

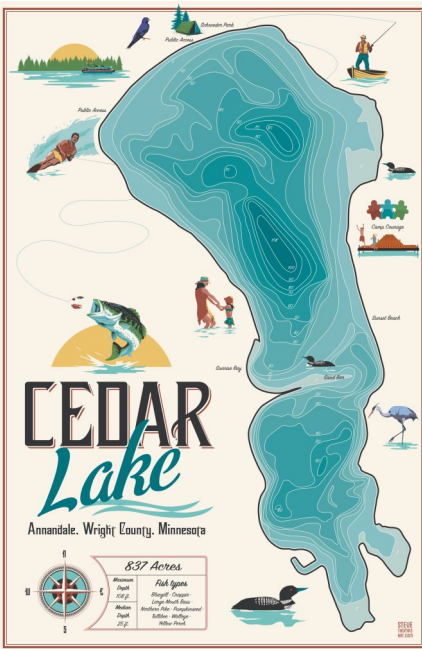
Cedar Lake Conservation Club

Maple Lake – Annandale, MN

November 2022

President's Letter by David Glass

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Touch lightly...enjoy deeply

This publication is sent to every Cedar Lake property owner.

If you don't belong to CLCC, please consider joining to support this newsletter and other CLCC activities.

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Warm fall greetings to all. Another season of putting away boats and hauling the aluminum to shore has occurred. The fall colors were beautiful this year and we got an extended summer through October. The lake level is down, but not as much as last year.

I hope everyone participated in the zebra mussel survey; see more details on page 9. We believe that with the low water levels preventing upstream phosphorous from reaching our lake over the last two years and the filtering ability of the mussels, our lake has become very clear. The clear water however, leads to more native weed growth.

This past year brought us heat, an extended drought, wind, more wind and then some more wind. Lake levels decreased throughout the summer, after being on the high side in May (more details on page 5). Some residents suffered watercraft equipment damage from summer storms. This was a hit or miss windstorm. Hopefully all was insured.

Cedar Lake had more filamentous algae this year. This is believed to be caused by the excessive rains in the spring along with summer heat. Also, there is emerging science that zebra mussels increase algae blooms. It is occurring on many lakes in Minnesota—even lakes that had not had previous algae blooms. We are not suffering alone. Usually filamentous algae are considered more of an aesthetic concern; we continue to work with water experts to understand the recent changes on our lake and impact of climate factors, zebra mussels, and lake dynamics.

We continued a substantial investment to monitor two landings this year: County Road 6 and Schroeder Park. We did not monitor Wurm's landing this year, due to the minimal amount of traffic. Please take a moment to review the details of our access monitoring on page 6.

Our annual meeting was held in September and we had a decent turnout. **Orv Jonsrud** was our sole departing Board member. This was Orv's second term on the Board. Thank you for your time as a director and volunteering on other projects.

We welcomed three new Directors: **Bonnie Sadergaski, Mary Ann Wells, and Beth Trout**. Thank you for volunteering and we look forward to serving with you. See the article about our new directors on page 8.

Our visionary fund had another robust year with over \$23,000 donated. The 120 contributions so far this year ranged from \$10 to \$5,000. We are a charitable 501(c)3 organization, so check with your employer to see if they have a donation matching option for you, effectively doubling your gift.

At our last Board meeting in September, Treasurer Chuck Vinar offered to explore a safe, conservative way to place our funds in order to take advantage of higher interest rates. **Carter Diers** will be stepping down as Chair of the Nominating Committee after 14 years. Thank You Carter! **Sue Wolf** will be the new chair for the Nominating Committee.

Board member **Dick Ebert** has volunteered to manage our Facebook presence. If you have any suggestions, pictures or videos, please contact him at dickebert@hotmail.com

Thank you all for continuing to be members of this forward-thinking organization, as we do our best to maintain and improve Cedar Lake for our sustained and future use. We are all stewards of this place. Please strive to continue to make your property safe for the lake:

- Limit use of fertilizers.
- Stop lake runoff by planting native vegetation near the shore.
- Make sure your septic system is working as it should. If you do not remember when you had it inspected, this may be the year to do it.

To those of you who ice fish, good luck this winter. Take a picture of your catch and share it on Facebook. We will see you on the water next spring.



**Make the Lake Part
of Your Year End Giving**
CLCC Visionaries See details on page 2



CLCC VISIONARIES

Making a Difference

The Cedar Lake Visionary Fund is a great way to donate to the CLCC. CLCC is a 501(c)(3) tax exempt organization, so your donations are tax deductible. Our Visionary Fund was started in 2010 and has become an important cornerstone of making a difference on Cedar Lake.

