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IA EA UA EO LI

D. Burrow Pres.	4
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C. McCoy, Tres.	3 1
P. Brown, Sec.	1 3
M. Agnew	4
D. Horstman	4
S. Roush	4
R. Wilson	2 2

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

## LUNKER CATFISH TOURNAMENT

May 20 & 21

**Only those entered in tournament will be allowed to fish. This is a fund raiser for SBEA to increase the population of perch and crappie.**



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 20. **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 20 and the tournament starts at 8 a.m. May 21 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 before May 20 or the day of the event. 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 21. 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 10 p.m. on May 20. **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 20.

## KID'S FISHING DAY

### Fun For Kids

And A Chance To Win Prizes

June 10, 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Bring the 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.

Specifics of this event may change due to weather issues.



# Calendar of Events

## SBEA ZOO DAY

**We Are Bringing Back Zoo Day!  
Mark Your Calendars for June 24**

We are in the process of working on a zoo day at Sedgwick County Zoo for our members in June. Keep a look out on our web page [www.beatoday.com](http://www.beatoday.com) and our Facebook page for more information.



## WATER PARK DAY

**SBEA Day At Rock River Rapids  
Saturday, August 5  
1900 E James St, Derby**



Join SBEA in a day splashing, soaking, sliding and sunning yourself as you enjoy the lazy river, lap pool, zero-depth pool at Rock River Rapids. Tickets will be sold in advance in all SBEA stores and will only be good for SBEA Rock River Rapids Aug. 5, 2023. Pay \$4.50 for adult and \$4.00 for seniors (60+) & youth (3-17), children under the age of 8 must be accompanied by an adult age 16 or older to enter facility. Tickets on sale in all SBEA stores, Rock River Rapids is open 12:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. Regular prices are \$10.00 for adult.

## ARE YOU READY?

**DESIGNER PURSE BINGO NIGHT  
August 11, 6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.  
SBEA Lake Recreation, 4226 S Gold**



Designer Purse Bingo event. Friday, August 11, 6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. Enjoy a fabulous night for a chance to win name-brand designer purses with 10 games of bingo. Tickets are \$25.00 in advance and \$40 at the door, which include admission, appetizers, and 20 game cards (2 per game). Buy your tickets in advance and be entered into a raffle to be given away at the end of the night. You may purchase 2 additional Bingo cards for each game upon arrival to the SBEA Designer Purse Bingo for, \$3.00 per card, limit of 2 cards per game per member. Doors will open at 6:00 p.m. and games will begin at 6:30 p.m. Tickets will go on sale June 5 in all SBEA stores.

- ◆ One winner per game
- ◆ Bring your own adult beverages, if you would like!
- ◆ Must be 12 years old and older to play. Every person, regardless of age, must purchase the \$25/\$40 ticket to enter.
- ◆ Infants and young children are not allowed.
- ◆ 50/50 cash pot will be available during the games and winner selected at the end.
- ◆ Michael Kors, Kate Spade, Coach and other Brands

## ARE YOU ON THE LIST?

Sign up today and stay tuned in with the latest news, updates and special offers delivered to your inbox. Once a month we will email you your Spirit/Boeing Today Newsletter. You'll be the first to know about new merchant discounts, and special offers and we'll also keep you up to date with social activities, news, happenings and other nifty information. Check out 3 ways we have for you to sign up, 1) visit our website at [www.beatoday.com](http://www.beatoday.com), 2) email Stephanie at [steph@beatoday.com](mailto:steph@beatoday.com), 3) sign up at any SBEA store. For those that want a copy mailed to your home we will be glad to print it and mail it to your home, at a cost of \$10.00 a year.

## MEMBER NEWS

### CHRISTMAS SALE UPDATE

You asked and we listened! We will be holding this year's Christmas Extravaganza Sale on a different day and location. So, join us on October 28, for a 1 day only sale at the Machinist Union Building, 3830 S Meridian Ave, 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. Don't worry; we will be back with more detailed information as soon as we work out all the details. Make sure you read your newsletters over the next few months to find out more on the sale.

