can rent our space for just \$150. We can also handle your food needs. All drinks must be purchased in the clubhouse. You can contact me by email at David@golflmgc.com.

Karaoke, Music Bingo and Trivia

Our very popular Music Bingo will be July 6 and July 20. We will have food specials starting at 6:00pm and the games will begin at 7:00pm. We have some really nice prizes this year so come sing along and enjoy a great night of entertainment.

Karaoke will be July 25. Food starts at 6:00 o'clock and singing is from 7:00pm to 10:00pm. Come out and show off your hidden vocal talents or just enjoy a night of great singing and laughter. DJ for the night of fun is Jeff Woods.

Trivia has been growing in popularity here at LMGC. In July, we will be doing trivia on the 10th and 24th at 7:00pm, with food starting at 6:00pm. Reserve your spot by contacting the golf course. It is teams of 4 people.

Golf Outings

July 11th will be our Scary Tough Two Man Tournament. The course will be set up as difficult as possible with some obstacles to avoid on certain holes. This will be a lot of fun! Reserve your spot early for this one.

The very popular Red Tee Challenge will be on July 25. You won't want to wait to sign-up for this event, it will fill very quickly.

Golf Course Closing

The course will be closed on July 15 and 16 from morning until leagues begin in the evening. We are welcoming a large group those two days.

Golf Lessons

Our free group golf lessons will continue on July 1, 8, and 15. Any junior league player is from 8:00-9:00
Kids 6-19 years old are from 9:00-10:00am
20 and older are from 10:00-11:00pm
Private lessons are available by calling the clubhouse.

Facebook and Instagram

Follow us on Facebook/Instagram and see everything that

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is happening here at Lake Monterey. We are posting new information and reminders daily. It is a great way to keep tabs on everything golf here at the course.

Golf Course Parking

Please be aware that parking at the golf course is for golfers only. Entry into the park through the gate at the golf course is for members and associates that have come down to visit the golf course. All others are subject to fines and/or towing of their vehicle. This rule will be strictly enforced.

Please Help Us

We are working hard to fill our tee sheet, especially on the weekends. When you book a tee time and then don't show up or bring less people than you reserved you are costing us money. We are now charging the member site for not showing up without giving us 24 hour notice. This would give us sufficient time to fill that tee time.

When you book a tee time, that is not the time you should arrive at the clubhouse. Please try and get here 10 to 15 minutes early. This will give you time to check-in and get to the tee box. If you are late for your tee time, and we are busy, you may have to wait for the next available open time to tee off. We can't hold up play waiting for you to arrive.

Pace of play is something we are keying in on this year. Please help us by keeping up with the group in front of you. We are

CHAPEL NEWS

BY DAVE VAN NOORD

July promises to be a great month of activities and programs coming through our chapel. Let me start by highlighting a few features of the month.

1. America: Land of Hopes and Dreams will be a concert presented by Ernie Haase and Signature Sound. This is in celebration of our country's 250th birthday. Ernie will also do those favorite gospel songs we all love. Invite family and friends to enjoy this evening.
2. Vacation Bible School is the end of the month from July 27-July 31. This is for all the kids of Sandy Pines from pre-school through 6th grade. Our theme is Rainforest Falls: Exploring the Nature of God. A great time of stories, games, crafts, singing and more. Signup at sandypines.com/chapel. Yes, we also need lots of help.
3. Don't miss the Pancake Breakfast on July 4. It's a great way to start the holiday as we serve from 8-11AM at the flea market area.
4. SPY (Sandy Pines Youth) is in full swing. All those in middle school and high school are invited to join. Meeting at 11:30 AM at the North Shore Building on Sundays.
5. And finally, we feature favorite pastors and musical groups every Sunday at the chapel. The schedule is below. We invite all to come and join us.

Sunday Mornings at 10:00 AM

July 5: Rev. Jon Brown
July 12: Dan Seaborn
July 19: Eric Bennett
July 25: David Mosterd

Sunday Evenings at 6:00 PM

Ernie Haase and Signature Sound
Scotty Inman
Triumphant Quartet
3 Heath Brothers

trying to achieve no more than 2 hours to play 9 holes. If you are not meeting this pace, you may be asked to speed up or skip a hole to catch the group in front of you (if there is a gap).

Also, we are now scanning all Member and Associate Member cards. If you do not have a card you will be charged full price. Grandchild cards are not accepted at LMGC. They will be charged as a guest of a member or as public.

Golf Course Rules

Please be mindful of the following rules of the golf course:

- Absolutely no personal coolers or bringing alcohol or beer to the course. But please check out our new selection of drinks that we are bringing in.
- Always bring your Sandy Pines member or associate card to be shown.
- Knobby tires and six-seater golf carts are not permissible on the golf course.
- Proper golf attire is required. No tank tops allowed. Men's shirts must have sleeves. Women's tops must be golf attire.
- Groups of 5 players or more are not allowed without prior permission.

Let's make golf fun for everyone by following these rules. We appreciate your cooperation.

We are excited and looking forward to seeing everyone!

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