



# Cedar Lake News

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## - WINTER MEETING SET -

### TWO NEW AMMENDMENTS PROPOSED

As required by our club's constitution and by-laws, the following are two proposed ammendments to Article V: Committees, hereby printed in the newsletter which preceeds that meeting at which a vote on the ammendments is to be taken. If ratified, these ammendments shall become sections 8 and 9, respectively, of Article V. They are as follows:

#### Proposed Section 8--

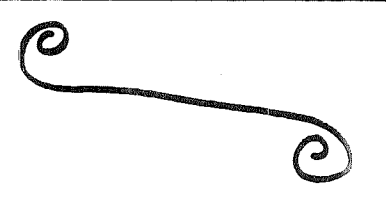
"All standing committee members including the chairman are non-elected volunteers and shall serve for a period of 2 years coinciding with the tenure of the club's elected officers. Members of these committees may serve an indefinite number of 2 year terms but must re-volunteer to serve at each 2 year election."

#### Proposed Section 9--

"Standing committee members may resign their positions at any time,

submitting such resignation to the chairman of the committee. Chairmen wishing to resign shall submit such resignations to the club's board of directors. Any member of the Cedar Lake Conservation Club wishing to join a standing committee between the prescribed 2 year period as mentioned in Article V, Section 8, may do so by a request directed to the committee chairman and his acceptance of that request. If such a person wishes to continue to serve on the committee he must re-volunteer to do so at the next election of club officers."

These ammendments require a two-thirds majority vote by those members in attendance at our winter meeting in order to obtain ratification.



On Saturday, March 8, 1975 at 6:00 PM, the Cedar Lake Conservation Club will hold its winter meeting and dinner at the Swiss Chalet restaurant located on Highway 100 and Excelsior Blvd. in the Miracle Mile shopping center in Minneapolis.

The dinner itself is an all you can eat buffet featuring such items as Bar-B-Queed ribs, chicken, and a dazzling array of salads. The cost is \$4.00 per person, children under 10, \$2.75. Beverage and dessert are included with the above. It is not necessary to send your money in advance, you will be able to pay at the dinner line.

However, in order that we may give an accurate count on how many of our members plan to attend we ask that you send in the reservation slip attached at the end of the newsletter to Shirley Cook, 5837 Washburn Ave. N., Minneapolis, before March 1. If you have any questions concerning the dinner you may call Shirley at 561-6215 after 5:00 PM on weekdays.

Some of the items on the agenda for the meeting are as follows: establishment of membership dues cost for 1975; voting on a proposed ammendment to our club's constitution; presentation of a proposed operating budget for the coming year; update on current

activities our club is engaged in; the opportunity for club members to offer their input on charting a course of activities for our organization to pursue in the coming months and years.

This last item just mentioned for our meeting agenda is certainly one of the very most important. As a goodly number of you are perhaps already aware, critics of our organization have categorized us as a one issue club, referring to our primary concern over the past several years with the Cedar Acres problem. But as this issue is wrapped up, let us not fall victim to the charges of our critics and let our interest in Cedar Lake, the restoration and preservation of its resources, fall by the wayside.

It is imperative that the leaders and planners of our club have the ideas, the suggestions, the input from its members as to what course of action should be taken on those problems the people regard as important.

As we begin the year 1975, and as we look forward with anticipation to the time only a few months away when we will be able to begin another season of enjoyment at our homes at

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# NEW BOATING EDUCATION LAW NOW IN EFFECT

# CLCC TO SPONSOR FISHING CONTEST

# MAP & DIRECTORY & SWEATSHIRTS AVAILABLE

Kim Elverum, youth boating safety coordinator for the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources' Bureau of Information and Education would like to remind young boaters of a new law which has gone into effect as of January 1, 1975. It is the new Boating Education law which establishes certain legal conditions for those young people up to age 18 in the operation of boats with large size motors.