In 2021, our Visionary donations were over \$19,000 and so far in 2022 we are over \$23,000. So far in 2022, over 120 contributions have been made, ranging from \$10 to \$5,000. Your contribution will be directed to the fund of your choice: General, Walleye Stocking, Water Quality, and Memorial Fund.

Payments can be made either by check (P.O. Box 192, Annandale, MN 55302—see form on page 16) or very conveniently online. The CLCC website (www.cedarlakecc.org) has a link for donating electronically using Pay Pal—scroll down the home page for the Visionary information. For further information, contact CLCC President Elect Greg Duppler (greg.duppler@yahoo.com | 612-310-7236).

THANKS TO ALL WHO HAVE CONTRIBUTED!

Visionary Contributions Since November 2021 and Lifetime Visionary

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Bob Miner*
Tom & Nancy Mosley*
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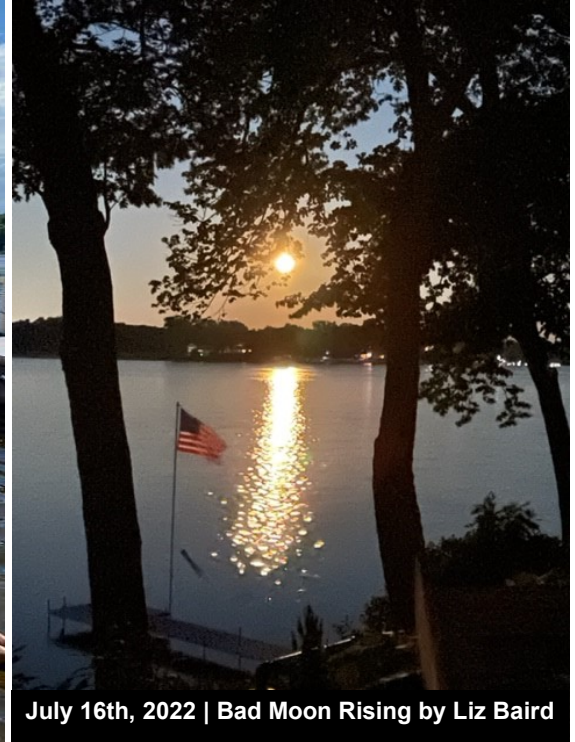
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* Indicates Sustaining Member with multiple contributions in that category. When donors reach a higher visionary category with multiple donations, they will be recognized in that higher category.

2022 Summer Memories on Cedar



July 4th weekend at the Nash's | Go big or go home!



July 16th, 2022 | Bad Moon Rising by Liz Baird



Late Summer | Cucumber boat races for lake kids



July 4th Boat Parade | Dave and Cheryl Wagner family



September 3, 2022 | Cedar Northern Lights
By Rick Seagraves

Fish and Wildlife Committee

by Paul Schutte pschutte54@hotmail.com | 612-968-3034

CLCC 2022 Fishing Contest Winners

The Fishing Contest winners are in! The winners were announced at the CLCC Annual Member meeting on September 17th.

A special thanks (once again) to Dean and Kathy Nicholson, for organizing the contest and weighing the fish.



CLCC 2022 Member Meeting | Presentation of Fishing Contest Winners
From the left Steve DeGroot and grandson, Kathy Nicholson, Dean Nicholson, Mary Clare Suddendorf

Sunfish	Bass	Crappie	Perch
1st Place	1st Place	1st Place	1st Place
Dylan Fraga 0.72 pounds	Andrew Lee 2.91 pounds	Henry Huins 0.14 pounds	Annalie Eckenrode 0.07 pounds
2nd Place	2nd Place		
Andrew Lee 0.58 pounds	Aaron Lee 2.92 pounds		

CLCC Walleye Stocking Moved to the spring

The CLCC stocks walleyes every other year on Cedar. A fall stocking had been planned, but our vendor did not have enough high quality fingerlings for the stocking. We are scheduled to do an early spring stocking.

Currently we have about \$7,300 in the stocking fund. Our goal is \$8,000.

You can easily contribute to the Walleye Visionary Fund:

- Using the form on page 16, you can pay your dues AND contribute to the Walleye Visionary Fund or:
- Contribute online at www.cedarlakeecc.org and scroll down to Visionary.

Loons on Cedar Three chicks made it this year

Again this year, all 4 loon platforms had a nesting pair. The south pair of loons were first to have a clutch and their two chicks did very well.

The spring brought storms which we believe were just too much of a challenge for the sand bar loons to overcome. They tried two clutches, but neither were successful.

The northeast pair successfully raised one chick. The northwest pair had a late chick, and we believe an eagle got it. So, as best we can tell, a total of 3 new loons were added to the Cedar Lake flock.

The loon platforms are tucked in for the winter. The Fish and Wildlife Committee takes wonderful care of the platforms and will get them out next spring as soon as the ice is out.



