



Silver Lake Association (SLA)

MEETING TYPE: Monthly
MINUTES TYPE: Proposed

October Meeting Minutes

Date: June 11, 2022
Time: 8:30 AM - 9:10 AM
Location: Charcoal Corral

Call to Order

Meeting called to order at 8:30 am by Bob Capurso, President

Meeting Attendance

Roll Call

Executive Committee

President – Bob Capurso
1st Vice President – Betsy Kent
2nd Vice President - Bob Martin
Secretary – Brian Kinsman
Assistant Treasurer – Cathy Volk

Tract Directors

Joe Caputo, Bob Martin, Peggy Phillips, Randy Steltermann, Wilma Herman, Jim Musclow, Betsy Kent, Mike Bellamy, Don Starner, Jeff Miller, Bonnie Hartman, Pete Gross, Dave Boersma, Bonnie Bright, Wayne West

Alternate Tract Directors

Chuck Kent, Ron Norton, Pete Balcolm, Tim Herman, Ro Donohue, Sally Capurso, Frank Bright, Sue West, Randy Urschel

Guests

Heather Hanley, Lee Loomis

Total in attendance – 31

Pledge of Allegiance/Prayer

Welcome-Bob C.

• **Pledge of Allegiance/Prayer**

• **Welcome-Bob C.**



• **What's New Around the Lake**

- Fishing rules have changed this year - cocklebur is 10" and was 15" due to an experiment by the DEC to see if they can get bigger fish out of the lake as there are too many smaller fish. Sunfish which includes BlueGills 8" minimum with a limit. Look into to avoid breaking new regulations information is available on DEC website. It is a special regulation applicable to Silver Lake
- New sign stating swimming is prohibited at the public beach
- the Village was forced to put the sign in place but it will not be enforced it was a liability issue for the village so it is there but will not be enforced

• **Grabby Bill's Docks – Docking and Mooring Laws**

- DEC issued in 2017 a 400' permit for Mac's but it is unknown if that carries over to new owners
- 200' maximum extension for businesses and campsites is going to be proposed. Individual limits are 40'

• **Totes- Wednesday's Meeting**

- Met with Jim Bragg at the county on Weds 6/8 - WM was not there, Becky Ryan was not there. 14 people from the lake area met with Jim bragg and brought up our issues
- zero resolution thus far. Jim said planning is for next season.
- no consultation with SLA prior to decisions being made and WM does not want to deal with problems around the lake
- maps are available for pick up points around the lake
- Town of Perry - Prentice, Pvt Dr 2, Eberstein are excluded from all of this
- Club Rd Ext pick up at the club

• **Federal Street Gate - Frank**

- defer to Water Quality segment

• **Lac Life on Main St. - Heather**

- sell Silver Lake and Letchworth apparel - we are going to do a SLA apparel sale. Sweatshirts, polos, hats, etc. will be included in the sale and Bob will be distributing the link to the apparel sale as a fundraiser for the website. Sales can be done at the store if you want to see samples or just ordered on-line.

• **Approval of May 2021 Minutes – 5 minutes – Thank you Brian**

Motion: Bob Martin 2nd: Peggy Phillips

Ayes: All Nays: Zero Motion: Accepted



• **Treasurers Report - 5 minutes – Cathy – Thank you Cathy**

- See attached report
- Flares have to be paid for about \$5,000 but it will all come back through August from flare sales

Motion: Don Starner 2nd: Jim Musclow

Ayes: All Nays: Zero Motion: Accepted

• **Memberships/Directories/Stickers/Plaques – 5 Minutes – Bob/Betsy**

- More placards will be available contact bob if you need more. We are ordering about 50 more
- About 10 extra directories so we need extras handed back in if you are done. We are going to need some pretty soon
- stickers are available through Betsy as well please return extras to Betsy as well

• **Flares/Ring of Fire - July 3rd – 5 Minutes – Pick up AFTER this meetings**

- Pick up in parking lot after this mtg.
- They are \$2.32 this year up from \$2 last year. They can be bought with Conesus for \$2.17 instead of Elitsac but there are perks in storing them with Elitsac but problem is storing them for the off season.
- If we don't have storage staying with Elitsac might be best

• **Boat Parade – July 4th - 5 Minutes - Sally C.**

- We are ready to go for the Boat parade
- New category for most creative
- registration forms are available today take and distribute
- Registration forms were sent by email to those that entered last year
- Big change - instead of giving awards out that day we are going to collect judges' sheets that day and award the winners at the SLA mtg the following Saturday
- Rules will be distributed Day of event. They are basically the same but tough to describe day of parade.

