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# THE Apple Core

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This is lake life!

Dominic Agostino Jr. proudly holds up his big catch, which turned out to be the biggest catch in the July 1 Kids Fishing Tournament.

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### President's Message

JODY WARE

The Board of Director's elections are over and the board is in place. The Board of Director officers and members include: Jody Ware, President; Bob Ballenger, Vice President; Barb Hendren, Secretary; Gary Hannon, Treasurer; Steve Tribbey, new Board member, Jon Sonntag, Mike Harris, John Diehl, and Gordon Williams. Thank you to the members of the Association who participated in the annual election.

The work of the Board is plentiful. We will continue to stay focused on our work using the Plan-on-a-Page, our strategic plan tool, as a guide. I would like to focus on in my article on one action item on the POAP document because summer is now in full swing. This article is about the goal: **Update the guidance plan for Safety and Emergency Management Plan.**

With summer here and so many of the owners visiting Apple Canyon Lake during the season, I want to remind every one of the safety measures in our Association. In my last article I shared about boating and trail safety highlighting some of the new rules in place. Did you know that as of May 31, 2018 there are 1764 registered motor boats, and 543 registered non-motorized boats? The number of motorized boats registered at the lake has increase over 139 more registered boats than in 2017. Please be careful while boating on the lake.

The trails have become very popular in the last few years. As of May 31, 2018, there are 665 registered ATVs and 494 registered golf carts. There was a minimal amount of change in the number of ATVs and golf carts as compared to last year. Regardless, please exercise extreme caution when using the trail system around the lake. Please make sure your guests understand the rules and practice safety when utilizing your ATV or golf cart on the trails. Each year we experience accidents from reckless driving or driving too fast for trail conditions.

The swimming pool is an area that many of our members, particularly those with young children, like to use for cooling off from the summer heat. Over the Memorial Day week there were 2,759 pool users! As of June 25, 2018, there have been 9 rescues made by lifeguards of swimmers in difficult and challenging situations in the pool. Please stay with your children when they are in the pool and not leave the safety of your children in the hands of the lifeguards. Team effort in watching the children is greatly appreciated. The pool is popular with members. Last year there was a total of 20,642 pool users and 6,515 beach users.

Other safety measures taken preparing for members' safety while at Apple Canyon Lake include the medical procedures. Did you know that there are defibrillators in ten locations around the lake. Those locations are: Pool, Clubhouse, Firehouse Fitness Center, Cove, Pro Shop, Marina, Security Boat, Maintenance Building, and both security vehicles. The devices are very easy to use in the event of an emergency.

Last week we had a medical emergency that required the medical helicopter to land at the lake to airlift the injured person. Fortunately, we have many locations around the lake where the helicopter can land for airlifting individuals needing quick medical attention.

Our security staff has participated in medical treatment training preparing for safety as First Responders. Besides CPR training, the staff now has added to their responsibilities to address medical concerns needing Narcan, Epipen, Glucose, or Baby Aspirin. Last year the First Responders attended to 42 emergency calls.

Please practice **Safety First at Apple Canyon Lake!** Let's enjoy the summer amenities together while being safe.



### General Manager

SHAUN NORDLIE  
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It's already July; I hope you have all been able to enjoy your favorite amenities this summer and have plans to spend more time in the next few months. I wanted to give some updates on what we are working on at Apple Canyon Lake.

• **Watershed** – If you have driven to the North Bay area you have seen construction has started on our watershed project. We are creating a flood plain on ACL land and the land adjacent to us to reshape the creek to form a more serpentine creek. The purpose of this project is to get more silt to stay out of the lake in heavy rain events. With the flood plain, when the water rises in the creek rather than cutting through steep embankments and sharp curves, the water will rise up the grassed slopes and deposit the silt in the grass when the water recedes. This year we hope to finish phases 1 and 2 and finish the project in 2019.

• **Lake** – It is another heavy weed year for the lake. Our staff has been on the weed harvester most days trying to keep up with the weeds. This year we are cutting elodea, which is a native plant, but is also very aggressive. Since it is a native, we want to cut it rather than chemically treat to eradicate. Chemicals would not be selective, which means it would kill all plants in the area treated. We will continue to cut as necessary. Good news on the main invasive weeds from 2017, curly leaf was almost non-existent, and milfoil was way less than the past couple of years which means that our chemical treatments are working. Algae is still in coves and the beach. Maintenance is using our "scoop" at times and the weed harvester to remove what we can.

Fish shocking was performed in late May; I should have the survey in July, we will publish it in *The Apple Core* once I receive the report.

• **Aren Helgerson has been hired as our Natural Resource Manager.** Aren worked at Apple Canyon Lake in 2012 with Mike Malon of the Jo Daviess Soil and Water Conservation Department. He is back now and eager to continue our efforts in watershed, dredging, erosion control, controlling invasives and maintaining our prairies. I am excited to have Aren on staff and look forward to working with him keep our beautiful setting preserved.

• **Governing Documents** – The legal committee has been working through the Amended Declaration the last few months and is now starting the Bylaws. With the help of the Association's legal counsel we are updating both documents with changes, addressing some concerns and conflicts within both documents. These changes will require a membership vote to be approved. I am hopeful that we can start that process in 2019.

• **The budget process has started for the 2019 Operating, R&R and Capital budgets.** The Budget Committee will meet on July 20 and August 13 to finalize the budgets and submit them for approval to the Board. For this year's budget we want to better define how the dues are broken out between Operating, R&R and Capital. Look for my article in the August Apple Core for a more in-depth look at the difference between these three budgets, and how we came to a decision on the 2019 budgets.

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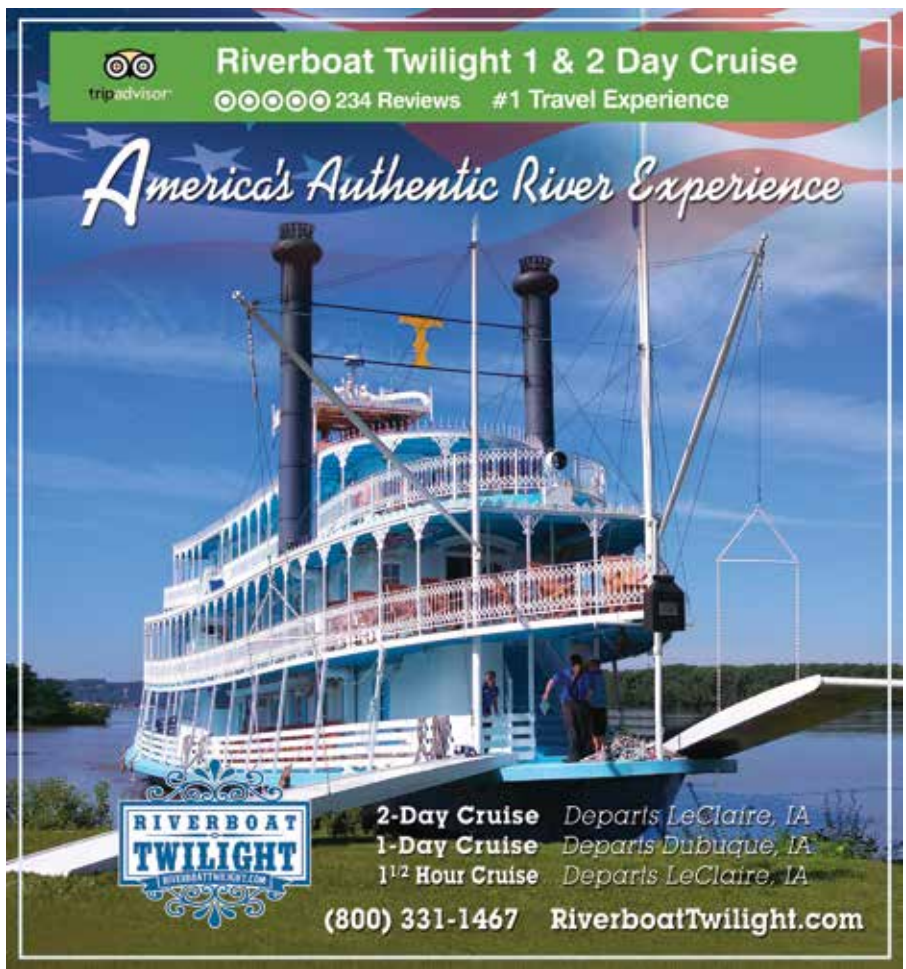


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## REGULARLY SCHEDULED ACTIVITIES

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Tai Chi (Jun-Oct) .....	Tuesdays, 9:30 am	Bocce .....	Wednesdays, 5:30 pm
Morning Workout .....	Mon. & Wed., 9:00 am	Ladies Golf .....	Tuesdays, 9:00 am
Nimble Thimbles Sewing Club .....	2nd Wed. monthly, 9:00 am	Water Aerobics: (No class during swim lessons) .....	Mon. - Thur., 9:00 am
Ladies Games .....	Mon. & Fri. (Fridays tentative), 1:00 pm	Night Water Aerobics (Jul 9 - Aug 1) .....	Mon. & Wed., 7:00 pm
Book Club .....	1st Wed. monthly, 1:00 pm		

## SPECIAL EVENTS: DATES SUBJECT TO CHANGE

Jul 13, 1 pm .....	Storyhour with the Authors	Aug 4, 9 am - 12 pm .....	Youth Archery Day
Jul 14, 9 am .....	Science Saturday, Selfie Scavenger Hunt at the Prairie	Aug 4, 8 pm .....	Venetian Night
Jul 14, 2 pm .....	Prairie Talk w/Roger Higgs	Aug 11, 9 am .....	Nature Stroll at North Bay Nature Preserve
Jul 14, 4 - 6:30 pm .....	Canoe Battleship at the Beach	Aug 11, 9 am .....	Drone Wars
Jul 14, 7 - 10:30 pm .....	Open Air Concert w/Free Fall	Aug 12, 12 pm .....	Mass in the Clubhouse
Jul 16-19 .....	Toddler Swim Lessons	Aug 22, 5:30 pm .....	Bocce Tournament
Jul 16, 18, & 20, 10 am .....	1-2-3 Emotions & Me Children's Workshop	Aug 29, 6 pm .....	Bocce Banquet
Jul 21, 9 am .....	Science Saturday, Cadaver Camp at Nixon Beach	Sep 1, 6 pm .....	Mass on the Terrace
Jul 21, TBA .....	Campground Christmas in July	Sep 2, 10 am - 4 pm .....	Ice Cream Social & Craft Fair
Jul 21, All Day .....	Swim for a Cure Pool Party	Sep 8, 9 am .....	Nature Stroll at the Bathum
Jul 22, 12 pm .....	Mass in the Clubhouse	Sep 22, 6 pm .....	Farm to Table Dinner
Jul 23-26 .....	Swim Lessons	Sep 27, 6 pm .....	HCC Fish Cleaning Class
July 27, 7 pm .....	Sign Painting Party	Oct 6, 6 - 8 pm .....	Fall Bonfire
Jul 28, 7:30 am Check-In, 8:30 am Start .....	TT5K Color Run	Oct 13, 6 pm .....	Volunteer Appreciation Dinner
Jul 28, 8 - 11 am .....	Pancake Breakfast of Champions	Oct 20, TBA .....	Halloween at Campground
Jul 28, 12 - 3 pm .....	Pecatonna Beer Tasting	Oct 20, TBA .....	Haunted Trail
Jul 28, 7 pm .....	Sizzling Summer Concert w/Ten Gallon Hat	Oct 27, 5 pm .....	Relay for Life Fall Dinner
Jul 30-Aug 1, 9 am .....	ACL Mermaids	Nov 10, 6 pm .....	Night at the Races
Aug 4, 9 am .....	Science Saturday, Land & Wildlife at the Archery Range	Dec 9, 10 - 11:30 am .....	Cocoa & Cookies w/ Santa
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# BOARD OF DIRECTORS REGULAR MEETING MINUTES

Following are UNAPPROVED MINUTES of the June 16, 2018 regular Board of Directors' Meeting. Minutes are in unapproved draft format for informational purposes only, pending approval at the July 21, 2018 Board of Directors' Meeting.

