New Property Dedication, Sat., September 2

Your Loon Lake Board of Directors worked hard the past few years to attain a goal! We made it last fall and are proud owners of the Lisle Property, formerly known as the Old Camp Ground on 600 W. Thank you to all residents who responded with great ideas for naming the new property! The Board has discussed all the name ideas and the winner will be announced at the Fall Meeting. Plans are under way for a Dedication Celebration on Saturday of Labor Day weekend, September 2. It will take place on the property! Mark your calendar and you will receive an official invitation as details are ironed out.

Important 2018 Dates

The official 2018 Calendar of Events will be in the Spring Newsletter. But, you can mark your calendar now for these big events so you can plan ahead!
- Spring Meeting - Saturday, May 19, 2018 - Arnold Road
- Kid’s Fishing Day - Saturday, June 2 - DNR Boat landing
- Independence Day events - Saturday, July 7 (5.5K race, pancakes, sail boat race, fireworks)
- Fall Meeting - Saturday, August 25, 2018 - 9:00 am

The 5.5K run/walk has become our biggest fund raiser, almost clearing $5,000 this year! Great job Chris Rice! She wants a committee for next year and she will be bowing out as chair after next year. We need your help to keep this great, important event going. Be a part of our success! Contact Chris to see where your skills fit in! 260-403-5785

LLPOA Annual Fall Meeting

Saturday, August 26, 2017 - 9:00

7900 N Brown Road

Don’t Miss It!!

BRING YOUR OWN CHAIRS!

Check out the new Loon Lake Website!! Offer your suggestions on how to improve it!!

www.loonlakeindiana.org

Thanks to webmaster and LLPOA board member, Steve Lipinski for his hard work on this!
2017 LOON LAKE CONTACTS

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Kendyle Yeranko, Treasurer-------------------- 413-7961

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Golf Tournament -------------- (Tom Sawyer) 799-4686
Kayak Flotilla ------------------ (Darrell Post) 322-7681
Kids Fishing Day ---- (Mary Jo Brock) *Carol 799-4890
Lake Enhancement------ (Walt Hessler) *Bruce 779-4903
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Newsletter ------------------ (Claire Hicks) 799-4599
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Poker Run ------ (Ehring and Runion) *Bruce 450-4445
Sail Boat Race----- (Tom Zahm) *Gary Hicks 341-8349
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DNR------------------------------------- 244-3720
Whitley County Sheriff------------------ 244-6410
Whitley County Fire-------------------- 248-8911
Whitley County Health Dept------------- 248-3121
Noble County Sheriff------------------- 636-2182
Noble County Fire----------------------- 636-7712

COMMUNITY-OTHER
Columbia City Utilities------------------ 248-5110
Humane Society------------------------- 244-6664
Noble REMC ------------------------ 636-2113 or 800-933-7362
Tri-Lakes Sewer District------------- 691-2820
The Watershed Foundation---------- 574-834-3242

All area codes 260 unless noted

Find LLPOA on Facebook!
Loon Lake Property Owners Association has a Facebook page where you can follow news and other exciting happenings around the lake.
Over 100 folks keep track of lake business by joining this group. Great for lost and found, help needed, cottage for rent, etc. Need an update on a coming event? Check it out!

Jim Brock, past president, with his wife Mary Jo by his side, served as our Grand Marshall leading the 5.5 k! Thanks Jim for your service!
Kids’ Fishing Derby Success!

June 3 was another fun day here on Loon Lake as the children eagerly tried to “catch the big one!” Thanks to all the awesome sponsors who made this even possible, as well as all the wonderful volunteers. Special thanks to Mary Jo Brock for acting as chair for this event again. Great Job Mary Jo!!

Winners were: (in each age category):

1st gold medal: Jax Christman, Allyson Curtis, Rei Mayberry, Ethan Curtis and Spencer Silk.

2nd silver medal: Madelyn Fromader, Jillian Feiock, Savanah Kinney, Jenna Hartley and Isaiah Thorneisn.

3rd bronze medal: Cloe Uhrick, Luke Feiock, Breylan Hicks, Kaiden Hall and Jasmine Craig.

Casting winners: Lilly Cearbaugh, Kage Klemm, Tyson Frinfrok and Jenna Hartley.

Congrats kids, see you next June to try again!!

Obey Speed Limits Around the Lake!!

S 600 W-57 along east side of lake is now 30 mph. W 700 N along the south end of lake is 20 mph. Long, curvy, hilly Brown Road is 20 mph.

Watch your speedometer and take it easy!

Fireworks extravaganza!

All photos credits: Walt Hessler

Contact: Mary Jo Brock 402-1513 - Rosemary Burman 317-403-5556 - Claire Hicks 403-7689
The LLFMP has started another campaign to stock fish this fall. Our goal is to raise enough to add and stock 250 more Musky and 1,500 more Walleye.

The annual corn hole tourney is scheduled for August 26th beginning at 1:00 pm, and the annual Musky shoot out is scheduled for October 21st. Signs will be posted at the public landing for both events.

Raffle tickets will be available for sale at the Fall LLPOA meeting and are also available from any of the committee members. For more information on events of LLFMP, information on how to join the group, or to purchase raffle tickets, contact Rick Miller 213-0639, Clark Milestone 348-5706 or email Bob Barkley at Lake46725@gmail.com

By: Bob Barkley
Loon Lake Fish Maintenance Program News

Lake Enhancement Committee
Walt Hessler has agreed to chair this important committee so vital to the lake’s health. His great committee has already met and is working on outlining a new 10 year plan for projects to make things even better.

