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DAM LEVEL UPDATE

The elevation of the spillway (Glory Hole) at Monticello Dam is 440 feet.

The water is now <u>9.81</u> feet below the top of the spillway

Lake Berryessa has had <u>21.03</u> inches of rainfall since July 1st, 06

As reported by Carlos Jeffreys of The Corners: May 2nd .20 & May 4th .23

Date	Elevation	Evaporation	High	Low
5/28/07	430.66	0.24	84	45
5/29	430.58	0.26	92	50
5/30	430.48	0.26	86	40
5/31	430.42	0.23	83	39
6/01	430.34	0.24	85	48
6/02	430.26	0.24	86	49
6/03	430.19	0.25	89	53
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Shoreline Clean-Up Builds Community & "Freshens Up" the Lake

More than 25 volunteers showed up for the first annual BOR Lake Berryessa Shoreline Clean-Up last month to give the lake a fresh look for summer. Docks, cans & bottles, foam and boat parts were collected at all ends of the lake, from the Narrows to the Bridges.

Steve and Cheryl Silva of Napa won the prize for most unique find, a metal frame from the rear third of a pontoon boat. Shirl & Dave from the Lake Berryessa News brought a few friends along and they collectively won the prize for most trash collected, collecting 10 large piles of trash in the narrows.

Carol Kunze from Berryessa Trails & Conservation pitched in, working with a couple Highlands residents to clean up the Smittle Creek Shoreline across from Big Island. Meanwhile the Capay Valley Hiking Club cleaned up the shoreline on Big Island itself. The Yolo County Hikers even filled a couple bags of trash on their scheduled hike one week earlier.

While this is the first year that the BOR officially sponsored the clean-up, Rancho Monticello Resort has organized a few clean-ups in past years. "The lack of garbage that is found each year is sure noticeable. The work of the volunteers from the previous years has been paying off", said Chris Lacombe of Rancho Monticello Resort.

Special thanks to Cucina Italiana, The Corners Market, American Watercraft Rentals, Wet Dawg Watercraft Rentals, and Berryessa Boat & Jet Ski Rentals, for donating prizes that were given out to 10 of the volunteers.

by Evan Kilkus, Community Contributor...

Senior Center Summer Fun

Food and Wine Tasting: Saturday, June 16, 4:00pm to 7:00pm.

This fund raising event is open to the public. There will be a Wine Wheel and Silent Auction for various wine related items and Resort Passes. The admission fee is \$10.00 per person, but you can pick up a \$2.00 discount coupon at local businesses. The Napa Valley Olive Oil Company and Trader Joe's are donating various cheeses. Cucina Italina is donating French bread and dipping oil.

Flea Market: Saturday, July 14, 10 AM to 4 PM

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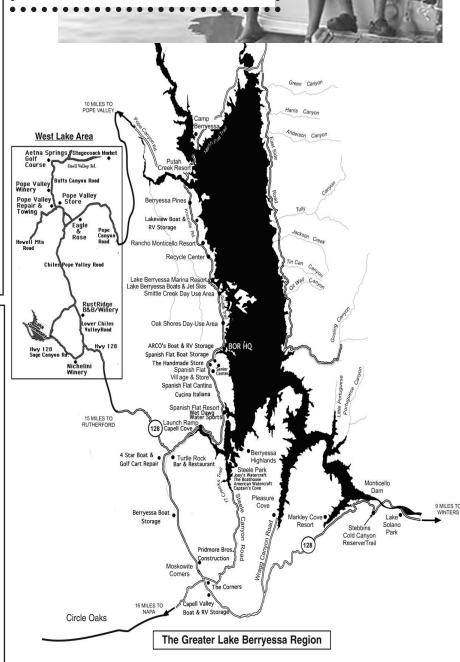
Casino Night/Pasta Dinner: Saturday, July 21, 5:30 to 10:00 PM

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Berryessa Senior Center - 4380 Spanish Flat Loop Road

*Berryessa Senior Center Activities, Call Georgia at 966-2127





News of Interest

Pope Creek Bridge on Memorial Day Weekend

Same Party on the Water, But Quieter on the Shore See pictures at www.LakeBerryessaNews.com



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Tourist brochure to be widely distributed by end June.

New Board: Peter Kilkus (President), Susan Heyden (Vice-President),
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from all sides of the boat and ood chance to and fish.

