

The eBuzz – A weekly Email Publication



Tuesday, August 9, 2022

Association Announcements:

Please contact Anita Bauer, the Executive Administrative Assistant,
at 661-821-5537, ext. 231, or by email at anitab@bvsa.org
for the following updates and information:

- Changes to your eBuzz subscription
- Request for eBuzz articles/updates/pictures (due by Thursday each week)
- Bear Tracks articles/pictures (due no later than the 8th of each month)
- Committee agendas and minutes
- BVSA Website information (www.bvsa.org)
- Recognized Club Contact Information
- Board of Directors Meeting Information

A special thank you to all who share their pictures for eBuzz and Bear Tracks.

UPCOMING Meetings

BVSA Board of Director Meetings - Now Meeting on the 4th Tuesday

BVSA Regular Meeting – 4th Tuesday at 6:00 PM – August 23rd, 2022 at OTCC

Special Board Meeting – 3rd Monday at 1:00 pm– August 15th at BVSA Conference Room

BVSA Committee Meetings

Equestrian Advisory Committee	Monday, September 5	9:00 AM	EC
Golf Advisory Committee	Tuesday, September 6	8:30 AM	OTCC
Recreational Advisory Committee	Wednesday, September 7	1:30 PM	WC
Lake Quality Advisory Committee	Monday, September 5	6:00 PM	WC
Food Service Advisory Committee	Thursday, August 18 th	1:00 PM	BVSA
Finance Advisory Committee	Wednesday, August 17 th	2:00 PM	BVSA
BVSA/CSD Liaison Committee	Thursday, September 1 st	10:00 AM	CSD

Connect Online with Your Association!

www.bvsa.org

Mulligan Room and The Oaks Specials & Online Ordering available at bvsa.org



Instagram

[bearvalleyspringsassociation](https://www.instagram.com/bearvalleyspringsassociation)

[bvsawhitingcenter](https://www.instagram.com/bvsawhitingcenter)

BVSA Facebook Pages:

[Bear Valley Springs Assoc](https://www.facebook.com/BearValleySpringsAssoc)

[Whiting Center BVSA](https://www.facebook.com/WhitingCenterBVSA)

[BVS Pool](https://www.facebook.com/BVSPool)

[Bear Valley Youth Sports](https://www.facebook.com/BearValleyYouthSports)

[Bear Valley Springs Grizzlies](https://www.facebook.com/BearValleySpringsGrizzlies)



RESTAURANT HOURS



Mulligan Room (Indoor/Patio/To Go)

7 days a week - 7:30am to 8 pm

Breakfast served:

7:30am-10:45am (Monday-Saturday)

7:30am-11:30am (Sunday)



Oak Branch Saloon:

Wednesday/Thursday/Sunday

4pm-10pm

(Final Food for Dine In taken at 8pm)

Friday/Saturday 4pm-11:30

(Final food orders for Dine In until 9pm)

The Oaks Restaurant:

Thursday/Friday/Saturday/Sunday

4pm-8pm

Reservations Suggested.

Call 661-821-5521 for reservations.

Curbside Pick Up (Pizza and Selected Menu Items)

Wednesday - Sunday

4pm-8pm

DINNER SPECIALS

VIEW DAILY BREAKFAST AND LUNCH
SPECIALS ONLINE AT WWW.BVSA.ORG



MONDAY 8/8

SOUP: CHICKEN NODDLE
CHICKEN SATAY \$12

TUESDAY 8/9

SOUP: CHICKEN TORTILLA
CHIPOTLE CHICKEN ENCHILADAS \$12

WEDNESDAY 8/10

SOUP: ITALIAN STYLE WEDDING
GLAZED PORK BELLY \$15

THURSDAY 8/11

SOUP: VEGAN COCONUT CURRY
DEEP DISH PEPPERONI LASAGNA
\$13

FRIDAY 8/12

SOUP: CLAM CHOWDER
FISH & CHIPS \$16

SATURDAY 8/13

SOUP: CABBAGE SOUP
CHICKEN PARMESAN \$13

SUNDAY 8/14

SOUP: ROASTED RED PEPPER
SESAME CRUSTED SEARED AHI TUNA
\$17

DESSERTS

CHEESECAKE
CHOCOLATE LAYER CAKE
LEMON MERINGUE PIE

WE WANT TO HEAR FROM YOU
EMAIL US! COMMENTCARD@BVSA.ORG
661-821-4107

Burger of the Week

Texas Buffalo Burger

Beef Patty, Bacon,
Grilled Onion, American &
Pepperjack Cheese,
Buffalo & BBQ Sauce on
Texas Toast \$14.00

Available
Monday - Sunday
11am-8pm

Order Online at
www.bvsa.org



Clubs and Special Interest Groups



The BVSAC was formed to bring together people interested in enjoying the beautiful night skies of our valley. The Club is open to people at every level – from complete beginners to astronomy professionals. We have regular meetings, star parties and numerous public events throughout the year. We also want to educate our residents about the advantages of keeping our skies naturally dark.

