

## Moose Lake News

By Jim Onarheim

Earlier this month the Moose Lake Improvement Association Board of directors held their monthly board meeting at Christinas Y Pines. The meeting was called to order by President McDonald at 9:00 am on the 6<sup>th</sup> of March. Attending the meeting was Cary McDonald, Gary Hostetler, Doug Kuchta, Tom Koehler, Jack Brown, Vaughn Christison, Fred Haak proxy to McDonald) Guests: Doc Grayson and Joel Miller

Adoption of Agenda as mailed: Koehler moved to accept, Kuchta seconded, motion passed unanimously. Approval of Minutes: Hostetler moved to approve Minutes as written on website, Brown second motion passed. Unanimously.

Treasurer's Report: Kuchta presented current balance and expected expenditures over the next 30 days with a current balance of \$14,019, fireworks contribution of \$2000, and \$2500 estimated for dock expenditures leaving an estimated balance at the end of the month of \$9519. Membership report: Doug Kuchta is working with Cary McDonald to update the membership list. This is in preparation for notices to go out for annual dues and annual meeting notification to be held on July 5<sup>th</sup> at Louie's.

Old Business: Dock Update: Tom Koehler presented quotes for materials to replace docks on Folsom Island and Moose Lake Club along with drawings. It is anticipated that the construction of Folsom Island dock will begin Tuesday March 11<sup>th</sup> with the hopes of taking this out across the ice that same day. Moose Lake dock plans for construction will be made during the next 30 days.

AEDS: Y-Pine and Moose Shack fully installed. Cary McDonald to follow up with Louie's Landing on their status. Annual Meeting: Mike Dombeck has been lined up to be guest speaker at the Annual meeting to be held July 5th. Mike will talk about the 2-Axe project.

Buoy update: Unfortunately, the lift donated by Strandlund for pontoon storage on the lake is not large enough. Doc Grayson, Joel Miller, and Jack Brown will be exploring other options and report back at the next meeting.

Sensitive Area Signage: Hostetler contacted Max Wolter regarding the issue with unauthorized removal of beneficial weeds and old timber in prime fish habitat. Max and others with the DNR were extremely helpful in identifying statutes that were being violated and suggesting language to bring awareness to the public. The Board decided that the best way to address this would be to send a notice to all the members when we send the information out to the members about the annual meeting.

New Business: Road Clean Up: Koehler to pick specific date and discuss this at the April meeting. New Ideas: Joel Miller mentioned the ongoing issue of limits for pan fish. Alternatives will be

discussed at the April meeting. Koehler also suggested the Board look at another Fish Crib project. This will also be discussed by the members at the next board meeting.

Other Committee Reports: Town of Round Lake: Strandlund was absent, so we will look forward to his report at the next meeting. Fire Department Liaison: Feldner was also absent so we will look forward to his report at next month's meeting also.

The Board meeting was adjourned at 10:09 AM. Next month's meeting will be held Thursday April 3 at Louie's Landing at 9:00 AM.

Pool League was held last Thursday evening on March 20<sup>th</sup> at Y Pines. We had twelve players that participated, which made up a total of six teams. We ended up with a three-way tie for first place. We had to have a play-off game to see who would be awarded the first-place prize. Mike Williams and Joan Linahon ended up being the champion pool players for that evening. Second place went to Brad Daywitt and Christina Christison. The TP award was given to me and Bruce Vanfleet. Bruce and I were honored to receive the TP award. Oh well, we will be back strong next week.

Birthday greetings this week are as follows. Fred Duray on the 27<sup>th</sup>, Dave Galles on the 28<sup>th</sup>, Dane Resh on the 29<sup>th</sup>, along with Rich Good on the same date. Rick Tepe will have his birthday on March 31<sup>st</sup> along with Wendy Duray Olson on the same date. April 1<sup>st</sup> Christina Christison of Christina's Y Pines and Linda Myhre will celebrate their birthdays both on the same date. Happy Birthday to all of you.

Stay safe everyone and enjoy your week with moderate temperatures. Please send your items of interest to my new e-mail address emta984@gmail.com or call my landline at 715-462-4448 or my cell at 715-577-8880. Moose Lake Improvement association website is <http://mliahaywardwi.org> The Town of Round Lake Web site is <https://www.townofroundlakewi.org> and the Round Lake Fire Department website is <https://townofroundlakefire-rescue.org> JO.