We had everyone side and

those casting crankbait and topwater baits were in the front and back of the boat. This worked out great. A shallow diving crankbait was the hit of the day. He landed three nice size bass in a short span of time. The guy throwing topwater lures did great too. Later in the day we switched to lessons on catching catfish and carp. They were all very good pupils. I look forward to taking them all out again next summer.

That evening I took out Dan and his lovely wife to my favorite cove. I wanted Dan to fish topwater and told him that when the sun started to set would be an ideal time. I had him throw a white chugger many times. He began to get bored with it and asked if he could change to another bait. I told him to throw at a target near shore and he got close. The bass exploded on it and for the balance of the night he stayed with the topwater lure getting more confident and more bites.

Saturday morning I had another group consisting of a groom and his father along with his friends (the wedding was later that day). We went to Spanish Flat to rent another boat for two of the fellows and the other three fished on my boat. We

man, caught fish whatever lures I have



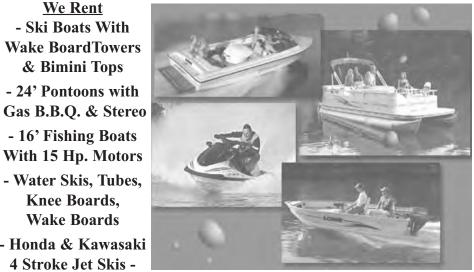
The first one was a chugger and on his second cast he landed a nice bass. It was another successful day with everyone landing fish and having a great time. Sunday I spent a few hours at the dock showing some kids how to catch carp and we were very successful. 'til next week..... www.fishingconnection.net If you have any fishing stories you would like to share please email me at bestguide@hotmail.com or call me at 650-583-3333.



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The Priest immediately commented, "Luigi, you are an amazing inspiration to all the husbands here! Please tell the audience what you are planning for your wife for your 50th anniversary..."

Luigi proudly replied, "I'm-a gonna go and-a get her."

2007 Lake Berryessa Calendar of Events

- 6/16 Wine, Cheese, Olive Oil & Food Tasting, Senior Center 4:00 PM to 7:00PM, Saturday Afternoon
- Pope Valley Ropers & Riders, Gymkhana Buckle Series
- 7/14 Flea Market (Rent Tables) Berryessa Senior Center 10 AM to 4 PM, Lunch Available
- 7/21 Casino Night/Pasta Dinner, Berryessa Senior Center, Big Raffle, 5:30 to 10:00PM
- Pope Valley Ropers & Riders, Gymkhana Buckle Series
- 8/4 Lion's Club Poker Run
- 8/11 Craft Faire (Rent Tables) Berryessa Senior Center 10:00 to 4:00PM, Lunch Available
- Bring Your Own Meat Bar-B-Q, Berryessa Senior Ctr., Chef Paul will cook it if you wish, Saturday, 4:00PM
- 9/15 Potluck, Berryessa Senior Center, 6:00PM
- Aloha at the Lake Benefit for the Napa Valley Food Bank Rancho Monticello Resort, 10 AM-7 PM, Entertainment Free entry with canned or dry food donation

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Crappie are best at night or early morning. Use red and white Jigs or minnows. Cappell Cove is a great area for Crappie.

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The PWC Races will be back as the ongoing form of entertainment when you stop for a bite to eat at the Food Vendor Row. But the real show will be on the grass in the Outdoor Lifestyle Area where there will be a featured presentation every 30 minutes, giving clubs & shops a chance to team up and do their own 15 minute Demo for the public.

With the 12 years of history behind this festival and the support of local clubs, organizations, and sponsors like you, the event is looking forward to drawing 10,000+ Outdoor Lifestyle Enthusiasts.

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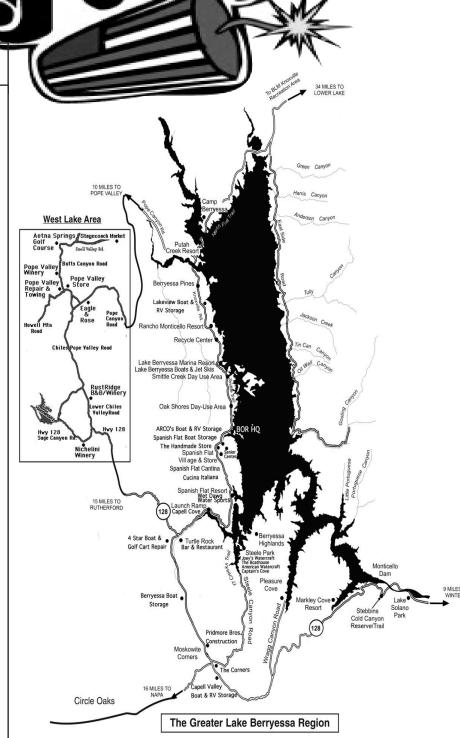
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Bureau of Reclamation Releases Berryessa Concession Prospectus