MEETINGS are the first Monday of the month at 6:30pm at the Equestrian Center Lounge. All are welcome!

Interested? Contact Interim President Claude Plymate (info@bvsac.com). We also have a Facebook page, Bear Valley Springs Astronomy Club where we will post our events. Web page coming!

Moonlight Movies

2022

Jungle Cruise (PG-13)	6/3
Space Jam: A New Legacy (PG)	6/10
Shang-Chi (PG-13)	6/17
Spiderman No Way Home (PG-13)	6/24
Encanto (PG)	7/1
Rogue One(PG-13)	7/8
Sonic the Hedgehog 2(PG)	7/15
Minions(PG)	7/22
Monsters University(G)	7/29
The Karate Kid 1984 (PG)	8/5
Pool Movie: TBA	8/6
Secret Life of Pets 2(PG)	8/12
Peter Rabbit 2(PG)	8/19
Jurassic World Dominion(PG-13)	8/26

-Bring chairs and blankets
 -Movies to start at dusk around 8:00 PM
 -Movies are subject to change
 -Movies will be cancelled in event of bad weather
 -Children need to be supervised
 -Please pick up all trash
 *Movie at Pool

BVS Garden Club 2022



BVS Garden Club

When: Friday, Aug 19 at 1 p.m.

Where: Equestrian Center Lounge

Next Meeting

Our speaker in August will be Anna Smith from Terre Verte Landscape Design. Anna's presentation will include drought resistant landscaping, and plants that are deer and pest resistant.

Upcoming Events

August 13 Triassic Winery Tour

Membership

Annual dues are \$10 for BVS residents, \$20 for non-residents, and \$5 for guests.

Contact Us

Ivette Farrell, Director, 661-544-0087

Email: bvsgardenclub@gmail.com

Facebook: BVS Garden Club 2022 Group

The BVS Wildlife Coalition

The mission of the Bear Valley Wildlife Coalition is to promote a community that lives in harmony with nature by protecting and preserving BVS wildlife and their habitat. You can join our Facebook page, become a dues-paying member of the Club or join our email list by contacting us at BVSWildlifeCoalition@gmail.com.



Rattlesnake



Gopher snake

BVS Wildlife Coalition will be presenting an educational event

on Wednesday, August 17, 2022 at the
Oak Tree Country Club in Bear Valley Springs

Please join us at 6:00pm for a presentation by **The Snake Guys** and learn about the snakes in our area, and how to identify the dangerous snakes. Ron will have some live snakes, literature and a couple of his volunteers at this meeting.

Please RSVP to bvswildlifecoalition@gmail.com



2022 END OF SEASON POOL SCHEDULE

821-POOL (7665) Pool Supervisor - Megan Fisher; Recreation Manager – Ashley Krempien

School Starts Wednesday August 10th. **This schedule may change with lifeguard availability and pool attendance on weekdays.** The hours of the pool on weekdays, as listed on the summer schedule have been changed, and the mentioned deck work has been postponed. **Signed Release of Liability Forms are required for all members and their guests during the weekdays ONLY.** No Lifeguards on stands during weekdays LEGAL GUARDIAN MUST watch children and guests during the weekdays. On weekends the pool will be fully staffed and follow the regular summer weekend hours.

POOL HOURS

Weekdays While School is in Session
Wed. Aug 10th through Sept. 6th

Monday- Friday	FROM	TO
Lap Swim	8:30am	10:20am
Aerobics (fee required)	10:25am	12:00pm
Open Swim (Mon- Fri)	12:00pm	4:00pm
Swim Team (Mon - Fri.)	4:30pm	6:30pm
The Baby Pool will remain open during swim team but parents must supervise their children		

Water Aerobics: Taught by Certified Instructor Marti Sprinkle - monthly fee \$30 or \$3 per class.

WEEKEND POOL HOURS

Sat., Sun., & Labor Day	FROM	TO
Lap Swim	7:00am	10:00am
Open Swim *except Sunday	10:10am	8:00pm
Sun evening lap swim	7:00pm	8:00pm

All schedules subject to change without notice

POOL RULES

All pool use is at your own risk. DO NOT USE if you are high risk or not in good health.