We have applied for a grant to finish up island shore restoration in the next 2 years. Yearly duties such as buoy placement are scheduled to continue. Contact Walt if interested in joining this group. 799-4903

LLPOA Directory
An updated version of the Loon Lake Directory will be published once dues and most current updated contact info is received. It will be sent out via e-mail to all on our distribution list. There have been many properties change hands in the past several months and we have worked hard to update our records and get all new folks included in the directory of lake addresses and phone numbers. Many people are dropping landlines in favor of cell phones. This is a challenge to keep up with. If you need a hard copy, please contact a board member. If you know of property that has changed hands, please e-mail us at loonlakemail@gmail.com so we are aware. Thanks!

Traditional 1 pm ski lap by Tim Rice and his step-son Nate Oiler done July 4th every year. Nate joined the US Air Force this summer, thus the flag of his choice!

Save your aluminum cans for recycling to benefit the fireworks fund!
Take to Tim Brower’s on Red Bud Lane!

Last Can Pick-ups - August 12, and September 9th.
Have you been receiving messages from LLPOA via G-mail to your inbox? If you would like to receive important messages from LLPOA, please contact us at loonlakemail@gmail.com so we have your e-mail address. We do not share e-mail addresses and all messages are sent via blind copy so others cannot pick up your information.

The summer and winter issue of Loon’s Call will be sent only via e-mail unless you request a hard copy. Be sure we have your e-mail address correct!

Another Great Golf Outing

Saturday, July 5 was a beautiful day for the links. 13 teams registered for the annual Loon Lake Golf Outing, a Florida scramble. Thanks to Tom Sawyer for organizing this event again this year. Winners were:

Men’s Division: 1st place: Mike Birkenbeul, Taj Birkenbeul, Mo Quidra, & Kent Cole.

Men’s Division 2nd place: Kirk Smith, Scott Bean, Ryan Finfrock, & Steve Lipinski

Mixed Division 1st place: Tom Sawyer, Cheri Sawyer, Doug Sawyer & Marcia Jones

Mixed Division 2nd place: Tim Brower, Ruby Brower, Dave Anderson & Chris Anderson

Longest putts were won by: Wade Franke, Scott Bean, Don Miller & Cheryl Warsinske.

Thanks to this year’s sponsors! Shriner Lake Marina, Hilltop Tavern, Richards Restaurant, Goss Grocery, Portside Pizza, Subway, Pizza Hut, United Oil, McDonalds and Dairy Queen. Thanks to most winners who donated their winnings back to LLPOA!

Remaining 2017 events

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*Oct-April Recycle Aluminum cans may be taken to 5727 Red Bud Lane and left by the garage on left side of driveway.

NOT TOO LATE! 2017 Loon Lake Property Owners Association $30.00 Annual Dues

Make checks payable to: LLPOA Mail to PO Box 605, Columbia City, IN 46725

Complete, clip and return form below with one check to address above

Name: ____________________________________________________________
Address: ___________________________________________________________________
Phone: ___________________________ Cell phone: ____________________________
E-mail: _____________________________________________________________
Lake address: _________________________________________________________
(lif different than above)

☐ Please do not publish my phone numbers
☐ Please do not publish my e-mail address

Dues: 30.00

Fireworks donation $_______
Lake Enhancement$_______ donation

Total: $ ___________

One check can cover the total sent!

Please Print Clearly!
**Raffle Winners!**

Congrats to this spring’s raffle winners.

- Big winner—$100 Shriner Lake Marina certificate  
  Larry & Marlene Fromader
- $50 Tri Lakes Tavern certificate  
  Kelly Clark
- $50 Goss Grocery certificate  
  Make Zahm
- $50 Wings Etc certificate  
  Greta Gallivan
- $50 DaniJo’s embroidery certificate  
  Kari Tonkel
- $50 Portside certificate  
  Stan Wenta
- $50 Downtown on the Square certificate  
  John Pentangelo Jr

**Add to Your Loonie Wardrobe**

Surely you’ve seen the newest Loon Lake screen print? Flip flops and sunshine are the go-to for summertime on Loon Lake! It was so popular, we had to order a second set. Don’t be the last ones on the lake to have the newest shirt design. The print can be put on t-shirts, sweatshirts, bags, tank tops, etc. The prices start at $8.00 for S-XL tees. There is a rainbow of colors to choose from. Also, the embroidered favorite for all types of wear, blankets, towels, whatever you want to print it on is still available. Personalize it too! Give JoAn a call or send an email to JoAn Butler at 799-4193 or dcjl1butler@embarqmail.com. There will be samples at the fall meeting in August. Come check them out!

**Poker Run Success!!**

Annual Poker Run Saturday, July 22 got to an iffy start with showers and impending storms. But, the skies cleared and it was a great event. Thanks to all who came out and made this another successful fun event. With all “floating” dealers this year, it took on a new look and went very smoothly. The brat and dog sale sold out and provided a great option for lunch from the shoreline. Thanks again to Bruce Graham for organizing another success. We are excited to have Phil & Kathy Ehinger and Jeff & Angie Runion heading up this event next summer. They already have some great ideas and new plans!