The Request For Proposal for the new Lake Berryessa Concession Contracts is finally out. It is an extremely complex document hundreds of pages long which lays out Reclamation's vision for a future Lake Berryessa - and only gives 90 days for a response. The bid evaluation criteria are point-based using 5 Principal Factors:

PRINCIPAL FACTOR 1 (18 pts.): THE RESPONSIVENESS OF THE PROPOSAL TO THE OBJECTIVES OF PRESERVING AND PRO-TECTING THE EXTENDED ENVIRONMENT AND THE SPECIFIC RESOURCES OF THE LAKE BERRYESSA AREA.

PRINCIPAL FACTOR 2 (58 pts.): THE RESPONSIVENESS OF THE PROPOSAL TO THE OBJECTIVES OF PROVIDING QUALITY VIS-ITOR SERVICES.

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PRINCIPLE FACTOR 4 (57 pts.): THE OFFEROR'S UNDERSTAND-ING OF THE FINANCIAL NEEDS OF THE BUSINESS AND THE Supervisor Harold Moskowite, who represents American Canyon and the FINANCIAL CAPABILITY TO MEET THE NECESSARY FINAN-CIAL OBLIGATIONS. (Reclamation will provide added 'Value Points' to bona fide proposals that include multiple locations.)

PRINCIPAL FACTOR 5 (5 pts.): FINANCIAL BENEFIT TO THE GOV-ERNMENT (Franchise Fee)

The Government appears to be asking for tens of millions of dollars of Gordon and Pope valleys to subdivide land similarly. investment for a very modest profit. Resort revenues for 2005 are shown below.

Resorts - 2005	Gross Receipts	Adjusted Gross	Franchise	Franchise
			Fee Rate	Fees
Putah Creek Resort	\$1,034,363	\$1,023,900	3.00%	\$30,717
Rancho Monficello	\$3,292,022	\$3,103,409	3.00%	\$93,102
Lake Berry, Marina	\$2,172,962	\$2,106,931	3.00%	\$63,208
S panish Flat	\$2,133,353	\$2,069,008	3.00%	\$62,070
Steele Park	\$2,933,568	\$2,933,568	3.00%	\$88,006
Pleasure Cove*	-	-	0.00%	\$1,000
Markley Cove	\$1,072,448	\$1,051,801	1.50%	\$15,777
To tak	\$12,638,716	\$12,289,089		\$353,881

*In 2004 and 2005, Pleasure Cove contractors entered into interim contracts that required a \$1000 per year franchise fee in the contract terms

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Elgie Kirkpatrick of Pope Valley Will Be Missed

One of Pope Valley's dearest citizens, Elgie Kirkpatrick, passed away peacefully in her home on May 29, 2007, at the age of 67. Elgie was born to Elgy and Ruth Neil on Jan. 14, 1940, at the Calistoga Hospital in Calistoga. Elgie was a pillar of the Pope Valley community. She was known for her tireless community service, her gentle and kind manner and was deeply loved by her friends and family.

She was raised in Pope Valley and graduated from St. Helena High School in 1957. Elgie obtained her registered nursing degree through Samuel Merritt Nursing College in Oakland. She worked for five years at the Veterans Home in Yountville. Elgie married Bradley Kirkpatrick on May 2, 1964, at the St. Helena Presbyterian Church. They first lived in Napa and then moved to St. Helena. She and Brad moved to Pope Valley in 1965 to took over the Pope Valley Garage.

She was a volunteer firefighter with the Pope Valley Fire Department for 30 years, served on the Pope Valley School Board for 26 years and was a volunteer emergency medical technician for Angwin Community Ambulance for 20 years.

Harold Moskowite County General Plan Comments

south county, addressed the Planning Commission as a landowner. He owns 180 acres of vineyards at Moskowite Corners, near Lake Berryessa, where lots have to be at least 160 acres under the General Plan. Moskowite said he would like to see the plan changed to allow him, as well as property owners in Gordon and Pope Valleys, to subdivide his land into four lots of roughly 40 acres — and by extension, to allow property owners in

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Fishing With Sid

The fishing just gets better and better. Fished for bass last week on Friday and Saturday during the day and it was great. Saturday evening my wife and I went out from about 5 PM to almost 10 PM. I caught a 4.5 lb bass, 6 lb bass and then an 8 lb bass all on a River2Sea crawdad and - you guessed it - we didn't



bring the camera. My wife took a picture of me holding the 8 lb bass on my cell phone and we have to find out how to download it. Of all the times to forget my camera!!!!