- Health Breaks will be enforced every hour.
- Amenity cards for applicable members must be shown when checking in at the window.
- **Do not move the pool furniture!**
- Ice chests, coolers and similar containers are prohibited inside the pool area. BVSA Rule 1103
- Children 14 and under must be accompanied by a responsible adult. (BVSA Rule 1102c).
- A maximum pool capacity will be in effect.
- Guests will be charged \$5 guest fee per day when accompanied by a property owner. **3 guests per age 13+ per Track/Lot**
- All swimmers may be required to prove swimming ability to lifeguard on duty, when requested.
- Property Owners must be up-to-date on assessment

SPECIAL EVENTS POOLSIDE

Aug. 10th – Pool begins Off-Season Schedule

Sept. 5th – Labor Day (Holiday Hours)

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BVS Swing Dance Club

Have fun dancing to a variety of contemporary music at the saloon and events

SUMMER BREAK UNTIL MID-SEPTEMBER



Swing Dance Classes

Fridays at The OTTC Banquet Room
Times to be announced

Facebook: [BVS Swing Dance Club](#)

Email: SwingDanceClub.BVS@gmail.com

OFF SEASON BVS AQUATICS INFO



BVS AQUATICS OFF SEASON MANDATORY ORIENTATION

For New & Current Members

**SAT. AUG. 13, 27 or WED. AUG
10, 17, 24 @ 9am SHARP**

**(8:30am for current ACTIVE
members)**

ATTENTION LAP SWIMMERS & Water Aerobics! During the **Off Season** (September 2022 to May 2023) the BVS pool will **ONLY** be open for BVS Aquatics Members (Lap Swimmers/Water aerobics) & the BVS Grizzly Swim Team.

To be a part of BVSA Off Season Pool Use: Lap Swimmers, aerobics folks & those Grizzly Team families that plan to swim other than "swim team time" will need to:

1. ALL MUST Attend a MANDATORY Poolside Orientation
2. Be a BVSA resident owner/renter.
3. Join the BVS Aquatics "Group Me" (app on computer or phone-download prior to orientation)
4. Sign a BVS 2022-2023 Lap Swim/Water Aerobics Liability Form w/ the 2022-2023 Pool Rules & Procedures Agreement.
5. **Pay Pool Amenity Fee of \$10 mo. X 8 months=\$80 Payable on day of Orientation.**

The purpose of the BVS Aquatics "Group Me" chat is to find swim buddies for your personal workout during off season and to keep other lap swimmers/aerobics folks informed of times we plan to use the pool as there are NO lifeguards. The BVS Aquatics group is responsible for **Pool Safety** and uncovering and covering the pool daily for off season use.

The MOST important RULE for us this fall/winter/spring season is
"SWIMMING ALONE IS NOT ALLOWED". ALWAYS SWIM WITH A BUDDY.

Orientation Dates: Sat Aug 13, 27 or Wed Aug 10, 17, 24 9AM at Pool.

All Current ACTIVE BVS Aquatics members (you swam 2-3X a week **off** season last year) can come at 8:30 am to sign their Liability forms & Pay their \$80 Dues: Cash or Credit Card or Checks to: BVSA with Lot/Tract on memo line.

Please note: The pool is locked during off season and the current gate combination will be changed. Only current 2022-2023 BVS Aquatics members have pool use.

DO NOT SHARE THE POOL GATE COMBO WITH ANYONE.

Questions Contact- Kimberly Clow kclow@sbcglobal.net 661- 747-0986 Cell

Line Dancing!

Oak Tree Country Club

**Time to get moving & grooving and have lots of fun!
Beginners welcome, no partner needed.**



Wednesdays 6 – 8 PM

Beginner dances at 6pm, we play a variety of music so come on out and join us. It is great exercise too!



BVS CYCLE CLUB



www.bvscycleclub.com

www.bvscycleclub@gmail.com

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/BVSCycleClub/>

We meet on the **1st Thursday** of the month at **6:30 PM** at the Oak Tree Country Club. Beginning and experienced riders welcome! Many of our riders can be seen riding throughout Bear Valley Springs and beyond. New to cycling or just getting back in? Our members have a “stick together” policy when riding.

Looking for a place to ride off the road? Check out the mostly flat 1 ¼ mile bike-friendly Nature Path at Beaubien Field. Most importantly, we work with the BVSCSD and the BVSA to improve our community’s outdoor recreational opportunities throughout Bear Valley Springs and beyond.

PICKLEBALL

OPEN PLAY: Monday thru Friday.

Mornings: 7:30-10:30 am **Evenings:** 7:00-9:00 pm

CLUB MEMBERS ONLY CLINICS: Thursdays 9:00 am hosted by Rick

CLUB CONTACT: Rhonda at (661) 428 7461 or Julian at 661 599 0731



Rhonda Arbolante saved the day by filling in for a cancellation. Although it was a men's tournament she was willing to take on the challenge ahead of her. The top players were from left to right: 2nd place: Julian Leon, 1st place: David Cook, and 3rd place: Devin Carey. A big thank you to all that participated, A mixed doubles tournament is scheduled for 8-27-2022.

Tennis Club

For more info on the Oak Tree Tennis Club, check out our Facebook page!

