



SPLASH! Newsletter - Summer **FUN Edition 2019**

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As the weather continues to get nicer, and it stays light longer, the kids will be outside enjoying it. For the safety of all, please use additional caution driving through the neighborhood.



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Message from the President

"Welcome summer!

I am enjoying longer days, time outside, and walks around the neighborhood.

Thank you to all who have sent in their dues and to those of you who will be paying soon.

Thank you to Stephanie Pishko & Derek Bartlett for starting the volleyball activities at the field. Thanks to Lori Nelson for putting together the doggie social that brings together neighbors for camaraderie and fun. And thank you to Bob Cloutier for mowing the field so that it is beautiful and useful for all this fun.

Enjoy the season!

-Nancy McDermott, President

GO GREEN, GO PAPERLESS!

We are excited to be rolling out digital options for our neighbors who would like to go paperless. If you would like to start receiving your Splash Newsletter and dues invoice **via email** please send an email to techmanager@santuitpondstates.org with "go green" in the subject line and your name & address in the body. You can also do this on our website by going to www.santuitpondstates.org then to the "Contact" page. [Going green will allow us to cut down on our administrative costs so that we have more funds available for the upkeep and enrichment of common areas.](#)

INTRODUCING SANTUIT SATURDAYS:

There are 8 Saturdays in July & August (not counting 4th of July weekend) and we would like to try to have a different neighborhood get together each week. It can be anything you want it to be (cook out, fire pit, coffee, movie night, knitting, etc) for any age group you desire (family, adults only, kids only). **YOU** host **YOU** choose. This is the perfect opportunity to have the type of get together you'd like to see in the neighborhood. One and done, no strings attached. To claim a Saturday for your event please contact techmanager@santuitpondstates.org so that Sara can get the word out to the neighborhood.

Available dates: 7/13, 7/20, 7/27, 8/17, 8/24, 8/31

8/3 10 am Kids Event-Paint your own canoe outdoor sign (no unaccompanied children under 10). Held at the Beach Lot Picnic Tables

8/10 10am: Kids Event-Paint bird houses to be hung at the common areas (no unaccompanied children under 10). Held at the Beach Lot Picnic Table

"Making Our Little Corner of Mashpee Better"

REOCCURRING NEIGHBORHOOD EVENTS:

- **Adult Volleyball Night at the Field (21+):** Thursdays 6pm going through the summer
- **Family Volleyball at the Field:** Sundays 2pm going through the summer
- **Doggie Socials at the Ballfield** once a month on Sunday. Stay tuned for the next one
- **Team Up to Clean Up:** Clean up day at the beach lot bulletin board July 13th @ 9am



Visit the “Events” page of the association website for up to date event information as new events are added.

WITHOUT YOU THERE CAN BE NO US. GET INVOLVED! VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES:

- New Neighbor Welcoming committee (**time commitment 1 hour every couple months**).
- “Street Reps” for Cranberry Lane, Fawn Road, Mayflower Road, Deer Ridge Road and Bayberry Drive (**time commitment 1-2 hours each month**).

Please reach out to Vice President Shirley Murray at vicepresident@santuitpondstates.org for more information on any of the above opportunities.

PAY YOUR DUES, THEY SUPPORT THE NEIGHBORHOOD:

So far in 2019 we have had 45 households pay their dues. If you misplaced your invoice or simply forgot to send in your dues please do so now at:

S.P.E.A.
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Thank you to all those who have paid! Your support of the neighborhood will once again pay taxes, allow the association to protect itself with liability insurance & continue some basic maintenance of the common land. With continued & increased support we can expand on our work to maintain the ball field & re-claim the tennis/basketball court area for the benefit of all.

SPEA CONNECTS ONLINE:

Facebook: Our private neighborhood group currently stands at 108 members & growing. This is a great way for us all to stay connected. Please join us www.facebook.com/groups/santuitpondstatesassociation and check out our SPEA website <http://santuitpondstates.org> for updates on neighborhood happenings. You're welcome to post anything you want to share with our neighborhood. Ideas and suggestions for SPEA are welcome.

Neighborhood Business Directory: Do you have a business? Are you looking to support your neighbors businesses? Our neighborhood business directory is live on the website! Contact Sara (techmanager@santuitpondstates.org) to have your business added to the directory.

Flickr: Check out the SPEA Flickr albums for photos of our bog & pond. [flickr.com/photos/santuitpondstates/albums](https://www.flickr.com/photos/santuitpondstates/albums)
If you have any photos you've taken that you would like to share, send them to Sara at techmanager@santuitpondstates.org to be added to the albums.

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