

Blairstone Forest Pond Report:

Late September, October, November, December 2023

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Late September

- * Complete algaecide application in large lob of lake

October

- * Complete algaecide application in small lob of lake
- * Complete phosphate binder application for both large and small lobs
- * Water supply on timer
- * Resume weekly sweeping leaves off of observation deck at large lob, small bridge, short board at small lob

November

- * Water supply on timer
- * Resume scooping leaves in lake at shoreline where needed most (e.g. by observation deck (large lob), water supply shoreline (small lob)
- * Apply beneficial bacteria (PC) large lob from shoreline
- * Weekly sweeping at observation deck at large lob, small bridge, short boardwalk at small lob

December

- * Water supply on timer
- * Apply beneficial bacteria (MR) large and small lobs from shoreline
- * Weekly sweeping at observation deck (large lob, small bridge, short boardwalk (small lob)
- * Ongoing scooping leaves in lake from shoreline

General Requests to ALL BF Residents:

Please Use Fertilizers, Pesticides, Herbicides, etc...Responsibly

(Includes Bagged Soil Mix with Synthetic Fertilizers)

- ***Switch to Organics (OMRI Certified... Instead of Synthetic/Chemical Derived)***
- ***Refrain from Any Fertilizer (high in Nitrogen and Phosphorus) in order to reduce phosphates build-up in lake, resulting in high levels of algae growths***

Thank you...