The new law states that persons under the age of 13 are not allowed to operate a boat with a motor of over 24 horsepower unless accompanied by someone 18 years old or older. And in addition, anyone between the ages of 13 through 17 wishing to operate a boat with a motor of more than 24 horsepower must apply for a watercraft operator permit from the DNR.

In order to obtain this permit, the person applying must read an 84 page manual on correct and safe boating practices, complete a workbook and a test on the material. The workbook and test must be mailed back to the DNR where it will be graded. If the person passes the test, a watercraft operator permit will be granted and mailed out.

In order to be ready for this spring and sum-

mer's boating activities young boaters interested can apply for their manuals and test materials now and then be able to obtain their permits before the boating season is underway and the office becomes more busy with handling these applications.

It is not a bad idea either, for persons over the age of 18 and who drive large horsepower motorboats to send for one of these manuals. I'm sure many could find some useful tips and safety rules of which they are not currently aware. Included in the manual is information for the water skier and boat driver as well.

To obtain your boating education kit (manual, workbook and test) simply write to the DNR, Boat and Water Safety, 350 Centennial Bldg., St. Paul, Minnesota. The kit is free.

## - MEETING - (Cont. From P. 1)

Cedar, let each of us resolve to show our appreciation for the beauty and bounty we have taken so much for granted by offering a small portion of our time and service to help in keeping Cedar Lake the spot of natural refreshment it has been to so many for so long. Your attendance at our first meeting this year will be a fine start on that resolve!

Preparations are currently underway to begin this spring a first for Cedar Lake and its residents, namely a Cedar Lake Conservation Club sponsored fishing contest. Details of the new program are still being worked out, but we hope to start the contest from opening day of fishing season and carry it till sometime into the early fall. It is a contest for Cedar Lake residents and their families only, and all fish entered must be caught from Cedar. Prizes will be awarded to contest winner. The next issue of the Cedar Lake News will carry final plans.

## STATE RECEIVES FISH & WILDLIFE FUNDS

Minnesota received an apportionment of \$2,071,859 from the federal government during the current fiscal year for fish and wildlife restoration projects.

A partial distribution of the federal aid monies was made available to the states last July and the final payments distributed during December.

The funds are raised by the federal government through excise taxes on hunting and fishing equipment.

If you still have not obtained a copy of the new Cedar Lake Map and Directory which came out last fall, you may still do so at the winter meeting, March 8. The map and directory are free to our members and Cedar Lake residents. The map is suitable in size for framing.

Also, if you wish to purchase a Cedar Lake Conservation Club sweatshirt, they will be on sale at this meeting as well. You might want to pick up one or two to be ready this spring when you re-open your cabin for the season. They're ideally suited for cool spring weather when doing those outside chores.

## MINNESOTA & WISCONSIN HIGH ON FISHERIES LIST

Minnesota and Wisconsin in 1974 received the fourth and fifth largest shares of federal fisheries aid funds, distributed under the Dingell-Johnson Act. These funds are used to restore and manage fisheries in the United States and its territories, and are secured through a 10 percent excise tax on fishing rods, reels, creels, artificial baits lures and flies. Minnesota's share was \$677,148, Wisconsin's, \$614,699.

COOK'S CORNER

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As winter seems to drag on interminably this time of year, more of us, it seems, look forward to those little things which help brighten our days and lift our spirits out of the doldrums, such as looking forward to an unbeatable home-cooked Sunday dinner where Mom outdoes herself with a savory feast. The next time she fixes beef or pot roast, let's say, here is a tangy condiment that's sure to win compliments. Though cabbage is not a seasonal vegetable for us now, the supermarkets have an ample supply, and later this summer when our own fresh produce ripens, this recipe will be a zippy change from the old standby of creamed cole slaw. This issue's recipe is submitted by Mrs. Wilbur Light.

