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## Belmont Lake Cottagers' Association

### FIREWORKS

Friday July 1 @ 10PM  
South of Big Island

### Belmont Expedition

Registration opens June 24. Expedition begins July 1.

### BLCA Membership Draw

Draw will be held on July 6 for members paid as of July 4.

### BLCA AGM

Saturday, July 16 @ 9:30AM  
Cordova Library

### Dock Concert - Dauncey

Saturday, July 16 @ 3PM  
Breckenridge Bay

### Regatta Weekend

July 30 - 31

For the full summer schedule head to the [BLCA Newsletter Page](#)



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## Highlighted Links

**FOCA July 1 Long Weekend Update:** [Cottage Country Survey / Storm Cleanup / Short-Term Rentals](#)

**BLCA 2022 Newsletter:** Distribution of the printed copy of the newsletter is nearly complete thanks to the hard work of our volunteer Road Reps. A downloadable copy is available at [blca.ca/newsletter](http://blca.ca/newsletter).

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## 2022 Membership Draw - July 6

### July 4 Membership Deadline to be eligible for some great prizes

#### Draw prizes for 2022:

- Westben - 3 pairs of tickets to live performances (additional to previously announced prizes)
- Trans Canada Nissan - complete car-detailing package
- Belmont Lake Getaway - two nights accommodation for two persons
- Pup's Tree Service - two \$50 gift certificates for Havelock Foodland
- The Unconventional Moose - a great gift basket

The BLCA is also offering three \$100 gift cards and four \$50 gift cards to local businesses. Please check out our sponsors ads in the newsletter and support them when you can. Tell them you are from Belmont Lake!

#### **Thank-you to members who have renewed already for 2022, and of course also to our Road Rep team for navigating the delivery process during the pandemic.**

Email us at [membership@blca.ca](mailto:membership@blca.ca) or contact your Road Rep if you were missed in the delivery process. The Road Rep list is available on our website at the [Newsletters](#) page.

If you have not yet paid your 2022 Membership (\$30), please note that we accept membership fees via cheque or Interac e-transfer (preferred). E-transfers can be sent to [membership@blca.ca](mailto:membership@blca.ca). Please include your cottage address in the comments to the transfer. Additional details at <https://blca.ca/membership/>

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## Fireworks - Friday July 1 @ 10PM

South of Big Island

Rain Date July 2. Rain delays will be communicated via our social media accounts.

BLCA members Bryon Backus, Bob Prins, Johnny Tsalcos, Chad Acorn, Jeff Keating, Todd Taylor, Richard & Christie Wood will once again be producing the Canada Day Weekend Fireworks Display, with the BLCA providing a portion of the funds to support this event. Brent Berry of Campbell's Belmont Lake Marina will provide the barge for the event. Many thanks to this team for hosting this event for all of us to enjoy.

The fireworks will be set off from a barge, approximately 100 metres off-shore. Please go to the south-east part of Belmont Lake about one-half of a kilometre south of Big Island. This event is open to all and is accessible by boat only. Please ensure you are a safe distance from the barge;

in past years there were issues with boats getting too close to the barge.

Thanks-you to the following businesses and individuals who made a financial contribution to the event, in addition to the contribution made by the BLCA:

Allen Stillwell  
Complete Property Care (John & Melissa Tucker)  
Danny Zita (NATS Canada)  
Doug Backus  
Todd and Angela Taylor  
Johny Tsalkos (GTA Auto Glass)  
Richard and Christie Wood (Woody Burger)  
Richard and Tina Rodway  
Joel and Daniella Mackie  
Todd and Rebecca Spalding  
The Burkitt Family

The BLCA strongly discourages cottagers from setting off fireworks on their own properties, as many people complain of the noise and that it scares family pets and wildlife on the lake. Please refrain from setting off fireworks on your property and instead come out to other shows happening in the community throughout the summer.

If you have any questions, concerns or suggestions regarding the BLCA's policy on fireworks, please do not hesitate to get in touch with a [Board member](#).



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## Back by popular demand, The Belmont Expedition!

Now Open for Registration  
Expedition Begins July 1

New and returning teams will be challenged by all new missions for 2022. The Belmont Expedition is a modern take on the scavenger hunt.

Teams will use a smartphone app to submit answers to missions on and around Belmont Lake. The Expedition opens July 1, so register your teams and get ready to start exploring!

To register, send an email to: [thebelmontexpedition@gmail.com](mailto:thebelmontexpedition@gmail.com) with "Register" in the subject line.

For more information, please visit [The Belmont Expedition](#) (PDF)

## 2022 Dock Concert Series

Dauncey: Sat. July 16 @ 3:00 pm in Breckenridge Bay

The SweetGrass Band: Sat. Aug. 13 @ 3:00 pm in Breckenridge Bay

Given the great success of the inaugural dock concerts in 2021, the program will run again in 2022. Check out the article by John Dixon on page 13 of the [BLCA 2022 Newsletter](#) for more information on last years' event and the bands performing in 2022.

Location: West shore of Breckenridge Bay at the red umbrellas. The best route is via the south of the bay mouth, south of the 2 orange BLCA buoys as you enter the bay.

Questions? Email [valerie.blca@gmail.com](mailto:valerie.blca@gmail.com)

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