

FHLA Board Meeting
Wednesday, May 18, 2022
CVS Community Board Room at 7PM

Members Present: Liz Cope, Janet Swift, Ellen Burns, Manny Silva, RoseAnne Nagle, Krenare Osmani

Treasurer's Report-Balance as of May 6th -**\$15,777.88**. Insurance paid to Lawley Insurance on May 9th -**\$1,829.25**. It has gone up by about 7%.

Change.org Petition- Still at 36 signers. Petition will be promoted on the newsletter.

First Lake Treatment is scheduled for tomorrow however it is going to rain. Even though rain does not affect the treatment, to be sure we would like to move it to a day without rain, possibly Friday, May 20th.

Lake edge- We need a clean-up crew around the lake to remove rhizomes, branches, etc. Ellen will look for the contact info. of a lake clean-up company that was seen on Ridgefield Press.

Events-RoseAnne has the idea to have regular events to gather neighbors as a way to build community around the lake.

- Community Fire Pit First Friday of the Month
- Fire Pit Movie
- Snow Shoeing
- Winter Hike
- Beach Clean-up and Egg Decorating

She will share the calendar with members.

Grants-Applying for Lake Management and Invasive Species through the CT Federations of Lakes. A budget sheet needs to be completed for the grant in terms of the financials of FHLA.

Tag Sale-Saturday, July 16 at 10 Shady Lane and Rain Date, July 17th at 10AM.

Dues-Last time that dues were changed was about 10 years ago.Suggestion to increase dues for this year and forward-
Lakefront to \$250, Lakeview \$150, General \$50.
Motion accepted to increase dues.

Food Trucks are too expensive to bring to a picnic. Annual membership meeting will be held in October and not in conjunction with our annual picnic as the setting is not proper for a membership meeting.

Annual Picnic-Sunday, September 11th @1PM Rita Rd.Beach
Annual Membership Meeting-TBD-October

Boat Stickers-Every paying member will receive a free boat sticker. An additional boat sticker will cost \$15. Add a line to the membership form asking how many boat stickers are needed.

Fireworks-Add a bit about fireworks to the newsletter. The idea is for fireworks to not be set off from the FHLA beaches.

Meeting ended at 8:56PM.

Submitted by,
Krenare Osmani