"As the lake freezes, there is a spot right out from our place that seems to take its time. This chilly swimming pool becomes a gathering place for geese, swans, and ducks. These lazy migratory birds party all night long, then sleep in till noon (reminiscent of when our kids were young)."

Dick Ebert | CLCC Board member



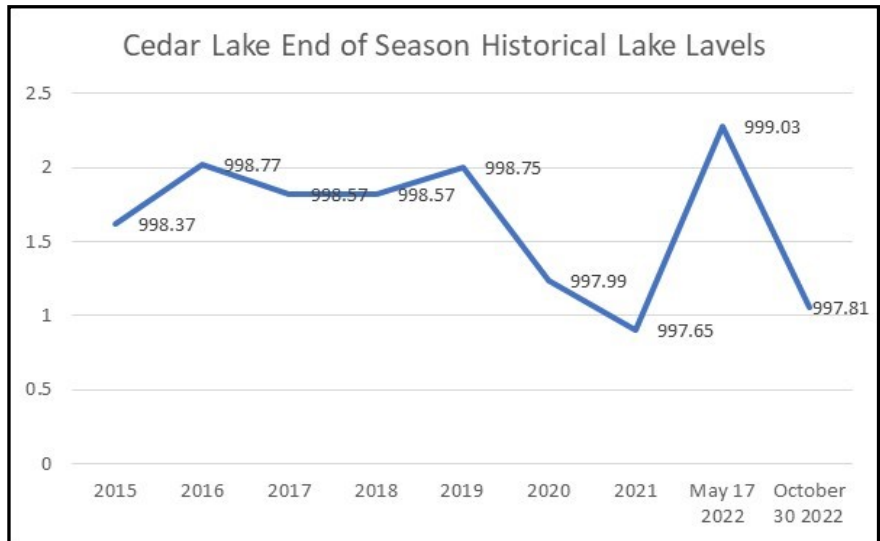
A beautiful afternoon in late October was great for northern fishing on Cedar. The proud fisherman is Bryce Seagraves, the son of Rick and Lynn Seagraves.

Cedar Lake Levels 2022—A Year of Extremes

The CLCC Water Quality Committee monitors the lake level and provides yearly data to the DNR. Numerous readings are taken throughout the summer. **Hats off to Water Quality Committee member Karl Leslie for many years of collecting readings.**

This year was certainly a year of extremes. In May, after significant rain fall, the lake almost reached our mandatory 300 ft no-wake level of 999.17 ft (or 2.42 on the gauge at County Rd 6). Then, by the end of the summer, the lake level was 2nd lowest over the last 7 years.

- The lowest known level of 997.21 on Cedar was in 1946.*
- The 2021 end of season level (997.65) was the lowest over the past 7 years.
- This year's end of season was about 6.9 inches lower than the end of season average, adickebert@hotmail.com
- and 1.92 inches higher than 2021.

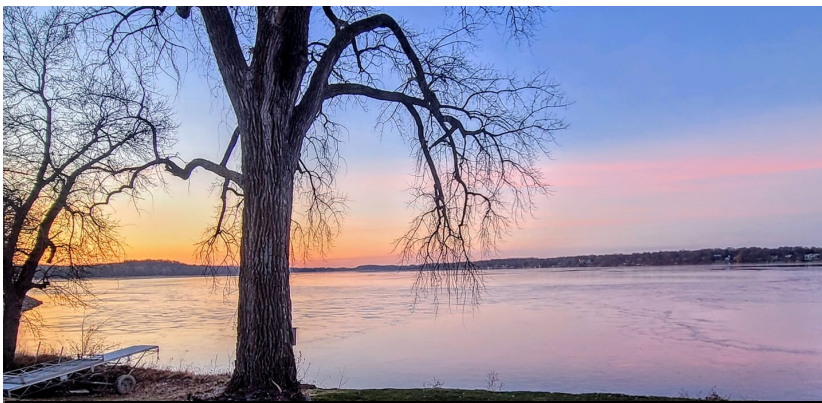


More information about Cedar's lake levels can be found at MN DNR Lake Finder <https://tinyurl.com/bdvrch8x> (Cedar, Wright County, click on "Lake Level" on left).

*Source: MN DNR Lake Finder

Cedar Lake Conservation Club Facebook @cedarlakeconservationclub IT'S BACK!

by Dick Ebert | CLCC Board of Directors and Facebook Administrator | dickebert@hotmail.com



Cedar Lake Conservation Club Facebook
Post a winter photo and stay close to beautiful Cedar Lake



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We are delighted to have a new Facebook Administrator for the CLCC Facebook page—Dick Ebert! Dick serves as a Director for CLCC and can be reached at dickebert@hotmail.com. The purpose of our page is to promote fellowship among our members and property owners on Cedar Lake—sharing pictures, social events, and Cedar Lake memories.

