

LONG LAKE NEWS

Spring 2022

Annual Member Meeting

Our annual member meeting will be held on Saturday, May 28 at 9:00 AM. We will meet at the A & H Senior Citizens Center. The address is 28315 County Road H. It's located just south of the intersection of County Roads A and H.

We will have a guest speaker along with reports from board members, a door prize, free 2022 fishing regulation booklets, and free Clean Boats Clean Waters towels.

We hope to see everyone on May 28.

Annual Membership Dues

Annual dues this year will again be \$35.00 (\$15 membership, \$20 special fund). Dues can be paid at the member meeting, mailed, send using the Venmo App.

A member contact information form has been included. Please fill it out if you are a new member or need to make changes to your contact information. The form can be brought to the member meeting or mailed to Tim Tamlyn.

We are encouraging members to provide an email address for sending newsletters or other association information to help reduce printing and postage cost.

Webb Lake Boating Ordinance

Please review Section IV No Wake Areas of the Webb Lake boating ordinance below as we head into another boating season:

No person shall operate a boat in the following area at a speed faster than "Slow – No Wake" as defined in 30.50(12), Wisconsin Statutes 1988, as "the speed at which a boat moves as slowly as possible while still maintaining steerage control. Said "No Wake" areas are (1) All the lakes as listed between the hours of 5:00 PM to 10:00 AM.

This ordinance applies to Deer, Big Bear, Little Bear, Webb (Upper and lower), Des Moines, Long, Lucerne, Lily, Prinel, Nicaboyne, and Lost lakes.

Association Pontoon Trailer

Please don't forget you can rent the association pontoon trailer for a \$25 donation. You can contact Mark Michel at 715-281-8953 to schedule a time block.

Using our trailer helps reduce the chance of zebra mussels or other aquatic invasive species from entering the lake as the trailer is only used for Long Lake.

The trailer uses a 2-inch ball. There is a box at the landing that contains a form that should be filled out. Donation checks can be made out to Long Lake Association. Donations can also be made using the Venmo app. The Venmo username is timtamlyn. Please indicate the payment is for the LLA trailer.

Loon Platforms

We will be putting out the three loon platforms soon after ice out (probably early May). The north-end platform will be put in a new place to see if it will be more attractive for the loons to use.

Boat Parade and Ice Cream Social

This year's boat parade and ice cream social will be held on Saturday, July 2. The boat parade will start at 1:00 PM with the ice cream social immediately to follow. Pat and Trish Sheridan have offered to host the ice cream social again.

We are going to do the boat parade differently this year. Boats will meet halfway down the southeast shore by the Mulford residence and go clockwise around the lake and end at the ice cream social. There will be first, second and third place prizes for the best decorated boats.

John and Candy McMahon will have a donation table for the Burnett County Humane Society at the ice cream social like they did last year.

Purple Loosestrife Beetles

Mark and Jill Michel will raise purple loosestrife (galerucella) beetles at their property again. Mark plans to release a large quantity of beetles on the south shore near Hanscom Lake later this year.

Long Lake Fish Survey

Craig Roberts with the Wisconsin DNR will conduct a Long Lake fish survey late May or early June. He said the water temperature must be at least 55 degrees. They will start making schedules once ice is out.

He said if folks want to watch they are of course welcome to do so but remember that they are using an

electric shock called electrofishing to temporarily stun the fish, and if people are going to watch, to do so from the dock and not in the water. If they see people in the water or sitting with their feet in the lake, they will halt the survey as a safety measure. He also noted that because our lake is so clean if folks wanted to watch they could probably see more of the operation from a point higher than their docks.

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2022 Membership Dues. The cost is still \$35. Checks can be made out to Long Lake Association and mailed to Tim Tamlyn, 6220 Arbor Ln, Excelsior, MN 55331. Payment can also be made with Venmo. Tim's username is timtamlyn. Please indicate it is for LLA dues.

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