<https://www.facebook.com/oaktreetennisclub/>

Need more info? Contact:

Tennis Pro Rick Lund - rickl@bvsa.org



Bear Valley Springs Doubles Tournament

Saturday, August 13th.

Check-in: 8:30am

- Players of all varying levels are welcome!

Cost:

- Free for OTTC members.
- \$5 For non-OTTC members.
- No set partner required!

Fundraiser for KCTA!

All levels of players are invited for a day of tennis on August 13th. Players have the option of pre-selecting their partners or having their partners selected for them. Players DO NOT need a pre-set partner. For more information or how to sign up please contact the number below.

Rick Lund-(BVS Tennis Pro)
(661)-747-0613

BVSA Archery / Rifle Range

[Click here](#) to check out the Bear Valley Shooters Facebook page

The BVS Range is Closed Until Further Notice.

The Whiting Center



The main activity center for the valley, the Whiting Center offers an indoor Jacuzzi, a basketball court, (which also doubles as an inline hockey rink, and indoor pickleball in the winter), a game room, a fitness center, and different types of exercise classes are also available. Our classes are offered to Property Owners and their guests. Fees do still apply. To use the Whiting Center the guest fee with the Property Owner are as follows:
Ages 9-16 is \$2, ages 17 and older is \$5 per day.

Without a Property Owner and with a temporary amenity pass is \$10 per day. Which is good all day just come back with your receipt showing you paid already.

If you have a talent or skill you would like to share with the community, please give us a call. We are always looking for additional classes to offer. Please have your amenity card ready when you sign in at the Whiting Center. For more information call 821-6641.

Come and work out at the fitness center!
Without a Property Owner and with a temporary amenity pass the fee for the Fitness Center is \$15 per day.

Please see Staff for more information.

[CLICK HERE](#) **FOR THE NEW WHITING CENTER FACEBOOK PAGE**

Sign Up [Here](#) to Donate Blood for the Houchin Blood Bank



WHITING CENTER POWER OUTAGE

Wednesday, August 10th
9am-2pm



Bear Valley Springs Cultural Arts Association is presenting for the 2nd time, Nick Smirnoff talking about his 40-year career in Motion Pictures and television. Coming up through the ranks, by age 30 he was a member of the Directors Guild Of America. One of his main job's was working on set as the assistant director on hundreds of TV episodes and movies. As such he worked closely with the director on both logistical decisions and actual filming, supervising painting of pantomimed background action taking place behind the speaking actors. His experience in the Entertainment Industry has given him many interesting stories involving Hollywood and the life of being an "Extra".

Nick also was the Director on many 2nd unit film projects, a Production Manager, and a Producer on several films over his career.

Come join us for this interesting Behind the Scenes look at Hollywood.

Where: Bear Valley Springs Oak Tree Country Club, 29541 Rolling Oaks Drive

When: August 27

Time: 4:00

Call Michelle if you need a gate pass. 661 972-2519



Bear Valley Springs Cultural Arts Association's 2022 Art Show begins with the Reception at Oak Tree Country Club where artists will be in attendance. The Reception is September 10th from 4:00 to 7:00 and the Show runs through September 18th. Artists can find the application on line at our website, bvscaa.org and in our monthly newsletter if you are a member of BVSCAA. You can submit up to 5 pieces. "APPLICATIONS ARE DUE BY SEPTEMBER 1".

Five pieces of fabulous donated art will be auctioned at the reception. The auction items include stained glass by Diana Pittenger, Oil painting by Terry Sonntag, Fused glass piece by Leila Kleiman, photography by Stephen Lee, and oil painting by Michelle Miller.

This is a wonderful annual event in Bear Valley. We hope to see you there.

You can call Michelle 661 972-2519 if you need a gate pass.

Auction items shown:

Oil painting donation by Terry Sonntag

Stained glass donation by Diana Pittenger

BVSCAA'S Mission is to support public awareness, interest and knowledge of the visual arts, performance arts and other creative endeavors, for the enhancement and benefit of association members and the community at large. BVSCAA Board Meetings are held the first Thursday of each month at OTCC in the Card Room at 3:00. All are welcome to attend. Please contact Sonja Bronson at (661) 472-9294 for more information about the Bear Valley Springs Cultural Arts Association.