**2.0 Call to Order** - President Jody Ware called the regular meeting of the Apple Canyon Property Owners Association to order at 9:03 a.m. on Saturday, June 16, 2018.

**3.0 Pledge of Allegiance** – After the Pledge of Allegiance a quorum was present with the following directors in attendance: Jody Ware, Jon Sonntag, Steve Tribbey, Gordon Williams (via phone), John Diehl, Barb Hendren, Mike Harris, and Gary Hannon. Bob Ballenger was absent. Shaun Nordlie was also in attendance.

#### 4.0 Orders of the Day

Barb Hendren motioned "to nominate Jody Ware for President of the Board of Directors." Seconded by Steve Tribbey, motion carried unanimously.

Gary Hannon motioned "to nominate Bob Ballenger for Vice President of the Board of Directors." Seconded by Mike Harris, motion carried unanimously.

Mike Harris motioned "to nominate Gary Hannon for Treasurer of the Board of Directors." Seconded by John Diehl, motioned carried unanimously.

Mike Harris motioned "to nominate Barb Hendren for Corporate Secretary of the Board of Directors." Seconded by Gary Hannon, motion carried unanimously.

**5.0 Approve/Adopt May 19, 2018 Minutes** – Mike Harris motioned "to approve the May 19, 2018 minutes. Seconded by Gary Hannon, motion carried with Steve Tribbey abstaining.

**6.0 Treasurer's Report** – Gary Hannon reported that the Treasurer's Report will be posted in *The Apple Core*.

#### 7.0 Committee Reports

**AECC** – Barb Hendren reported that the committee met on June 2 approving a new garage, retaining walls and a cart path. Discussed the memo from the Board of Directors about changing the fines and violations, deleting tree trimming from the fines and violations so the fine will only apply if you cut the tree down in the buffer zone, buffer zones and the adoption of the 2006 Property Maintenance Code.

**Budget** – next meeting will be on June 23 at 10:00 a.m. starting with the operating budget.

**CAMP Finance and Marketing** – Steve Tribbey reported they met and discussed financing the CAMP project. They are looking at ways to adjust the total cost, some dollars could be from the R&R fund. Need more information before presenting this to the Board. We need more information on these soil borings and schematics from Farnsworth. Try to tie in to the budget process.

**CAMP Architecture & Design** – Barb Hendren reported that the committee met on June 1, introduced Caius Jennison's (Principal, Architecture, Farnsworth Group) team who will be working on the schematic design. Waiting for the soil borings to come back, this will determine if we can do a basement or rethink the plan. We have decided to engage a septic engineer to start that process and we have directed Caius to start the process with the fire marshal. The discussion to hire a construction manager will be ongoing.

**Campground** – Gordon Williams reported that the committee met on May to discuss the pavilion they would like to build at the campground, consensus of the committee to move forward on this and to submit a budget. Three new campers at the campground this year. Discussed the Pancake Breakfast for 2018 and election of officers.

**Conservation** - Gary Hannon reported that the committee met on June 2. On May 31 they did some fish shocking, discussed the North Bay area, Greenway Stewardship and getting this up to date. Aren Helgerson has been hired as ACL's Natural Resources Manager.

**Deer Management** – Jon Sonntag reported he was not at the last meeting, but according to the minutes, discussion was held about updating the archery range at the quarry – making it a true archery range, money is in the R&R budget. Requested the secretary to be given \$250.00 to cover cost of logging everything, but we will hold off on this until next meeting, not enough money in fund currently. Discussion on the possible rule changes to increase the number of deer taken. We have the same number of deer we had 10 years ago, would like to encourage the hunters to hunt the entire season. Mike Harris also mentioned they need more members, and to please think about being on this committee.

**Golf** – John Diehl reported they discussed "Adopt a Hole" to help beautify the course. Individuals or groups could help beautify the golf course. John wants to thank Shaun for his leadership for going through all of the old business with the committee and he is encouraged about how much is being done in a timely manner. The Big Cup will be on August 18 and the Property Owners Tournament is September 15 and 16.

**Lake Monitoring** – Gary Hannon reported that they went out on May 31, clarity is at 8'10", two weeks ago the lake temperature was at 77 degrees.

**Legal** – Jody Ware reported that they met last Sunday and we are continuing to work on the Covenants with the guidance we have received from our attorney.

**Nominating** – No meeting.

**Recreation** – Mary Hannon reported there will be a meeting on Monday. They had a very successful 1<sup>st</sup> (and hopefully annual) Smoke on the Water event. She wanted to thank Jon Sonntag for all of his work. They do not have the numbers in yet from the event. We are hoping for a busy season with a lot of events and also looking for volunteers. Farm Fun Days, 4<sup>th</sup> of July celebration including the golf cart parade and a band on the beach. Kids Fishing Tournament is being planned for July and a Canyon Kids Camp, and new this year is a canoe battleship hoping to attract young adults and ending with an open air concert the same night.

**Rules & Regs** – Mike Harris reported that they met last Saturday with attorney Doug Sury present. Working on updating this with a different section every month. Shaun will work with his staff on each section before bringing to the committee. Started on Section 5 – Boating. Next meeting is July 14 at 9:00 a.m.

**Safety and Emergency Planning** – Jody Ware reported that they had a meeting this week and are continuing to work on the dam emergency plan and are almost finished with that document.

**Strategic/Long Range Planning** – Jody Ware reported they are waiting to hear from the State of IL on the Foundation paperwork.

**Trails** – Gary Hannon reported they are continuing the discussion on getting access to various trails. There will be a trail ride with Lake Carroll on Sunday, June 24. We are continuing to talk about the county wide trail system.

**8.0 General Manager's Report** – Shaun Nordlie reported the USI Forum will be held here this Thursday night from 6:00 – 8:00. In the fight against USI, rebuttals were due on June 1. Things we are working on is the volume adjustment – if there is a surplus should come back to the customers. They are proposing we will always have a minimum charge. Another fight is the amount of water loss allowed. State average is 15%, ours is 25%. They should make us be at 15%. Should be done by September/October. Fiber – we need only four people to sign up in the Presidents area. Fiber should be coming here hopefully in the next months. Aren Helgerson, Natural Resources Manager, started last Monday. With his hiring, the use of Mike Malon will pretty much be nonexistent.

**9.0 President's Report** – Jody Ware stressed safety at the Lake – boat and trail safety. Please make sure your guests understand the rules. Safety at the pool is also important – we have been open 22 days and have already had 8 rescues. Remind friends/family to please not be life guard dependent at the pool. A big thank you to Julie and her staff. The Scales Mound Fire Department is looking for volunteers in the Apple Canyon Lake area. Jody was pleased with the number of members that voted in the last election – 661 ballots were cast, 645 of those were valid. She encourages the members to get more involved.

#### 10.0 Property Owner Comments

Marcy Stanger, 13-017 – commented on how proud she is of the Association and its members for having shown an interest in fiber. She encouraged all to go on the website and show an interest, there is still work to be done.

Ron Carpenter, 11-247 – wanted to thank all for their service on the board. After sitting and listening to people at the Annual Meeting, we do have people against CAMP. He encouraged the board to use caution and take time with this project. If north end land would become for sale, would hate to not be in a position to move on it. We need to look at a lot of different things here.

Mary Hannon – 8-239 – asked about the Multi-Sport Complex and when will it be usable, it is not safe now. Should be mentioned that the 15% raise that has been discussed, should be reported that this is only \$127.00 more per year, 36 cents per day. Not a lot of people realize this.

Henry Doden – 13-129 – concerns about trees growing in the spillway and Koester's pond, and about the North Bay project.

Jon Sonntag – he was contacted by his insurance agent stating he needs a separate insurance card for his side by side, like an auto.

#### 11.0 Consent Agenda

**11.1 Committee Changes** – Gary Hannon motioned "to appoint Sandra Malahy to the Legal Committee and Paul Logan to the Trails Committee; to appoint Joe Wiener as Chair, Bill Ware as Vice Chair, and Cindy Zophy as Secretary of the AECC; and to accept the resignation of Chuck Larsen from the Campground Committee, Deb VanDerLeest from the Recreation Committee, Amanda Freidag from the Rules and Regulations Committee, Duane Suits from the Budget Committee, and Rich Krasula from the Conservation and Budget Committees." Seconded by Barb Hendren, motion carried unanimously.

#### 12.0 Unfinished Business

**12.1 ACL Building & Environmental Code: Violations & Fines** – Mike Harris motioned "to approve the amended ACL Building & Environmental Code Violations & Fines as recommended by the AECC at their June 2, 2018 meeting." Seconded by Steve Tribbey. Shaun explained that in section 106 (c&d) Keith Jones wrote this. This is the appeals process, why should it be in the building code. Should be in Rules & regs, however,

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# BOARD OF DIRECTORS REGULAR MEETING MINUTES, CONT'D

Keith's language is better than what we have. Do we want the appeal process here? The process (c&d) would go to Rules and Regs. Also, some information about cutting trees down is included. We do have to go back and look at our process for that. Discussion about the fee schedule – working on having this information in one location. This will happen with the aligning process we are working on. Motion carried unanimously.

### 13.0 New Business

**13.1 2019 Plan on a Page** – Gary Hannon motioned “to approve the 2019 Plan on a Page as presented by the Strategic/Long Range Planning Committee.” Seconded by Mike Harris. Jody Ware explained we are aligning this with the budgeting process. This will go into effect January of 2019. We have expansion of some of the modules due to using Abacus now. Bolded items are the changes. Typo in Long Range Goals and Measures section, fourth bullet, remove “s” before “the.” John Diehl asked about calling this a one-year action plan when we have 2019-2021 listed at the top. Jody explained this continues the process, so we focus on one year at a time. Long Range Goals and Measures are five years out. The dashboard is updated each month and this is a guide to carry out the vision. Quite a few are ongoing. A focus to guide the Board of Directors to carry out the vision. John had concerns about the word “construct” when referencing the Clubhouse Area Master Plan, probably premature. We are not there yet. Jody explained it was meant as constructing, not starting construction. Design and construct what it might look like and we may see this goal again in 2020. This is master planning – getting the concept. This is our focus right now and if we take it off, no justification to budget for the design. There will be a dashboard to communicate regularly as to where we are on our plan. Motion carried unanimously.

