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ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP DUES FOR THE CEDAR LAKE CONSERVATION CLUB
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AT THE LAST BOARD MEETING OF THE C.L.C.C. JIM THERNELL WAS
APPOINTED PRESIDENT, DONALD BADGER, VICE PRESIDENT. WE
TAKE THIS TIME TO WISH THEM BOTH WELL IN THEIR NEW ENDEAVOR.

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THE LOSS WHICH IS UNKNOWN IS NO LOSS AT ALL.

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A LITTERBUG IS A FELLOW WHO LEAVES THE MARKS OF A HEEL IN THE
SANDS OF TIME.



ANNANDALE-MAPLE LAKE, MN

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1989 Annual Meeting

Cedar Lake Conservation Club

Held at the V.F.W. in Maple Lake
August 12, 1989
5:30 Social Time
6:30 Dinner

President George Suddendorf called the meeting to order; and welcomed everyone. He had new members and any old members who had never been to the annual dinner introduce themselves. Everyone gave them a warm welcome. George introduced the head table: Pete and Shirley Cook, Jim Smith, Eleanor Suddendorf, Jim and Anita Thernell, Ken and Pat Antil, and Don and Dixie Hozempa.

The recent death of Sheriff Darrell Wolff was mentioned and what a great friend he was to the Club and its members.

George introduced the rest of the board: Don Badger, Jerry Bowdin, Ella Geardink, John Gross, Richard Harris, Bob Johnson, Judy Martin, and Larry May.

The minutes of the 1988 meeting were read and a motion was made to accept them as read. The motion was seconded and passed. The Treasurer's report was read and a motion was made to accept them as read. The motion was seconded and passed.

Bob Olson, representing the nominating committee, presented the following slate of candidates for the Board of Directors:

Jan Altman	Pete Cook	Bob Johnson
Don Badger	Ella Geardink	Larry May
Jerry Bowdin	John Gross	George Suddendorf
	Dick Harris	Jim Thernell

A motion was made to close the nominations. It was seconded and passed. A white ballot was accepted.

Jim Thernell presented the 1988 fishing contest awards. The 1st prize was a certificate plus \$20.00 cash and 2nd prize was a certificate and \$10.00 cash. The winners were as follows:



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Bob Oxenford	Walleye	5lbs. 12oz.
Bob Johnson	Walleye	4lbs. 12oz.
Wayne Tabolt	Northern	8lbs. 12 1/2oz.
Joseph Dolan	Northern	1 lb. 14oz.
Don Gonnella	Bass	3lbs. 21/2oz.
Milan Feriancek	Bass	2lbs. 12 1/2oz.
Mark Halverson	Crappie	8oz.
Rick Suddendorf	Bullhead	1 lb. 21/2oz.
Bob Olson	Bullhead	1 lb.

A big thank you to Eall Geardink for handling the weigh-ins and recordings.

We were able to get the bass spawning beds posted again this year. This helps to protect the loons and their nesting areas.

George thanked Shirley and Pete Cook and John Gross for their hard work on preparing and printing of the lake directory. Shirley thanked all who were of help and asked that we all talk to our neighbors and make them new members.

George thanked all who worked at the beer stand this year. They sold \$317.00 worth of goods. There were \$200.00 worth of tickets sold to the fair this year from our club. These monies go to help build loon nesting areas among other worthy causes.

George thanked Miles Larson for getting the letter on high taxation. This was handed out upon arrival. Please take time to send a copy to your Senator and your Representative where you vote. This may help to get some tax relief.

Kale Danberg handed out his letter on his 50 years on the lake. He encourages people to write of there memories on the lake and share them.

George thanked Shirley Cook for hosting the dinner and making the arrangements. She did an excellent job.

George extended a thank you on behalf of the Club to Judy Martin for her 20 years of service to the lake association. She is resigning to pursue personal interests.

A plaque was presented to Clarence Hegg on behalf of the Lake Association for his many years of service. Since 1950 he has done much for the Association.



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George called upon our guests to say a few words. Jim Smith thanked the Club for the invitation and talked about Eurasian Milfoil. A milfoil sign has been placed at the access at Cty, road 6 and more are to be placed around the lake. It is just a matter of time before Cedar Lake gets the milfoil weed. Please let a board member know if you think you see the milfoil weed. Jim handed out information on the milfoil and on Lyme disease. He will be around for questions after the dinner. Ken Antil thanked the club for the invitation to the dinner and introduced the new Sheriff, Don Hozempa and his wife Dixie. Don talked a little about himself and his family. He will keep up the philosophies of Darrell Wolff's on the people of Wright County. Ken Antil talked about the water patrol and asked for volunteers.