Our Facebook page has over 380 followers, representing a great cross section of ages, gender, and locations. There has not been much activity on the page lately, but we hope to change that.

Follow Us



You can easily post on the page!

Take a quick minute to post a favorite winter photo of Cedar Lake.

If you have not followed the page, do so today to stay connected as winter comes.

CLCC WATER QUALITY COMMITTEE

By Kathy Jonsrud | Water Quality Committee Chair | kjonsrud@yahoo.com | 320-274-2166

Limited Aquatic Invasive Species (AIS) Treatment Needed in 2022 Expenses Covered by DNR Grant

Cedar Lake AIS Treatment
Yellow | CLP Treatment 7.6 Acres



The Water Quality Committee is delighted to report that, again this year, limited aquatic invasive species (AIS) control was required on Cedar.

The only AIS requiring treatment was curly leaf pondweed, with 7.6 acres treated in May.

We anticipated there would be limited eurasian water milfoil to treat this year. Our vendors reported that there were no patches of EWM requiring treatment. The patch of robust vegetation on the north side was identified as northern water milfoil (good weed—native). Out of caution, several samples were taken from this area for genetic analysis. The results will help us identify treatment, if needed, for 2023.

And once again, **none of the newest invader—starry stonewort—was found on Cedar.**

The Water Quality Committee remains vigilant and is already making 2023 plans for AIS control. The Committee will continue to work with the DNR and a variety of

other lake management experts to develop thoughtful, comprehensive and cost effective AIS management strategy.

AIS	2022 Financials	
Curly Leaf Pondweed (CLP) May 23, 2022 7.6 acres	Treatment cost	\$1,339
	Pre-treatment survey	\$ 950
	TOTAL	2,289
	Expenses reimbursed by DNR grant	
Eurasian Water Milfoil (EWM) No treatment needed	Pre-treatment survey	\$ 950
	DNA Analysis of north Side	\$750
	TOTAL	\$1,700
	Expenses reimbursed by DNR Grant	
Starry Stonewort Search None detected	Diver assisted search	\$800
	CRWD Cedar AIS Project Expense	\$800

*DNR Grant | \$6,000 available for 2022-23

Watercraft Cleaning Stations (CD3) on Cedar Plans for a Second Unit at Cty Rd 6 Access Move Forward

CLCC and Wright County Parks sponsored the first CD3 watercraft cleaning station in Wright County in 2020.

The Schroeder Park station (north side of the lake) is **free to use** and continues to be very popular with boaters to help reduce the spread of aquatic invasive species.

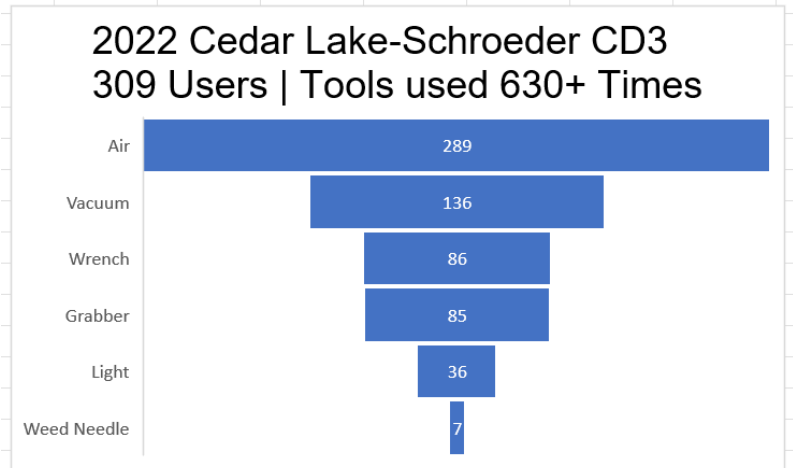


CD 3 at Schroeder Park

This summer, the use of the CD3 remained strong with over 300 users and tools used over 600 times. Over the past three years, the number of users has remained steady.

Progress has been made in working with the DNR and Wright Soil and Water Conservation District for the second station at the CTY RD 6 landing. We expect the new unit to be ready for use early next spring.

2022 Cedar Lake-Schroeder CD3 309 Users | Tools used 630+ Times



Cedar Extra Access Monitoring | Over 1,700 Inspections in 2022

CLCC made another major commitment this year to reduce the spread of aquatic invasive species (AIS). As in past years, Wright Soil and Water Conservation District provided a program for lakes to purchase additional access monitoring to augment the access monitoring provided by Wright County.

The CLCC Board of Directors contracted for an extra \$27,500 of access monitoring in 2022.