**13.2 ACL Building & Environmental Code: Exterior Maintenance – 1st Reading** – Steve Tribbey motioned “to suspend Roberts Rule of Order to discuss this 1st Reading.” Seconded by John Diehl. 302.4 – Weeds – would like to see AECC change the definition of weeds and tall grasses. Tall grasses is not defined, concerns about definitions of weeds. Questions about the buffer zone – the intent here is to not go after people or start looking for violations. A way to handle and control complaints, junk cars, etc. Vacant lot does not apply, has to be single family residence or building. A conflict with our other rules – write this so it is enforceable all of the time. Disconnect between the exact written word and the intent. The intent of this rule should be recorded. We need more clarity in the intent and with the buffer zones. Inoperable motor vehicles, trucks parked in the yard or side of house. UTV use on personal property only that is not registered – would this be considered unlicensed? Weeds growing around the vehicle is what this is intended for. Make sure the intent is known. 302.4 – like to clarify the intent – rule conflicts with other rules. Motor vehicle section – agree with the intent but need clarity. Inoperable lawn mowers? 2006 International Property Maintenance Code we want

to adopt – is there a newer version? This version has the teeth we need to enforce what we need and our personnel are familiar with this code (2006), we are wanting to adopt this code. Currently we are following the 1993 International Property Maintenance Code. The 2006 would serve our needs right now. It is most applicable for our circumstances. Do we need to make this available for everyone? Additional points for Rick to address – communication for the membership. Why he wants 2006 and not the latest, we want to make sure everyone understands this. Jody asked that since there is no sense of urgency, we can postpone the 2nd reading and continue this discussion. Motion to reinstate Robert's Rule of Order by Gary Hannon, seconded by Mike Harris.

**13.3 Recreation Committee Designated Funds Purchase - \$500** - Gary Hannon motioned “to approve the Recreation Committee's purchase of Halloween items from the Lena Jaycee's Haunted Barn for \$500.00.” Seconded by Jon Sonntag. John Diehl asked about the profit from last year – what are those monies used for; are they in the Recreation Committees funds? Why ask them to use another fund. Mary Hannon reported that they have two separate accounts – department/operational and designated fund. There are certain funds where profits go. If profits go in a certain fund, then purchases like this should come out of that fund. Mary, Shaun and Cindy will discuss details about these funds and what should go in where. Motion carried with John Diehl abstaining.

**13.4 Deer Management Committee Designated Funds Expenditure** – This item has been removed from the agenda; will be addressed at a future meeting.

Motion to adjourn by Mike Harris at 10:35 a.m.

Recording Secretary, Rhonda Perry

President Jody Ware

Secretary, Barb Hendren

## BOARD OF DIRECTORS ELECTION RESULTS

The Tellers Committee hereby certifies to the Apple Canyon Lake Property Owners Association, the following:

<b>TOTAL BALLOTS CAST:</b> .....	661
<b>Valid Ballots:</b> .....	645
<b>Ballots on Delinquent Lots:</b> .....	0
<b>Unidentified/Inaccurate/Incomplete Envelopes:</b> .....	0
<b>Void Ballots:</b> .....	1
<b>OTHER:</b>	
Did not put ballot in envelope: .....	14
More ballots than lots:.....	1
Voted for more than 3: .....	1
<b>CANDIDATES:</b>	
Rich Katzmann: .....	256
Steve Tribbey:.....	309 (elected)
Bob Ballenger: .....	498 (elected)
Vickie Sershon: .....	273
Jody Ware: 391 .....	(elected)
<b>WRITE-INS:</b>	
Cindy Carton: .....	1
Mike Cammack:.....	1
Henry Doden:.....	4
Serbo Radishajevic:.....	1
Sean Cottrell: .....	1
Ben Swedberg: .....	1
Steve Swedberg: .....	1
Bob Cudworth: .....	1
Fred Turek:.....	1
Pete Campbell: .....	1
Julie Struck:.....	1

**Tellers Committee Signatures:** Pat Reese, Geri Hendren, Lee Causero, Kathy Makar, Marilyn Detwiler, Julienne Strasser

## BOARD ACTIONS

### JANUARY 2018

- 10.1 Committee changes – APRVD
- 11.1 Rules and Regulations: Trail Speed Limit – APRVD
- 12.1 General Manager's Performance Goals – APRVD
- 12.2 Jo Daviess County Soil & Water Conservation District Professional Services – APRVD
- 12.3 Mulgrew Extension Agreement – TABLED
- 12.4 CAMP Architecture & Design Ad Hoc Committee – APRVD
- 12.5 Presentation by Steve Stadel & Tom Ohms: Jo Daviess County Trail System – NO MOTION REQUIRED

### FEBRUARY 2018

- 10.1 Committee changes – APRVD
- 11.1 Mulgrew extension agreement – TABLED
- 11.2 Rules and Regulations: Personal & Commercial Signs – APRVD/ APRVD
- 12.1 Attorney for Utilities, Inc. water rate increase – APRVD
- 12.2 Rules and Regulations housekeeping, First Reading – NO MOTION REQUIRED

### MARCH 2018

- 10.1 Committee changes – APRVD
- 10.2 Dissolve inactive Public Safety Committee – APRVD
- 11.1 Rules and Regulations housekeeping – APRVD
- 12.1 Pool controller – APRVD
- 12.2 Concrete at pool – AMENDED & APRVD
- 12.3 Greenway Stewardship Program – RETURNED TO CONSERVATION COMM
- 12.4 Fish Creel Limits – APRVD

### APRIL 2018

- Committee changes – APRVD
- 11.1 Greenway Stewardship Program – APRVD
- 12.1 Ratify electronic vote – Pool concrete repairs – APRVD
- 12.2 Swim for a Cure beneficiary – APRVD
- 12.3 Lot Combination – APRVD
- 12.4 Tellers Committee Guidelines – APRVD
- 12.5 CAMP Soil Borings – REMOVED FROM AGENDA
- 12.6 Schematic agreement – REMOVED FROM AGENDA
- 12.7 ACL Building & Environmental Code: Violations & Fines – First Reading – NO MOTION REQUIRED

### MAY 2018

- 10.1 Committee changes – APRVD
- 10.2 Appointment of the Nominating Committee – APRVD
- 10.3 Dissolution of the Maintenance Committee – APRVD
- 11.1 Mulgrew extension agreement – APRVD
- 12.1 CAMP Soil Borings – AMENDED & APRVD
- 12.2 Schematic Agreement – AMENDED & APRVD
- 12.3 Additional boat docks – APRVD

### JUNE 2018

- 11.1 Committee changes – APRVD
- 12.1 ACL Building & Environmental Code: Violations & Fines – APRVD
- 13.1 2019 Plan On A Page – APRVD
- 13.2 ACL Building & Environmental Code: Exterior Maintenance – First Reading – NO MOTION REQUIRED
- 13.3 Recreation Committee Designated Funds purchase – APRVD
- 13.4 Deer Management Committee Designated Funds purchase – REMOVED FROM AGENDA



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# MAY 2018 PRELIMINARY TREASURER'S REPORT

	OPERATING BUDGET						
	MONTH			YEAR TO DATE			ANNUAL
	ACTUAL	BUDGET	OVER/ (UNDER)	ACTUAL	BUDGET	OVER/ (UNDER)	BUDGET
REVENUES *	\$ 240,441	\$ 262,723	\$ (22,282)	\$ 1,308,136	\$ 1,302,592	\$ 5,544	\$ 2,996,199
DIRECT/INDIRECT EXPENSES	246,281	258,973	(12,692)	1,090,680	1,143,457	(52,777)	2,995,368
OPERATING INCOME (LOSS)	\$ (5,840)	\$ 3,750	\$ (9,590)	\$ 217,455	\$ 159,135	\$ 58,321	\$ 831

\* Month and YTD Revenues (actual and budgeted amounts) exclude budgeted transfers to Capital projects and RR funds

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION				
ASSETS	Operations	Cap Projects	R&R	COMBINED
CASH MGMT FUND	\$ 66,626		\$ 2,052,052	\$ 2,118,677
OTHER CASH	1,038,647	42		1,038,688
RECEIVABLES	172,360			172,360
OTHER PREPAIDS ETC.	39,462			39,462
<b>TOTAL CURRENT</b>	<b>\$ 1,317,094</b>	<b>\$ 42</b>	<b>\$ 2,052,052</b>	<b>\$ 3,369,187</b>
INVESTMENTS	\$ 257,940		\$ 171,345	\$ 429,285
Due from Capital Project Fund				
PROPERTY and EQUIP (NET)	6,321,677			6,321,677
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>\$ 7,896,711</b>	<b>\$ 42</b>	<b>\$ 2,223,396</b>	<b>\$ 10,120,149</b>
<b>LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE</b>				
CURRENT	\$ 131,878			\$ 131,878
Due to R&R Fund				\$ -
DEFERRED INC & ESCROW	1,544,824			1,544,824
FUND BALANCE	6,220,009	42	2,223,396	8,443,447
<b>TOTAL LIAB &amp; FUND BAL</b>	<b>\$ 7,896,711</b>	<b>\$ 42</b>	<b>\$ 2,223,396</b>	<b>\$ 10,120,149</b>

	REPLACEMENT & RENOVATION FUND (R&R)			
	MONTH		YEAR-TO-DATE	
	ACTUAL	BUDGET	ACTUAL	BUDGET
BEGINNING FUND BALANCE	\$ 2,230,917	\$ 1,996,767		
INCOME EARNED-Interest	\$ 1,580	\$ 6,689		
Annual Assessment Transfer	\$ -	\$ 565,000		
Additional Transfer from Operati	\$ -	\$ -		
<b>TOTAL AVAILABLE</b>	<b>2,232,497.48</b>	<b>2,568,456</b>		
R&R EXPENSED	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 20,000	\$ 20,000
LAND & LAKE	\$ 2,484	\$ 55,973	\$ 292,500	\$ 236,527
BUILDING	\$ -	\$ 8,466	\$ 15,000	\$ 6,534
MACHINERY & EQUIP	\$ 6,618	\$ 280,621	\$ 301,290	\$ 20,669
VEHICLE	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 20,000	\$ 20,000
F&F	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
319 GRANT-Shoreline/Invasives	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
<b>TOTAL R&amp;R EXPENDITURES</b>	<b>\$ 9,101</b>	<b>\$ 345,060</b>	<b>\$ 648,790</b>	<b>\$ 303,730</b>
<b>ENDING FUND BALANCE</b>	<b>\$ 2,223,396</b>	<b>\$ 2,223,396</b>		

\*\* Fiscal year budget, includes 2017 budgeted carryover of \$70k within the following categories: R&R expended; \$10k buffer zone demo, \$10k NB engineer study and Land & Lake; \$50k for streambank stabilization

PROPERTY AND EQUIPMEN	COST	DEPRECIATION	NET
LAND & LAKE	\$ 6,497,400	\$ 3,039,315	\$ 3,458,085
BUILDINGS	3,558,344	1,608,840	1,949,504
EQUIPMENT	1,800,181	1,447,311	352,870
FURN & OFFICE FIXTURES	776,305	665,514	110,791
VEHICLES	432,571	327,204	105,367
OTHER INCOMPLETE PROJEC	345,060	0	345,060
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>\$ 13,409,861</b>	<b>\$ 7,088,184</b>	<b>\$ 6,321,677</b>

	CAPITAL PROJECTS	
	MONTH	YEAR-TO-DATE
	ACTUAL	BUDGET
BEGINNING BALANCE	0	\$ (209,901)
Annual Assessment Transfer	0	209,901
Operating Fund Transfer	0	0
<b>TOTAL AVAILABLE</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
BUILDING	0	0
ARCHITECT	0	0
ENGINEERING	0	0
CONTRACTOR PAYMENTS	0	0
EQUIPMENT	0	0
LAND IMPROVEMENT	0	0
INTEREST	0	0
LOAN PREPAYMENT IND.	0	0
OTHER (Financing, Postage etc.)	0	0
<b>TOTAL CAP PROJ EXP</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>ENDING BALANCE (DEFICIT)</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

HK posted: 6/22/18  
 Created: 6/26/18  
 Modified:  
 Submitted by: Gary Hannon, Treasurer

*Gary Hannon*

To: ACLPOA Board of Directors  
**May Revenues were \$240,441.**

Year-to-Date (YTD) Revenues were \$1,308,136 and were over budget \$5,544.  
 Revenue lines with deviations greater than \$5,000 from budget were:

Budget Line (Revenues)	YTD Actual	Over (Under) Budget
Advertising Income	\$67,810	\$12,330
Delinquent Dues Fees	\$20,295	\$7,295
Registration Fees	\$17,845	\$5,077
Building Permits and Septic	\$3,213	\$(5,522)
Boat Rentals	\$2,705	\$(6,350)

**May Operating Expenses were \$246,281.**

Year-to-Date (YTD) Operating Expenses were \$1,090,680 and were under budget \$52,777.

