



Camp and Center Lakes Rehabilitation District

Annual Meeting

Saturday, August 29, 2015

9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

Salem Town Hall

9814 Antioch Road, Highway 83

Salem, WI 53168

Special points of interest:

- Commissioner Election

The Board will be available to discuss/answer any issues not covered on the agenda after the conclusion of the meeting.



2015 Annual Meeting Agenda & Rules

2014 Meeting Minutes

Boating Regulations

2016 Annual Budget

Harvesting Report

Important Phone Numbers and Web Sites

Pursuant to Wis. St. Statute 65.90

Meeting Agenda

1. Call to Order
2. Pledge of Allegiance
3. Election of Commissioner
4. Approve Minutes from 2014 Annual Meeting
5. Treasurer's Report and Audit of 2014 Books
6. Budget Hearing — Voting on Items Over \$10,000
7. Vote on Adoption of 2016 Budget
8. Channel/Lake Dredge Study
9. Date for 2016 Annual Meeting
10. Adjournment

ID to Vote

All property owners and renters who are residents of the lake district. No more than two non-resident property owners are eligible to vote per address. Proof of district residency must be shown upon entrance to the meeting by one of the following:

- Real estate tax bill
- Driver's license
- Gas bill
- Electric bill, or
- Telephone bill

Organizational Meeting

In accordance with state statute 33.29(3), the Board, immediately following each annual meeting, shall elect a chairperson, secretary and treasurer.

Meeting Rules

In order to get through the agenda, meetings have to be conducted in an orderly fashion. The Board will follow Robert's Rules of Order. We have to limit the time anyone can comment or speak so that there are opportunities for all.

The Chairman has the duty to follow these rules so that the important items are addressed.

Please review the enclosed materials and note the areas where you have a question. For example, if you want an explanation of a particular item, please put it in your question so everyone can understand your concern.

When recognized, please clearly state your name and address first - then your question, so that the secretary can record your concerns.

Thank you!

Election



An election will be held at the Annual Meeting to fill one position created by the expiring term of Donna Wade. Donna will be running for re-election. The CCLRD board supports and endorses Donna for another term. Nominations will also be taken from the floor.

Contact Dean Hintzman at 847-417-6068 for information.

2014 Annual Meeting Minutes

The by-laws and the agenda require consideration and approval of last year's minutes. The minutes are attached to this notice. The state statutes require a vote on the budget, which is also enclosed. The minutes from August 2014 will help you understand where our money goes. Approval of the budget is required to remain in

compliance with state law and continue to receive grants for harvesting machinery and other projects that improve our lakes. Many projects are multi-year. You can follow our progress by reading the minutes from last summer's meeting.

By Donna Wade



Boating Regulations

Boating on Camp Lake and Center Lake is subject to the Town of Salem ordinances and Chapter 30 of the Wisconsin State Statutes.

Highlights of those regulations are posted at every launch and briefly summarized as follows:

- **Camp Lake No Wake:**
Sunset to 10:00 a.m.
- **Center Lake No Wake:**
7:00 p.m. to 10:00 a.m.
- No picnicking, no camping, and no fires in launch areas.
- Waterskiing and tubing counterclockwise in traffic lanes only.
- No wake within 200 feet of shore.
- It is recommended that all boaters wear PFDs at all times.
- Avoid power launching.

Public Trust

The Public Trust Doctrine is the basis for the legal rule that all navigable waters are “common highways and forever free.” The owners of land on lakes and rivers are “riparian owners” who have some rights to the waters they border, such as the right to erect and use a private pier. However, the Wisconsin Supreme Court has ruled that, in general, the public’s rights to use our lakes and rivers are primary and the riparian owners’ rights are secondary. These rights include access.

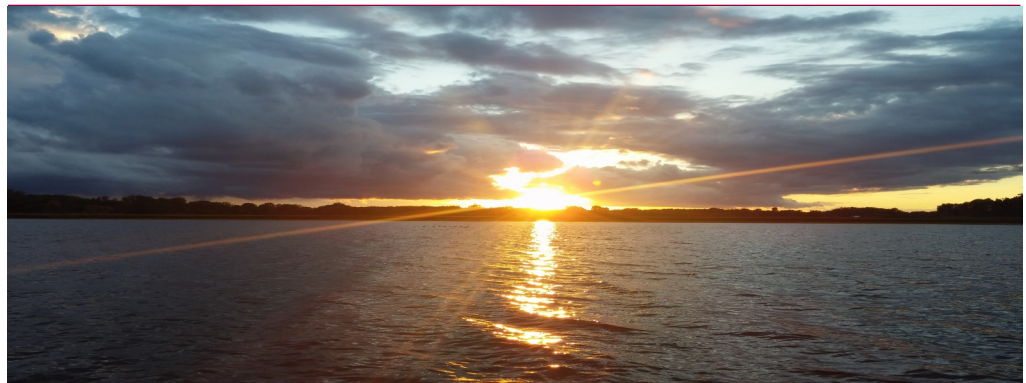
Town of Salem Water Patrol

It has come to the attention of the Board that there are a few residents who have questions or concerns with regard to the Water Patrol on Camp/Center Lakes.

