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IA EA UA EO LI

P. Brown Pres. (E)	3
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C. McCoy, Tres. (E)	3
S. Redd (E)	3
S. Roush(R)	1 2
M. Agnew (E)	2 1
D. Webb (E)	3

IA/In attendance, EA/excused absence, UA/un-excused, absence EO/early out, & LI/late in

Latest Updates

To Our Members:

At this time the playgrounds and pavilion areas at the SBEA Lake are closed due to the essential business only and for safety reasons. They will stay closed until further notice. However, our lake is still open for fishing to help you catch food to eat as well as our lake store for all your food & beverage needs. It's also a great and safe place to take a walk to get some exercise. We do ask that you keep the 10 people gathering in check as well as the 6 ft distance for your safety as well as the SBEA staff. Our staff are working hard to keep everything cleaned and sanitized. So, we ask our members to stay home if they have any fever, are coughing or feel sick. This is the plan for our lake facility at this time, but it can change at any time depending on new restrictions.

All plant SBEA stores will be closed until Spirit allows us back into the plant. We hope this will only be a little while and we can be back in the store to serve our members.

Just to inform our members as soon as we can this is some of the decisions the Board of Directors have had to decide about future events. We are so sorry about this but with the pandemic going on this will just have to be a crazy year this year. Next year will be much better.

Easter Celebrations – Cancelled due to contracts and stay at home orders

Kids Fishing Day – Still being planned if restrictions allow.

Lunker Tournament - Still planning on this event if restrictions allow.

July 4th Celebration – Cancelled due to planning and contracts that have to be signed.

Garage Sale - Cancelled due to stay at home orders.

Flower Arrangement Class - Cancelled due to stay at home orders.

Because things are changing on a daily basis our plans can change at any time. So be sure and check us out on Facebook as we will put any changes on there as soon as we know them.

We appreciate all our members hanging in there with us and we look forward to when we can get back to normal.

Happy Easter

Since we had to cancel the Easter Celebration, we are giving bags of candy away in the lake store. So, if you are at the lake be sure and stop in and pick yours up. They are available now and will be there until they are all gone.



Calendar of Events

LUNKER CATFISH TOURNAMENT

MAY 16 & 17

ONLY THOSE ENTERED IN TOURNAMENT WILL BE ALLOWED TO FISH. THIS IS A FUND RAISER FOR SBEA.



Your chance to catch the "BIG" one and take 1st place has just gotten better. Grab your fishing poles and don't worry about bait, our lake store can accommodate all your needs for this tournament.

Once the fish for this tournament have been stocked in the lake there will be no fishing until the tournament starts at 8 a.m. on May 16. **Only those that have paid to enter the tournament will be allowed to fish until the tournament is over.**

This is a 24 hour tournament; registration starts at 7 a.m. on May 16 and the tournament starts at 8 a.m. May 17 weigh in time is at 8 a.m. sharp; however you may weigh in anytime during the tournament if you do not want to stay the whole time. You may pre-register at the lake store and pay your \$25 entry fee or pay any time to enter the fishing tournament. The lake will be stocked with "BIG" channel cat for this tournament. There will be 3 cash prizes for the three largest creel of 4 catfish; 1st place, (\$250), 2nd place (\$150) and 3rd place (\$100) and then \$100 if you want to enter the contest for largest catfish caught for an additional \$5.00 entry fee. All rules of the lake must be followed with no gold fish allowed for bait and 2 poles per fisherman. No buddy system will be allowed, you must catch your own fish and they must be kept on your own stringer or in your own basket and kept in the water. Vehicles will be subject to inspection. Contestants will be supplied with an armband and rods used in the tournament will be tagged. Tournament ends promptly at 8 a.m. on May 17. If you do not present your fish by that time you will be disqualified, so be sure to be on time. For your convenience the bait shop will be open until midnight on May 16. This event will be open to the public however if contestant is not a member they will have to pay the \$15 day fee to enter the property. **The lake will be closed for fishing to everyone who is not a contestant in the tournament.** Camping will be allowed for those in the tournament on May 16.

KID'S FISHING DAY

**FUN FOR KIDS
AND A CHANCE TO WIN PRIZES
JUNE 20, 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.**



SBEA invites all kids to come out and enjoy the lake and the thrill of catching a fish. We will stock the kids pond with fish especially for this day. Prizes will be given away that day for the kids. Free hotdog, chips and pop will be provided for participating kids. Concessions will also be available. This is a chance to see what a great facility you have at SBEA. The SBEA lake is located at 4226 S. Gold. Members can save 10% off all kids fishing items after the fishing event. Meet in front of the lake store at 9:00 a.m. or come out anytime from 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

MOST CURRENT INFORMATION



Facebook is a great place where all our members can go for the latest up to date information on upcoming events, news, and more. Be sure to "like" us today! Spirit Boeing Employees Association.

FYI INFORMATION

RETIREE & OTHER MEMBERSHIP OPTIONS

Going To Retire? When you retire from Boeing or Spirit, and do not go to work for the other company, you are eligible to keep your membership current. Bring something to show your retirement status down to the lake office to join.

