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The Flash

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Family Nudist Resort

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TEN-DAY VOLLEYBALL TOURNAMENT MARCH 8-17

The Premier Nude Volleyball Event
of the South continues this week

- See pages 2 & 3.

Karaoke with DJ Jack
Thursday March 14th
& Sunday March 17th
6 pm-10 pm Butt Hutt deck



Friday March 15th

Trivia

starts 5 pm on the Butt Hutt deck

Friday March 15th
on the meadow stage
♦ BRING A CHAIR ♦
5 Shades of Grey
7:00-10:00 pm
+ Tiki DJ
10:15 pm to 1 am



Saturday March 16th

Wheelhouse

on the Butt Hutt deck

8:00-11:00 pm



Sunday March 17th

Lett's Duet

poolside noon to 3:00 pm



**Register to play & pay
in the Lake Como office**

new.lakecomonaturally.com/sbs/

Monday 8:00-8:45am Registration

11th 9:00am Survivor Volleyball Sand court

Tuesday 8-8:45am Registration

12th 9:00am K&Q 4s Grass

Wednesday 8-8:45am Registration

13th 9:00am Rotating pairs 4s Grass

Thursday **THEME: Steampunk**

14th 8-8:45am Registration

9:00am Coed 4s Grass

6-10 pm Karaoke Butt Hutt deck

Friday **THEME: 80's for the Ladies**

15th 8-8:45am Registration

9:00am Ladies A&AA QOC

9:00am Ladies Day: B Division 6's

10:00am Men's Masters 60 and over

4-6:00pm "Colour Me Mine" Mens Rotate pairs

7-10:00 pm 5 Shades of Grey Outside stage Butt Hut

10:00 pm-1:00 am Tiki DJ's Outside stage Butt Hut

Saturday **THEME: SPACE X2C and ABC (Anything but Clothes)**

16th 8-8:30am Registration

8:30am Opening Ceremonies

9:00am Coed 6s Grass Round Robin

9:00pm-1:00am Space X2C Woods party

8-11 pm Wheelhouse Band Butt Hut

Sunday **THEME: St. Patty's Day**

17th 10:00am Playoffs

6-10 pm Karaoke Butt Hutt Deck



Lake Como's WiFi
network ID: "LCN Guest"
password: guest20500

Rec. Hall system:
"Frontier1472"
password: **3874993325**

Super Bowl South Gate Prices

10 day: \$160.00 • 5 day: \$110.00
Single day: \$40.00

(50% off above for Como residents
and members)

Please Note:

Music hours have been extended
to 1:00 am Friday night March 15 /
Sat. morning: DJ at meadow stage
and to 1:00 am Saturday night March
16 / Sunday morning: DJ in West
Grove.

Vehicles (other than golf carts or
those with handicapped tags) will not
be allowed in the West Grove the last
4 days of the tournament, Thursday
March 14th through Sunday March
17th - There will be a golf cart shuttle
service between the North Grove
and the West Grove on those days
7-9 am and 3-5 pm.

BARE BUNS CAFE

Counter Service only -Limited Menu

Grab & Go Variety breakfast 8am-11am
March 9th-15th

CAFE HOURS

Sat. 9th 8:00am - 9:00pm
Sun. 10th 8:00am - 8:00pm

Mon. 11th - Friday 15th
Café Closed from 11:00am-4:00pm

LUNCH:

(Mon 11th-Wed 13th)
11:30am - 1:30pm
Courtside VB West Grove
Preorder By 10:30am Cold Sandwiches

(Thurs 14th-Friday 15th)
Hot Lunch Variety
11:00am - 2:00pm
Courtside VB West Grove

DINNER:

Mon 11th-Thursday 14th 4pm - 8:00pm
Friday 15th 4:00pm - 9:00pm

*Sat. 16th 11:00am - 9:00pm
*Sun 17th 11:00am - 9:00pm

*Breakfast available Courtside VB West Grove

HOURS

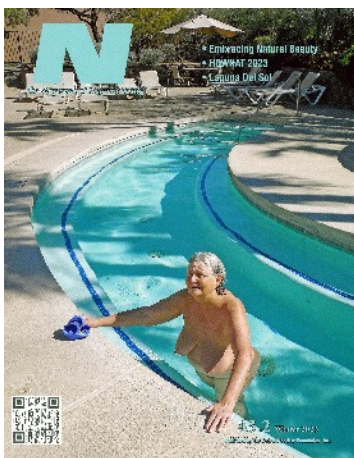
Bare Buns Cafe operations will be modified during the volleyball tournament starting Saturday March 9th through Sunday March 17th as noted at left.



