



Candlewood Knolls Knolls Knews Notes



It's officially the first day of summer 2025!

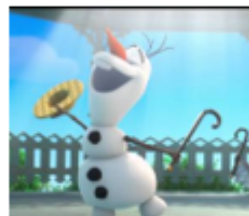
We had a wonderful turnout for the Memorial Day cocktail party, and it was great seeing everyone gather and socialize during this kickoff event.

The month of June has been busy with proms, graduations, weddings, and babies. Monday marks the first day of camp and not only will the campers have smiles on their faces - but so will the parents and grandparents. Counselors and CITs will be greeting those parents and children with smiles on their faces and a calendar full of activities through August 8th.

This season we will have a hybrid security system in place with our new security gate in operation as well as security guards for the summer season (see schedule below). Please continue providing temporary codes for visitors to ensure easy access and include the appropriate vendor codes in your delivery orders. A reminder that if you have the microchip in your car, you can head straight down North Beach Drive to avoid back-up at the gate for those who need to utilize codes.

To quote Olaf from the movie Frozen - "In Summer"

Winter's a good time to stay in and cuddle
But put me in summer and I'll be a happy snowman!
When life gets rough, I like to hold on to my dream
Of relaxing in the summer sun, just lettin' off steam.
Oh the sky would be blue, and you guys will be there too
When I finally do what frozen things do in summer.



You know your old when you're
entering your birth year online and
have to spin that thing like you're on
Price Is Right. 🤪🤪

Please send me any updates for our next
weekly issue - June 27th.

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Enjoy this first week of summer!

Denise

ISSUE 3

June 20, 2025

2025 EVENTS

Mon. June 23rd
1st Day of Camp

Fri. July 4th
Pancake Breakfast

Sat. July 5th
Clambake

Fri. July 11th
*Annual Community
Stockholder Mtg*

Sat. July 12th
Bocce Night

Sat. July 19th
Family Picnic

Fri. July 25th
*Golf Outing
(Isle hosts)*

Sat. August 2nd
Comedy Night

Wed. August 6th
Progressive Dinner

Sat. August 30th
New York, NY Party

Sun. August 31st
*Annual Tax District Mtg
& 2nd Community
Stockholder Mtg*

Please provide the office
with your updated contact
information so we can
communicate effectively.

Phone: 203-746-4807
office@candlewoodknolls.com

CK Security Phone: 203-917-5797

Security Schedule

Monday-Sunday: 6:00pm-2:00am

Saturday-Sunday add'l hours: 10:00am-6:00pm

Effective June 23rd through September 2nd

(FYI—Non-emergency NF Police Department # 203-312-5701)

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Candlewood Knolls Golf Cart Guidelines

1. Golf Cart Guidelines: In an effort to promote safety and security for our residents, the Board of Directors inaugurated the following guidelines:
 - a. Golf carts must have headlights and reflective tape affixed to the rear of the cart if they are going to be used after dark.
 - b. Drivers must be 16 years of age to drive a Golf Cart or 15 years of age with a valid learner permit.
 - c. Golf Cart capacity is limited to the available seating on each respective Golf Cart.
 - d. Driving rules for Golf Carts are consistent with the general rules of the road. This includes abiding by stop signs, yielding right of way, staying to the right side of the road, etc. It is the responsibility of the driver to know and follow the rules of the road.
 - e. Liability Insurance is available for Golf Carts and the Board of Directors highly recommends you have this coverage on your personal golf cart.
2. Golf Cart/Community Property: Please note that golf carts should not be driven on the beaches, ball field, and clubhouse lawn

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CK Hello Facebook Page,
& Mail Station Bulletin Board!



COMMUNITY NEWS



Gloria and Terry Craven welcomed their first grandchild - **Vincent Gerard Craven** on June 2nd weighing 6.5 pounds and 19" long. Vincent resides with parents **Marissa and Michael Craven** at their home in Garden City, NY.



On June 14th, **James Wohr**, son of **Teresa & Winston Wohr**, married **Paige Difiore** in Lancaster, PA. The ceremony and reception were held at The Farm at Eagles Ridge and the ceremony was officiated by the groom's cousin, Michael Craven. The couple have planned a European River Cruise honeymoon in August. James is an Editor at Vanguard and Paige is a Deputy Lifestyle Editor at Business Insider. The couple reside in Phonexville, PA.



WELCOME TO THE NEIGHBORHOOD!!

June 2025 - **April & Colin Higgins**
11 North Beach Drive





HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES

Joshuah Martino, grandson of **Liz & Tom Martino** and son of Sarah & Michael Martino, graduated from Triton Regional High School (NJ) on June 19th. In the fall, Joshuah will attend Rowan University, Glassboro, NJ and pursue a degree in Chemical Engineering.



Miles Scholz, son of **Dawn Scholz and Nick Scholz**, graduated from New Fairfield High School on June 13th. Miles will attend Central Connecticut State University on a full scholarship where he will major in engineering.



Kate McQuade, daughter of **Maryellen McQuade and David Chung**, graduated from Rutgers Prep School in Somerset, NJ where she played soccer and lacrosse. Kate will be heading to Grinnell College in Iowa in the fall where she will continue her academic and athletic pursuits.

Brody Mackey, son of **Sima & Tim Mackey**, graduated from Rye County Day School in Rye, NY. He is headed to Wake Forest University in the fall to pursue a BS, Mechanical Engineering degree with a Finance concentration as well.

