

PRESIDENT'S LETTER-MIKE HESSLER

Well, the holidays have come and gone and we are in the doldrums of winter. For some reason January seems to drag on forever, but alas 12-21 was the shortest day of the year and we are now adding a minute a day to daylight.

Pitchers & catchers report to spring training in 3 weeks so hang in there summer and warm weather can't be far behind. Hopefully it won't be long before we're complaining about how hot it is.

At the January meeting the following slate of officers was presented by election chairman Jeff Ross;

President Mike Hessler

Vice-president Mike Covey

Recording Secretary John Hawkins

Treasurer Jim Copp

Financial Secretary Jim Wright

Sergeant at arms Bill Riggs

Board of Governors Jeremy Maggiore

The February meeting we will hear from nominations from the floor for the above positions. If you are running for any of these offices contact Jeff Ross.

February 20th will be the start of the very popular fish fries and the signup sheets are up in the kitchen so please sign up to help out. Remember this is the last major event for members to get their hours in before the April deadline.

The gambling machines continue to be a very good source of revenue to the club. To make sure that continues we continue

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to stress that any super bowl pool, card games or dice games are illegal gambling and strictly prohibited. We have received an email from our gaming partners J&J Enterprises that gaming agents will be doing spot checks looking for violators during the super bowl. Your continued co-operation with these rules is very much appreciated.

Since the addition of the gaming machines our share of the profits has been placed in a special checking account to be segregated from our principal bank account. I have asked Jim Copp & Jim Wright to assist me in determining how much additional should be added to the principal of our mortgage and to come up with a laundry list of what do with the remaining funds. I would like a few members to also serve on that committee and make a list to be presented to the membership for their ideas and concurrence. If you are interested please let me know.

Hurry up spring.

LADIES' AUXILIARY-DAR O'DELL

The Holiday's have come and gone and we have moved on to another chapter and New Year! The Auxiliaries 2014 year wrapped up with many exciting things happening starting with our Christmas Party/Meeting was held at Public House 29 in Rochester. We had about 15 ladies attend, what a fantastic experience! The staff was courteous and did a superb job of keeping our individual orders all straight and our drinks full! Food was delicious and it was great seeing everyone. Thank You, to everyone for venturing out for that event.

We had Breakfast with Santa, on Dec.13th and it appeared from Santa's Bag we had a lot of Anchor Children on his, "Good" list! Without the hard work of Sonja McGrath and her crew this would not be possible. Thank you, Sonja the Anchor children and grandchildren absolutely love this event and it was a huge success yet again! The Auxiliary would like to say, "Thank You!" to Larry Harness, Joe and Betty Jo Teer and Joe Teer Jr. for their dedication and continued support of this event for the children. They do all the cooking and prep for breakfast part of this event. Job well done!

The Auxiliary did not meet in January, so that means the next meeting is Tuesday, February 10th at 7 p.m. We would love to see you there. If you are a spouse or significant other and you want more information about, The Auxiliary, come to the meeting meet people and get acquainted.

Mary Reagan is currently doing a fundraiser for Operation Payback the program which allows her group to send things to Soldiers who are over seas serving in many locations. She is selling homemade chocolates just in time for Valentines Day! Order forms are available at the club. Also plans are being made for dinner to be served on Friday, Feb. 13th at the Anchor. More information will be coming to you on that!

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We are also letting you know that the lighthouse that is on top of the ATM/Cash machine is there for a reason. The money is collected for Operation Payback and used to help towards that cause!

We Challenge You! Win Big? Win Small? Put your change in the lighthouse! Thank you in advance even little things help for our Soldiers!

SAVE THE DATE! Saturday; May 16th the Anchor will host the 3rd Annual Cancer Fundraiser! 10 a.m. to 10p.m. *Food *Silent Auction *Bocce and Volleyball tournaments with a DJ and a Band! If you would like to have a team for either you can shoot Dar O'Dell a text or call and I will get you signed up!

We are currently looking for donations items big or small for the silent auction. Contact Paula Conder 899-3553- Dar O'Dell 741-7445 or Tammy Hovey 899-5499

****Orders for Cancer Fundraiser T-Shirts, Hoodies, Crew Neck Sweatshirts and Pull Over's will be placed once a month up to May and we will only PREORDER clothing items that are PREPAID for and we are NOT ordering any to sell the day of the event! Order forms will be at the club asap for those orders to be placed. A sign up sheet will go up soon also!

