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You are invited to participate in the

PINE BEACH

99th Annual

INDEPENDENCE DAY

CELEBRATION



Date: Thursday, July 4th, 2024

Raindate: Saturday, July 6th

A SALUTE TO VETERANS

GRAND MARSHAL

F. BRUCE CARNEY



PARADE INFORMATION



Registration begins at 8:15 a.m.

Parade begins promptly at 9:00 a.m.

You **MUST** register to march in the Parade at the Pine Beach Chapel

All vehicles and large motorized floats are to assemble in the Chapel parking lot (send **one** person to register). Bicycles, non-mechanical floats and walkers will assemble in the parking lot opposite the Chapel. Fire trucks and emergency vehicles will assemble along Prospect Avenue under the direction of the Pine Beach Fire Company. **ALL** bicycle riders under the age of 18 **MUST** wear a helmet.

SIRENS WILL BE ON AND LOUD!

PARADE ROUTE: Parade will proceed from the Pine Beach Chapel onto Prospect Avenue – left onto Avon Road – left onto Springfield Avenue – left onto Henley Avenue – proceeding to Riverside Drive turning left to **VISTA PARK ON STAN SLABY FIELD**. Please note sirens will be loud during the parade. Please take precautions for anyone sensitive to loud noises.

CARDBOARD BOAT RACE: You **MUST** register to participate in the cardboard boat race. See bottom of this page for info.

CEREMONY AT VISTA PARK

WELCOME Councilman Barry Wieck
 INVOCATION..... Rev. Allen Dorst
 FLAG SALUTE Entire Audience
 NATIONAL ANTHEM..... Rob Newman
 PRESENTATION Mayor Lawrence Cuneo
 PARADE AWARDS..... Mayor Lawrence Cuneo

PARADE CATEGORIES

BEST DECORATED SMALL FLOAT
 BEST DECORATED BICYCLE
 BEST DECORATED TRICYCLE/SCOOTER
 BEST ORGANIZATION
 BEST DECORATED VEHICLE
 BEST DECORATED CARDBOARD BOAT

Independence Day Committee

Mayor Lawrence Cuneo	Ryan Newman
Councilman Jim Keesling	Raymond Newman
Councilwoman Lori McGee	Charlene Carney
Councilman Ray Newman	Edwin Wieck
Councilman Ritty Polhemus	Nancy Newman
Councilman James Saxton	Justin Newman
Councilman Barry Wieck	Francesca Nardo
Hannah Jacobus	Zachary McGee
Fire Company Chief Alicia	Robert Newman
Patricia Wnek	

Please use link or QR code to
 register each participant.
 Link: tinyurl.com/cardboardrace



2024 GRAND MARSHAL PINE BEACH HONORS F. BRUCE CARNEY

Pine Beach is proud to award the honor of presiding over the 2024 Fourth of July Parade and Festivities as the Grand Marshal to F. Bruce Carney, a 57-year resident with strong and long ties to the community.

In 1967 Bruce married hometown girl Charlene Decker and purchased a home. They went on to have two children and three grandchildren who all reside in Pine Beach.

In 1968 he joined the U.S. Navy Seabees, receiving an Honorable Discharge in 1974. During that time, Bruce was deployed to Vietnam and completed his tour of duty receiving a National Defense Service Medal, a Vietnam Service Medal with Bronze Star, Expert Rifleman and a Vietnam Combat Medal and Ribbon.

Bruce is an electrician by trade and worked 40 years as a construction electrician, two of those years while serving in the Seabees in the U.S. Naval Mobile Construction Battalion 58.

He joined the Pine Beach Volunteer Fire Company in 1972 and progressed through the ranks to Chief, a position he held for ten years, and remains a member with 50 years of service. Bruce's mode of operation: he does what he can and he does what is needed.

In addition, Bruce operated the Pine Beach Water system for approximately 30 years, achieving three NJ State DEP operator licenses.

Presently, he is a life member of the VFW and the American Legion and is a member of the County and State Fireman's Associations. Bruce generously volunteers his time assisting the community at the local food pantry and the Fire Company.