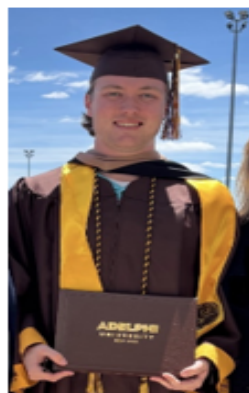
Kaley McCabe, daughter of **Lisa & John McCabe**, will graduate from Massapequa High School and head to SUNY Cortland in the fall to study education.



COLLEGE GRADUATES



Cameron Carpenter, son of Yvonne & Jamison Carpenter and grandson of **Marie & Scott Stonecipher**, graduated from Fairfield University on May 18th with a Bachelor's degree in Business Management.



Hugh Keenan, son of Courtney & Kevin Keenan and grandson of **Ellie Keenan**, graduated Magna Cum Laude from Adelphi University in May with a Bachelor of Science degree in Finance. Hugh also earned two Division II Championship rings for Men's Lacrosse during his college career - one for the University of Tampa, and the other for Adelphi University. Hugh will be relaxing with family in the Knolls before starting his employment as a Client Associate for Merrill Lynch Wealth Management in NYC in July.

Liam Mitchell, son of **Ed Mitchell & Jean McQuillan**, graduated from the University of Delaware with a Bachelor of Arts degree.

Keegan Lewick, son of **Joanna & Chris Lewick**, graduated from Cornell University with a degree in Mechanical Engineering.



Jack Benzing, son of **Bobbi & Paul Benzing**, graduated from Virginia Tech where he majored in Materials Science Engineering and a minor in Green Engineering. Jack will stay in Virginia this summer doing research with his professor and then pursue his Master's degree in the fall.



Brandon Crivillaro, son of **Kim & Jesse Voght**, graduated from James Madison University where he majored in International Affairs and a minor in Political Science.

Kyle Otto, son of **Robin Edwards**, graduated from SUNY Upstate Medical University—Alan and Marlene Norton College of Medicine on May 4th. He will be starting his residency in anesthesiology at the Vermont Medical Center in Burlington, VT in June.

CANDLEWOOD LAKE CONNECTICUT



AROUND THE TOWN

The **Candlewood Lake Fireworks in Danbury Bay** will begin at dusk on **Saturday, June 29th** (Raindate June 30th).

NF Parks & Recreation Committee is hosting the annual **Illuminated Boat Parade** on **Friday, July 11th** at 8:00pm. (Raindate July 12th). The parade begins at Candlewood Isle Beach and rides past the NF Town Beach, Knollcrest Shores, Chatterton Marina, Squantz Pond, and ends at Spears Point.



**Memorial Day
Cocktail Party
5.24.25**





CK Children's Program
1st Day of Camp
Monday, June 23rd



Registration information can be found on the CK website under the "Services" Tab - Click on "CKCP Children's Program"

It's Baaaaack...Join us on **Thursday, June 26th!!**



Ice CKream Night We have all your favorite flavors & toppings!

***THURSDAYS - 7:00pm**

Bowls - \$5

CKCP Camp Room (clubhouse lower level) Cones - \$3

Come support our CKCP Fundraiser!

We still need scoopers - so if you're able to put a crew together, please sign up with CKCP Ice Cream SignUp Genius Link:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20F084AAEA922A6F94-57280925-ckcp>

**August dates are subject to change upon completion of the CKCP Calendar- but there will be an ice cream night weekly while camp is in session.*



The pickleball season is underway and Cushie & Don Lynch have organized a **Kick-off Tournament** to be held on **Saturday, June 21st** at 9:00am (Raindate Sunday, June 22nd).

It is recommended you download the Team Reach app and join The CKPicklers group (code CKPG23) so you can stay informed of Knolls' group activities.



Waking up with
a smile because today
is a Mah Jongg day!



Mahjong Mondays
7:00PM

Downstairs Clubhouse
Beginners always welcomed
?Questions?

Call or text Marie Knox
914-574-3054



JULY

- 4th Pancake Breakfast*
- 5th Clambake*
- 11th Annual Community Mtg
- 12th Bocce Night
- 19th Family Picnic
- 25 Golf Outing

**flyers attached*

Mark your summer calendar for

SATURDAY, JULY 12th

BOCCE NIGHT

One of our CK traditions - not to be missed.

Details will follow prior to then.





It's back...The Annual Candlewood Knolls

Clam Bake!



Saturday, July 5th

Cocktail Hour: 6:30pm

Dinner: 7:30 – Midnight

Cost: \$120.00 per person

RSVP:

Danielle: dani61677@aol.com

Call: 516-578-2847

No later than June 30th

MENU

Raw Bar and Non-Seafood Appetizers

Entrée Choices: *Lobster *Steak *Swordfish *Salmon *Chicken

Meals includes *Corn *Baked Potato *Salad *Dessert

DJ and 50/50 Cash Raffle

All reservations & payments are due by June 30th

Pay by cash, check or VENMO (@Candlewood-Knolls)

Cash and checks can be dropped off at CK Office

Email dani61677@aol.com and INCLUDE all names in reservation and entrée choice for each guest

Seating is limited. Reservations are first come, first serve

No payments collected at the door – NO LATE-NIGHT WALK-INS

Bar closes at midnight

Hosts: Evans, Knox, McAvoy, Ortiz, and Thomas Families

Hope to see you there!

CK's Annual Pancake Breakfast

Join us on Friday, the 4th of July
Doors open at 9AM sharp – Close at 11AM
(No reservations necessary)

Menu

Pancakes, Pancakes, Pancakes
Bacon & Sausage, Scrambled Eggs,
Coffee & Tea, Assorted Juices

Adults (13 & up): \$10.00

Kids (ages 3-12): \$5.00

Cash, Check, or Venmo

Hosted by The Fine Family