Here is a summary of the 2022 Cedar access monitoring statistics:

- 1,784 inspections (last year was 1,313).
- 1,782 hours of inspections for a total cost (includes inspections provided by Wright County) of \$39,700.
- Inspections per hour were 1.00, which is similar to previous years.
- Fishing boats were the most common watercraft inspected.
- 171 entrance inspection violations were detected, up from previous years.

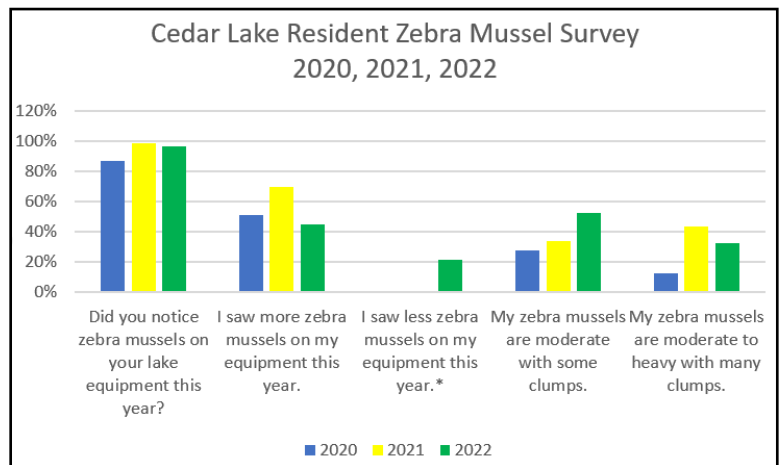
Zebra Mussels on Cedar Resident Survey Points to Decreasing Density

Zebra mussels colonies were first discovered in 2018 on Cedar. We started non-scientific resident surveys to gain an understanding of the changes in the population and density.

This year, though a few residents reported heavier infestations, there appears to be a trend that our infestation may be peaking, as some residents reported a decrease.

A few highlights include:

- Most (97%) report seeing zebra mussels on their equipment.
- 22% saw less zebra mussels on their equipment.
- The percentage that saw more zebra mussels decreased from 70% in 2021 to 45% in 2022.
- Those describing zebra mussels as moderate to heavy decreased from 44% in 2021 to 33% in 2022.



Cedar Lake Property Owners:

The Cedar Lake Conservation Club (CLCC) plans to treat curly leaf pondweed and eurasian water milfoil, both aquatic invasive species/nuisance species, in Cedar Lake in 2023. Additionally, if starry stonewort, an aquatic invasive species, is discovered, treatment will be conducted.

The Minnesota Department of Natural Resources is planning to provide to the CLCC a waiver of the requirements that the Association obtain signatures of approval by owners of lakeshore property. Instead, the CLCC will notify property owners of the treatment through the:

- CLCC newsletter which is mailed to all residents of Cedar Lake.
- CLCC website www.cedarlakecc.org.
- Annandale Advocate and Maple Lake Messenger (local weekly newspapers).

With regard to 2023 treatment:

- The proposed timeline for treatment is May – October.
- The target species for the treatment is curly leaf pondweed (CLP), eurasian water milfoil (EWM), and starry stonewort (SSW) if discovered.
- The products being used are aquatic herbicides and/or harvesting methods appropriate to control CLP and EWM, and SSW if discovered. Chemicals that are anticipated to be used are: CLP-diquat, EWM-ProcellaCOR, SSW (if discovered)-copper sulfate.
- If the landowner does NOT want treatment to occur adjacent to the landowner's property:

By April 15, 2023, fill out the form below and notify Kathy Jonsrud at the following address, phone number or email address:

Cedar Lake Conservation Club
7646 Isaak Ave NW
Annandale, MN 55302
E-mail: kjonsrud@yahoo.com
Phone: 320-293-6678

Sincerely,
Cedar Lake Conservation Club Board of Directors

2023 Aquatic Invasive Species Treatment Notice

I request that no herbicide treatment occur adjacent to our shoreline property in 2023.

Signed _____ Date: _____

All requested information must be entered for verification purposes.

Year: 2023	Property Identification Number(s):
Property Owners Name(s):	
Lake Property Address:	
City/State/Zip	
Phone Number(s) Preferred:	Alternate:
Mailing Address (if different from the Cedar Lake Property Address):	

Where on Cedar? Answer on page 11



Do you have a guess where this picture of Cedar Lake is from? Sunrise or sunset? Answer on page 11.

We would love to have your photos of the beauty and enjoyment on fantastic Cedar Lake.

Please send your Cedar Lake pictures to: kjonsrud@yahoo.com.

What on Cedar? Answer on page 11



OK, sure this is monarch; raised from a caterpillar by Cedar Lake resident Orv Jonsrud and released in August.

But, is it a boy or a girl? Yes—there is a way to tell; see page 11.