Dick Harris made a motion that the dues be raised from \$5.00 a year to \$10.00 with \$4.00 going to a fund to help control Eurasian milfoil and purple loose stripe. This money is to be used only on Cedar Lake. After some discussion the motion was seconded and passed.

The rod and reel donated from Little Jim's was raffled off along with other gifts donated from area merchants and lake association members.

A motion was made to adjourn the meeting. It was seconded and passed.

Respectfully submitted,

Anita Thernell
Anita Thernell
Secretary

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ENTHUSIASM - - - IT INSPIRES YOU TO "WAKE UP AND LIVE". IT PUTS SPRING IN YOUR STEP, SPRING IN YOUR HEART, A TWINKLE IN YOUR EYES AND CONFIDENCE IN YOURSELF.....

1990 DUES NOW BEING ACCEPTED

THE DUES FOR 1990 ARE NOW DUE AND BEING ACCEPTED. AS YOU HAVE READ IN THE MINUTES THE DUES FOR THE YEAR 1990 WERE INCREASED FROM \$5.00 TO \$10.00. OF THIS FIVE DOLLAR INCREASE, ONE DOLLAR WILL GO INTO THE GENERAL REVENUE FUND, AND THE OTHER FOUR DOLLARS WILL GO INTO A "NEW AND SPECIAL ACCOUNT" TO HELP FINANCE CONTROL OF EURASIAN MILFOIL AND PURPLE LOOSE STRIFE IF THE NEED ARISES AT CEDAR LAKE. AFTER READING AND HEARING WHAT TOOK PLACE LAST SUMMER AT OUR NEIGHBORING LAKE (CLEARWATER) AND OTHER LAKES IN THE METRO AREA. THE DUES INCREASE PASSED UNANIMOUSLY BY THE MEMBERS OF THE C.L.C.C. THAT WERE PRESENT AT THE ANNUAL MEETING IN AUGUST. AS IN THE PAST, MAKE YOUR CHECKS PAYABLE TO THE CEDAR LAKE CONSERVATION CLUB AND MAIL TO:

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DNR SAY BLUEBIRD RESTORATION HAS
HIT RECORD PRODUCTION IN MINNESOTA

MANY MN HIGHWAYS AND FARMLANDS ARE NOW DECORATED WITH NEST BOXES PERCHED ON FENCE POSTS. THESE BOXES ARE THE HOME OF THE EASTERN BLUEBIRD. MUCH OF THE BLUEBIRDS' DRAMATIC POPULATION RECOVERY IN MN IS DUE TO THE EFFORTS OF THE NONGAME WILDLIFE PROGRAM, WHICH IS FUNDED BY CHECKOFF DONATIONS FROM INDIVIDUAL TAXPAYERS.

THE STATEWIDE EFFORT TO RESTORE THE EASTERN BLUEBIRD BEGAN IN 1982 WITH 150 VOLUNTEERS RAISING 1,490 BLUEBIRDS. THE DNR REPORTED THIS WEEK THAT THE 1989 SUCESS RATE BROKE ALL PREVIOUS RECORDS; 489 VOLUNTEERS RAISED 15,879 BLUEBIRD CHICKS IN NEST BOXES. THE VOLUNTEERS AVERAGED 1.35 CHICKS PER NEST BOX, WHICH IS UP FROM 0.92 RECORDED IN THE FIRST YEAR. IN EIGHT YEARS, A TOTAL OF 67,893 BLUEBIRDS HAVE BEEN SUCCESSFULLY HATCHED.

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ONE OF THE TRAGEDIES OF TODAY IS NOT SO MUCH THE NOISINESS OF BAD PEOPLE, BUT THE SILENCE OF THE GOOD PEOPLE.

1989 FISHING CONTEST WINNERS

THE FOLLOWING PEOPLE WILL RECEIVE THEIR WINNINGS AT THE NEXT ANNUAL MEETING IN AUGUST 1990.

NORTHERN	BOB JOHNSON	5LBS 70Z.
WALLEYE	DAVE TOBOLT	4LBS 150Z.
	BRENT JOHNSON	3LBS 6 OZ.
BASS	MILAN FERIANSEK	3LBS 70Z.
	LAVERN JOHNSON	2LBS 130Z.
CRAPPIE	BRENT JOHNSON	120Z.
	BOB JOHNSON	120Z.
SUNFISH	LORRAINE JOHNSON	90Z.
	BOB JOHNSON	90Z.
BULLHEAD	MABEL OXENFORD	90Z.