Expense lines with deviations greater than \$5,000 from budget were:

Budget Line (Expenses)	YTD Actual	Over (Under) Budget
Legal Fees	\$31,835	\$9,835
Advertising	\$45,266	\$8,671
Food and Beverage	\$28,201	\$7,152
Resale Supplies	\$27,925	\$5,575
Gas and Oil	\$18,972	\$5,347

FFE (furniture/fixture/equip)	\$3,567	\$(5,433)
Utilities	\$36,157	\$(6,057)
Maintenance-Equipment	\$9,640	\$(6,460)
Payroll Taxes	\$47,097	\$(7,189)
Land and Lake	\$1,274	\$(9,326)
Postage	\$94	\$(9,906)
Department Wages	\$478,442	\$(12,359)
Contract Labor	\$4,490	\$(15,535)
Maintenance-Grounds	\$35,143	\$(17,357)
Insurance	\$106,905	\$(32,774)

The above activity resulted in YTD Operating Revenues greater than Operating Expenses by \$217,455 which was over budget by \$58,321.

**R&R expenditures for May were \$9,101.** Significant items, greater than \$500, include:

Pool Controller (\$6,313) and Pathways to boat slips (\$2,220). All expenditures are within budget except pathways to boat slips which is now over the yearly budget by \$2,906.

Year-to-Date (YTD) R&R expenditures were \$345,060.

Submitted by: Gary Hannon, Treasurer  
 Created: 6/26/18

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# LITTLE BY LITTLE, A LITTLE BECOMES A LOT

It has been a few months since I have updated the Strategic Plan Dashboard. As you can see, it has been a busy year so far in accomplishing our One Year Action Plans. I want to review some of the highlights as of July –

- We have finished the replacement list of boat docks;
- We have had issues with the Cove restaurant as service was at an all time low in May and early June. Changes were made, and early comments are that service and food have improved;
- The Legal committee is working on the Covenants and By-laws now to update them. Covenants should be completed by July or August and we are hopeful that By-Laws could be completed by the end of the year;
- Anyone who has driven up by North Bay has seen the progress of our watershed project, creating a flood plain so that in high water events silt will filter out of the water before entering the lake;
- Our codification process for aligning the governing documents has started with a review by American Legal Publishing;
- The Safety and Emergency Planning committee is progressing on our emergency plans, so we are better prepared for the next 100-year flood;
- Soil borings and Schematics for CAMP have been approved and are progressing. This will give us information needed to make decisions on the future of the clubhouse area;
- The new oven at the Pro Shop came in handy Memorial Day weekend when we had 31 to-go orders for pizza in one night. The Marina is now selling expanded breakfast options and take and bake pizzas;

- In July, an Ad Hoc committee will be formed to start planning our 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary in 2019;
- Fiber is coming to Apple Canyon! In late June enough owners expressed interest in having fiber for their internet service on the west side of the lake that Sand Prairie will start in the fall with construction in the President's area. Hopefully this will be the start of fiber in all areas of the Association;
- Work on the trail system has started for the year. This is the last year of renovating the trails. Hopefully you get a chance to ride them and enjoy our great trails;
- Some new amenities being requested for 2019 are a portable movie screen that can be used for outside movies at the pool, firehouse and campground. A Key Log for log rolling, one the hottest new activities in pools and lakes. Log rolling classes and activities are ideas for 2019. The fitness center opened in early June at the firehouse, so far, we have over 100 owners signed up to use the newest amenity;
- Cindy Carton has put together a team to work on branding of the Association, they started meeting in June;
- Our application for a Foundation has been submitted to the IRS, we are now just waiting for their response;

As you can see, we don't have many huge projects in 2018, but they all add up to make Apple Canyon Lake a better place for all our owners by following our four visions: High Performing operations and management, Improvement of infrastructure, Amenities and Services and Growth and Value enhancement of Association.

- On Track
- Issues
- Off Track
- Pending
- Complete

## HIGH PERFORMING OPERATIONS AND MANAGEMENT

ACTION STEPS - ONE YEAR ACTION PLANS	RESPONSIBLE PARTIES	MONTHS											
		J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D
Provide leadership and staff development training for all staff	Shaun Nordlie	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D
Study and conduct cost analysis on financial operations	Shaun Nordlie	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D
Charge the Legal Committee to align and present updated governing documents to the Board of Directors and membership	Rich Krasula, Chairperson	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D
Communicate to membership, using the Apple Core and Board of Directors' meetings, the process of governing document alignment and changes being made	Rich Krasula, Chairperson;	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D
Provide on-going training of Board of Directors and staff on governing documents for consistency in decision-making	Shaun Nordlie	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D
Provide training on roles and responsibilities of new Board of Directors	Shaun Nordlie	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D
Update guidance plan for Safety and Crisis Management	Shaun Nordlie	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D
Form a Financial Ad Hoc Committee to explore funding options for CAMP project	Shaun Nordlie	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D
Assign an Ad Hoc Committee to align all governing documents for uniformity in language in conjunction with legal counsel	Shaun Nordlie	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D
Plan ACL 50th Anniversary Celebration	Shaun Nordlie and Cindy Carton	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D

## IMPROVEMENT OF INFRASTRUCTURE

Work with design/architectural firm on conceptual and design plan for Clubhouse Area Master Planning	Shaun Nordlie and CAMP Committees	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D
Build and replace boat docks on "replacement list" around the lake	Rick Paulson	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D
Continue with implementation of the watershed plan of action	Shaun Nordlie	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D
Study and create action plan for flood control options	Shaun Nordlie	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D
Upgrade internet and cell phone service for property owners and campground	Shaun Nordlie and Paul Falson	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D
Retain and continue utilizing consultant services for lake and watershed management	Shaun Nordlie	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D
Develop, improve, and maintain trail system	Rick Paulson	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D

## AMENITIES AND SERVICES

Research the status of campground usage, site development and cost analysis	Shaun Nordlie	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D
Study "quick food/dessert" options for availability at amenity sites (i.e. Cove, Marina, Pro Shop)	Shaun Nordlie and Terri Stiefel	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D
Maintain a positive relationship with vendor of Cove restaurant	Shaun Nordlie	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D
Conduct a cost-analysis of new amenities: additional beaches; dog park; walking trails; community garden; miniature golf; and playground	Shaun Nordlie and Department Managers	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D

## GROWTH AND VALUE ENHANCEMENT OF ASSOCIATION

Develop plan of action for image and branding of Apple Canyon Lake	Cindy Carton	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D
Study and assess the viability of land acquisition in the surrounding area	Shaun Nordlie, BOD	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D
Establish an ACL charitable foundation	Shaun Nordlie, Strategic Planning Committee	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D



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# Richards, Brennan Honored for Distinguished Service

BY CINDY CARTON  
The Apple Core

Two distinguished volunteers were honored at the Annual Meeting of the Members on Saturday, June 9. Kathy Richards and Tom Brennan were recognized for their dedication and service to the Association.

Apple Canyon Lake thrives on the volunteer spirit of its members. The Distinguished Service Award winners are the embodiment of this spirit. These servant leaders join committees, serve on the board, help with events and activities, and lend a hand when and where needed, year after year.

ACL is grateful to these hard-working and caring individuals who make Apple Canyon Lake a community. ACL's volunteers must know that this good work is recognized and valued by the ACL board, staff, management, committees, and their friends and neighbors.

This is the 18th year for the Distinguished Service Award. This year's honorees find themselves in the esteemed company of past winners who have dedicated so much time to Apple Canyon Lake. These include Dorothy Nichols, Frank Loftus, Helen Stadel, Elmer Malon, Melva Detwiler, John Finn, Eleanor Jacobsen, Oscar Gustus, Ruth Langfield, Maury Watts, Pat Cuttone, Harold Bathum, Sharon Burmeister, Jack Dibie, Diane Monnich, Darryle Burmeister, Evelyn Clemmans, Dick Brennan, Marge Smith Clark, Bill Skeens, Laura Turek, Kevin Kavanaugh, Shirley Moore, Jim Rhodes, Karen Loete, Joe Forman, Patricia Volpert, Fred Turek, Nancy Winter, Erin Winter, Patricia Reese, Bob Stanger, Mike Harris, and Phyllis Cady.

## KATHY RICHARDS

Kathy Richards, 2018 winner of the female recipient of the Distinguished Service Award, and her husband Duke, have been Apple Canyon Lake property owners for over 10 years. It did not take long for Kathy and Duke to get involved here at the lake. This distinguished volunteer has been a member of many committees, including Rules & Regulations, Recreation, Ad Hoc Amenity Tag, Campground, Pool, Legal, and the Board of Directors.

Kathy tells people she joined the Pool Committee because they needed a "grandmotherly" type. She says she went to a former GM to talk about the Campground before they got their site and was encouraged to join to share her ideas. So, she joined the Campground Committee and shared her ideas... and time... and elbow grease.

She tells this writer, "Then you came along and told me I should join the Recreation Committee, so I did! That's when I REALLY got involved!"

For many years Kathy lent a hand to most activities here, and as a former Recreation Committee member, then chair, she was integral in making most events successful. She has been a great supporter of, and hard worker at, our ice cream socials, pancake breakfasts, triathlons, style shows, kids camps, fishing tournaments, pinewood derbies, pool parties, and just about anything else hosted by the Campground and Recreation Committees. In addition to her help, like many of our female volunteers, she enlisted the help of her husband, her daughters and their families, and her dear late sister, Lori and her son. Volunteering at Apple Canyon Lake was truly a family affair and labor of love for this clan.

Kathy served on the Board of Directors and did her due diligence in researching issues and made every effort to always vote in the best interest of the Association as a whole.

Kathy Richards deserves ACL's deepest thanks and heartfelt appreciation for all the time and talent she has given Apple Canyon Lake.

Unfortunately, due to a family engagement, Kathy was unable to attend the Annual Meeting to receive her award and will be honored at the Volunteer Appreciation Banquet on Saturday, October 13.

## TOM BRENNAN

Thomas Brennan, male winner of the 2018 Distinguished Service Award, has served Apple Canyon Lake for over 30 years. Yes, he has actually SERVED CONTINUOUSLY for over 30 years.

For nine of those 30 years, Tom served on the Board of Directors, serving three years as Treasurer and five years as President. While President he, ex officio, attended many committee meetings and spent countless hours devoted to maintaining the well-being of the lake for its members. He missed only one board meeting in nine years. He was not a full-timer here; he drove in from the city each month, year after year after year.

