

Maple Lake Association 7/20/2023

Present: Frank, Don, Phyllis, Mike, Shirley, Doug, Anne, Nadine. Sue is excused.

Anne moved to accept the minutes, Phyllis seconded, all in favor

Treasurers Report: Anne reports the balance in the account is \$8,478.04. The Board accepted the report.

Old Business: We discussed the pontoon on the lake. It is at the hospital area. We don't have any more news about it.

New Business

Weed Control: Don reports we treated June 8th things look good in the channel. This warm and sunny weather may create some weed growth. So we will have to see how things look next month. Don is happy on how things are looking right now.

Weed Boat: Doug said we have not used it, he started it and it seems to run well. We had a training on the boat.

Village Update: Nadine reports Paw Paw Days is this weekend. We weren't sure if the steel doors were installed yet. They are talking about the bridge replacement.

Web statistics: Shirley had shared the website stats previously. Stats look good. She said she has gotten interest on the facebook site and has about 34 people as friends.

Hats T shirts Visors: Phyllis said nothing has been sold this month.

Grants: Sue is excused tonight

Frank said the lake level looks good.

Frank said there is a lot going on this weekend. The tie up is tomorrow, Friday the 21st at 6:30. Don will be out there with his boat. People should bring food and drinks. They anchor on the north part of the lake. This Saturday the 22nd the Ladies of the Lake is at 10am at Anne's house. Paw Paw Days are also this weekend.

Communications: Shirley and Mike had nothing new to report.

Next meeting is August 17th 7pm at the Township Hall. The September meeting will be the picnic September 3 at 5:30pm on the island.

Public Comment: Chuck Lund and new homeowners Dave and Dona McQueen were present. Dona asked about night fishing. Frank said it is legal to do that, they are spear fishing and use very bright lights to shine into the water. Dave shared a story about seeing an osprey diving and catching a fish not long ago, it was great to see. Dave also asked about seawall repairs. Don said if you do any major repairs, you may need a permit. Some Board members will try to get them some names of contractors that do this work.

Frank said Region 3 sent out a message regarding tree and shrub planting to aid lake and water health. They are seeking interested organizations that want to learn more about planting trees on shorelands. Frank will send the info to Nadine who will share it with the village.

Nadine moved to adjourn, Shirley seconded, all in favor.

Submitted by Mike Pioch