The CCLR D Board supports the Water Patrol, but requests that all questions and concerns be addressed to Officer Dave Shortess at the Town of Salem. Phone numbers and Officer Shortess’ extension can be found on the back of this newsletter.

We thank you for your support and cooperation.

CCLR D BOARD



2015 Annual Budget

The Wisconsin State Statutes require a vote on the budget (copy enclosed), which will be presented by Charles Walker. The line items are categorized so that they are easy to understand.

Approval of the budget is required in order to remain in compliance with state law and to continue to receive grants for harvesting machinery and other projects that improve our lakes.

Herbicide Update

2015 has proven to be yet another successful year for herbicide treatments on Camp and Center Lakes. I weed-scouted the lakes in early April only to discover, despite the harsh winter, both lakes were infested with Eurasian Watermilfoil (EWM).

We treated the lakes on May 13th and 14th utilizing 2,4-D. Approximately 83 acres were treated on Camp Lake and 25 acres on Center Lake. The cost was slightly higher in years past due to the lakes being deeper and thus requiring more product of 2,4-D to reach the same

By Dean Hintzman

concentration. I have since weed-scouted the lakes and found minimal EWM on Center and EWM on Camp in the far south end where 2,4-D was not used.

Enrollments in the shoreline cost share program are stable and are reporting many new participants. Thanks to everyone for your continued support of this piece of the District’s overall management

2015 Harvesting Report

By Dennis Faber

Once again, shortly after ice out, the weather conditions and water temperature were excellent for Eurasian watermilfoil to grow before the native species could get a foothold. On Camp Lake, large beds popped up to the surface from the DNR boat landing all the way north to deep water at the mouth of the north bay. As usual, on Center Lake, the area along the northeast shore from the Salem Community Park to the west, patches of Eurasian watermilfoil appeared.

Although, while placing the navigation buoys, it was observed these patches were smaller than in years past. This area was brought under control with our May chemical treatment; however, historically it will need to be mechanically cleaned in July along with other areas that traditionally experience re-growth on Center Lake.

We took delivery of our new transport on June 3rd and launched one cutter on each lake that day. On June 4th, we set up our shore conveyers and

started harvesting. On Center Lake, we concentrated our efforts in the channels as the higher water level makes this area more accessible and we want to stay out of the chemically-treated areas so the chemical can do its job. On Monday, June 22nd, after some rain outs, we moved the cutter from Center Lake to Camp Lake and continued to concentrate on providing access out from our boat landing to deep water and harvesting the main channel from the DNR boat landing to deep water in the north bay. Because of the extreme



weather conditions — hot one day, cold the next — the fish spawn dragged on past the usual mid-June peak.

On Camp Lake, with both cutters working, harvest loads surpass 20 per day, and the dominant species harvested are Eurasian watermilfoil and widgeon grass with varying percentages. One load may have more of one species and the next load the other species.

After 19 years of harvesting,

there is one thing certain when it comes to aquatic plant growth and that is you cannot predict what will happen from one year to the next. For example, in 2014, milfoil harvest was 178.6 more loads than in 2013. Widgeon grass was up 117.2 loads over 2013. In 2012 milfoil totaled 72.2 loads; 101.2 loads in 2013; and in 2014 it was up to 279.8 loads. But in 2005, we had 1,025 harvest loads and then only 66 loads in 2011. So nothing is really predictable other than one species or another will

dominate any particular year's growth.

Because of the different species that can dominate the lakes from one year to the next and that the DNR only allows chemicals that specifically target milfoil, it is important to remember how necessary it is to have a harvesting program in place so the non-chemically-treated vegetation can be harvested to increase recreational enjoyment on our lakes.

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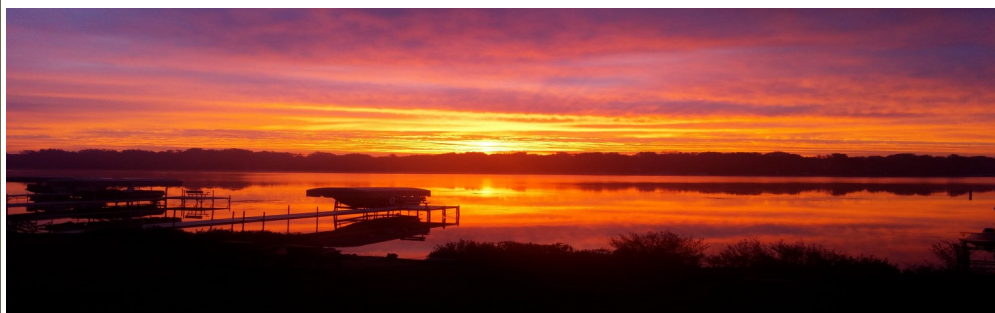
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August 2015



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262- 843-2313

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Kenosha County

www.co.kenosha.wi.us

DNR

800-TIP-WDNR

CCLRD Meetings

The CCLRD has quarterly board meetings that are held at the Salem Town Hall. Notice of these meetings is posted at the Town Hall, Camp Lake Post Office, Trevor Post Office and on the CCLRD website.

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