

Seed Lake Association Annual Meeting July 18, 2020

Frank Lyles, President, called the meeting to order at 11am.

The Financial Report by Mary Madden

We have slightly over \$31,600 in the bank. Approximately 70 families have paid their dues. For all of 2019 approximately 100 families paid dues. Most of the association expenses are in the second half of the calendar year.

Mountain Patrol Representative

He cautioned those walking on the paved road to be on the lookout for rattlesnakes.

He urged those with Kayaks to put some identification on the kayak so that the kayak can be returned if it floats away.

He also noted that there was a problem with some jet skis going too fast.

Ethan Franklin of the Department of Natural Resources

Ethan left a booklet of boating rules. He emphasized that children under 13 must wear a life jacket. Certain classes of boats should have a throwable, either a ring or a cushion with two straps. The no wake rules are not enforceable unless they are on official (government) signs. Ours are not.

Ethan's group is stretched covering the three lakes and the gorge, although the next day he was going to Lanier. Seed Lake is calm compared to the other lakes.

Seed Lake Website

The Website went live on Thursday July 16th. The URL is seedlake.org. The site has lots of good information and will be a good resource. A description of the contents will be distributed with this report.

Lake Draw Down

Lake draw down will be in early 2021 and we will communicate the exact dates when we learn them. However, if the fall is too dry there will not be a draw down.

Grading on Crow Creek Road

Scott Scholl complained about the grading done on the back side of Seed. They are not leaving a berm so if there is heavy rainfall the water flows off the road and down into the lake.

Fiber

Frank reported on the progress with the Habersham EMC fiber. More news is expected at the first of the year.

Elections

The elections were held, and the officers and board are:

President – Matt Slappy

Vice President – James Syfan

Secretary/Treasurer – Mary Madden

Director – Nancy Anastasiades

Director – Suzanne Arpin

Director – Tom Herman

Director – Barbara Brightwell
Director – Scott Titshaw
Director – Weslee Washington

The meeting was adjourned at 12.