**Prevent** the introduction or spread of invasive mussels to our lakes. It is important for water users to **Clean+ Drain+ Dry** their watercraftand/or equipment (Boat, kayak, etc.)when leaving **any** waterbody, ***particularly*** an infested waterbody.

**Inform** other cottagers on the lake and visitors to the lake aware of the invasion.

*\*\*Knowledge is key\*\**

**Eradicate:** Scrape the mussels off your docks, boats, rocks, shoreline walls, etc. Soak the mussels in buckets of at least 2% chlorinated water overnight to kill them; put them in a garbage can and dispose of them away from any sewer or waterway.

**FACT: Zebra mussels can survive out of water for up to 18 days in high humidity.**

**Add a filter to your water intake** lines and foot valves to avoid blockages by mussels inside your pipes.

**Wear water shoes when in water**, as the mussels are very sharp and can cut skin.