Tom did not shy away from difficult challenges. During his tenure as president, he was instrumental in convincing the membership of the need to pass the Capital Improvements Assessment Referendum. He chaired public meetings held both at the Lake and in the Chicago area, wrote articles explaining the need for capital improvements, and made over one hundred phone calls in its support. After the Membership approved the Capital Improvements Assessment, our distinguished volunteer served on Long Range Plan Implementation Committee which oversaw the acquisition, construction, and renovation of many amenities at the lake. This included renovation of the campground and playground, renovation of Nixon beach, including the construction of a new pavilion, dredging of the lake, acquisition of the weed harvester, etc.

Tom has served on several committees over the years, most notably the Budget Committee, where he has been a member for approximately 30 years and continues to serve, putting his professional experience as a CPA and a cost/financial analyst to good use for the Association. He also currently serves on the CAMP Financing and Marketing Committee. Tom's intimate familiarity with ACL's Covenants and Restrictions, Rules and Regulations, and historical challenges has allowed him to provide direction in recognizing the needs not only the Association but its individual members, as well.

Apple Canyon Lake is grateful to Tom for his past and continuing service to Apple Canyon Lake, which has made a lasting impact. Because of his service ACL is a little better place to live, camp, fish, boat, and enjoy.



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# COMMITTEE ROSTERS

<b>as of 6/16/18</b>	
<b>Ad Hoc Amenity Tag</b> (Meeting Dates TBD)	
Drogosz, George	Chair
Petelle, Edie	Vice Chair
Bartell, Gary	Member
Beckel, Ron	Member
Richards, Kathy	Member
Nordlie, Shaun	Staff
Shamp, Megan	Staff
<b>Appeals</b> (2nd Saturday of each month, if needed)	
Miranda, Rich	Chair
Petelle, Edie	Vice Chair
Helgason, Janet	Secretary
Beckel, Ron	Member
VanDerLeest, Roger	Member
<b>Architectural &amp; Environmental Control</b> (1st Saturday of each month)	
Wiener, Joe	Chair
Ware, William	Vice Chair
Zophy, Cindy	Secretary
Ballenger, Robert	Board Liaison
Diehl, John	Member
Frank, Jim	Member
Harris, Mike	Member
Hendren, Barb	Member
Krasula, Rich	Member
Tribbey, Steve	Member
Williams, Gordon	Member
Paulson, Rick	Staff
<b>Board of Directors</b>	
Ware, Jody	President
Ballenger, Robert	Vice President
Hannon, Gary.315	Treasurer
Hendren, Barb	Corporate Secretary
Diehl, John	Member
Harris, Mike	Member
Tribbey, Steve	Member
Williams, Gordon	Member
<b>Budget/Finance</b> (meeting dates TBD)	
Hannon, Gary	Chair/Board Liaison
Brennan, Thomas	Member
Carpenter, Ron	Member
Finn, John	Member
Forman, Joe	Member
Malone, Steve	Member
Miller, Ashlee	Member
Smith, Karen	Member
Spivey, Jan	Member
Tribbey, Fern	Member
<b>Campground</b> (meeting dates TBD, generally weekends)	
Richards, Kathy	Chair
Carpenter, Ron	Vice Chair/Secretary
Maculitis, Jerry	Vice Chair/Secretary
Barker, Nancy	Member
Bluhm, Mary	Member
Reifsteck, Joseph	Member
Ruffolo, Ric	Member
Williams, Gordon	Board Liaison
<b>Clubhouse Area Master Plan Architecture &amp; Design</b> (meeting dates TBD)	
Wiener, Joe	Chair
Tribbey, Steve	Vice Chair
Hendren, Barb	Secretary
Carton, Cindy	Member
Frank, Jim	Member
Hansen, James	Member
Killeen, John	Member
Paulson, Rick	Member
Stanger, Bob	Member
Stocks, Geoff	Member
Ware, Bill	Member
<b>Clubhouse Area Master Plan Financing &amp; Marketing</b> (meeting dates TBD)	
Brennan, Thomas	Member
Forman, Joe	Member
Hannon, Gary	Member
Harris, Mike	Member
Hendren, Barb	Member
Reed, George	Member
Tribbey, Steve	Member
Carton, Cindy	Staff
<b>Conservation</b> (1st Saturday of each month)	
Wiener, Paula	Chair
Burmeister, Darryle	Member
Cady, Phyllis	Member
Cammack, Mike	Member
Doden, Henry	Member
Hannon, Gary	Board Liaison
McDonald, Susan	Member
Ohms, Tom	Member
Stolpe-Friend, Kerstin	Member
Drogosz, Karen	Recorder

Helgerson, Aren	Staff
<b>Deer Management</b> (last Saturday of each month)	
Finley, Jack	Chair
Petelle, Jim	Vice Chair
Sershon, John	Secretary
Bluhm, Ted	Member
Lutz, Al	Member
Ostrander, Gordon	Member
Rees, Kim	Member
Sonntag, Jon	Board Liaison
<b>Editorial Review</b>	
Carton, Cynthia	Member
Nordlie, Shaun	Member
Finn, John	Member
Vandigo, Doug	Member
Ware, Jody	Board Liaison
<b>Golf</b> (1st Tues. of the month, 1:30pm, Apr-Oct.)	
Reese, Tim	Chair
Turek, Fred	Vice Chair
Reese, Pat	Secretary
Buesing, Bob	Member
Burton, Jean	Member
Curtiss, Pauline	Member
Diehl, John	Board Liaison
Finley, Jack	Member
Hannon, Mary	Member
Killeen, John	Member
Knuckey, Marsha	Member
Mannix, Pat	Member
Schmidt, Richard	Member
Stanger, Bob	Member
Stanger, Marcy	Member
<b>Governing Documents Alignment Ad Hoc</b> (meeting dates TBD)	
Harris, Mike	Member
Petelle, Jim	Member
Ware, Jody	Member
<b>Lake Monitoring</b> (meeting dates TBD)	
Hannon, Gary	Board Liaison
Rees, Kim	Member
Tribbey, Fern	Member
Tribbey, Steve	Member
Ware, Bill	Member
Helgerson, Aren	Staff
<b>Legal</b> (meeting dates TBD)	
Krasula, Rich	Chair
Skoskiewicz, Bogdan	Vice Chair
Doran, William	Secretary
Jennings, Steve	Member
Malahy, Sandra	Member
Ware, Jody	Board Liaison
<b>Legislative Action</b> - INACTIVE	
McIntyre, Steven	Member
<b>Nominating</b> (meeting dates TBD)	
Cammack, Mike	Chair
Bass, Michelle	Member
Brandenburg, Rosanne	Member
Hendren, Barb	Board Liaison
Killeen, John	Member
Sershon, Vickie	Member
Tyson, Mike	Member
<b>Publicity</b> - INACTIVE	
<b>Recreation</b> (3rd Monday of each month, 9am)	
Hannon, Mary	Chair
Cottrell, Carmel	Vice Chair
Reese, Pat	Secretary
Brandenburg, Rosanne	Member
Causero, Lee	Member
Gee, Sheila	Member
Killeen, LeAnne	Member
Sonntag, Jon	Board Liaison
Stanger, Marcy	Member
Tribbey, Fern	Member
Carton, Cindy	Member
<b>Rules &amp; Regulations</b> (2nd Saturday of each month, 9am)	
Petelle, Jim	Chair
Sershon, Vickie	Vice Chair
Harris, Mike	Board Liaison
Pfeiffer, Fred	Member
Stanger, Robert	Member
Drogosz, Karen	Recorder
<b>Safety and Emergency Planning</b> (meeting dates TBD)	
Cammack, Mike	Chair

Beckel, Ron	Vice Chair
Ware, Jody	Secretary
Hannon, Gary	Member
Harris, Mike	Member
Janssen, Julie	Staff
Paulson, Rick	Staff
<b>Strategic/Long Range Planning</b> (meeting dates TBD, usually weekdays)	
Ware, Jody	Board Liaison/Secretary
Ford, Don	Vice Chair
Forman, Joseph	Member
Williams, Gordon	Member
<b>Tellers</b> (meets for Annual Meeting)	
Reese, Patricia	Chair
Causero, Lee	Member
Detwiler, Marilyn	Member
Hendren, Rugene	Member
Makar, Kathy	Member
Strasser, Julienne	Member
Sunke, Carol	Member
<b>Trails</b> (last Saturday of each month, 9am)	
Ohms, Tom	Chair
Doden, Henry	Interim Vice Chair
Hannon, Gary	Secretary/Board Liaison
Diehl, Penny	Member
Drogosz, George	Member
Homb, Norman	Member
Laethem, Deb	Member
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# MONTHLY COMMITTEE REPORTS

Gordon Williams, and Jim Barker. Guest: Nancy Barker. General Manager Shaun Nordlie was also present.

**2.0 Approve Minutes** - Quorum not met in October, 2017.

### 3.0 Old Business

**3.1 Update/information presented by Kathy Richards concerning the Pavilion plans** - Shaun Nordlie explained process for submitting request to Budget Committee. A motion was made by Joe Reifsteck and seconded by Mary Bluhm for the committee to move forward and submit request to Budget Committee. Passed. Kathy will work with Shaun on finishing the submission process.

**3.3 Mid-winter campers get together report** - Kathy reported on Midwinter Potluck get-together this past February.

### 4.0 New Business

**4.1 New committee member Mary Bluhm was introduced and welcomed** - Jim Barker has submitted his request to be removed from committee and his wife, Nancy Barker has submitted form to become a member.

**4.2 New Campers** - Three seasonal campsites were open this year, the new campers' names were shared with the committee. A welcome notice was placed at the Bathhouse and Kathy sent an email to each of them to welcome them. She shared information with them about the Campground Committee and the members if they needed any assistance or had questions.

**4.3 Removal of members from Committee Roster** - Letter was shared that was sent to Chuck Larsen to have him removed from committee due to lack of attendance.

**4.4 Pancake Breakfast 2018** - Volunteers have signed up. Kathy has worked with Cindy Carton on ordering supplies. Motion was made by Jerry Maculitis and seconded by Ric Ruffolo to raise the price by \$1.00 this year for adults due to increase price of food. Passed.

**4.5 Election of officers** - Kathy Richards, Chair; Ron Carpenter, Vice Chair/Secretary; and Jerry Maculitis Vice Chair/Secretary.

**4.6 Other New Business** - Distinguished Service Awards Nominations form was presented and discussed, and members were told how to nominate someone if they wanted to.

**5.0 Discussion** - None.

**6.0 Next Meeting Date & Time** - June 23 at 8am. Place to be announced.

**7.0 Adjournment** - The meeting was adjourned at 9:10.

Respectfully submitted,  
Kathy Richards, Chair

## CONSERVATION COMMITTEE MINUTES

JUNE 2, 2018

UNAPPROVED

The following Committee members were present: Chair Paula Wiener, Kerstin Stolpe-Friend (late arrival), Henry Doden, Tom Ohms, Darryle Burmeister, Phyllis Cady, Mike Cammack, Gary Hannon and Susan McDonald (via teleconference). Guests: Richard Parks and General Manager Shaun Nordlie (late arrival).