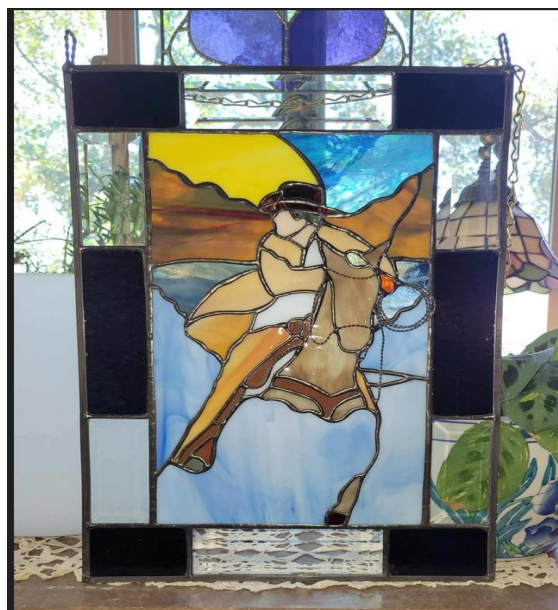
Bear Valley Springs Cultural Arts Association is sponsoring "The Women of Walt Disney Imagineering" at the Oak Tree Country Club in Bear Valley on August 20 at 2:00.

The event will offer their book for sale and the Women will be there to tell us about their trailblazing careers living around the world for Disney to open Theme Parks.

The event is \$10.00. Light snacks will be offered.

Come join us for this entertaining afternoon.

Call Michelle 662 972-2519 for a Bear Valley Springs gate pass.



BVSCAA TENTATIVE EVENTS FOR 2022

- Women of Walt Disney Imagineering Book Discussion at OTCC – August 20 2-4pm
- Nick Smirnoff Movie and TV World behind the scenes at OTCC – August 27 4:30pm
- Art Show Reception at OTCC – September 10
- John Hammond Tehachapi History Bus Tour – September 24
- Theater “Love Letters” at OTCC– October 15 4:00 pm
- Holiday Bazaar at Whiting Center - November 25 & 26
- Holiday Music at The Whiting Center - December 4
- Christmas Tree Decorating Contest at The Oak Tree Country Club -Dec. 3 10:00 am
- Alex Zonn's "A Christmas Carol" reading at the Oak Tree Country Club - Dec. 17 4-6pm

Call Anya for information (661)435-0667

Women of Walt Disney Imagineering

Book Talk with the Authors

Date: August 20, 2022

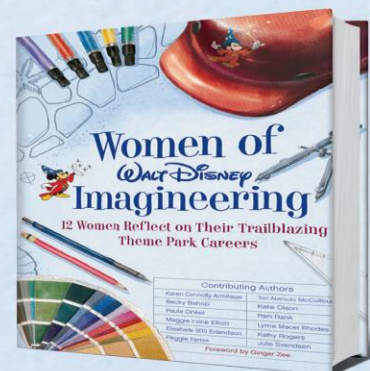
Time: 2 - 4 pm

Where: Oak Tree Country Club
Bear Valley Springs

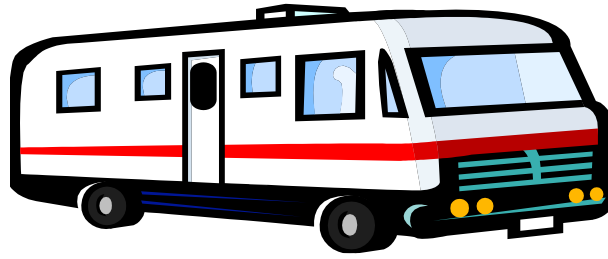


Come meet the amazing trailblazing women from Walt Disney Imagineering. Their long careers cover an extraordinary time in the history of the company. They contributed to all of the Disney Parks around the world, having roles in management, design, production, installation, and construction and, ultimately, made the world a better place.

Books can be purchased at
disneybooks.com



SPORTSMAN'S CLUB



"The BVS Sportsman's Club: We're not just friends, we're family!"

If you are interested in finding out more about the Sportsman's Club, just email Will Handley at will.handley@live.com or come along to our Monthly Meeting at 6pm on the 4th Thursday of each month at the Garden Room at the Oak Tree Saloon

BVS PONY CLUB



BVS Pony Club is part of the United States Pony Club, an organization which promotes the development of the young English or Western rider (ages 8-25).

The Housemaster's branch focuses on enhancing adults' current knowledge and skills.

Contact Debbie Swarens at 661-821-0968 or Gary Yettner at 818 415-1222

BVS Carriage Driving Society



Meet the 2nd Thursday of every month at the Equestrian Center Lounge at 6:00 PM.

For more information contact Debbie Mayer 802-343-5483 dciancamayer@comcast.net

GREENHORNS



Fundamental Horsemanship, for both horse and rider, of that found on *working cattle operations* is the environment we provide. While cattle are used from May thru Oct., we currently hold numerous sessions during this time of year practicing a lot of other fun things that improve our ranch horsemanship skills. We do not hold timed events or competitions.

Horsemen's Association



We meet on the third Monday of each month at the Equestrian Center Lounge beginning at 7:00 PM. We are neighbors, family and friends. We share a common interest with all the residents in our desire to see an active, prosperous community. We strive to promote good fellowship among the people of Bear Valley Springs and promote a natural blend of equestrians with all the residents of the community. We promote equestrian related activities and facilities and support the acquisition and preservation of riding and hiking trails in Bear Valley Springs. We strive to promote the interests of all riding disciplines. We encourage safety, good horsemanship and sportsmanship. We invite you to participate in the protection, promotion and preservation of the riding and hiking trails that help to define our community. Everyone is welcome and horse-ownership is not necessary. Your first year of membership is FREE!