Cedar Lake Kids Corner

Our Summer on Cedar in Pictures

By Will and Hannah Terschan
Grandchildren of Liz and Glenn Baird



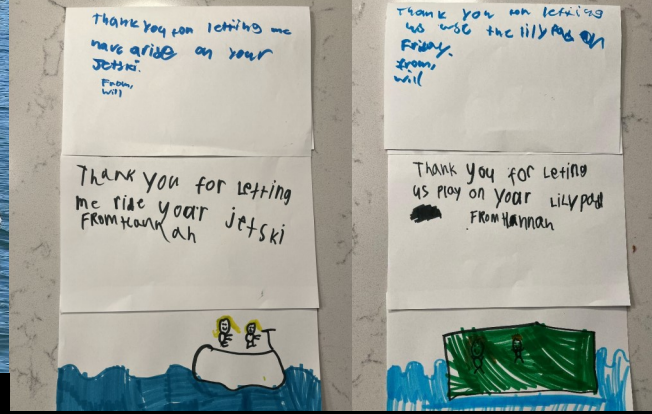
Why do 'smores taste so good on Cedar Lake?



Lily Pads are the best; a neighbor let us play on it!



Super cool neighbor took us for a jet ski ride!



And of course, thank you notes to the neighbors.

CLCC 2022 Annual Meeting

Recap of Meeting | 3 New Directors Elected to 4 Year Term

The CLCC Annual Meeting was held on September 17; attendance was good and quorum was easily reached. President David Glass led the meeting and provided an overview of the successful year. Here are the highlights:

- Recognized outgoing Director Orv Jonsrud, and the membership elected three new Directors: **Beth Trout, Bonnie Sadergaski, and Mary Ellen Wells. See more information about the new Directors below.**
- Access monitoring was performed at the CTY RD 6 and Schroeder accesses. See page 6 for details.
- Cedar experienced robust native vegetation and filamentous algae in several areas this year. Other lakes have experienced the same, and our vegetation mapping expert believes the cool spring and lower water levels favored certain natives. Also, our increased water clarity stimulates vegetation growth. We now see vegetation in 18-21 feet of water (previously was 12-15 ft).
- Limited aquatic invasive species control was needed, and 2022 expenses were covered by a DNR grant. See page 6 for more details.
- CLCC Picnic and Music on the Water were once again great community celebrations. Next year the Picnic and Music on the Water are planned for July 15th, 2023—mark your calendars!
- The Fish and Wildlife Committee maintained purple martin houses, a chimney swift tower, and loon platforms.
- The popular Kids Don't Float free life jacket loaning station at Schroeder Park was maintained by Mark Grimme—CLCC Director.
- Treasurer Chuck Vinar provided a review of the strong CLCC financials.
- The Board continues to monitor emerging lake issues such as: 2nd tier developments; Boat Operator's Certificate in the state legislature; vacation rental regulations; and the U of M Wake Boat Study.



Bonnie Sadergaski and her husband, John, raised three daughters—Tiffany, Whitney and Sidney—in Lakeville. They enjoyed their cabin on Cedar Lake for about seven years when they decided to replace it

three years ago with their retirement home.

Bonnie works for Petty Brothers Meats part-time and also part-time for her sister Sharyl Schultz (also a Cedar Lake resident) at Ace Tax and Financial. Bonnie and John love being part of this community and are enjoying life on Cedar Lake.



Beth Trout's family has been on Cedar Lake since the 1950s. After Beth's retirement from education a year ago, Beth and her husband Phil moved permanently to Cedar Lake.

Their daughters, Megan and Lauren, visit often. Beth enjoys boating, fishing and competing in pickleball. Beth says, "I look forward to serving on the CLCC board."



Mary Ellen Wells served more than 35 years as a senior executive and CEO of hospitals, clinics, and skilled nursing facilities within Allina Health, CentraCare Health, and the University of Minnesota systems. Currently, Mary Ellen is semi-retired, working part-time as a consultant and mentor for healthcare executives and remaining active with the University of Minnesota.

Mary Ellen has always been involved in community activities and currently serves on the Boards of True Friends and Light the Legacy.

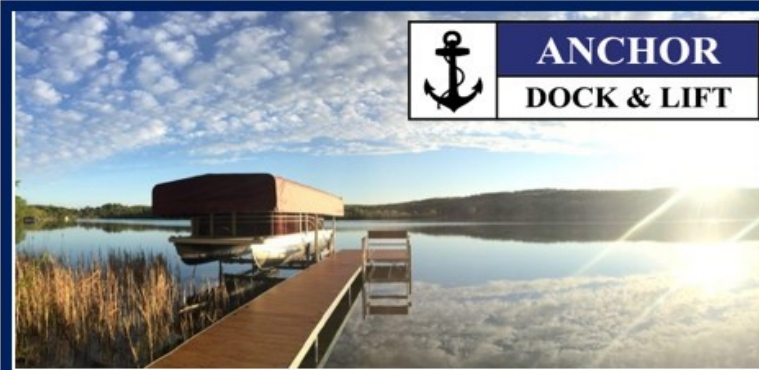
Since 2001, Mary Ellen and her husband, Bill Arendt, have lived in three different homes on the northwest side of Cedar Lake. One of their children and her spouse, Meagan and Scott Galbari, own the home next door. The other three children and their families are often found going between the houses and enjoying all the activities Cedar Lake has to offer.

