



Briggs Lake Chain Association

Remembering the Past – Improving the Future ...promoting the care, improvement, and general welfare of the Briggs Lake Chain [Julia, Briggs, Rush and Big Elk] and adjoining and connecting waters.

Mark your calendar...

- Healthy
Lakes
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6:30
02/07/2019
&
03/07/2019
- TLID
-
6:30

02/01/2019
&
03/01/2019
■ Palmer
Twp
Board
-
7
PM
02/11/2019
&
01/14/2019
■ BLCA
Board
Mtg
-
8:30
AM
02/09/2019
&
01/12/2019
■ Clear
Lake
Twp
Board
-
7
PM
02/19/2019
&
01/15/2019
■ Board
of
Adjustment
-
6
PM
02/21/2019
&
01/17/2019

Fun for the whole family! Prizes for the fishing contest and Shoot the Puck game. Grills available; BLCA will supply brats but you can also bring



something else to grill if you like.

Fire pits available - bring s'mores!

Skating rink and Porta potties available.



****Introducing New Board Member!**

Shelly Gilmore has lived in the Briggs Lake chain area for 20 years. She and her husband Steve, along with their two kids age 15 and 18, believe in sustainable living practices and do their best to protect the environment. Shelly enjoys kayaking, sewing, baking, reading and spending time at the cabin in Northern MN.

When the end of February rolls around, it will be time to take the ice houses off the lakes.

Most of you ice fisher folks are wonderful stewards of our lakes...this is a gentle reminder for all to leave the lakes as you found them. Please pick up after yourselves and if you need help, just ask!!!

Thank you in advance!

BLCA Treasurers Corner:

Happy New Year,

With the old year coming to a close, the board approved our year end financials which shows a very healthy and productive year. The next step as we all are

hunkered down during this cold spell (or fortunate enough to flock south with the birds!) is to plan on how we leverage this to have even more impact in 2019. The board already has some big plans coming up and will continue our mission of keeping our lakes healthy. Be on the lookout for some great educational sessions giving you an opportunity to attend talks about ways to improve our lakes. There will also be information on our grant program and how the BLCA wants to partner with you for improvements to your property. Also, a big shout out and thank you for everyone who has already signed up to participate in our 2019 fundraisers!

Stay warm,
Dustin - Treasurer

BLCA Financial Statement:

Budget Year to Date Variance from Budget

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|----------------|-------------|-------------|------------|
| TOTAL INCOME | \$34,345.00 | \$39,750.35 | \$5,225.35 |
| TOTAL EXPENSES | \$31,225.00 | \$27,881.30 | \$3,443.70 |

Net Proceeds \$3,120.00 \$11,689.05 \$8,669.05

Dustin Johnson, Treasurer BLCA

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GREEN SHEET ADS ****

2007 Stratos 285XL Bass Boat with 150hp Evinrude E Tec. Just installed brand new Minnkota Fortrex trolling motor. \$13,500. If interested, call Jeff at 612-251-8937 for more information and photos.

REMINDERS!

You can find a copy of our handy dandy 'Welcome' booklet on the www.briggslakechainassociation.com website.

->Briggs Lake Chain Association Contact Info<-

The Lake Report is published for the benefit of BLCA members and lake residents. Please submit articles and feedback by the 20th of the month for inclusion in the next issue. Email or snail mail copy to the Editor.

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Please send news about BLCA members to Adele Munsterman so that a card may be sent for such things as anniversaries, illness or a death in the family. Please email her at: wmunst1007@aol.com

TOWNSHIP MEETINGS

Palmer Township

The Palmer Township Board meets the 2nd Monday of each month at 7:00 pm in the Township Hall. Let Kelly McCann know of agenda items by email at: palmertwp@gmail.com by noon on Tuesday before the meeting or call her at 743-2100. Our website is: www.palmertownshipmn.org

Clear Lake Township

The Clear Lake Township Board meets the 3rd Tuesday of each month at 7:00 PM in the Township Hall. Let the Township clerk know of agenda items by Thursday morning before the meeting. To contact Clear Lake Township, please call 320-743-2472 or email the Township Clerk at: clearlaketwp@hotmail.com

Our website is: www.clearlaketownship.org

Please attend your respective Township meeting and voice your concerns about matters relating to our lakes.



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