You may purchase your retiree membership at the SBEA Administration Office at 4226 S. Gold. For more information on a retiree membership, please contact Missy at 522-2996 or email her at missy@beatoday.com.

3 OPTIONS TO VIEW THE NEWSLETTER

Did you know that you can sign up and view the Spirit/Boeing Today newsletter online? Better yet, how about from the comforts of your own home! The answer is yes, our newsletter is available to view at www.beatoday.com or you can have it emailed to you simply by filling out the form on the back of the newsletter with your email address and send it to Stephanie at K30-35 or email it to her steph@beatoday.com. We even have sign up forms in all SBEA stores to fill out if you would like to be added to the e-news letter list. For those that want a copy mailed to your home we will be glad to print it and mail it to your home, but the cost is \$10.00 a year.

DON'T FORGET

ADMINISTRATIVE PROFESSIONALS DAY APRIL 22

Administrative Professionals work hard for you on a daily basis, so don't forget to give them a little something to show your appreciation. Garden figurines, SBEA gift certificates, gift cards, etc., all make wonderful gift ideas. Stop by SBEA lake store for all your gift ideas to help make your Administrative Professionals have a great day.

NEWS FOR MEMBERS

We have been working on trying to improve the overall fishing quality on the SBEA lake. Two years ago, we started to put more natural structures in the deeper areas of the lake and on some areas of the shore line in 2-4 ft of water. We also let portions of our pampas grass continue to grow to also provide shade and cover. We stocked both forage minnows and some crawdads to add more of a food base for our fish. We stocked blue cats to thin out the white perch and also instituted a bounty on the white perch to control their numbers. We also increased the amount of catfish we stock from spring through fall and added extra stockings too.



Across the board we are seeing real good results! Our catfish and bass creel numbers are up and we have noticed bass and catfish being caught now through winter. Our blue gills have been using the structure for protected breeding areas as have the bass. Last spring it was noted by several members that they have seen large groups of baby bass around the docks. We are working to improve the bass, bluegill and perch fishing in the near future as we have had increased participation from our members that want to fish for these species. With our efforts we are happy to see these results. But our bass and bluegill populations are still fragile and need to be protected, as our lake receives plenty of fishing pressure. To protect our fledgling bass population, we have to institute a strict catch and release policy for all bass. This change will start April 1, 2020 through April 1, 2021 where we will review the bass population and make adjustments from there. We are also working on building up our blue gill and crappie populations and this spring we will monitor the breeding nests and numbers and make adjustments from there. We will have updates throughout the summer and fall. We thank you in advance for your understanding as we are continually striving to improve your lake.

PERKS FOR MEMBERS

LOTS OF OPTIONS AT THE SBEA LAKE

As an SBEA member, did you know you can fish at SBEA lake with no need for a fishing license? We have seasonal camping available on weekends. Electrical hook-ups, showers & accommodations are available. Soccer, baseball fields and horse shoe pits are available as well as 2 play grounds. A fish cleaning stations and over 30 fishing docks around the lake allows plenty of fishing opportunity. Fishing boats and paddle boats are available for rent. There are two pavilions available for rental throughout the year. (Playgrounds & pavilion rentals closed until further notice).

You have instant savings 24/7 for shopping, trips and much more. All three apps are compatible with each other for even better savings. Please call SBEA at 526-2111 for the code on the following 3 perks which can be used anywhere in the US.

Perk Program— more than 300,000 products from more than 50,000 leading merchants, with a cash back reward program at some retailers.

Tickets at Work – cost-free benefit which provides you access to thousands of exclusive travel and entertainment discounts.

Trip Beat – up to 40% savings at more than 2,400 resort condo properties in 90 countries starting at only \$399. per week.

We have 100's of discounts to local retailers here in town to help save you money. Please visit <https://beatoday.com/merchant-discounts/> to see local merchants willing to provide wonderful discounts as a service to our members.

HELPFUL TIPS

This is such a strange and surreal time. We hope you are doing okay through it. In this new, strange time of self-isolation, quarantine, or whatever you call it in your home, we are sure that the word BORED has already been used many times. There are always creative things that we can do at home. You just need to put some thought and imagination into your day.

We thought we would come up with some creative & enjoyable things to do around the house that would help pass your stay at home time. Please visit <https://beatoday.com/sbea-events/> for a full list of ideas. Who knows, you just might find one the whole family really enjoys and want to repeat.

1. Have a Costume Night
2. Throw an Indoor Picnic
3. Have a Christmas Party (Christmas In April 😊)
4. Host an International Dinner Night
5. Film a “Newscast”
6. Have an Indoor/Outdoor Scavenger Hunt
7. Have a Mani/Pedi Night
8. Plant Seedlings
9. Host a Themed Movie Night
10. Make Homemade Cards
11. Play Games
12. Film a Cooking Show
13. Make a Scarecrow
14. Have a Karaoke Night
15. Do a Puzzle
16. Play with Legos
17. Host an English Tea Party
18. Plant Bulbs
19. Read a Book
20. Have a Water Balloon Fight
21. Learn Yoga
22. Invent a Writing Code
23. Have a Photo Shoot
24. Have a BBQ
25. Invent Your Own Board Game

SBEA LAKE NEWS

Spring Hours: April 1

Store Hours:

Wed.- Sun. 7:00 a.m. - 7:30 p.m.

