



Spring is here - maybe

2017
Calendar of Events

- May 20** – Association Meeting / Membership Drive/Potluck @ 12 noon
- June 17** – Association Meeting and 5th Annual Steak Fry at Lisa and Dave Olson’s lake place/Potluck @ 3 pm
- July 4** – Fishing Contest (a.m.)/Boat Parade @ 1pm
- July 15** – Association Meeting @ 9 am
- August 19** – Association Meeting/Potluck @ 12 noon

May 20, 2017 Association/Membership Meeting/Potluck

Time: 12:00 noon general meeting
Place: Joe and Darla Denne
Address: 13986 Duffield Ave NW

Please bring a dish to share. Beverages and paper products will be provided.

Watch for the Lake Association meeting signs that will be posted a day or two before each meeting.

Thank you Joe and Darla for hosting!

Membership:

Included is the 2017 membership dues notice. Membership dues support the health of our lake. Please bring your dues check for \$45 made payable to the Locke Lake Association to the May meeting or use the self-addressed envelope to send your check to:

Brian Volk
 3400 142nd St NW
 Monticello, MN 55362

We will go back to e-mailing the newsletter to all who have given their e-mail address beginning in June.

Locke Lake Property Owners Association Mission Statement Our goal is to reduce the impact of how our properties affect the

natural state of the lake and to endeavor to work together as a community to make Locke Lake an oasis just 40 miles from the big city. Please consider becoming a paying member of our association.

The Locke Lake Property Owner’s

Association is celebrating it’s 50th year!

The association has accomplished so many things over the 50 years. *Come to the May meeting to learn about all the items the association has done over the years.* We’d like to hear from you what additional items, we, as an association, may need to focus on.

In addition, copies of your old lake photos, shared memories and all Locke Lake items are needed to commemorate the association’s 50th anniversary. *Please bring copies of photos to the May meeting.*

The association has had so many great members and volunteers! **Thank you!**

WANTED: 4th of July Boat Parade Theme:

We are in need of your ideas for the 2017 4th of July annual boat parade theme. Please share your idea at the May association meeting or contact a board member. Yes, we are still holding the parade on the 4th even though it is a Tuesday.

Locke Lake Merchandise:

We still have some Locke Lake merchandise that includes insulated tumblers, blue “solo” type cup and stocking caps. Come check them out at the May meeting.

LAKE IMPROVEMENTS

Weed 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 and would like to, or if

you have any questions, please contact Lake Management [651-433-3283](tel:651-433-3283).



Stocking of fish:

The DNR stocks fish every other year and will stock again in 2017. The DNR will stock walleye and the association will stock pan fish this year.

Did you know???

That the Lake Association board members participate in the Wright County Coalition for Lake Associations (WCCOLA)? There are many activities that the association supports to make Locke Lake a great lake. This includes water quality monitoring and submission to the county, weed treatments, stocking of fish, work with the DNR and the township on items that arise, creek cleaning, monitoring of zebra mussels and other invasive species, etc. Thank you for the volunteers and association members for their support!

For more information on WCCOLA, visit: <http://www.wrightcola.org/>

Locke Lake board member opening:

One of our board members has moved away ☹️. There is an open seat on the Locke Lake Board. If you are interested or know of someone that may be a great addition to the Locke Lake board. Commitment is less than 4 hours per month during the summer month only. Please contact Lisa Evans at 763-878-1600 or at lisaevans@izoom.net with your name or a suggestion. We'll vote at the May meeting.

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 our feedback. Questions or comments for the board members can be e-mailed to contact@lockelake.org.

Silver Creek Township

Full-time lake residents can contact the township to get the recycling container on wheels if you do not have one. The blue recycling bins will no longer be picked up so please recycle and use the rolling containers. www.silvercreektwp.com

SAFETY

Road Safety-

PLEASE slow down on the roads around the lake. Many residents walk with their children and dogs on these roads.

Water Safety-

Safety first for all!

As the boating season starts, please remember to maintain safe distances (150 feet) from docks, swim platforms, shore and others on the lake when tubing and boating.

Problems on the water:

Please contact the Wright County Sheriff's Department at 763-682-1162.

Board Members: We welcome your feedback:

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
Joe Denne	
Lisa Olson	763-300-5264
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For membership information, address, e-mail or property owner changes, please contact:
Lisa Evans
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Monticello, MN 55362
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Thank you for your support of the association. Be safe and see you on the water!

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