# the Lake Plantagenet

### Newsletter



### Spring 2019

Volume 11

## What your board is working on:



• Earth Day Clean-up

Lake residents are encouraged to clean up the road sides near you and recycle what is possible on **April 22nd** or thereabouts.

<u>Lake-Wide Garage Sale--</u>
<u>Saturday</u>, April 27th

Contact Clint and Patty at Balsam Beach to be included on the lake map. **751-5057** 

### • Boat Inspections:

LPLA and Helga and Rockwood Townships contributed funds to provide **1000 hours** of boat inspections for our access this upcoming year starting in May, 2019. Our picnic raffles are a great fundraiser to help pay for these inspections. With AIS as close as Lake Bemidji and Lake Marquette, it is necessary to be even more vigilant.

### • Fourth of July Boat Parade

After a great success and lots of fun last year and back by popular demand is our own Fourth of July Boat Parade around Lake Plantagenet. Meet at <u>Balsam Beach at 3:00</u> on July 4th. A reminder will be sent out!!



Participants in last year's parade

## **The Picnic/Annual Meeting**

### Saturday, August 31st, 2019

**Balsam Beach Resort** will once again provide us with an excellent venue for getting together with neighbors, sharing a wonderful meal and getting a chance to win lots of fun door prizes!!

Rumor has it that Clint has made some more of those incredible Adirondack chairs for this year's raffle!!!!



LPLA Board members Paul Brewenski-President Mike Kovacovich-vice-president Clint Mueller-treasurer Sue Bruns-secretary Lin Ward- newsletter Board members: Bob Anderson, Alan Colliander, Mary May, Krystie North

### More about the Aquatic Invasive Species around us:

You can learn more about any infested waters in Minnesota by going to the DNR List of Infested Waters.

#### <u> Starry Stonewart–</u>

This invasive is an algae that flourishes in quiet bays and will rapidly produce dense mats that can cover the lake surface. It has been found in **Big Turtle, Upper Red Lake** and now an infestation in **Big Wolf Lake** has been discovered. Caution buoys will be placed to indicate the infestation and monitoring teams using canoes and kayaks so as not to cut up the vegetation will be in place.

### <u>Zebra Mussels</u>

This invasive has recently been detected in **Lake Bemidji** and is assumed to be in all the connecting lakes, including **Lake Irving, Carr Lake and Lake Marquette** as well as the **Mississippi River**. **Cass Lake and Leech Lake**, also, suffer from Zebra Mussel infestations.

### <u>Eurasian Milfoil</u>

Leech Lake and Cass Lake have Milfoil.

Thank you to these people who have PAID their LPLA memberships for 2019:

David & Betty Ambers, Bob & Jill Anderson, Robert & Tracy Anderson, Gene & Rosemary Bakke, Joan Bakke, Brian & Lorna Bernstrom, Roger & MaryKay Bernstrom, Carol & John Boese, Darin Boese, Paul & Trish Brewinski, Michele & Mark Brieimaier, Jeff & Christine Brown, Sue & Gary Bruns, Brultlag & Fisk Trust, Sharon & Larry Christenson, Alan & Susan Colliander, Tom D'Albani & Jane Kilgore, John & Janet Dallman, Pat & Mary Delmore, LaVon & Robert **Dennistoun**, Lolly & Duane **Dumas**, Darince & Mark **Dwyer**, Jared & Penny Echternach, Laddie & Jim Elwell, Tim & Leann Englestad, Randy & Norma Frisk, Beth & Brad Fleahman, Kym & Janet Grove, Cathie & Jim Hatch, Annette & Marvin Hoisve, Steve & Janet Holly, Henry Holt, Eileen & Keith Horton, Delphine & Jack Jacobson, Chad & Layle Jerome, Robert & Judith Johnson Kathleen & Mike Jones, Karen & Alan Katz, Jackie & Tony Kerr, Barb & Dan Koller, Arlan & Julie Kolta, Mike & Dawn Kovacovich, Jan & Gary Lange, Kristy & Paul Leppinga, Marlys Lindstrom, Joan Lueth, Mary Lou & James Maciey, Mary & John May, Jessica & Cody Moen, Rich & Erin Morehouse, Clint & Patty Mueller, Dottie Naramore, Krystie North, Liv & Norm Paffrath, Karen Page, David & Ellen Parker, Tony & Jaime Popp, Chris & Christine Reak, Dave & Pam Rice, Mark & Natalie Ronning, Tim & Pam Ross, Karen & Gary Rubey, Brad & Kristen Runquist, Cole Renier, Randy & Cindy **Russell**, Paul & Karen **Sakariassen**, Riki & Bill **Scheela**, Kathryn & Brian **Scholl**, Jerry & Judy Schue, Lee & Polly Scotland, Allison & Beau Seeger, Michelle & Glenn Seibel, Eric & Rade Severseike, Shari Sigoloff & Mike Rawitscher, Glennell & Peter Spangler, Larry & Claudia Sundquist, Kathy & Dave Towley, Stephanie & Jason Towley, Juan & Stacie Turcios, Jeff & Amber Vigdal, Lin & Joel Ward, Bob Wentz, Geri & Jay Wilimek, Bruce & Judy Wilson

The membership is from <u>January-December 2019</u>, so send in your dues now!!!

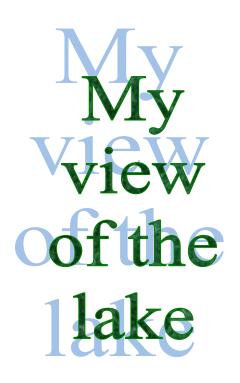
THE LAKE NEEDS YOU! The Membership dues are still only \$30.00. Associate Members: \$20.00 Please send your checks to: LPLA, Box 1641, Bemidji, MN. 56619 Name

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Address:	Email

It's not too late to donate to the **AIS fund**—Send a check with your membership dues.



Geese on Lake Colliander photo by Alan Colliander





Deer in the yard this winter...photo by Alan Colliander

Please send photos of the lake to: Lin Ward jward@paulbunyan.net



Lin digging out photo by Joel Ward



Water through the culvert-04-09-19 photo by Joel Ward