### 4TH OF JULY

The SBEA will not be doing a July 4<sup>th</sup> Celebration this year. We want to let our members know in advance so they have time to plan their activities for July 4<sup>th</sup>, 2023. This was a very tough decision the Board and Staff had to make. After many long discussions they concluded that so many towns, housing districts etc. put on good events that has affected the attendance at our event. Between attendance and cost of the event it was no longer cost effective of the dues our members pay. We are always looking for new ideas and discounts for our members and would love to hear from our members on any suggestions. We are looking into maybe a fall event to do instead of the July 4<sup>th</sup>. Give us your feedback at [steph@beatoday.com](mailto:steph@beatoday.com)

## UPCOMING EVENTS

**Lunker Catfish Tournament** - Aug. 26 & 27. Entry fee is \$25.00 and \$5.00 if you want to enter for the largest Catfish caught.

**Sporting Clay Shoot** - Oct. 16, 10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. Watch for further details @ [www.beatoday.com](http://www.beatoday.com).

**SBEA Fall Festival** – Saturday Oct. 21, SBEA Lake. Watch for further details @ [www.beatoday.com](http://www.beatoday.com).

**Craft Show** - Nov. 11, from 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m., Kansas Extension Center. Free to shop, \$40.00 a booth for members, \$50.00 a booth for non-members. Booth sizes 8x10.

## RIVERFEST BUTTONS

### Yes We Have Wichita Riverfest Buttons!

Riverfest is June 2 – 10, the buttons are \$10.00 members, kid's \$5.00. See SBEA stores for availability. Buttons are available while supplies last.



## REGISTER TO WIN

**SBEA & TRIPBEAT (our partner in full-service travel) is offering SBEA employees a chance to win a 7-night Resort Vacation Certificate.**

During the month of May, be sure to register FREE at <https://www.tripbeat.com/spiritboeing>. Our members have a chance to win a 7-night Resort Vacation Certificate with vacation stay in popular destinations and affiliated resorts around the world. The Certificate is designed to be used for seasonal travel. Seasonal availability can vary according to destination. Travel must be booked on or before the certificate expires (365 days). Please call 522-2996 for registration code.



## GOING TO RETIRE?

### Retiree Membership

Did you know when you retire from Spirit or Boeing, 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 to the lake office to join.

You may purchase your retiree membership for \$50.00, \$60.00 with printed newsletter mailed to your house 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](mailto:missy@beatoday.com).

## “PERKS” FOR MEMBERS

### LOCAL MERCHANT DISCOUNTS

One of the most popular “perks” SBEA members have is access to discounts across the city and states. SBEA provides a listing of merchants willing to provide wonderful discounts as a service to our members that can be accessed on line by visiting this page at [Merchant Discounts - Spirit / Boeing Employees' Association \(beatoday.com\)](http://Merchant Discounts - Spirit / Boeing Employees' Association (beatoday.com)). Simply present your current SBEA membership card at the listed businesses. We continually look for additional discounts to offer our members.

## FIRE PIT INFO

### Camping Season is Just Around The Corner May 26 - September 4

Camping season is just about here and that means camping by the fire. The lake store will have fire pits available during May 26– September 4. There are several requirements. No fires will be allowed until you check with the ranger for full details. SBEA has fire pits available for rent in the lake store as well as firewood. You cannot set up a fire pit unless approved by the rangers. Cost per day will be \$20.00 deposit, \$5.00 rental with your own firewood or free rental if you purchase firewood from SBEA. Please check in with the lake store for a list of fire pit rules and application to sign. Absolutely no fire pits will be accepted on the docks or picnic areas at any time.

## STORE NEWS

### MAY NEWS

**10% off**  
Spring Merchandise  
Month of May

**Mother's Day:** We have your gifts for Mothers Day, May 14, all picked out for you. New shipments just arrived! They will be available for purchase starting May 1st.

- \* Perfume Gift Sets
- \* Jewelry
- \* Dooney & Burke
- \* Michael Kors
- \* Coach
- \* Kate Spade

**Holiday & Special Occasions:** May can be a busy month full of graduations, birthdays, Mother's Day and Memorial Day. SBEA stores will be happy to assist you with gifts for any of these occasions. Don't forget we also sell gift cards and gift certificates.