Food & drink available courtside: according to the schedule below:



There will be no Friday Movie Night this week March 15



Latest issue of the Naturist Society Foundation's N Magazine now on sale in Como office

Como on the Rocks
Courtside Bar

50/50 Raffle

Munchies Cafe
Courtside

CASH ONLY

Courtside Food Hours

Sat. 9th - Wed. 13th 11:30 - 1:30
Cold Sandwiches (Preorder)

Thurs. 14th - Fri. 15th
11:00 - 2:00pm Hot Food Variety

Sat. 16th - Sun 17th
8:00am - 2:00pm Breakfast and hot lunch variety

Courtside Bar

Fri. 15th - Sun. 17th 11:00am - 5:00pm

50/50 Raffle





Butt Hutt bar hours of operation:

Monday through Friday open 4 pm

Saturday & Sunday open 1 pm

Closing time varies

Bartenders Wanted

See Maria or email

mariagiotta123@gmail.com

Butt Hutt Activities:



Country line dance lessons every Tuesday at 7:00 pm on the Butt Hutt deck



Cornhole

every Weds.
starting 7 pm



Darts

7:30 pm Friday
3:00 pm Sat & Sun
7:00 pm Monday

See page 1 for entertainment Thursday, Friday, Saturday & Sunday nights.



Call
813-949-1810
ext. 5

Tournament Modified Cafe Hours

Monday 11th to Friday 15th

Open for breakfast 8 am to 11 am

Closed 11 am to 4 pm

[Lunch available at court food service]
Re-open 4 pm to 8 pm (to 9 pm Friday)

Saturday 16th & Sunday 17th

Open 11 am to 9 pm

[Breakfast available at court food service]

Cafe dinner specials served after 4 pm

(You can also order off sandwich menu):

- Monday 3/11: Taco bar: \$11.95 • 6 wings with fries: \$9.00 • 12 wings with fries: \$15.00
- Tuesday 3/12: chicken Alfredo with salad: \$12.95
- Weds. 3/13: meat or veggie lasagna with salad: \$12.95
- Thurs. 3/14: meatloaf dinner: \$13.00
- Friday 3/15: haddock (baked, panko or beer-batter) with fries & slaw: \$14.95 (no substitutions)
- Saturday 3/16: creamy pasta with sausage & spinach with butternut squash medley, served over bowtie noodles with salad: \$12.95
- Sunday 3/17 Saint Patrick's Day: corned beef & cabbage with red potatoes & salad: \$14.95





Garden Fest

Saturday March 30th

Stone Soup • Farmers' Market

Hand-on Crafts

Music by Jerry Brown



new.lakecomonaturally.com/garden



Open Member Meeting Saturday March 23 in the Lake Como Recreation Hall 11:00 am to 1:00 pm.

All TBFB members and guests are invited, as well as all naturists interested in learning about initiatives and updates to establish a clothing-optional beach designation in the Tampa area.

Free pizza, soft drinks & bottled water • 50/50 raffle

Online registration is required by Weds. March 20th

For further information and to register, go to:

<https://tampabayfreebeaches.org/event-5612384>



Wednesday, Wine & Women (WWW)



March 20th – 3:30 pm – Host: Cindy Y. – 20124 Cot Road

April 3rd – Host: Susie P. – The Oasis (carpool details to follow)

April 17th – 3:00 pm – Host: Deb H. – rec hall *[last of season]*

All Como members welcome

– Bring a snack to share and your beverage of choice.

Recreation Hall reservations (pre-empting all other use):

BOD meeting agenda will be posted at new.lakecomonaturally.com/co-op/

- March 20 Wednesday 11:30 am to 1:30 pm: **Women in Nude Recreation**
- March 23 Saturday: 11 am to 2 pm: **Tampa Bay Free Beaches meeting**
- March 27 Wednesday: starting 6:00 pm: **Monthly BOD Meeting**
- April 9 Tuesday: 7:30 pm: **Burn volunteer meeting**
- April 17 Wednesday: 11:30 am to 1:30 pm: **Women in Nude Recreation followed by:**
3:00 pm to 6:00 pm: **Wednesday Wine & Women**