INDEPENDENCE DAY RACES & GAMES



RUNNING RACES

BOYS	100 FT. RACE	AGE 5
GIRLS	100 FT. RACE	AGE 5
BOYS	100 FT. RACE	AGE 6
GIRLS	100 FT. RACE	AGE 6
BOYS	50 YD. RACE	AGE 7
GIRLS	50 YD. RACE	AGE 7
BOYS	50 YD. RACE	AGE 8
GIRLS	50 YD. RACE	AGE 8
BOYS	75 YD. RACE	AGE 9
GIRLS	75 YD. RACE	AGE 9
BOYS	75 YD. RACE	AGE 10
GIRLS	75 YD. RACE	AGE 10
BOYS	100 YD. RACE	AGE 11
GIRLS	100 YD. RACE	AGE 11
BOYS	100 YD. RACE	AGE 12
GIRLS	100 YD. RACE	AGE 12
MEN	100 YD. RACE	AGE 13 & UP
WOMEN	100 YD. RACE	AGE 13 & UP

BALLOON BLOWING CONTEST

Women Over Age 12

FAMILY WATER BALLOON TOSS

All Ages Welcome

SACK RACES

Ages 10 and Under

Ages 11 and Over

**PINE BEACH VOLUNTEER
FIRE COMPANY
50/50 RAFFLE DRAWING**

Takes place at 11:00 a.m.

CARDBOARD BOAT RACES

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Ages 12 and Under

Ages 13 and Over

**CARDBOARD BOAT RACES WILL FOLLOW ALL FIELD EVENTS
ON THE RIVER BEACH BY YACHT CLUB**

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CARDBOARD BOAT RACES

RULES & INFORMATION

1. Waiver must be signed when registering boat.
2. Award will be presented to the team in the fastest boat.
3. Teams must consist of two people.
4. The boats will race 100 ft. and back.
5. All boat crew members must bring and wear their own US Coast Guard Approved personal flotation device (life jacket).
6. Boats, boat parts, and debris MUST be disposed of by the team after the event.



BOAT DESIGN & CONSTRUCTION

1. Boats must be pre-built and can be “fine tuned” on site.
2. Boats must be made ONLY of cardboard and duct tape. NO reinforced cardboard tubes only broken down cardboard boxes. No industrial type cardboard is allowed. No waxed cardboard.
3. Cardboard cannot be sealed with any paint or sealants. Absolutely NO use of the following items: paint, tar-based substances, two-part varnishes, fiberglass resin, epoxy glue, any other two-part substances or corrugated cardboard that’s bonded to any material.
4. Duct tape may be of varying colors for creativity but must have come manufactured in said color.
5. Boats may be a maximum width of 5 ft. (60”) and a maximum length of 7 ft. (84”).
6. Boats must be propelled by use of paddle. Paddles must meet the same requirements of boats (cardboard and duct tape only). Pool noodles may also be used as oars.
7. The use of any prohibited boat or paddle construction items will result in disqualification.
8. NO surfboard style boat is allowed.
9. Unique boat designs and creativity is encouraged. Crew costumes are encouraged.
10. Your boat must be free of sharp edges, pointy objects or anything else that could cause injuries.
11. Boat may be decorated with paint over the duct tape only.

PINE BEACH VOLUNTEER FIRE COMPANY



Annual Fund – Make your contribution at
www.pinebeachfire.org or to
Pine Beach Fire Co.
525 Prospect Avenue
Pine Beach, NJ 08741
50/50 Raffle Drawing at 11:00am at
Vista Field, Proceeds benefit the
Volunteer Fire Company

SAVE THE DATE

“FIRE FEST”

Save the date for Fire Fest 2024
Hosted by Pine Beach Volunteer Fire Co
& Pine Beach Yacht Club

September 28th 12-7pm

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PINE BEACH IS ALMOST 100!



The Pine Beach Preservation Society (PBPS) will be raising funds in connection with the planning and funding for the Borough of Pine Beach's 100th Anniversary on March 25, 2025.

Join in the celebration of our town by becoming a Pine Beach Preservation Society Partner. Info is on our website or stop by borough hall to pick up an application form.

We will also have a table at Vista Field during the 4th of July festivities. Feel free to stop by and say hello!

Want to stay up to date on Pine Beach Preservation Society events and info?

- Please join our email list (sign up on our website or use the QR code)
- Visit our website www.pinebeachpreservationsociety.org
- Facebook www.facebook.com/pinebeachpreservationsociety
- Send us an email info@pinebeachpreservationsociety.org
- Or if you don't use a computer, please add your name and address to the list at borough hall to receive paper copies of announcements.



CALLING FOR PINE BEACH STORIES, PHOTOS AND MEMORIES!

We would love to hear about your memories and family stories of Pine Beach and see any photographs of family and from around town as we prepare for the Pine Beach 100th Anniversary celebrations in 2025.

If you have something to share, please scan the QR code, use this link <https://tinyurl.com/pinebeachstories>, send an email or mail us, and we'll get back to you promptly. Thank you!



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