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APRIL 2018

THE PRESIDENT'S CORNER

I hope you all had a happy and comfortable winter, wherever you spent it. Summer is right around the corner and brings with it all the special events as well as the regular easy lake life we all love.

We have three openings for board positions up for election this year. This is your chance to further improve your great lake experience by serving as a board member. If you are interested, please have a short resume to Carol in the office by early May.

Thank most of you again for following the leash laws throughout Lake Ogemaw and especially on the sand bar.

Don't forget, the yard waste site is for grass and leaves only, nothing else. This area is for residents---anyone being paid to do yard work for someone else is NOT to use it.

The board has decided to replace the heating system in the club house, which is over 35 years old. After a number of bids, it is going to cost us around \$6,000 and is going to be done by Hacht Heating and Cooling. The money is coming from our cash reserves and will not increase your dues.

As always, activities meetings are posted on the board in front of the club house. Any resident is more than welcome to attend. We love new ideas and input as well as volunteers. It's a great way to meet new people and make friends.

Sincerely,
David Galbreath

Potluck dinners are on the first Wednesday at 5:30pm monthly. Bring a dish to pass, place settings and beverage of choice. It is a great way to meet new members and a fun social time.

FRIDAY COFFEE HOUR 9AM-10AM
(except during holidays)
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and donuts.

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Board Members

President: Dave Galbreath (989) 873-6183 Vice Pres: Vacant Treasurer: Frank Barretta (586)263-1325 Secretary: Mary Buyze (989)-873-5684	Trustees Rick Rodau (602) 793-3156 Cy Schultz, Jr. (989)873-5995 or (989) 792-9284 Ron Atkinson (248) 821-4806
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Men's Committee Chairman Bob Gollehur (989) 873-6117	Activities Committee Joan Beck (989) 873-4014
Fish Committee Tom Lukosavich	Lake Coordinator Bill Pietron 989-873-8071

BOARD MEETINGS are held every 3rd Saturday at 9:00am
 March-October.

2018 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

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| April 21st | DOCK LOTTERY @ 10:00am (following the board meeting) |
| May 5th | PLANT EXCHANGE |
| May 26th | BOATERS SAFETY @ 9:00am (Free! Lunch provided. Do not have to register) |
| June 2nd | LADIES LUNCHEON |
| June 9th | Kid's Fishing Derby-Free Fishing Weekend |
| July 7th | ANNUAL MEETING @ 9:00am
FIREWORKS!! Located at the Dam/Spillway site-Dusk (Rain day Sun, July 8) |
| July 8th | JULY BREAKFAST from 9:00am—Noon |
| July 21st | SUMMER POKER RUN—12:30pm Registration and bands at Ka-Jacs |
| Aug 4&5 | ASSOCIATION WIDE GARAGE SALE! |
| Aug 4th | PIG ROAST @ 5:30pm—bring a dish to pass and place settings |
| Sept 1st | KID'S FUN DAY |
| Oct 27th | FALL FESTIVAL |

2018 YARD WASTE DATES

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| Thursday April 19, 2018 | Thursday August 9, 2018 |
| Thursday May 3, 2018 | Thursday August 23, 2018 |
| Thursday May 17, 2018 | Thursday September 13, 2018 |
| Thursday June 7, 2018 | Thursday September 27, 2018 |
| Thursday June 21, 2018 | Thursday October 11, 2018 |
| Thursday July 12, 2018 | Thursday October 25, 2018 |
| Thursday July 26, 2018 | Thursday November 8, 2018 |

Dock LOTTERY



The annual dock drawing will be held on

April 21st

after the monthly board meeting

@ approximately 10am

Cost \$200

You will need a copy of your watercraft registration and proof of insurance in order to receive a dock.

Only members in good standing can participate.

Dock lease is only for LOSRA members ONLY and not for sub-leasing

POKER RUN TICKET PROCEDURE

Tickets for both Poker Runs will go on sale 3 weeks before the scheduled event. For the first week, each household will be allowed to purchase only 6 tickets only from the association office. Starting the 2nd week and until 2 days before the event all remaining tickets will be sold on a first come first serve basis.

Specifically for the 2018 Summer Poker Run the 6 tickets per household will go on sale at the association office on June 30th. On July 9th – July 18th all remaining tickets will be sold on a first come first serve basis available at Ka-Jacs and the association office. Summer Poker run is Saturday, July 21, 2018

For the 2019 Winter Poker Run the 6 tickets per household will be sold at the association office on December 30, 2018. All remaining tickets will go on sale January 7-17, 2019 at both Ka-Jac's and the association office.

Questions: Contact Joan Beck 989-873-4014 or the association office 989-873-3058

FREE Boater Safety Class

Saturday, May 26th

9:00am—4:00pm

For those 14 years of age and older.

No pre-registration necessary

Must pass exam in order to receive a boaters certificate

Lunch included



FISH COMMITTEE

Happy Spring everyone. I hope everyone made it thru the winter OK. To all the returning snowbirds, welcome back.

Well, it's time to start checking all your fishing equipment for the coming year. Replace those old fishing lines, oil those reels, and check out those trolling motors.

The fish stocking in November was successful.

300 Walleye 6" to 8"

500 Largemouth Bass 5" to 8"

500 Crappies 4" to 5"

Coming events:

Fish Contest: May 26th. to 9 pm on August 31st.

Free Fishing weekend June 9th and 10th

Kid's Fishing Derby is Saturday, June 9th



Entry forms for the Fish Contest will be available in May at Ka-Jac's, the club house, and at Lake Ogemaw Marina. The entry fee will still be \$5.00. Entries must be obtained prior to fishing.

Good luck to everyone, and have a great summer.

If interested in the Fish Committee, please come to one of the Board Meetings and let me know.

Tom Lukosavich, Fish Committee.

FIREWORKS!

Fireworks will be set off over the dam/spillway on Saturday, July 7th

For future reference, the association fireworks are scheduled for the first Saturday in July with Sunday being a rain day.

Many residents enjoy watching the fireworks from your boats. Firework regulations dictate no parking areas as indicated on map for safety.

Island owners must move their boats and vehicles from 3:00pm (if not sooner) on JULY 6th until Sunday morning July 8th

Water Craft Rules and Safety

NO WAKE!

Before 11am and after 7:30pm this applies to ALL types of watercraft

Islands are privately owned! Do not dock, trespass, fish off any island or at the DAM/Spillway site.

DNR and the Marine Sheriff patrol the lake.

Please be mindful of others while having fun on the water and at the sand-bar.

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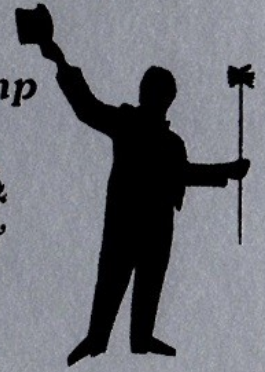
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