To access the Horseman's website go to bvsha.com or contact our President, Susan Mustaffa at 661-538-0995 or smustaffa@outlook.com. We are also on Facebook: Bear Valley Springs Horsemen's Association

Bear Valley Buckaroos

The Bear Valley Buckaroos are back in the saddle for 2022 and our event season is under way!

Our big news this year is that we are now the host club for the BV Buckaroos AMA Mule and Horse Show on August 5th, 6th, & 7th. This show has become a Bear Valley tradition and is a great spectator event. Full details can be found on the Bear Valley Buckaroos Facebook page.

Our first playday was held on Saturday, June 18th, and we had a huge turnout. Playdays are fun & challenging for riders of all ages and will be held on the 2nd Saturday of the month through October.

Our first team sorting “round robin” competition was held on Sunday, June 19th, with 90 teams competing for the prize money and end of season buckles. The competitions will continue on the 2nd Sunday of each month through October. There will be cash pay outs to the top 3 riders in each group of 10, with both morning & afternoon sessions.

Practice sessions with our cattle will be held at 5:00 pm on Wednesdays & Saturdays through October. Practice will not be held on the Saturday prior to a competitive team sorting. Practice is fun and non-competitive. Riders of any level, beginner to advanced, are welcome to practice at their own speed. There is a \$30 fee per rider for each practice session.

We have already held a successful barrel racing clinic and we have a 2-day horsemanship and cattle work clinic scheduled for July 16th & 17th. The clinic is limited to 10 people per day and spots are still available for either or both days.

All events and practice sessions do require an annual \$60 Buckaroo family membership fee. Membership applications and current information are available on our “Bear Valley Buckaroos” Facebook page. Applications will also be available at all events. Applications and payment can be deposited into our mailbox at the Equestrian Center or brought to an event.

Please feel free to contact any Board member for further information.

2022 BV Buckaroos Board

President Jeff Kermode (661) 343-7503

1st VP George McMackin (661) 400-1333 ▪ 2nd VP Erica Underwood (805) 705-1123

Treasurer Cheryl Akerly (661) 609-6113 ▪ Secretary Debi Kermode (949) 291-0551



BVS Dressage Club

Janice Polletta- President 661-847-8364 or JKPolletta@gmail.com

Oak Tree Golf Course

Call the Oak Tree Golf Course at (661) 821-5144

Oak Tree Country Club Women's Golf Club



Weekly Playdays: Open Play - Monday at 10:00

9-Hole Playday - Wednesday at 10:00

18-Hole Playday - Friday at 9:30

Sign-up at the Pro Shop by 2:00 pm the day before play

Our club meeting is held the second Wednesday of the month at 8:30 am in the OTCC Garden Room. For questions about joining our club or about any playday or event, contact the Pro Shop or our Club President, Joy Webber at 661-300-1536 or email at cows4joy@sbcglobal.net

Oak Tree Men's Golf Club



For Information Call President, Mark Poindexter at
(805) 320-9444

The Oak Tree Men's Golf Club holds their meetings
on the second Wednesday
of the month at 6:00 pm
in the Green Room of the Whiting Center.

OAK TREE COUNTRY CLUB



Member/Guest - Member/Member Tournament

August 12th & 13th, 2022

8:30 am Shotgun Start and 7:30 am registration both days

\$150 with your own cart and \$170 without, per player. First 72 sign ups by August 9th the dead line. The cost of dinner for nonplayer guests is \$40 and must be paid at the Pro Shop by August 9th. Sign up on or before July 26th to be entered into an early sign-up drawing for a chance to win a \$100 cash prize.

Friday's format will be 18 holes of Better Ball. Lunch will be provided by the Oak Tree Country Club and delivered on the course.

Saturday's format front nine will be scramble with 3 drives per player requirement, back nine will be aggregate net score. Saturday's lunch will be served by the Oak Tree Country Club at approximately 1:30 pm, while results are calculated. Dinner will be provided at the Oak Tree Country Club in the Reception Room starting at 6:00 pm for players and nonplayer guests, at which time winners will be announced and raffle prizes distributed.

Both days we will be having closest to the hole prizes on holes 2 and 11 with three brackets, under 10 handicap, 11 to 20 handicap and 21 and up handicap.

Friday we will have closest to the line in the fairway drive competition on hole 5 for a chance to win \$100 in each three brackets.

Raffles tickets will be \$5 for one ticket and \$20 for five tickets for the raffle on Saturday.

Tournament will be flighted, depending on entries.

