



INDEPDENCEN DAY 2014



2014 Calendar of Events	
June 21	- Association Meeting/Steak Fry at David Olson's and Lisa Hurt's lake property.
July 4	- Fishing Contest (a.m.)/Boat Parade 1pm
July 19	- Association Meeting
August 16	- Association Meeting/Potluck

Constitution Facts:

July 4, 1776 represents the day that final wording of the Declaration of Independence was approved and that date became the date on the document. The handwritten copy with the fifty-six ignatures took place on August 2, 1776.

<http://www.constitutionfacts.com/us-declaration-of-independence/fourth-of-july/>

June 21, 2014 Association Meeting/Steak Fry/Potluck

Time: 4:00 p.m. general meeting
Place: David Olson/Lisa Hurt lake property
Address: 14319 Customer Ave NW
Event: Steak fry from McDonald's Meats and potluck following meeting

\$7.00 for a single steak and \$12.00 if two steaks are purchased. Please also bring a dish to share. Beverages and paper products will be provided.

Bring your dues check to the meeting or pay before the meeting for free Locke Lake merchandise!

Membership:

We have _____ paid members for 2014. Thank you to the Locke Lake property owners that support the association. There is still time to be a paying member. Please bring your dues check for \$45 made payable to the Locke Lake Association to the June meeting or to:

Brian Volk
 3400 142nd St NW
 Monticello, MN 55362

Trivia

Please submit your answers to l.evans@tds.net to be entered into a drawing for Locke Lake merchandise:
Question 1: Famous quotes
 Who said: "Democracy is the government of the people, by the people, for the people.?"

Question 2:
 Who was our first Vice President?

Take a constitution facts quiz, just for fun:
<http://www.constitutionfacts.com/?page=quiz.cfm>

Boat Parade Theme: Your Favorite

Decade: Decorate your boat with your favorite decade. Winners of last year's parade: The Pippert's; will be judging the 2014 4th of July parade that starts at 1:00 p.m.

WANTED: Photos of Locke Lake from way back when:

The Locke Lake Board would like to update our website with photos of Locke Lake from the 50s, 60s, 70s, 80s and 90s. Please contact Lisa Evans if you are interested in sharing some old photos to be put in a book or added to the Locke Lake website.
l.evans@tds.net or 763-878-1600.

A BIT SHOUT OUT to:

- *Mark and Wanda Kraemer* for their above and beyond contribution each year to the association.
- *Mark Bredenberg* for always willing to update the Locke Lake website.
- *Linda and Jack Humphey* for hosting the May association meeting.

Thank you!!! Thank you!!! Thank you!!!

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.

Upcoming Meeting Locations:

If you would like to host the August 16th meeting at your lake property, please contact Lisa Evans at [763-878-1600](tel:763-878-1600) or l.evans@tds.net for more information. Meeting hosts will receive complimentary Locke Lake merchandise.

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!

SAFETY FIRST FOR ALL!

Water Safety:

Remember to maintain safe distances (150 feet) from docks, swim platforms, shore and others on the lake when tubing and boating.

Silver Creek Township:

For more information on upcoming township meetings, mailbox standards, hall rental, the recycling program or ordinances, please visit www.silvercreektwp.com.

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.

Lake Treatments:

Those who have signed up to treat for aquatic plants this year will again receive a notice and 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](tel: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.

Board Members:

John Pippert-President	763-878-1657
Scott Levin-Vice President	612-819-3549
Brian Volk-Treasurer	763-878-2371
Lisa Evans-Secretary	763-878-1600
Kevin Kiffmeyer	763-878-2149
LeAnn Nordberg	763-878-1638
Barb Bredenberg	763-528-3272

Water Patrol Members:

Kevin Kiffmeyer	763-878-2149
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, please contact:
Lisa Evans
14485 Custer Ave NW
Monticello, MN 55362
Home 763-878-1600
E-mail: l.evans@tds.net

Thank you for your support of the association. Be safe and see you on the water!

FIREWORKS SAFETY (from The National Council on Fireworks Safety)
<http://fireworkssafety.org>

- Always purchase fireworks from a reliable source.
- Use fireworks as directed on consumer product safety label; never alter products.
- Observe local laws and use good COMMON SENSE.
- Have a designated shooter to organize and shoot your family show.
- A responsible ADULT should supervise all firework activities.
- Parents should not allow young children to handle or use fireworks.
- Alcohol and fireworks do not mix. Save your alcohol for after the show.
- Use fireworks OUTDOORS in a clear area; AWAY from buildings and vehicles.
- NEVER carry fireworks in your POCKET.
- Wear safety glasses whenever using fireworks.
- Always have water ready if you are shooting fireworks.
- Do not experiment with homemade fireworks.
- Never relight a “dud” firework. Wait 20 minutes and then soak it in a bucket of water.
- Soak spent fireworks with water before placing them in an outdoor trash can.

4th of July Recipe

ADD 4th of July coloring pages for kids