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FISHING CONTEST.....

THE 1990 FISHING CONTEST WILL BE GOVERNED BY THE RULES FROM THE 1989 CONTEST. THE CONTEST WILL OPEN WITH OPENING FISHING SEASON AND WILL CLOSE ON LABOR DAY. PRIZES WILL BE TWENTY DOLLARS FOR THE LARGEST FISH IN EACH CATEGORY AND TEN DOLLARS FOR THE SECOND LARGEST FISH IN EACH CATEGORY. THE CATAGORIES REMAIN THE SAME - WALLEYE, NORTHERN, BASS, CRAPPIES, SUNFISH AND BULLHEAD. THE OFFICIAL WEIGH-IN WILL BE AT GEARDINK RESORT. REMEMBER AS IN THE PAST, IN ORDER TO ENTER A FISH YOUR 1990 DUES MUST BE PAID.

GOOK LUCK TO ALLNO FISH IS TOO SMALL TO ENTER

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MINDS ARE LIKE PARACHUTES, THEY FUNCTION ONLY WHEN THEY ARE OPEN.

DNR BOOKLET ABOUT MINNESOTA'S
ENDANGERED PLANTS AND
ANIMALS NOW AVAILABLE

For more information, contact:
Lee Pfannmuller or Barbara
Coffin, DNR Nongame (612) 296-3344

A new 22-page booklet entitled "The Uncommon Ones: Minnesota's Endangered Plants and Animals" is now available from the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources (DNR).

The booklet, edited by Lee A. Pfannmuller and Barbara A. Coffin of the DNR, clarifies the link between habitat destruction and species extinction. It provides a comprehensive overview of the reasons for species endangerment in Minnesota.

"We tried to put a real emphasis on the fact that the primary reason for most species being endangered is loss of habitat," said Pfannmuller, a specialist for the Nongame Wildlife and Natural Heritage programs of the DNR Wildlife Section.

The booklet discusses the factors (mostly human-induced) that threaten the survival of rare species, and shows how three DNR programs are responding to the challenge of conserving these species.

"The primary way to protect species is to protect the habitat," Pfannmuller said.

"The Uncommon Ones: Minnesota's Endangered Plants and Animals" describes the seven major habitat types in Minnesota and the rare species associated with each.

The booklet, which features detailed drawings and full-color photographs of Minnesota habitat and endangered species, is available at DNR regional offices and from the DNR Information Center, 500 Lafayette Road, St. Paul, MN 55155-4040. Call the Information Center from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. (weekdays) at (612) 296-6157, or call toll free in Minnesota 1-800-296-6157 (ask for the DNR).

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Minnesota's wildlife, from bald eagles to butterflies, benefit from the generosity of the state's taxpayers each year. With tax preparation season upon us, Minnesotans again have an opportunity to donate to the Nongame Wildlife Program.

The Minnesota income tax form (M-1) and the property tax form (M1-PR) both feature a line that allows taxpayers to donate to the Nongame Wildlife Checkoff.

Minnesotans have historically been strong supporters of the Nongame Wildlife Checkoff, according to Carrol Henderson, Nongame Program supervisor for the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources (DNR). Last year more than 8.5 percent of all taxpayers voluntarily donated to the Nongame Wildlife Checkoff, which is twice the national average.

The total dollars contributed by Minnesotans each year has shown steady growth, from \$569,277 donated in 1980 to \$1,063,465 contributed on forms filed last year.

"Minnesota's Nongame Wildlife Program has become one of the best in the nation during the past several years, thanks to the generosity of the state's taxpayers," said Henderson.

"This continued support is necessary to maintain the momentum of this effort to preserve Minnesota's wildlife," Henderson said.

Funds raised support more than 130 wildlife conservation projects to help bald eagles, peregrine falcons, Blanding's turtles, bluebirds, trumpeter swans and many other species.

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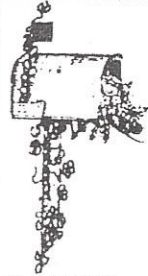
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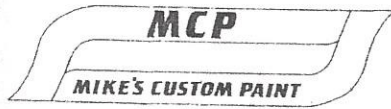


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