**1.0 Call to Order** - Chair Paula Wiener called the Conservation Committee meeting to order on June 2, 2018 at 8:00am.

**2.0 Approve Minutes of May 12, 2018** - Minutes were approved as presented with one abstention, Mike Cammack.

### 3.0 Reports

**3.1 Lake Monitoring** - Gary Hannon reported they went out twice in May by the dam. First reading was on the 14<sup>th</sup> with the Secchi at 16 ft. 11 in. with a temperature of 65 degrees and the second on Thursday the 31<sup>st</sup>. Thursday's Secchi was at 8 ft 10 in. similar to two years ago. Tom Ohms reported that at the Marina the Secchi was at 12 ft. 6 in. Gary also reported the Dissolved Oxygen level, using 5 ppm as benchmark, was seen at depths greater than at 41ft. This indicates the lake has not yet stratified into distinct layers. Temperature was at 77 degrees.

**3.2 Other Reports** - Darryle Burmeister reported that on Thursday, May 31, Mike Cammack, Tom Ohms, Shaun Nordlie, Joe Willis, Joe Rush and Darryle did fish shocking. It is completed for Spring/Summer 2018.

Darryle also reported that a second load of scrap metal has been hauled out. This program is going well.

### 4.0 Unfinished Business

**4.1 Greenway Invasives** - Mr. Burmeister reported that nothing more has been done to date since last Fall. What has been done, is growing back in again.

### 4.2 Watershed Update

**4.2.1 Stream Bank Stabilization** - Tom Ohms said some mowing has been done in the North Bay area. Brent, the farmer who owns that land,

is getting anxious to get this project completed.

**4.2.2 RiverWatch Program** - No report.

**4.2.3 Buffer Zone Demonstration Project** - Ms. Wiener reported the Board has signed the contract for the soil borings which will tell us if we can do what we plan on doing regarding the clubhouse. Paula asked the committee should we hold onto this particular area below the pool or do we look for another location for the buffer zone. After a committee discussion, it was agreed to discuss further with Mr. Nordlie on another location at the July 7<sup>th</sup> meeting.

**4.3 Conservation Conversations Monthly Apple Core Articles** - Ms. Wiener reported the Earth Day/Annual Clean Up article will be in the June issue of the *Apple Core*. Paula will have the septic system article ready for the July issue. Ms. Wiener asked Henry Doden if he got any information from Jo Daviess County. He said he went to the department and has pamphlets Paula needs to complete the article.

### 4.4 Resident Greenway Program

**4.4.1 Burbach Stewardship Application 8A155 Liberty Bell** - Gary Hannon reported no work has been done yet. Letters were sent out and no responses received. The property owner is to be contacted again to clarify what kind of work is actually going to be done on his project. Gary Hannon will get in touch with property owner.

**4.4.2 Report Status of All Completed Projects Visited Since Last Meeting** - The committee reviewed what was revisited since May's meeting: 12-325 Newman, Tom Ohms and Henry Doden reported is being maintained; 3-130 Wojdyla, Darryle Burmeister reported completed and being maintained; 9-70 Leno, Gary Hannon reported completed as of 5/25; 8-245-46 LoSasso, Phyllis Cady reported it is completed; 2-49 Paulson, being maintained; 12-296-97 G. Vandigo, 12-291 Mannix, 12-290 Cocagne, Tom Ohms reported it is being maintained; 12-297 G. Vandigo, Tom Ohms reported nothing has been done—a letter will be sent; 3-179 Johnson, Gary Hannon reported the application is 12/21/16—first visit 4/15/17, 2<sup>nd</sup> visit 8/30/17 last visit 5/30/18 with no change; 12-134-35 Ware, Tom Ohms as of 5/29/18 being maintained; 3-91 Javadi, Gary Hannon reported an initial inspection was 4/15/17 - as of 5/30/18 there is no change - a letter will be sent; Slavik, paperwork is missing.

### 4.5 Actionable Items from the Watershed Plan

**4.5.1 Publish Educational Articles in Print and On-Line Sources** - Part of the Conservation Committee Charge is to educate and promote the Watershed Plan. Ms. Wiener brought a copy of the local newspaper, *The Scoop*, which had a frontpage article of an interview with Paula regarding the work the Conservation Committee is doing in helping to preserve our lake and surrounding area. Tom Ohms interjected at this point to inform that boats are needed out on the lake for next year's clean up. Ms. Wiener asked the committee for any ideas that could be put up on our Facebook page, if so email her and she will take care of it.

**4.5.2 Host Educational Events** - Ms. Wiener passed a copy of an article on a bird walk to the committee. This will be discussed at the next meeting. Ms. Wiener said that Cindy Carton is doing a bird talk in June.

**4.6 Infected Ash Trees Within the Community** - Phyllis Cady reported that Rick Paulson said there about 200 infected ash still to be cut down.

**4.7 Fish Structure** - Darryle Burmeister reported nothing has been done yet. There was a conversation on Thursday with Mike Cammack, Tom Ohms, Shaun Nordlie, Joe Willis, Joe Rush and Darryle regarding how valuable the fish gate is up at the spillway. Darryle said it gets continually clogged up. A discussion followed on whether to leave the fish gate open for a 3-week period of time, then replace again for a period of time for comparison. The committee agreed to have the fish gate lifted for a 3-week period of time. This will be brought to Shaun Nordlie's attention.

**4.8 Resource Conservationist Consultant/Employee Update** - Gary Hannon reported that Aren Helgerson has been hired as ACL's Natural Resources Manager. He will report to Rick Paulson. Questions arose on how Aren's time will be spent with Conservation versus Maintenance. This will be discussed at July's meeting.

**4.9 Goose Egg Oiling** - Mike Cammack reported that 52 eggs were oiled with 10 to 12 eggs were oiled twice in 9 nests.

**4.10 Creel Tracking Slips for Fishermen** - The creel tracking slips for fish information on species, size, weight, etc., are now available for use.

**4.11 McCloud Dredging Substance** - Mr. Nordlie reported he received quotes from TJ on three coats at North Bay. He will be coming out in a week or two to get samples.

**4.12 Annual Committee Election** - Ms. Wiener read the names for office of Chair and Vice Chair. Ms. Wiener was unanimously elected as Chair and Kerstin Stolpe-Friend was unanimously elected as Vice Chair; Karen Drogosz remains recorder.

### 5.0 New Business

**5.1 Dredge Discussion** - Ms. Wiener will add this item on the July agenda for further discussion.

**5.2 Resignation** - Rich Krasula has officially resigned from the Conservation Committee.

**5.3 Rumble Ball Roll** - The committee member, Phyllis Cady, purchased three Rumble & Roll Balls from the money received from taking in the aluminum cans from the Earth Day/Annual Clean Up. If the committee wins a roll, the money will be donated towards the fireworks - the numbers are 17 - 18 - 19.

**5.4 Missing Sign** - Ms. Wiener reported that the Hawthorne Prairie sign is missing.

**6.0 Next Meeting** - July 7, 2018 at 9:00am in the Clubhouse

**7.0 Adjournment** - Meeting adjourned by general consent at 9:30am.

Please notify Paula of items to put on the Agenda at least two weeks before the meeting.

Respectfully submitted,  
Karen Drogosz, Recorder

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# MONTHLY COMMITTEE REPORTS

## DEER MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

MAY 26, 2018

UNAPPROVED

**1.0 Call to Order** – Jack Finley called the meeting to order at 9:05 A.M.

Members present – Jack Finley, Jim Petelle, Kim Rees, Ted Bluhm, John Sershon, Gordon Ostrander with Al Lutz joining via telephone. Guests - Shaun Nordlie and Mike Harris.

**2.0 Approval of the April 29, 2018 Meeting Minutes** – Kim Rees made the motion to accept the minutes as issued. Gordon Ostrander seconded the motion. Motion approved.

**2.1 Change of procedure** – Jack Finley commented that Shaun Nordlie could only be at the meeting for a short time and as such any questions or issues for him should be addressed now so he could leave.

### 3.0 Old Business

**3.1 Archery Range Development** – John Sershon asked Shaun Nordlie if there was a revised date for the meeting at the quarry to review the range layout plans with Rick Paulson and himself. Shaun commented that both he and Rick had been very busy due to getting everything ready for the holiday weekend and that he would call very soon to arrange the meeting. John also commented that he had researched the cost of buying the targets and building the target holders and provided the cost he had prepared. Shaun asked if he would send a copy to the information to him. John said that he would do so. They further discussed what other expenditures would be needed. John said that he would also send Shaun a copy of the preliminary cost he had prepared. After further discussion with the group, it was determined that designation of committee funds for the range development cost should be postponed until we could have an overall understanding of what might be needed.

**3.2 Motion for Approval of Secretary Fee** – Jim Petelle commented that although the secretary fee was discussed last meeting, it was not officially approved by the committee. Jim then made a motion to approve the expenditure in the amount of \$250.00 which was the same as last year. Kim Rees seconded the motion. Motion approved unanimously.

**3.3 Rule changes** – Jack Finley asked if there was any further comments on rule changes particularly the concerning sign in/sign out changes. All members felt that this rule should remain as is to insure the safety of the hunters.

### 4.0 New Business

**4.1 Hunter/Committee Member Incentives** – Jack Finley commented on what incentives might be given to get more involvement in the Deer Management Program and hunter participation. Committee members were asked to think about this issue for discussion at the next meeting.

**4.2 Hunter Participation Form** – Jack asked if there were any comments regarding changes to the participation form that would be posted in the Apple Core. Jim Petelle noted that we will need to have the hunter stand and I.D. info cards laminated again this year. Jack said that the office would do them again this year and asked Jim to discuss both issued with Megan Shamp. Jim said he would do it right after the meeting.

**4.3 Correction of Hunter Zones** – Kim Rees commented that many of the zones needed correction because of trail changes and housing development. Jack Finley stated that it would be best if Kim and some other members would do an onsite survey to correct any zones that needed to be adjusted. Gordon Ostrander and Ted Bluhm volunteered to help Kim.

**5.0 Next Meeting** – The next meeting is scheduled for June 30, 2018.

**6.0 Adjournment** – John Sershon made a motion to adjourn. Kim Rees seconded the motion. Motion approved.

Respectfully submitted  
John Sershon, Secretary

## LEGAL COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

JUNE 3, 2018

UNAPPROVED

Present: Rich Krasula, Chairperson; Jody Ware; Bo Skoskiewicz via teleconference; and guest Sandra Malahy. Absent: Bill Doran and Steve Jennings. General Manager Shaun Nordlie was also present.

**1.0 Call to Order** - The meeting was called to order at 9:08 a.m. by Chairperson Rich Krasula.

**2.0 Approve minutes of the November 5, and December 17, 2017 and May 20, 2018 meetings** - Jody Ware made a motion to approve the November 5, 2017 minutes with the one edit. Bo Skoskiewicz seconded the motion. The minutes were approved. Bo Skoskiewicz made a motion to approve the December 17, 2017 minutes. Jody Ware seconded the motion. The December 17, 2017 minutes were approved with the one edit. The minutes were approved unanimously. Jody Ware made a motion to approve the May 20, 2018 minutes. Bo Skoskiewicz seconded for the approval of the minutes. Minutes were approved unanimously.

### 3.0 Unfinished Business

**3.1 Continue to Review changes/comments to Covenants made by Keith Jones** - Bo Skoskiewicz asked to start at Article III. Section 8 regarding Home Occupations. He shared his concern about if an individual wanted to build a spec home and run a business. Shaun Nordlie will follow-up on this concern.

### Article IV. Section 1: Membership

Keith Jones amended to remove the limit on how many individuals can be on the deed (was previously three) but there can only be three designated members.