Horse race will be directly after the first round on Friday \$20 per man, with the first 12 teams that sign up. *With Pari-mutuel betting.*

There will be refreshments throughout each day from a hosted beverage cart driving around.

A putting competition will take place on the practice putting green during the round when you are moving from the 9th green to the 1st or 10th tee box for a chance to win a cash prize.

The BVS Tailwaggers Dog Club Mission Statement



The BVS Tailwaggers Dog Club is dedicated to responsible dog ownership/guardianship. We are a body of people who care about their dogs and want to be with like-minded responsible people who feel the same. We are committed to sharing and learning. The club will provide experiences through education, training, fun events, and social activities. It is designed to improve handler skills and be an information center for owners presenting issues and subjects based on our members' needs. The club will provide support for local rescues in Kern County. Tailwaggers is open to any BVSA resident in good standing and BVSA renters with amenity privileges.



Your dog is your partner, your friend, your defender. You are your dog's life, love and leader. Your dog will be yours, faithful and true, to the end. You owe it to your dog to be worthy of such devotion.

For more information or membership details please contact Kathy Kneer at 916-878-6453.

Scan to see our website:



Scan to
see our Facebook.

Bear Valley Nature Path



Enjoy walking, cycling on the 1.25 mile trail surrounded by nature.
The entrance is at Beaubien Field with parking available.

BEAR VALLEY SPRINGS VETERANS ASSOCIATION



The BVS-VA monthly member's meeting is the second Tuesday of the month at the Equestrian Center Rec Room. It begins with a meet & greet at 6 pm, come and get acquainted with your fellow Veterans. The telling of "Tall Tales" and "Sea Stories" is encouraged. The meeting runs from 6:30 to 7:30. Coffee and snacks are available. We will have an interesting Guest Speaker at every meeting.

Membership is open to all BVS veterans who served honorably in any branch of service. Your DD214 is all that is required. Contact any of the officers below for further information.

Commander Bill Kritlow

(949) 394-4525 billkritlow@gmail.com

Vice-Commander Lee Tharp

(818) 515-0241 sltharp@aol.com

Chaplain James Carmichael

661-821 0493 jpcarmichael90717@yahoo.com

Membership Jed Hannan

(818) 414-2430 jerseyjed@aol.com

Cub Lake Dog Park



**We are thankful to have this wonderful amenity.
Please pick up after your pets while using the trails.**

If you have any questions about the Dog Park , please call the Association Office at 821-5537 ext.222.

Bear Valley Springs Women's Club

**Wishing all BVSA a happy and
safe Summer!**

Help us sponsor youth in our community!

- Women's Social Club dedicated to providing scholarships to local graduates
- Open to all Bear Valley residents
- \$20.00 annual dues
- Join us for monthly dinners, door prizes, raffle prizes, and special events!

If interested, contact:

Deanna Hurst, President
Chair

(805) 551-6954

Tammie Saranpa, Membership

(661) 209-9156

Lake Quality Committee



Frequently Asked Questions about the Four Island Lake Fish Die Off (7/22-7/25) Complete answers to the following questions can be found [Here](#)

- Why did the fish die off happen?
- What is an algae bloom?
- There are reports that someone was spraying the shore around Four Island Lake - did this cause the fish die off?
- Are we treating the lakes?
- Is Four Island safe to swim & boat?
- How many aerators are in Four Island Lake?
- Why didn't the fish at Cub Lake die?
- Why don't we just drain and deepen Four Island Lake?
- What is the plan going forward?

BVSA 4-Island Lake Dashboard

Collection Date	7-13-22	7-25-22
Water Temperature	78.55°	74.97°
Visibility/Clarity	12 inches	30 inches
Dissolved Oxygen (DO) Important for fishing >5	5.95 mg/l	.79 mg/l
E Coli Indicator bacteria for sewage leaks	Below allowable limit last sample date 7-13-22	Awaiting results from sample taken on 7/25/22
Cyanobacteria Indicator for harmful algal blooms	State advises caution tier based on visual/lab results received 7/21/22	State advises caution tier due to visual appearance. Next sampling 7/27/22

Lake measurements are taken every 2 weeks during April through September. E.coli and Cyanobacteria are tested as necessary based on water appearance and previous test results. BVSA provides these data for your convenience but please determine your own personal risks/conditions and the fact that this is an unsupervised area and natural water body. During the summer, this information can fluctuate rapidly based on water temperature and usage.

CAUTION

**Harmful algae may be present in this water.
For your family's safety:**



Call your doctor or veterinarian if you or your pet get sick after going in the water.
For information on harmful algae, go to mywaterquality.ca.gov/monitoring_council/cyanobact_network
For local information, contact: bvlqac@gmail.com

Cub and Four Island lakes are now open for recreational use.
Want sustainable lake water quality? Join the LQAC Lake Quality Advisory Committee
For additional information, please email bvlqac@gmail.com

BVS Historical Society



The objective of this organization is to provide an opportunity for good fellowship while encouraging the residents of Bear Valley Springs to become interested in the preservation and promotion of this community's historical past. Primary concern shall be the preservation of the old Bear Valley School House and its service as a mini-museum. Inside are photographs and displays associated with the early settlers.