CABBAGE SALAD

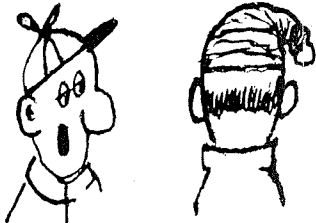
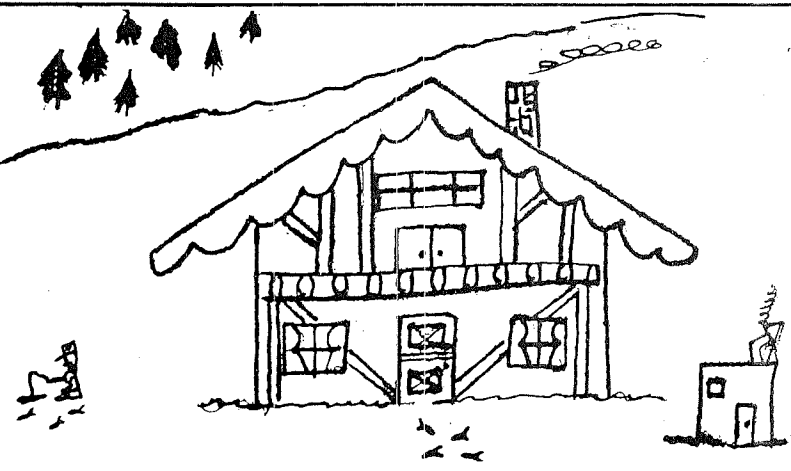
- 2 cups chopped (grated) cabbage
- 2 stalks celery (grated fine)
- 2 medium carrots (grated fine)
- 2 tsp. salt
- 1 cup cold water

Combine above ingredients and let set one hour. Drain well and press out water.

Syrup Mixture:

- $\frac{1}{2}$  cup water
- $\frac{1}{2}$  cup vinegar
- 1 cup sugar

Bring the above to a boil and cool. Pour over cabbage mixture. (Syrup can be made the day before)



"... AND YOU SHOULD SEE THE WINE CELLAR!"

A SALUTE FROM GOVERNOR WENDELL R. ANDERSON

are actively involved in these organizations. Individually and collectively, this remarkable population of conservationists has made enormous contributions to our Minnesota quality of life.

I want to express my personal gratitude to these citizens--and to extend to one and all my heartfelt best wishes for a joyous Christmas season and a great conservation New Year 1975.

It has been estimated that there are over 500 Minnesota organizations involved in causes related to conservation. Some of these groups are comprised of sportsmen devoted to working for improved fish and wildlife habitat. Others are specialized organizations with interests ranging from the preservation of open space, to environmental education, to air and water pollution concerns.

Thousands of Minnesota citizens, and there is no precise count of just how many thousands,

"BUT WE ALREADY KNEW THAT...!"

The two most important motivations: "to take it easy," and "to be outdoors." The next most important motive was "to eat fresh fish," then "change from working pressure," and then "the experience of the catch."

All of this in response to a survey of 524 salmon anglers in British Columbia, by the Canadian Department of the Environment. The question: Why do people fish? Interestingly, the "nature of scenic" aspects, and "travel" motivation, didn't rate highly as reasons for going fishing. But the study did conclude that "sport fishing represents an ideal outlet for the frustrations of modern living in that it produces multiple benefits with few social costs." Agreed, fisherman? Agreed!!

RESERVATION SLIP

We would very much like to have you at our club's winter meeting on March 8 at the Swiss Chalet Buffet Restaurant located on Highway 100 and Excelsior Blvd. in Minneapolis. Dinner starts at 6:00 PM with a punch and social period beforehand and the meeting following the dinner. If you plan to attend, please fill out this reservation slip and send it by March 1 to Shirley Cook, 5837 Washburn Ave. N., Minneapolis. The Cost is \$4.00 per person, children under 10, \$2.75. PLEASE SEND NO MONEY WITH THIS SLIP! Payment is made at the dinner line.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of persons attending in your group \_\_\_\_\_