The Auxiliary would like to say, a huge Thanks to everyone in supporting our group thru this last year. It is great to have the support of others showing up and not even playing bocce or volleyball on Thursday nights but they know we have food available for purchase and just come out to eat dinner. Just too many times and members to mention but Anchor Boat is a Great Place! See You all Soon!

Dar O'Dell

President Auxiliary

5th Annual Lake Council

CHILI CHALLENGE

Doors open at 12pm

\$3.00 at the door

Tasting at 2pm

February 21st at East Regional Elks Club

March 7th at West Regional Lake Press Club

March 21st at South Regional Ski & Boat Club

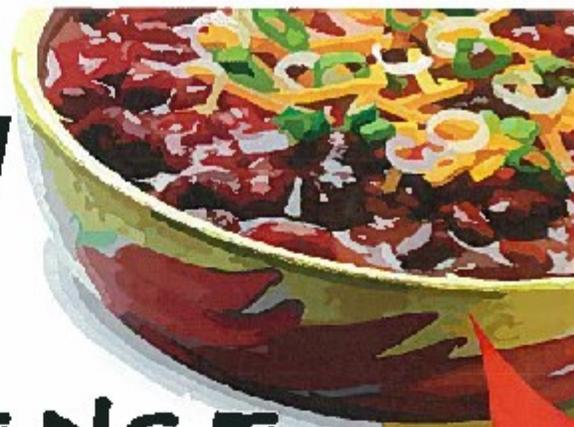
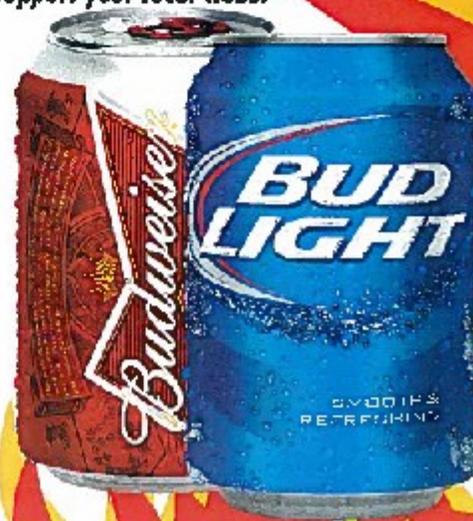
FINALS April 11th at Blue Ridge Club

Donations are made to friends of the lake each year. Support your local clubs.

\$200

Budweiser

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“OPERATION PAYBACK”

Fundraiser for February

We are taking orders for boxes of homemade chocolates and cake balls for Valentine’s Day .

Chocolates	\$10.00
Cake Balls	\$ 7.00

2015 LAKE SPRINGFIELD SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

MAY

- 2 Sat Lake Clean-Up, 10-12, from Motor Boat Club
2 Sat Press Club - Kentucky Derby Party – Noon on >
9 Sat DAV Club –Spring Fling & Rt.66 Cruisers, Noon>
10 Sun TRN Club – Mother’s Day Brunch
16 Sat Ski & Boat Club–Season Opener Party & Ball Tourn.
2 Fri Lake Homeowners & Clubs Golf, Lincoln Greens
23 Sat TRN Club – TRN Digital Scavenger Hunt
24 Sun Prop Club –Propapalooza
25 Mon DAV Club – Memorial Day Ceremonies – 5p.m.>
30 Sat Lake Press Club – BBQ & Blues

JUNE

- 5 Fri Firefighters/Postal Club – Bring on Summer Bash
6 Sat Blue Ridge Club – Poker Run
6 Sat LLPS’ Free Boat Checks – Lindsay Bridge 9am-4pm
12 Fri Aqua Sports Club – Pre-Aquafest Party
13 Sat Aqua Sports Club – Aquafest
20 Sat Firefighters/Postal Club – Chicken Fry
21 Sun TRN Club – Father’s Day Brunch
26 -28 Blue Ridge– Mid Season Ball Tourney
26 Fri Marina Fireworks
27 Sat TRN Club – Chicken Fry

JULY

- 4 Sat North end lake clubs Fireworks (rain date on 5th)
4 Sat Sangamo Surf Club – Independence Party
11 Sat Prop Club – Mid-Summer Blast
17-19 Anchor- Spooner Softball Tournament (3 days)
18 Sat Lake Press Club – Summerfest
25 Sat Ski & Boat Club - Summerbash
31 Fri Anchor Boat Club – Pre-Chicken Fry