My wife tried a new bait a River2Sea weedless crawdad with Procure crawdad gel and after getting the hang of it she landed a couple of nice bass in the 2 to 3 lb range. A few fish were caught on topwater but this weekend it wasn't as

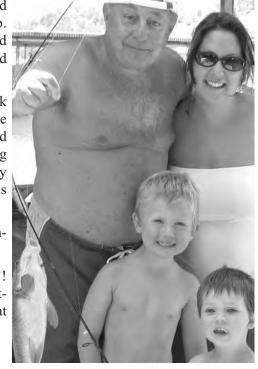
Catfish would not cooperate with me and I used everything I could think of. Sunday I fished on the dock

while working on my boat and I showed Liliana & Marcus D. and their dad how to catch carp. Marcus who is 3 years old and Liliana who is almost 5 years old each caught their first fish ever.

Later that day when I came back from fishing the dad was on the dock with the boys in the attached photo Dominic & Dylan S. fishing for carp and as I watched each boy landed a good size carp and this time I had my camera.

I hope you all took your Dads fishing on Father's Day.

til next weekgood fishing!!!!!! www.fishingconnection.net, bestguide@hotmail.com or call me at 650-583-3333.



Fishing With Dino

Bass anglers did well last weekend. Believe it or not in shallow waters. Yamamoto plastics and Lucky Craft lures were working well. The North side of the Big Island was the hot spot.

If you troll for Trout you need to be at the 40 foot depths at skiers cove shoreline. Salmon are real deep at the 90 foot depths near the dam area.

No signs of Catfish as of this week.

Crappie are real slow but Jigs or Minnows off the bottom will get you your Crappie. Early morning or evening is best for Crappie.

Water temp is at 71 degrees 6 ft. from the surface.

Dino Righetti, Spanish Flat Resort Marina, 707-966-7708

Older Than Dirt Quiz

Count all the ones that you remember, not the ones you were told about.

- 1. Blackjack chewing gum
- 2. Wax Coke-shaped bottles with colored sugar water
- 3. Candy cigarettes
- 4. Soda pop machines that dispensed glass bottles
- 5. Coffee shops or diners with tableside juke boxes
- 6. Home milk delivery in glass bottles with cardboard stoppers
- 7. Party lines
- 8. Newsreels before the movie
- 9. P.F. Flyers
- 10. Butch wax
- 11. Telephone numbers with a word prefix (OLive-6933)
- 12. Peashooters
- 13. Howdy Doody
- 14. 45 RPM records
- 15. S&H Green Stamps
- 16 Hi-fi's
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- 18. Mimeograph paper
- 19. Blue flashbulb
- 20. Packards
- 21. Roller skate keys
- 22. Cork popguns
- 23. Drive-ins
- 24. Studebakers
- 25. Wash tub wringers

If you remembered 0-5 =You're still young

If you remembered 6-10 =You are getting older

If you remembered 11-15 = Don't tell your age,

If you remembered 16-25 = You're older than dirt!

I might be older than dirt, but those memories are the best part of my life. Don't forget to pass this along!! Especially to all your really OLD friends.... ******

Corn and avocado salad (Thanks to Rustridge Ranch Inn & Winery)

Ingredients:

6 ears of corn, shucked

1/2 cup small-diced red onion (1 small onion)

- 2 1/2 tablespoons cider vinegar
- 3 tablespoons fresh lime juice
- 3 tablespoons olive oil
- 1/2 teaspoon kosher salt
- 1/2 teaspoon freshly ground black pepper
- 1/2 cup tightly packed chopped cilantro
- 2 avocados, diced

In a large pot of boiling salted water, cook the corn for 3 minutes until the starchiness is just gone. Drain and immerse it in ice water to stop the cooking and to set the color. When the corn is cool, cut the kernels off the cob, cutting close to the cob. Toss the kernels in a large bowl with the red onions, vinegar, olive oil, lime juice, salt, and pepper. Stir together.

Gently toss in the diced avocado and fresh cilantro. Taste for seasonings and serve cold or at room temperature.

