



Island Mud Lake Property Owners Association

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Annual Dues \$20

GREETINGS!

October 5, 2019

The seasons are changing at Island & Mud Lakes; loons are gone, docks are coming out and it's looking like Fall. On behalf of the IMLOPA Board and association members we would like to thank everyone for participating in the 2019 events and making this another wonderful summer at the lakes! Keep up with any area news and happenings on our web site, winter is also an interesting time at the lake.

In place of a Fall Newsletter we are attaching the minutes from our annual picnic. Watch for our Spring Newsletter and more fun events in 2020.

Have a great winter!

IMLPOA Board Meeting Minutes

July 20, 2019

The annual picnic meeting came to order at 5:30 pm by President, Chuck Pettipiece. Board Members present: Chuck Pettipiece, Leo Offerman, Jerry Finnerty, Pam Nordahl, Patricia Bogart, Jim Luttrell. Board members absent JoAnn Levi, Joe Banks

Secretary's report: Absent

Treasurer's report: Beginning of year balance was \$7354.00

Current balance is \$8899.00 An anonymous donor again donated \$500.00. As of the picnic day, there are 88 members in our Lake Association. Expenses for the year were \$742.00,

including mailings, the loon platforms and picnic supplies. The website has been pre-paid and the maintenance is voluntarily done by Theresa Offerman. Toni and JoAnn Levi donated the use of their land for our picnic. Buck Brothers gets donations of our many prizes from local businesses. There were approximately 43 adults and 5 children present at the picnic.

Our speaker was Todd Holk from the Crow Wing County Water Patrol. He spoke on boating rules and regulations. Some items of interest were:

- * If a gas container is in an enclosed area, you must have a fire extinguisher on board.
- * Boats over 16 feet in length must have a horn or whistle.
- * Jet ski operators must be 13 or older.
- * When using a paddleboard, kids under 10 must wear a life jacket. Adults must have a life jacket on board.

Old business:

Lake event participation: There were 15 boats in the 4th of July boat parade and 13 boats in the fishing contest. Prizes were given

New business

The lake is stocked with walleye fingerlings every 3 years in the amount of about 150 pounds. A permit is needed for more. We would need to contact a private party for this. The cost is approximately \$20 per pound. In order to enhance structure by adding rocks, a permit is needed. Chuck will check on this.

Membership placards: A majority vote was counted to provide name placards showing membership in our Lake Association at \$6 per sign.

The Mud lake channel has trees that have fallen across it. Volunteers were asked to organize a clean up after the meeting.

Theresa Offerman was recognized for her work on the website.

The pontoon trailer is used 40-60 times a year. We have no known invasive species in our lakes. There has been an increase of burglaries on Lens Road, therefore, Police drive throughs were discussed around our lake for added protection. This could increase our property taxes by \$60 per year. It was mentioned that Emily Police Department only works days.

There were no volunteers for open board positions.

There was a discussion of fire coverage between Emily and Aitkin as providers. Leo Offerman is working on this issue.

The Island Mud Lake sign is again looking worn. This will be taken up by the board.

Many prizes were awarded, including a lawn mower and a party floatation device.

Meeting was adjourned at 6:16 pm.

Respectfully,
Linda Berglund