Discussion was held on the sentence regarding when more than three people are on a deed and the party wants to change who one of the three memberships will be, it states that there has to be approval by the board. Discussion was about how to the process the change in membership, documentation of all parties on the deed agreeing who the three members will be and more information needed. **Ask Keith Jones for more information on this change.**

### Article IV. Section 2: Voting Rights – One Voting Member

Rich Krasula had a concern about the designate on the sentence: In the event a Lot is owned by a Legal Entity, the Legal Entity shall designate one Natural Person to be the Voting Member. Should we presume that the Voting Member would be the same individual as the designated Member? Check with Megan Shamp on the process of receiving a deed for a Trust or Incorporation.

### Article V. Section 4: Rights of members' Spouses

The committee was questioning the word "spouse." And, Keith Jones clarified that "spouse" was the appropriate word to use.

### Article VI. Section 4: Change in Basis and Maximum of Annual Assessments and Special Assessments

A copy of the proposed annual budget shall be communicated to each Owner(?) or Member(?) at least thirty (30) days, but not more than sixty (60) days, prior to the adoption by the Board.

Rich Krasula will follow up and check on CICAA regarding communicating the budget.

### Article IV. Section 7: Quorum for Any Action Authorized Under Sections 4 and 5:

Is this Section meaningful since it calls for a 20% quorum, but Sections 4 and 5 call for approval by a majority of total Voting Members?

**Ask Keith Jones for his interpretation on these sections?**

### Article XIII: Section 13: Restricted Lots

This section is basically saying that no more restricted lots should be approved. But those with restricted lots at this time shall remain restricted.

The language is well written, but we have questions regarding the filing of the deed with the County. Can lots be "unrestricted" by the county once they have been restricted?

**A list of restricted lots needs to be added as Exhibit C.**

**Shaun Nordlie is going to follow up with the county regarding restricted lots and the filing of the deed and whether the restriction is for perpetuity.**

### Article VII: Section 1. Powers of Committee

Do Greenway Stewardship projects have to be approved by AECC? According to Section 1, AECC manages all common properties.

**Ask Keith Jones for his interpretation on greenway stewardship project approvals: Is it to go to AECC or to the Board?**

**Shaun Nordlie is going to check to ask why Greenway Stewardships have not gone to AECC for approval.**

### Article VIII: Water Service

**Does this article only apply to properties or does it also apply to Common Properties? This question is important because of the need for a well system for the pool.**

**Shaun Nordlie will follow-up on this question.**

### Article IX: Term and Amendment

Clarification is needed.

**Shaun Nordlie is going to get clarification on the percentages (2/3 of the Voting Member) and meeting quorum of 20% of all eligible Voting Members. Shaun is going to reach out to Marge Clark and Keith Jones.**

The word **days** needs to be added to the part of the sentence in Section I "not less than ten (10) and not more than thirty (30) days prior to such meeting.

### Article IX: Section 2. Notices

It states that the Apple Core will be mailed to all Members.

**Shaun Nordlie will check to see if the Apple Core is mailed to all members.**

### Article IV. Section 6: Rule Against Perpetuities

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# MONTHLY COMMITTEE REPORTS

(c) The section about Tom Hanks. Is there a way to rewrite this section?

**Shaun Nordlie will talk to Keith Jones about this and ask if this applies any more in Illinois law.**

Resolution of the Board of Directors of Apple Canyon Lake Property Owners' Association

**There is inconsistency in the resolution, Preamble, and Article IX. The language varies between "at least" and "not more than" so this needs to be corrected.**

Rich Krasula thinks Article IX is the CICA language.

**Shaun Nordlie will check into what the language should be.**

**Rich Krasula will update the Covenants with answers to all questions and changes to re-submit to Keith.**

**3.2 Anticipated process for approval of Covenants and Bylaws** - This agenda item will be discussed with Marge Clark present for the committee to get a full understanding of the process.

**Need to get a legal description of the Old Firehouse to add to Appendix B.**

**3.3 Any other issues to discuss** – None.

**4.0 New Business**

**4.1 Discuss future and charge of this committee** - This was discussed but will be furthered discussed at next meeting.

**5.0 Other** – None.

**6.0 Next Meeting Date** - The next meeting was scheduled for July 8, 2018 at 9:00 a.m.

**7.0 Adjourn** - Jody Ware made a motion to adjourn at 11:22 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Jody L. Ware  
Recording Secretary

## RECREATION COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

JUNE 18, 2018

UNAPPROVED

**1.0 Call to Order** - Chairman Mary Hannon called the meeting to order at 9:00 a.m.

Members present: Mary Hannon, Pat Reese, Jon Sonntag, Lee Causero, Cindy Carton, LeAnne Killeen, Carmel Cottrell, Rosanne Brandenburg, Marcy Stanger, and Fern Tribbey. Members absent: Sheila Gee.

**2.0 Approve Minutes** - Rosanne Brandenburg motioned, Carmel Cottrell seconded, to approve the minutes of the May 2018 meeting. Motion carried.

**3.0 Reports** - None

**4.0 Unfinished Business**

**4.1 Smoke on the Water** - Jon Sonntag noted that the event went very well, except that we ran out of pulled pork. People were there on and off all day. It was suggested that next year we don't give pork to the competitors since we're selling pulled pork.

**4.2 Other Unfinished Business** – None.

**5.0 New Business**

**5.1 Farm Fun Days** - Rosanne Brandenburg noted that she is all set for volunteers.

**5.2 Rumble and Roll Ball Race** - Tickets are not selling well. Since the proceeds benefit our fireworks, sales need to be pushed.

**5.3 Venetian Night** - This will be a family fun night with a parade of boats on August 4.

**5.4 Battleship** - No one has signed up as of yet.

**5.5 Ice Cream Social** - The shift captains will get together to organize the volunteers.

**5.6 Haunted Trail** - Set for October 20. LeAnne Killeen and Carmel Cottrell reported on the plans they've made so far for the event. The bus will run every 15 minutes from Nixon Beach to the Bathum Nature Trail. They're planning on a Thank You Brunch Sunday morning for the volunteers after the event. The next meeting will be Thursday, July 12, 1:00 at Nixon Beach.

**5.7 Designated Funds** - Cindy Carton reported on the balance in our account.

**5.8 New Officers** - This will be done at a later date. The Committee was urged to think about running for office.

**5.9 Other New Business** - Kids Camp will be held July 5-6. TT5K will be held July 28. Pancakes will be served from 8:00-11:00.

**6.0 Next Meeting Date** - July 16, 2018

**7.0 Adjournment** - Carmel Cottrell motioned to adjourn at 11:07 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,  
Pat Reese

## RULES & REGULATIONS COMMITTEE MINUTES

JUNE 9, 2018

UNAPPROVED

The following Committee members were present: Chair Jim Petelle, Vickie Sershon, and Mike Harris. Members absent: Amanda Freidag, Bob Stanger and Fred Pfeiffer. Guest: General Manager Shaun Nordlie and ACL Legal Counsel Doug Sury.

**1.0 Call to Order** – Chair Jim Petelle called the Rules & Regulations Committee meeting to order on May 12, 2018 at 9:07am.

**2.0 Approve May 12, 2018 Minutes** – The May minutes were approved by general consent. The January 13, 2018 minutes, held over to the June meeting, have been approved by general consent.

**3.0 Unfinished Business** – None.

**4.0 New Business**

**4.1 Staff Recommendations for Rules & Regulations** – Mr. Nordlie explained that last fall he asked the managers to review the Rules & Regulations, along with Keith Jones of Key & Costello and Rich Krasula and give their suggestions on any changes. Shaun explained that each month there will be a discussion on a new section or new area. He will collect their suggested changes and bring them back to the Rules & Regs Committee for further input. At this meeting *Section V Boating* was reviewed. Beginning with the *Preamble* there was a language change from "will" to "could"; a deletion of the word "minimum" and a deletion of the dollar amount. The next section was *A. Registration*: No. 1 no change; No. 2 deletion of "by Association personnel at the ACL Safety & Security Office;" and No. 3 no change; No. 4 language change from "title" to "registration"; No. 5 a deletion of the words "by all owners", but further clarification needs to be made with possibly listing an actual example of what is required. This will be discussed further at the next meeting. *B. Insurance*: a statement was added, "Acceptable proof of liability insurance documents must meet the following requirements: the named insured is the property owner of record, the insured watercraft must be described, and the policy term expiration date and liability coverage amounts must be listed. Continuous until cancelled policies will not be accepted". *C. Boat Size/Horsepower*: no changes. *D. General*: No. 11 Jim Petelle read a question from Bob Stanger regarding can a house renter use the property owner's boat that's with the house. Basically, the property owner is liable for all actions of the renter. After a discussion, it was agreed that some language needs to be established to clarify that the house renter can use the property owner's boat. *E. Waterskiing and Towing Devices* under the Preamble, the word "minimum" and the dollar amount were deleted. *F. Boat Slips*: No.1 deletion of "Piers and Boat Slips Guidelines and replaced with "Building and Environmental Code"; No. 2 addition of the word "private"; No. 4 deletion of the word "of" and addition of "concurrently owned by"; No. 5 the deletion of "December 31 of the current year" and the addition of "January 1"; No. 9 Mr. Petelle had another question from Bob Stanger regarding the grandfathered boat leases and the transferability to a new boat slip. After discussion, it was agreed that Mr. Nordlie will work on the language to have a better explanation on the transferring of the boat slips. This item will be reviewed at the July meeting. No. 11 Item a. the deletion of "by all owners"; Item c. was added, "Failure to complete all requirements of the Boat Slip License by the date specified therein will result in forfeiture of the boat slip to ACL, any previously granted license will be revoked, and the slip will be assigned to another ACL lot owner."

**4.2 Questions for Doug Sury, Association Legal Counsel** – None.

**4.2 Other New Business** – None.

**5.0 Next Meeting Date** – Next meeting July 14, 2018 at 9am.

**6.0 Adjournment** - The meeting was adjourned by general consent at 9:50am.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Karen Drogosz

## SAFETY AND EMERGENCY PLANNING AD HOC COMMITTEE MINUTES

JUNE 14, 2018

UNAPPROVED

**ATTENDEES:** Mike Cammack, Chairperson; Jody Ware; Mike Harris; Ron Beckel and Gary Hannon. Julie Janssen, Safety and Security Manager, Rick Paulson, Maintenance Manager, and Shaun Nordlie, General Manager were also present. **ABSENT:** None.

**1.0 Call to Order** - The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Mike Cammack at 1:02 p.m.

**2.0 Approve June 1, 2018 minutes** - A motion was made by Mike Harris to approve the minutes of June 1, 2018.

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# MONTHLY COMMITTEE REPORTS

A second to approve the minutes was made by Gary Hannon. Need to add that Ron Beckel was absent. The minutes were unanimously approved. Ron Beckel and Rick Paulson abstained.

### 3.0 Review Current Emergency Plans

**3.1 ACL Dam Emergency Action Plan Changes** - The ACL Dam Emergency Action Plan was updated with more information. There are still areas that need to be updated. The committee created an Emergency Level – Potential Failure Plan to attach as Appendix B.

**4.0 Developing the ACL Emergency Operations Plan Organizational Chart/Responsibilities** - The committee started to update the information on ACL Emergency Operations Plan using the Federal Guidelines for Emergency Action Planning for Dams.