For information call Judy Reynolds (821-7035)

Senior Softball

Anyone that can't catch, pitch, throw, or bat will fit right in. This is not competitive in any way. You or your spouse has to be 50 years old or older and want to have fun, meet new people, and get some exercise at the same time. Come on out. Everyone is welcome. MEET US AT THE BALL PARK AND HAVE SOME FUN! 3:00 PM on Tuesday and Thursday. For information call Lisa Burt (661) 821-0850 or email @The_burt_family@yahoo.com

BVS RC Model Club

Flying or Driving Hours: Daily 7:00 AM-Dusk

BVSA RC Modelers Club – Learn to Fly Day

Have you ever wondered what it would be like to fly an RC (Radio Controlled) plane? Well, about three years ago, I got the opportunity. I had just retired and was wondering what I was going to do with my time. I was invited to the field one day and have been going back ever since. When I was first learning to fly RC planes, a seasoned RC pilot invested his time in me and helped me learn. One method we used, was flying with a Buddy Box. The Buddy Box allows a beginner to fly with the knowledge that the experienced pilot can and will take over when needed.

On Saturday, June 11, 2022, that beginner can be you. Come join us at the RC Flying field (right behind the transfer station) and we will give you an opportunity to fly an RC plane. We will begin at 8:30 a.m. and go till 11:00 a.m. (or when it gets too windy). We will also have some flying demonstrations and will be serving hot dogs at 11:00 a.m.

COME JOIN US IN THE FUN!!

BVS RC Model Club is a club here in Bear Valley and flies and drives at the Ron Samuels Model Field located next to Jack's Hole which is west of the CSD trash area. We meet regularly on Wednesday and Saturday mornings. We would like to invite anyone interested in RC Model Aviation or Model Cars to come join us. While we encourage everyone to join the BVSA RC Model Club, it is not necessary in order to fly or drive at the field. For more information, please contact Mitch McDiffett at 661 378-5596.

CUB SCOUT TROOP 135

Cub Scouting is a home and neighborhood centered program designed to support family life for boys in first through fifth grades. Each Cub Scout learns to respect his home, country, God and others. Scouting does this through service projects, group activities, sports, crafts, games, and outdoor activities. Please join us for an exciting and fun filled year of scouting. For additional information please contact Cubmaster Jon Read at 909-268-3297.



BOY SCOUT TROOP 135

Calling All Boys Age 11 to 18!!!!

Come see all the adventures that the Boy Scouts have to offer. Tehachapi **Boy Scout Troop 135** (2008 Super Troop for the Southern Sierra Council) meets on Monday nights at 7 p.m. at the Bear Valley Springs Church. You can obtain further information by calling the Scoutmaster, Kirk Newman @ 821-7011.

Don't miss out on all the excitement this Troop has to offer.



The BVS Emergency Radio Team members (amateur radio emergency communications net) meet on the last Saturday of every month at the Mulligan Room for breakfast (08:00) for discussions affecting Bear Valley and nearby community ham operators who are involved with this volunteer communications service.

OAK TREE BRIDGE CLUB



Mondays at 9AM.

ACBL sanctioned duplicate bridge games in a friendly environment.

Contacts: Tom Papac at 821-1334,

Bear Valley Police Department

"Volunteers In Police Service"

We are currently accepting applications for community minded individuals interested in providing service to the residents of Bear Valley Springs.



GET INVOLVED:

- Vacation House Patrol Checks
- Traffic Control
- Patrol Community Events
- Work the Front Counter
- Assist with the "Challenge the Bear" cycling event

For Information and Application:
Contact Capt. Jay Carlyn
702-591-6893



Alcoholics Anonymous

Alcoholics Anonymous Meetings are held at Bear Valley Community Church, Rm. B

Monday, 5:30pm (Literature) - Tuesday, 5:30pm (Men's Stag) - Thursday, 5:30pm (Participation)

For More Information, please call: 661-202-8553.

The Snake Guys



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Preserving the BVS Ecosystem
A Volunteer Service

Snake Relocation
Small Wildlife Rescue
Facebook: Bear Valley
Springs Snake Guys

Text or Call

Ron Hayton 661-203-4468
Chris Budge 661-972-4320
Key Budge 661-972-4328

Debbie Swarens 805-405-6010
Craig Swarens 661 821-0968

The Snake Guys have a Facebook page.

<https://www.facebook.com/Bear-Valley-Springs-Snake-Guys-633987083437216/>



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