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Two Cedar Lake properties I listed and both sold in less than 30 days



October
Sunrise on
Cedar

Photo by Sue
Nash

2023 CLCC EVENTS Mark your calendar!

April 22nd	Board of Directors Meeting	All welcome! 9am Corinna Town Hall 9801 Ireland Ave NW
May 13th	CLCC Fishing Contest Opens	Stay tuned for more details!
June 10th	Board of Directors Meeting	All welcome! 9am Corinna Town Hall 9801 Ireland Ave NW
July 15th	CLCC Picnic and Music on the Water	Stay tuned for more details!
September 4th	CLCC Fishing Contest Ends	Stay tuned for more details!
September 10th	2023 Member Annual Meeting Board of Directors Meeting	All welcome! 9am Corinna Town Hall 9801 Ireland Ave NW
November 11th	Board of Directors Meeting	All welcome! 9am Corinna Town Hall 9801 Ireland Ave NW

Stay Safe and Have Fun | Ice Safety Tips

By Sue Wolf, Board of Directors

The CLCC Board of Directors regularly discusses safety concerns on Cedar. Cedar is a highly recreated lake, and a shared value in our community is a safe and fun experience for all using the lake.

Winter brings a whole new set of ways to have fun on Cedar. "Hard water season" is right around the corner, and it is time to start thinking about getting the fish houses ready, snow shoes out of storage, and snowmobiles tuned up for the winter season.

As you are getting ready to enjoy the winter season on Cedar Lake, **keep in mind that ice is never 100% safe.** With that being said, the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources offers the following guidelines from their website, to help us STAY SAFE and HAVE FUN!



New Clear Ice Only

- Under 4 inches - STAY OFF the ICE
- 4" - Ice fishing or other activities on foot
- 5"-7" - Snowmobiles or ATVs
- 8"-12" - Car or small pick-up
- 12"-15" - Medium truck

Double the ice thickness for white ice or snow ice, as white ice/snow ice is half as strong as clear ice.

Ice Safety | Did you know?

NEW ICE IS USUALLY STRONGER THAN OLD ICE.

4" of clear newly formed ice may support one person on foot, while 12" or more of old partially thawed ice may not.

ICE SELDOM FREEZES UNIFORMLY.

It may be a foot thick in one location and only an inch or two just a few feet away.

THE INSULATING EFFECT OF SNOW SLOWS DOWN THE FREEZING PROCESS.

The extra weight also reduces how much weight the ice sheet can support. Also, ice near the shore can be weaker than the ice that is further out.

SCHOOLS OF FISH OR FLOCKS OF WATER FOWL CAN ADVERSELY AFFECT THE RELATIVE SAFETY OF THE ICE.

The movement of the fish can bring warm water up from the bottom of the lake. In the past this has opened holes in the ice causing snowmobiles and cars to break through.

Source: Minnesota Department of Natural Resources

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at the sandbar
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2022 CLCC Picnic and Raffle Winner Magic



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A Step Back In Time | Winter 1975 Tidbits from CLCC Newsletters

By Terri Erickson, CLCC Secretary terriwestmetro@kw.com 612-889-2808



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- New laws for boaters under 18 years of age were effective on January 1, 1975 that imposed operating restrictions.
- First Cedar Lake Fishing Contest was held. Weigh-ins were done at Marv's Bait Shop on Hwy 55.
- Water clarity was only 4.5 feet.
- Spawning bed signs posted in Turtle Bay (west side of Cedar, just north of the sandbar)



"A Step Back in Time" is a regular feature to enjoy the charming history of the CLCC newsletters. Find the CLCC newsletters—going back to 1973—on the web-site.

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Where on Cedar? What on Cedar? from page 7

Where on Cedar? This glorious fall sunset from the north side looking south-west. Photographer is LuAnn Schutte.
What on Cedar? The monarch is a male—there are two small dots on his lower wings. Photographer is Kathy Jonsrud.

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CLCC MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE

By Greg Duppler CLCC President Elect | greg.duppler@yahoo.com | 612-310-7236

Once again, we had a strong year of membership in CLCC. We ended the year with 180 paid members, which is about 80% of our lake residents belonging to CLCC. Most large lake associations are delighted to reach 50% membership so we have a very strong showing on Cedar Lake. Thank you very much for your support to help maintain CLCC as a vibrant lake association.