Dare to Go Bare 5K Run & 2K Walk



Sunday April 14, 2024

Tampa Bay's Original *Nude* Run
...since 1992

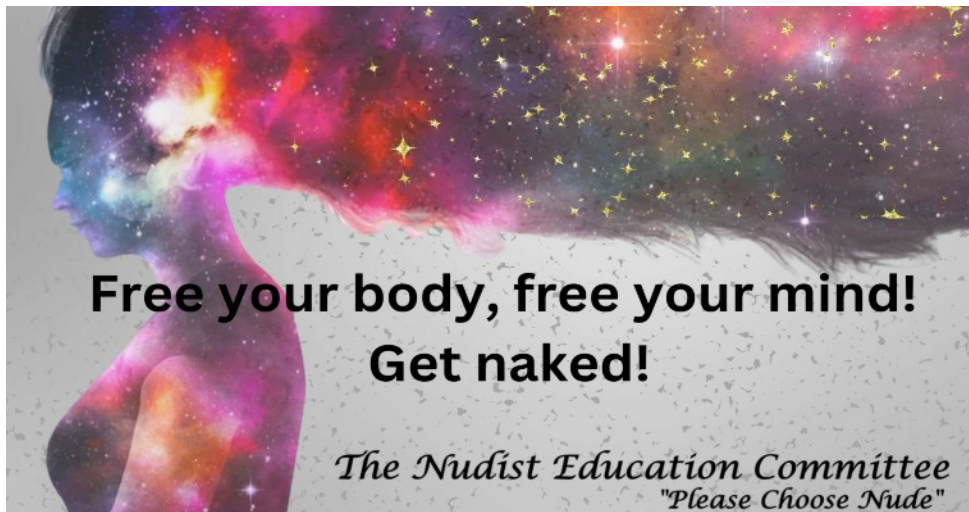
Details, course map & registration at:

new.LakeComoNaturally.com/run



Advance registration by 4/10/24 required – NO WALK-INS – Pricing:

now to 3/24:	non-members: \$30	Como residents & members: \$15
3/25 to 4/10:	non-member: \$40	Como residents & members: \$20



**Dare to Go Bare
5K Run / 2K Walk
&
Naked Arts &
Music Festival
price increase
Sunday
March 24th**



Advance registration
required:

\$90 to 3/24/24.

\$110 from 3/25/24 to
4/28/24 (final day to
register • no walk-ins).



Info & registration: new.lakecomonaturally.com/burn/



photos: Tim K.

The final Como Members Petanque Tournament was held on Saturday March 2nd.

Despite low grey clouds that often threatened rain, the weather held and the sun even managed to poke through the clouds for a few brief periods. 27 players in 9 teams of three persons each battled for the right to have their names inscribed on the Petanque Plaque in our trophy case. Team Eight (Sheryl T, Joanne B, Kevin B) were undefeated and rose to the top of the Winner's Bracket, while Team Four (Tom B, Dan R, Dennis M) dropped into the Loser's Bracket after losing the final game of the Winner's Bracket, but then valiantly fought their way to the top of the Loser's Bracket. Team Six (Peggy J, Carol C, Ray A) placed third when they lost to Team Four (Tom M, Dennis M, Dan R). That pitted Team Four (winners of the Loser's Bracket) against Team Eight (winners of the Winner's Bracket) in our double elimination tournament. Despite the need to win two games in order to Beat Team Eight twice, Team Four battled to victory in some very exciting play that inched up the scoreboard leapfrogging points one or two at a time often with the lead switching between teams on every throw.

We would like to thank all our competitors, volunteers, and onlookers for making this another successful tournament. Also we want to thank Lake Como's Maintenance staff for providing tents and tables and the staff of the Office who contributed to the effort.



First place



Second place



Third place



Garden of Eden non-denominational Christian church: Sunday March 17th: service 10 am: topic: "A new Society - Part 6". Discipleship meeting after church. Prayer meeting MONDAY Mar. 18th at 7 pm *Info & prayer requests:* Pam@gardenofedenchurch.org

Weekly Activities - in recreation hall



Chair Aerobics 8:30-9:30 am every Monday & Friday and every Weds. starting 9:30 am.



BINGO every Monday 6:30 pm: card sales 7:00 pm games start



Game Night starts 7:00 pm every Sunday
Game Day starts 3:00 pm every Wednesday



Walk Away the Pounds 8:30 am Tues, Weds & Thurs

Yoga with Demetrius Jones (DJ) Tuesdays 6 pm
info & podcast: <http://nudeyogi.life/>

Suspended until further notice:
Tuesday floor & chair stretch
Friday chair yoga

Arts & Crafts

every Monday 1-3 pm

PING-PONG every Friday 1-3 pm



Movie Night Friday 7 pm
No movie night March 15

Activities outdoors & other locations



Chinese Wand

10:00 am every Tuesday & Friday on the deck at the Sandy Beach



Tennis *card draw* 3:00 pm Friday & Saturday



every Monday & Thursday 10 am if temperature > 60 and not windy.

Pickleball: 9:00 am daily + 5:00 pm Mon/Weds/Fri



9 ball tournament 7 pm Mondays
8 ball Scotch doubles 7 pm Weds.



Join the private Facebook group **Lake Como Volleyball** for play times & dates.



Molky Sunday at 1 pm in N. Grove near stage



Petanque:

play 10 am & 4 pm daily

lessons 9:30 am Tuesday & Thursday

Song Circle North Grove stage every Weds. 2-4 pm



Golf West Grove two 9-hole courses - 10 am Saturday & Sun



Water volleyball

New hours:
Saturday & Sunday 3 pm to 6 pm

Organizers: email activity updates to: marketing@lakecomonaturally.com