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2012 Calendar of Events

May 19 – Association Meeting/Potluck June 16 – Association Meeting July 4 – Boat Parade 1pm July 21 – Association Meeting August 18 – Association Meeting/Potluck

Association meetings are at the Silver Creek Township Hall unless otherwise noted.

Meeting times will be announced in the monthly newsletters.

Annual membership dues are \$35

Board Members:

John Pippert-President	763-878-1657
Scott Levin-Vice President	612-819-3549
Barb Bredenberg-Treasurer	763-528-3272
Brian Volk-Secretary	763-878-2371
Open Seat	XXX-XXX-XXXX
LeAnn Nordberg	763-878-1638
Dean Schmitz	763-878-2354

Water Patrol Members:

 Jim Deters
 763-878-2088

 Brian Volk
 763-878-2371

 Don Cheslock
 763-878-3214

For persistent problems, contact the Wright County Sheriff's Dept at 763-682-1162.

For membership information, address, e-mail or property owner changes contact:

Brian Volk 3400 142nd St NW Monticello, MN 55362 Home 763-878-2371 E-mail locketails@tds.net The June 16, 2012 membership meeting will be held at the Silver Creek Township Hall.

The board will meet at 8:00 am and members will meet at 9:00 am.

Coffee and donuts will be provided.

Membership:

Please bring your dues check for \$35 made payable to the Locke Lake Association to the June meeting to receive a free t-shirt or mail to:

Barb Bredenberg 3049 Utah Ave N Crystal, MN 55427

High Water:

Unfortunately, we have to discuss high water already again this year. Please be aware of the shorelines that are being impacted by the high water and try to keep wakes to a minimum in those areas. Your neighbors will greatly appreciate it!!!

Have you checked out our website?

www.lockelake.org

We encourage all members to visit our website for news and updates throughout the year. We appreciate your feedback. Questions or comments for the board members can be e-mailed to contact@lockelake.org.

Board Member Elections:

We have a total of 5 board seats up for election in 2012. Please consider volunteering some of your time to help manage lake activities. Contact any of the current board members for questions or to get your name on the ballot in 2012.

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Lake Treatments:

Those who signed up to treat for aquatic plants this year should have received a card from Lake Management to post on their property as in years past. If you have not already signed up, contact Margy at Lake Management 651-433-3283 to see what your options are. Remember, we will be treating for all aquatic plants again this year and not just Curly Leaf Pondweed. Lake Management is going to wait for water levels to drop before coming out to treat.

Voluntary No-Wake:

The Lake Association Board Members encourage all boaters to observe a voluntary no-wake zone in the small bay where the creek comes into the lake in order to minimize the stirring up of sediment from the lake bottom. Please remind your friends and neighbors!

Water Safety:

Remember to maintain safe distances (150 feet) from docks, swim platforms, shore and others on the lake when tubing and boating. This includes jumping wakes with personal watercraft!

Township Ordinances:

www.silvercreektwp.com/ordinances

Please be courteous to your neighbors by keeping your dogs leashed and barking under control. It is a misdemeanor to let your dogs run at large.

Burning permits can be obtained at the township hall.

Other committees:

We are in need of volunteers to help with the Education Committee, the Lake Improvement Committee, the Technical Committee and the Fish and Wildlife Committee. Please consider joining a committee in order to help us maintain the high quality of lake life we desire.

Swim Rafts:

Remember to renew or obtain your <u>swim</u> <u>raft permit</u> from the Wright County Sheriff's Dept. Contact the records dept at 763-682-7622. Your permit number must be displayed on the raft and the raft must have reflectors on all sides.

August Potluck:

If you would like to volunteer to host the August potluck meeting at your house please contact Brian Volk at 763-878-2371 or locketails@tds.net.

Send us your fundraising ideas!!

Contact John Pippert if you are interested in purchasing any Locke Lake merchandise. We have hats, beach towels, keychains, can coolers and a limited supply of clothing. Come to a meeting and share your ideas or send a note to us at contact@lockelake.org. This is a great way to show your support of the lake!!

Hope to see you at the meeting June 16th!