Dues are \$50 per calendar year. Many people give extra contributions to a Visionary Fund (see more information on page 2). We have 120+ people that have donated to a Visionary Fund this year. Donations can be directed to a specific fund such the Walleye Fund, Water Quality Fund, Memorial Fund, or the General Fund. CLCC is a 501(c)(3) tax exempt organization so your donations are tax deductible.

Cedar Lake Favorite Recipes By Kobie Diers

This recipe is a family fall favorite! Served best while it is warm with vanilla ice cream.

Apple and Pear Crisp

- 2 pounds ripe Bosc pears (about 4)
- 2 pounds firm apples (about 4)
- 1 teaspoon grated orange zest
- 1 teaspoon grated lemon zest
- 2 tablespoons freshly squeezed orange juice
- 2 tablespoons freshly squeezed lemon juice
- 1/2 cup granulated sugar
- 1/4 cup flour
- 1 teaspoon ground cinnamon
- 1/2 teaspoon ground nutmeg



TOPPING

- 1 1/2 cups flour
- 3/4 cup granulated sugar
- 3/4 cup light brown sugar, lightly packed
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1 cup old-fashioned oatmeal
- 1/2 pound (2 sticks) cold butter, diced

DIRECTIONS

1. Preheat oven to 350 degrees.
2. Peel, core and cut the pears and apples into large chunks. Place the fruit in a large bowl and add the zests, juices, sugar, flour, cinnamon, and nutmeg. Pour into a 9 by 12 by 2-inch oval baking dish.
3. For the topping: Combine the flour, sugars, salt, oatmeal, and butter in the bowl of an electric mixer fitted with the paddle attachment. Mix on low speed for 1 minute, until the mixture is in large crumbles. Sprinkle evenly over the fruit, covering the fruit completely.
4. Place the baking dish on a sheet pan and bake for 50 minutes to 1 hour, until the top is brown and the fruit is bubbly.

Please let me know of any new lake residents (Greg.duppler@yahoo.com) so that I can pay a personal visit to welcome them to Cedar Lake.

P.S. Is 2023 the year for you to engage more deeply with lake stewardship? Is the time right for you? Take a look at the CLCC Committees and see if there is a good fit.

CLCC Committee	Chair	Contact
Water Quality Protect & improve water quality & beneficial vegetation	Kathy Jonsrud	kjonsrud@yahoo.com
Fish and Wildlife Conservation Preserve & protect beneficial wildlife, fish, & the natural beauty of Cedar Lake	Paul Schutte	pschutte54@hotmail.com
Membership Encourage membership & involvement	Greg Duppler	greg.duppler@yahoo.com
Events Promote fellowship among lake residents & friends of Cedar Lake	Lori Larson	lljanson@mac.com
Nominating Provide Board of Director nominations to the membership at the Annual Meeting	Sue Wolf	suewolf5600@gmail.com

Stay in Touch with CLCC in Your Favorite Way

Newsletter | Kathy Jonsrud
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The CLCC newsletter is published three times a year (April, July & November) and mailed to all Cedar Lake property owners. A copy is also posted on our website.

Facebook | Post Your Winter Photos
Dick Ebert (dickebert@hotmail.com) is the new Facebook administrator. Take a quick moment and post your favorite winter photo or share fun on "hard water". Please follow us on Facebook!

Website and E-mail | Scott Brooks bianchibrooks@gmail.com
There is a treasure of information on our website www.cedarlakeecc.org—check it out! We can support two emails per family. Updates to emails (and other directory information) should be sent to Chuck Vinar, ohs7100@gmail.com.

CLCC Treasurer's Report Chuck Vinar – CLCC Treasurer ohs7100@gmail.com 763-436-6198

FUNDS as of 10/30/2022	AMOUNT
General CLCC	\$44,804.77
Water Quality	\$97,477.71
Walleye Stocking	\$7,389.65
Memorial Visionary	<u>\$4,350.44</u>
TOTAL	\$154,022.57

The Board of Directors approves expenditures from all funds.

Examples are:

General: Member communications, events, insurance

Water Quality: Contributions to large water quality projects, aquatic invasive species control, watercraft cleaning station, "Rapid Response" funds for new aquatic invasive species infestations

Walleye: Every other year walleye stocking

Memorial: Special projects as determined by CLCC Board of Directors

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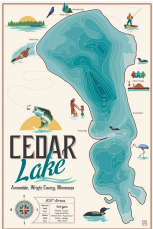


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If you want to pay online, visit the CLCC website (www.cedarlakeecc.org).

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	General Water Quality Walleye Stocking Memorial	
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Thank you!		