## PLANNING A TRIP?

School's just about out and workloads are lighter for some, making summer a prime season for family travel. A vacation can give you that much needed time to catch up in person! Check with SBEA for all your traveling needs with lodging, entertainment and dining out. Simply stop in your nearest SBEA store for information and member codes to the following. Be sure to check out our merchant discount list for all your traveling needs.

- ◆ Ticketsatwork
- ◆ Perks Connect
- ◆ Great Wolf Lodge
- ◆ V. J.'s Exotic Safaris
- ◆ Silver Dollar City
- ◆ More

## CHECK US OUT

### CATCH US ON FACEBOOK

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.

## SBEA LAKE NEWS

### Summer Hours: May 3

#### 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.

### Overnight Camping: May 26

Lake Hours are open Fri. 7:00 a.m. until Sun. 10:00 p.m.

### Memorial Day Lake Hours:

The lake will open on May 26 at 7:00 a.m. and stay open until 10:00 p.m. on Monday May 29.

## Last Months Creel Report

### April

Catfish 17, Trout 167, Bluegill 11  
Bass 11, Crappie 27 **Total 233**

## FISH TOURNAMENT

### MAY 29

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

The largest catfish caught wins a Nebo Big Larry Pro flash light. You must be a member and register your catch with the ranger, and fish must be legal size and alive.

### 15% OFF

Select trout bait  
Power bait, salmon eggs, power eggs

### BOAT RENTALS

We have Jon boats available to rent. The boat rental and our members safety is a big concern to us. Please view all the rules and regulations on boat rentals at our website <https://beatoday.com/lake/rules-and-regulations/#boating-rules>.

### BOATS

12' to 14' fishing boats available for rent.  
\$2.00 per person/per hour.

### PADDLE BOATS

\$1.00 per person/per 30 minutes. .50¢ per person for the next 1/2 hour.



**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)

Concerts and shows are subject to change or cancel at any time without notice.

### Kansas Star Events

#### Rodney Carrington

July 15, 8:00 p.m.  
Tickets \$55.50 - \$125.50

### Intrust Bank Arena Events

#### WWE Raw

June 12, 6:30 p.m.  
Order tickets by May 31, 1:00 p.m.  
Tickets \$24.50 - \$104.50

#### Parker McCollum

July 8, 7:30 p.m.  
Order tickets by June 28, 1:00 p.m.  
Tickets \$35.00 - \$85.00

#### Hot Wheels Monster Trucks

Live Glow Party  
July 29 & 30  
Tickets Adults: \$32.50 - \$54.50  
Tickets Childs: \$12.50 - \$29.50

#### Thomas Rhett

Aug. 18, 7:00 p.m.  
Order tickets by Aug. 7, 1:00 p.m.  
Tickets \$29.50 - \$109.50

#### ICT Ice Classic: Coyotes vs Blues

Sept. 23, 7:00 p.m.  
See store for ticket prices

#### Lauren Daigle

Sept. 28, 7:00 p.m.  
See store for ticket prices

#### Cirque du Soleil Corteo

Nov. 9 - 12  
See stores for ticket prices and show times

## TICKETS (526-2111)

### Hartman Arena Events

#### Breaking Benjamin

May 10, 7:00 p.m.  
Tickets \$42.50 - \$96.50

#### Little Big Town

May 19, 8:00 p.m.  
Tickets \$43.50 - \$215.50

#### In This Moment & Motionless In White

Aug. 1, 7:00 p.m.  
Tickets \$40.00, \$50.00, \$60.00

#### Kip Moore

Sept. 14, 8:00 p.m.  
See store for ticket prices

### Cotillion Events

#### Coheed and Camria Neverender

May 12, 8:00 p.m., tickets \$32.25

#### Eddie Griffin

May 20, 8:00 p.m., tickets \$39.25

#### Charley Crockett

June 18, 8:00 p.m., tickets \$35.25

#### Marcus King

June 21, 8:00 p.m., tickets \$35.75

#### Warren Zeiders

June 22, 8:00 p.m., tickets \$27.25

#### Journey of a Lifetime – The Music Of Journey

July 1, 7:30 p.m., tickets \$20.25

#### Reed Timmer

July 13, 8:00 p.m.  
Tickets \$30.25 - \$150.25

#### Red Southall Band

Aug. 3, 7:30 p.m., tickets \$22.25