Hi Everyone,

My thanks to all that came to the May 24 Saturday RLA meeting. It was good to see so many people there. I missed some thank-yous at the meeting so, in addition to the thank-yous said at the meeting, I would like to thank Dale McNamee for getting and bringing up to the clubhouse 2 new grills last fall for the fisheree. Thanks Bill Brunner, Dave, Don Schroeder, Bob Nack and Tony Abitz for helping to get the clubhouse and shed ready for the meeting. Thanks to Mary Nack and Sue Brunner for the printing, packaging and distribution of the fisheree raffle tickets. Also thanks to Mike Hopfensperger, Scott Trettin and crew for putting the buoy's in. Thank you to Gus Nordholm, for all his time related to the fish rehab program. I am sure I missed someone who has helped RLA, sorry if I did. But thanks to all that I may have missed for helping out!!!

One last item that I would like to comment on relates to the EWM discussion that we had at the meeting on May 24th. The goal of the Aquatic Plant Management Committee (APMC) is to educate all of us, through the use of professionals in lake management, in an unbiased way as possible. My hope is that most everyone will agree, and that Brett's presentation at the meeting will attest to the APMC's goal.

In the meeting an article by the Minnesota Agriculture department was brought up relating to the herbicide ProcellaCOR. No one on the APMC was made aware of this article until about 20 minutes before the meeting on May 24th. Be assured that this article will be thoroughly vetted, investigated and discussed by the APMC and by the professionals that the APMC works with (WDNR and Onterra). The results and findings will be sent out to all members to review prior to our Labor Day meeting.

If there are any questions let me know and I will do my best to get an answer,

Thanks, Mark