• **Homeowner of Distinction Award – 5 min – Leslie Kunze**

- Leslie not in attendance today but this month nominations are due for HOD award. The nomination form is on the SLA website they can be turned into Bob 13caps@rochester.rr.com
- Quinn at the Marina is aware we are trying to get it going again they have the plaques

• **Water Quality – 15 Minutes – Frank Bright**

- see attached WQ report
- Jackie Billings is chairwoman for SL watershed commission group



- emergency mtg on 6/16 where SLA will be represented. It is at the Village of Perry all are invited to attend
- despite the leak the water level remains at 95" there is enough for now but it will go down as summer proceeds
- No new dredging information from April report
- No new information on Walker Rd Bridge - allegedly funds are in place and ready to be replaced this year but no one knows
- Silver Lake Experience 8/4-8/7 August 4th 10 am Todd Shuskey (biology teacher at Perry HS) giving a lecture with his students
- Water Craft inspection steward Fri-Mon Memorial Day through Labor Day it is the 4th year in a row SL has had a boat steward
- about 8000 boats passed through last year and were inspected by boat steward
- Sewer system Joe Gozowski - sewer system and pumping stations and ensuring integrity of these during power outage
- some discussions of generators but these are on people's properties
- Kelly Paganelli has negotiated a fraction of money for flare sales from Geneseo Wegman's goes to CLEAN
- Working on planting site and adding signage around the lake for boat launch and lake to show where the plantings have occurred over the last 6 years to raise awareness to CLEAN. Each site is dedicated to an individual and that will be formalized next month. These individuals are lake stewards throughout their lifetimes
- Japanese knotweed all the money is in to pay for the project. Every landowner is agreed to do it and it will most likely begin in late June with a product called Rodeo it is DEC approved and you need permits to distribute it because it is going right into tributaries. It will be performed by A-Tip
- Golf tournament July 30th - we need volunteers and golfers there is a sign up sheet for volunteering at the mtg today.
- Golf Tournament Committee Mtg after this mtg today you are welcome to stay around
- Tract directors to produce a basket
- temperature array has been replaced
- 70ish at the surface currently
- CSLAP all materials are in and first sample has been pulled. Occurs every two weeks and goes through September
- Perry CSD been working with Todd. Things are going well oxygen sensor went bad on hydro lab but CLEAN replaced for him
- Has been doing experiments with core samples about 3-4" in diameter and a few feet long



- samples are sent to UB so they are looking at it to measure lead, carbon, different plant species, etc.
 - Diver Day no known contacts at this time - looking for suggestions. Our contact with Tonawanda Police has retired and they moved away from the lake area. Could use 1-2 more seasons of diving if we could find help
 - in particular at Camp Asbury there is lots to clean up and this is where the triathlon goes from
 - 10/22 at Moonwinks in Cuba NY - NYS FOLA mtg to learn about other lakes and gives some perspective about how are doing compared to other lakes.
- **Old Business – 5 minutes each - Web Site and Facebook, Flare Costs**
- Website and facebook - will try to get with Joe and Ro and get it straightened out ASAP please use NextDoor Silver Lake
 - Flares: see notes above
- **New Business – 5 Minutes – Ruthanne Vitigliano to fill in for Dave Nasca**
- Ruthanne Vitigliano will fill in for Dave Nasca after his passing. She will help with Country Club South.
 - Marsha Martin from the Marina called Bob yesterday - 5-6 years ago they were selling SLM stickers and collecting proceeds for us. We have \$52 to SLA from SLM for sticker sales
 - We have a need for a “librarian” for Silver Lake historical documents and brochures
 - looking for someone to hold on to these documents and have a way to have them be seen more maybe check with the Silver Lake Cabins
 - Triathlon was last Sunday had about 300 participants
 - this was the 3rd or 4th year doing it the last two years it has taken place from Camp Asbury and ended at the Charcoal Corral
 - has brought a lot of notoriety to the lake and surrounding community
 - Might be nice to have them back to a mtg to discuss their mission Bert Gallmon from Wolfpack Multisport
 - CLEAN has had a tent at the finish line area in the past and they’d welcome us back
- **Next Meeting – July 9th 8:30 AM Charcoal Corral - Annual Meeting – Real Estate Discussions with Joe Rivellino and Bob Blauers**
- **Fun Theme – Silver Lake Apparel**
- Joanne Kibler and Tina are unavailable
 - Todd Shuskey will be invited and hopefully some of his students will be able to attend with him
 - Boat steward is coming as well, Directory Cover Award, Boat Parade award, placed for Koziel’s
 - Memberships \$20 personal with \$3 flares, \$30 business membership cost



• **Meeting Adjourned**

Motion: Don Starner 2nd: Ron Norton
Ayes: All Nays: Zero Motion: Accepted