Lake Hours:

Wed.- Sun. 7:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Summer Hours: May 6

Store Hours:

Wed.- Sun. 7:00 a.m. - 9:30 p.m.

Lake Hours:

Wed.- Sun. 7:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m.

Lake & Store are both closed on Monday & Tuesday year round except for some holidays.

Last Months Creel Report

March

Catfish 36, Trout 292, Total 328

FISHING TOURNAMENT

APRIL 4

7:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

The largest catfish caught wins a Zebco 808 reel. You must be a member and register your catch with the ranger, and fish must be legal size and alive.

20 % Off

Now - April 12

Easter Merchandise

Super Spring Sale:

Check out the spring sale going on all red tagged spring items. Vases, wind chimes, garden stakes and more.

Be sure to stop by the lake store for your bag of Easter candy.

TICKETS (526-2111)

Kansas Star Arena Events

Air Supply

June 6, 7:30 p.m.

Order tickets by June 5, 1:00 p.m.

Tickets \$33.50 - \$68.50

America

June 12, 7:30 p.m.

Order tickets by June 11, 1:00 p.m.

Tickets \$33.50 - \$68.50

Third Eye Blind

July 11, 7:30 p.m.

Order tickets by July 10, 1:00 p.m.

Tickets \$43.50 - \$123.50

Notice: Please fill out this form to make sure we have your current information to guarantee your membership cards reaches you at your company mail code. Please send in home address changes to SBEA at K 30-35.

Please help us keep our files current. If your home address has changed, please return this form to SBEA, K30-35. We do not get advised of home address changes or work mail code changes.

Name _____ Employee ID _____

Address _____ City/St/Zip _____

Phone (w) _____ (h) _____ Email _____

M/S _____ Org. _____ Work for Spirit _____ Boeing _____

TICKETS (526-2111)

Intrust Bank Arena Events

PAW Patrol Live

Rescheduled TBA

Tickets See store for times and pricing

Foo Fighters

Rescheduled TBA

Tickets \$67.50 - \$107.50

The Dude Perfect 2020 Tour

June 18, 7:00 p.m.

Order tickets by June 3, 1:00 p.m.

Tickets \$29.50 - \$503.50

Bare Knuckle Fighting

June 20, 7:00 p.m.

Order tickets by March 4, 1:00 p.m.

Tickets See stores for prices

truTV's Impractical Jokers

July 30, 7:30 p.m.

Order tickets by July 15, 1:00 p.m.

Tickets \$50.25 - \$174.50

Alabama

July 31, 7:00 p.m.

Order tickets by April 8, 1:00

Tickets \$39.50 - \$129.50

PBR

Aug. 8 7:00 p.m.

Order tickets by April 8, 1:00 p.m.

Tickets \$19.50 - \$104.50

TobyMac

Aug. 11, 7:00 p.m.

Order tickets by March 11, 1:00 p.m.

Tickets \$19.75 - \$89.75

Century II Events

An R-Rated Magic Show

April 21, 8:00 p.m.

Order tickets by April 20, 1:00 p.m.

Tickets \$20.50 - \$44.50

The SpongeBob Musical

April 28 - 30, 7:00 p.m.

Order tickets by April 24, 1:00 p.m.

Tickets \$45.75 - \$70.75

TICKETS (526-2111)

Cotillion Events

Lukas Nelson & Promise of the Real

Postponed, 8:00 p.m., tickets \$35.25

Jackyl

Postponed, 8:00 p.m., tickets \$22.25

Here Come The Mummies

Dec. 4, 8:00 p.m., tickets \$27.25

David Allan Coe

June 4, 8:00 p.m., tickets \$32.25

Jim Breuer

Postponed, 8:00 p.m., tickets \$37.25

Tesla

Postponed, 8:00 p.m., tickets \$41.25

World Class Pro Wrestling

Postponed, 3:00 p.m.

Tickets \$5.25, \$15.25, \$40.25

Starset

May 19, 7:30 p.m., tickets \$25.25

Gary Allan

May 21, 8:00 p.m., tickets \$35.25, \$45.25, \$65.25, \$95.25, \$125.25

Tech N8ne

May 31, 8:00 p.m., tickets \$37.25

Hartman Arena Events

AJR: The Neotheater Would Tour - Part 2

May 27, 7:00 p.m.

Order tickets by May 25, 1:00 p.m.

Tickets \$39.50, \$49.50, \$59.50

Alison Krauss

May 28, 8:00 p.m.

Order tickets by May 27, 1:00 p.m.

Tickets \$39.50 - \$139.50

NF The Search Tour

July 14, 7:00 p.m.

Order tickets by May 8, 1:00 p.m.

Tickets \$25.50, \$40.00, \$50.00

The Avett Brothers

Aug. 11, 8:00 p.m.

Order tickets by Aug. 10 1:00 p.m.

Tickets \$55.50 - \$99.50