NOTE: Salad tastes best if you mix together all ingredients about an hour before serving and leave out at room temperature. This will give you a wonderful, creamy texture from the avocado. There should be enough acid from the vinegar and lime juice to keep the avocados from turning brown. Gently stir again just before serving.

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2007 Lake Berryessa Calendar of Events

- Pope Valley Ropers & Riders, Gymkhana Buckle Series
- 7/14 Flea Market (Rent Tables) Berryessa Senior Center

10 AM to 4 PM, Lunch Available

- 7/21 Casino Night/Pasta Dinner, Berryessa Senior Center, Big Raffle, 5:30 to 10:00PM
- Pope Valley Ropers & Riders, Gymkhana Buckle Series
- Benicia Outdoor Lifestyle Festival, Sat. & Sun.
- 8/4 Lion's Club Poker Run
- 8/11 Craft Faire (Rent Tables) Berryessa Senior Center

10:00 to 4:00PM, Lunch Available

- 8/18 Bring Your Own Meat Bar-B-Q, Berryessa Senior Ctr., Chef Paul will cook it if you wish, Saturday, 4:00PM
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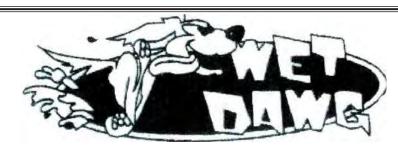
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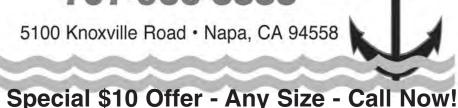
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almonds

salt and pepper Honey Balsamic Vinaigrette:

2 tablespoons balsamic vinegar

2 tablespoons honey 1/2 tablespoon Dijon mustard 2 tablespoons mayonnaise

1 teaspoon chili powder

Directions for the Vinaigrette:

In a blender, combine all ingredients except oil. Blend at medium speed for one minute. Next, with blender at medium speed, pour oil very slowly into blender. Add salt and pepper. For each serving, toss 2 cups greens with 2 tablespoons dressing, top with 4 cherry tomatoes, 1 sliced pork chop, 1/2 avocado, sliced in wedges, 1/2 nectarine sliced in wedges. 1/4 grapefruit segments. Drizzle with more dressing and sprinkle with toasted almonds. Serve immediately.

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ANGEL

Blueberry Congealed Salad

2 (3 ounce) packages blackberry gelatin 2 cups boiling water

1 (15 ounce) can blueberries

1 (8 ounce) can crushed pineapple, drained with juice reserved

1 (8 ounce) package cream cheese, softened 1/2 cup white sugar

1 cup sour cream

serve.

1/2 teaspoon vanilla extract

1/2 cup chopped pecans DIRECTIONS

In a large bowl, dissolve the gelatin in boiling water. Drain the liquid from the blueberry and pineapple cans into a measuring cup and add enough water to make 1 cup of liquid. Stir the juice mixture, blueberries and crushed pineapple into the gelatin and pour into a 2 quart mold. Refrigerate until firm. Mix together softened cream cheese, sugar, sour cream and vanilla and spread over the congealed gelatin mixture. Sprinkle cream cheese layer with chopped pecans. Chill for

My mother taught me RELIGION. "You better pray that this will come out of the carpet."

approximately 30 more minutes, invert and

. My mother taught me about TIME TRAVEL. "If you don't straighten up, I'm going to knock you into the middle of next week!"

Olive Chicken

8 skinless, boneless chicken breasts salt to taste

2 tablespoons olive oil

4 cloves garlic, crushed

1/4 tsp dried thyme (Use Ifresh)

1/4 teaspoon ground black pepper

4 tomatoes, peeled and quartered

20 pimento-stuffed green olives

(I like to ad 10 sliced mushrooms to mine)

1 1/4 cups dry white wine

1 1/4 cups chicken broth

DIRECTIONS

Season chicken with salt. Heat oil in a large skillet over medium high heat; brown chicken in oil, about 5 minutes each side. Add garlic, thyme and pepper and mix well, then stir in tomatoes, olives, wine and broth.

Reduce heat to low and simmer, uncovered, for 45 minutes or until chicken is cooked through and juices run clear.

Eat as is or pour over Pasta or Rice.

CREAMY JALAPENO DIP

(Per Tyler Nodine)

1½ CUPS HIDDEN VALLEY RANCH DRESSING

1/2 CUP OF SOUR CREAM

4 TBSP CILANTRO

½ TSP SALT

1/2 TSP GARLIC

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