AUGUST

- 1 Sat Anchor Boat Club – Chicken Fry
8 Sat Sangamo Surf Club – Annual Fish Fry
14 Fri Prop Club - Golf Outing
15 Sat Blue Ridge Club – Party On Our Patio
28-30 Aqua– Softball Tournament (3 days)
28 Fri Lake K of C – Pre-Hog Roast Party
29 Sat Lake K of C – Hog Roast/Cardboard Boat Regatta
30 Sun Ski & Boat Club – Bloody Mary Challenge

SEPTEMBER

- 5 Sat Elks Club – Freedom Fest
6 Sun Firefighters/Postal Club – Labor Day Party
12 Sat Firefighters/Postal Club – Poker Run
12 Sat Anchor Boat Club – Ribfest
19 Sat Press Club – Shrimp Boil
26 Sat DAV Club – Pig Roast/Duck Derby

OCTOBER

- 10 Sat Ski & Boat Club – Kickball Tourney
17 Sat Lake Press Club – Oktoberfest

PHONE NUMBERS

EMERGENCY (fire/police/medical) 911
BOATING/LAKE INCIDENTS 757-8600

SECURITY / ASSISTANCE CONTACTS

Lake Police Officer’s phone 788-8325
-Springfield Police (Non-Emergency) 788-8311
-Beat 500 Neighborhood Police 741-0988
-Beat 500 e-mail: Tamara.Walcher@cwlp.com
Sangamon Co. Police (Non-Emergency) 753-6666
Lake Security 757-8600
SUSART (*Call if it’s lost in the lake*) 529-5191
Springfield Fire Dept.(Non-Emergency) 788-8444
Land of Lincoln Power Squadron-LLPS 494-8455
Free LLPS Boating Classes 494-8455

BOAT LICENSING

Lindsay Bridge 786-4075
Lake Springfield Marina 483-3625

OTHER

Bridgeview Park 483-5012
Henson Robinson Zoo 585-1821
Lake Springfield Beach House 786-4032
Lincoln Greens Golf Course 786-4111
Lincoln Memorial Garden 529-1111
Sprfld. Muni Opera (tickets 793-6864) 753-3519

LAKE CLUBS

Anchor Boat www.anchorboatclub.com 529-1174
Aqua Sports Club 529-2431
Blue Ridge Club 529-1431
DAV Club 529-9725
Elks Club www.elks158.org 529-0158
K of C # 4179 www.kc4179.com 483-3013
Lake Press Club 529-1221
Firefighters/Postal Club 529-0755
Prop Club 529-4901
Sangamo Surf Club 529-1712
Sprfld. Motor Boat www.smbcweb.com 529-1511
Springfield Ski & Boat Club 529-9090
TRN Club www.trnclub.org 483-9994

CWLP CONTACTS

Lake Services Supervisor: Mike Nutt 786-4086
Property Manager: Steve Frank 757-8660X1026

SLSIA (lake leaseholders) EVENTS

Jun 28 Sun Bay Ridge - Youth Activities 12-4
Aug 22 Sat Beach House – Evening Potluck
Sep 19 Sat IBYC–Waterfront Dining-reservations

Birthdays



Tom Flattery 02/01

Marilyn Sturm 02/01

Michael Dalpozzo 02/06

Ally Bradley 02/08

Logan Clayton 02/08

Donna Powell 02/09

Rick Eubanks 02/11

Michael Hawkins 02/13

Deborah Miles 02/13

Mary Reagan 02/13

Chuck Huntley 02/13

Mike Covey 02/13

Mike Hale 02/14

Beth Larson 02/15

Judee Millard 02/16

Melissa Jerome 02/17

John Higgenbotham 2/17

Larry Schoen 02/20

Brad Franklin 02/20

Sandy Flattery 02/21

John Hawkins 02/22

John Brownback 02/23

Jeff Bridges 02/23

Dar O'Dell 02/23

Laurie Fitzsimmons 02/23

Sue Esposito 02/24

Anniversaries



Tim Strutz & Dar O'Dell 02/01

Damon & Kara Cozadd 02/07

Joe & Patricia Krebs 02/07

John & Ann Becker 02/08

Paul & Ursula Bahlow 02/10

William & Robin Kochman 02/14

SJ & Tina Martin 02/23

ANCHOR BOAT CLUB

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