**5.0 Set Next Meeting Date** - The next meeting date and time was set for: June 26, 2018 at 1:00 p.m.

**6.0 Adjournment** - A motion to adjourn was made by Mike Harris at 2:37 p.m. Respectfully submitted, Jody Ware



### SAFETY AND EMERGENCY PLANNING AD HOC COMMITTEE MINUTES JUNE 26, 2018 UNAPPROVED

Attendees: Mike Cammack, Chairperson; Jody Ware; Mike Harris; Ron Beckel; and Gary Hannon. Julie Janssen, Safety and Security Manager, Rick Paulson, Maintenance Manager, and Shaun Nordlie, General Manager also attended.

**1.0 Call to Order** - The meeting was called to order by the Mike Cammack, Chairperson, at 1:00 p.m.

**2.0 Approve June 14, 2018 minutes** - A motion was made by Ron Beckel and seconded by Gary Hannon to approve the minutes of June 14, 2018. The minutes were approved unanimously.

### 3.0 Review Current Emergency Plans

**3.1 ACL Dam Emergency Action Plan Changes** - The committee returned to the ACL Dam Emergency Action Plan to update sections of the document that required intensive research. No further information has been gathered. We will add this item to the next meeting agenda. Julie Janssen did report that the letters have been formatted to mail out to non-property owners who live in the flood zone.

**4.0 Develop the ACL Internal Emergency Operations Plan** - An ACL Emergency Operations Organizational Chart was created. (Appendix C) Roles and Responsibilities of each individual on the organizational chart was created into a table (Appendix D).

A discussion was held on the importance of creating an internal staff task list specific to things that have to be accomplished during the incident. (i.e. turning off the gas line). Rick Paulson and Julie Janssen will meet to create specific checklists for the roles on the ACL Emergency Operations Organizational Chart.

**5.0 Create Log Monitoring Sheet** - A Log Monitoring Sheet was created for monitoring and recording water level on a daily basis.

**6.0 Set Next Meeting Date** - The next meeting will be scheduled for July 24, 2018 at 1:00 p.m.

**7.0 Adjournment** - A motion was made to adjourn by Mike Harris at 2:05 p.m. Respectfully submitted, Jody Ware



### TRAILS COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES MAY 26, 2018 UNAPPROVED

**1.0 Call to Order** – Called to order by Chair, Tom Ohms, at 9am.

Members present: Tom Ohms, Bob Laethem, Deb Laethem, Henry Doden, Penny Diehl, Gary Hannon, and GM, Shaun Nordlie. Members absent: Norman Homb, Ron Manderschied, and George Drogosz. Guests: Paul Logan (trail application submitted).

**2.0 Approve Minutes of April 28, 2018 meeting** – Minutes approved by unanimous consent with the following correction: Item 5.2, Maintenance Dept, it should read; Gravel being deposited in Shiloh for use on trails between Apache and Shenandoah.

### 3.0 Unfinished Business

**3.1 Set up date and time to meet at Winchester and White Buffalo** - Originally Fridays were considered to visit these areas however not good for Maintenance Dept so will try to setup a date on a future Saturday. Present path from Winchester is on lot #126 based on survey. The available greenway is just off lot #127 and would cause major disruption to planted evergreens and would have to run 'next door' to house on lot #127. Consideration to be given for other access points via Henry Ct between lots 113 and 114 or off Winchester Drive between lots 107 and 108. Will look at feasibility before requesting lot surveys. The White Buffalo access would need a culvert to cross ravine but is feasible.

**3.2 Report from Shaun on trail ride with Lake Carroll** - This will take place on Sunday, 6/24/18, at 2pm. All interested committee members to meet in clubhouse parking lot at 12:30pm to carpool. Helmets are required at LC. Shaun will email committee with more details.

**3.3 Review of 5-year plan** - Discussion ensued on several topics including;

1) Signage for new Pioneer walking trail along Pioneer. 2) Second designated walking trail completion date TBD, perhaps over Winter season, consideration being given to Fall Deer management program. 3) Overall way-find trail signage for Nixon beach, campground, recycling center, and intersection of golf/marina/clubhouse trail on hill. 4) Mileage marker signs, make it known what they represent. 5) Start and end markers for speed limit signs around marina and Presidents Bay.

**3.4 Update on county wide trail system** - HB 5466 still in Rules Committee. Preliminary discussion with Sheriff indicates he would consider approving if the House Bill passes and there is a designated trail system. We will continue to pursue the use of UTV's on roads to gain access to Wisconsin trails and be proactive in recommending guidelines to ensure non-ACL owners stay off our trails. Shaun will discuss verbiage options with maintenance and discuss with committee.

**3.5 Discuss options on North Bay crossing** - Discussion ensued based on options recommended by engineer, Greg Stauder. It was concluded that an inexpensive dry crossing would be considered until a more permanent crossing alongside current township bridge could be had, understanding this could be many years in future based on when bridge is scheduled for replacement. An engineering study has been approved to bring back design and cost options.

**3.6 Walking Trail parking on Pioneer** - Covered in 3.3 above, it was also said if not enough space along Pioneer, perhaps the nearby Fox Court could be used. Will determine need going forward.

### 4.0 New Business

**4.1 Options on protecting our trails from County trail riders** - Discussed Wisconsin fine of \$200, would have to be County approved for ACL can only control ACL owners. Stronger signage at trail entry points of off ACL road was proposed.

**4.2 Adding stops around the trail system** - Lake Carroll is a good example of this. We will explore this more after trail ride on 6/24. Meanwhile it was encouraged that all committee members look for 'turn-off' areas along the trail for benches or tables. Business sponsorship of benches or tables was discussed. All members are encouraged to ride the trails before every meeting and bring in any concerns or issues.

### 5.0 ACL Department Reports/Comments

**5.1 General Manager** – Nothing more than what already has been said.

**5.2 Maintenance Department** – It was said, kudos to our Maintenance Dept, trails are in great shape. Thanks Rick and crew.

**5.3 Security Department** – Will be on the trails over Memorial Day weekend with radar, will give written warnings for speed limit violations if necessary.

**6.0 Next Meeting Date** – June meeting will be the trail ride on 6/24 for those who can attend, July 28th meeting will be under the tent at old firehouse at 1pm. Same day as trail trekker, pancake breakfast, and beer tasting.

**7.0 Adjournment** – by unanimous consent at 10:35.

Respectfully submitted,  
Gary Hannon

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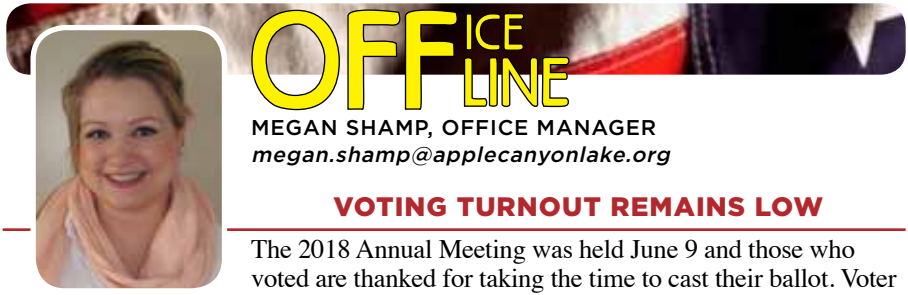
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## VOTING TURNOUT REMAINS LOW

The 2018 Annual Meeting was held June 9 and those who voted are thanked for taking the time to cast their ballot. Voter turnout remains low, with only 661 of the 2,743 possible votes cast. 16 of the 661 ballots were invalid, mostly for the ballot not being placed in the white ballot return envelope. The property owners elected to the Board of Directors represent you in important plans and changes. Please keep the importance of this vote in mind next year. Thank you also to all the candidates who ran for the Board.

## JO DAVIESS COUNTY RECORDING FEES WILL INCREASE

We have been notified by the Recorder's Office that their fees are increasing. The most relevant of these increases will be the standard document recording fee, which will increase from \$61 to \$72. Any deed changes, lot combinations, etc. will be affected by this increase as of August 1, 2018.

## LOTS REMAINING FROM ACL LOT AUCTION ARE AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE

The Association has several lots remaining from the Lot Auction held in May. These properties are available for purchase. An updated listing and map is available on the website, at <http://applecanyonlake.org/acl-lots-for-sale/>. Please contact me directly at [megan.shamp@applecanyonlake.org](mailto:megan.shamp@applecanyonlake.org) or (815) 492-2238 ext. 34 with any inquiries.

## 1/3 OF ILLINOIS STATE WATERCRAFT REGISTRATIONS EXPIRED JUNE 30

If your state watercraft registration has expired, please renew online as soon as possible. Be sure to print the transaction both for your records and for the office. We can accept this confirmation page as evidence of renewal until the new sticker and registration card is received. Please do NOT renew by phone; we have no way of looking up the confirmation provided by IDNR for phone renewals and cannot accept it as proof of renewal. If you do not have internet or a printer, please bring your credit card to the office and we will assist you with the renewal. The IDNR renewal website is: <https://www.il.wildlifelicense.com/vehicle.php?action=vehiclelookup>. You will notice when you renew that the new expiration date is September 30, not June 30.

## PLEASE CHECK AHEAD TO ENSURE CURRENT INSURANCE & REGISTRATION IS ON FILE

Please call the office before coming to the lake to ensure your insurance, registration, etc. is up to date. Most insurance companies are not open on weekends, and we cannot issue a decal if all required paperwork is not on file. An insurance card is not acceptable, because the Association must see what vehicle/watercraft is covered, the amount of liability coverage, the expiration date of the policy, and in the case of vehicles used on the trails, that ACLPOA is listed as Additional Insured or Additional Interest on the policy. All insurance and registration must be in the property owner's name.

# BOAT SLIP TO TRADE WAITING LIST

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| <p><b>as of 6/26/18</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1 Arp-Laing, Janice</li> <li>2 Israel, Raymond &amp; Gail</li> <li>3 Schroeder, Roland &amp; Gisela</li> <li>4 Wagner, Don &amp; Theresa</li> <li>5 Skoskiewicz, Bogdan &amp; Deborah</li> <li>6 Carey, Ronald &amp; Patricia</li> <li>7 Matheson, John &amp; Candy</li> <li>8 Agostino, Domenico</li> <li>9 Curtin, Denis</li> <li>10 Crnich, Walter</li> <li>11 Kaleta, Terry &amp; Paulette</li> <li>12 Scott, Thomas</li> <li>13 Cammack, Michael</li> <li>14 Tessendorf, Tim</li> <li>15 Hanson, Harry</li> <li>16 Zimmer, Cheryl</li> <li>17 Ryan, Greg &amp; Debi</li> <li>18 Beck, Mark</li> <li>19 Travis, Brad</li> <li>20 Mosley, Richard</li> <li>21 McCabe, Doug</li> <li>22 Durso, Diana</li> <li>23 Strohecker, Dan</li> <li>24 GWE Realty, LLC</li> <li>25 Houy, Jolene</li> <li>26 Meyer, Linda</li> <li>27 Jenkins, Joseph</li> <li>28 Weegens, Jeff</li> <li>29 Okazaki, Robert &amp; Judy</li> <li>30 Keleher, Dennis</li> <li>31 Kuebler, Mike</li> <li>32 Jones, Robert</li> <li>33 Reichling, Thomas &amp; Kristine</li> <li>34 O'Brien, Michael</li> <li>35 Winslow, Stephen</li> <li>36 Slaght, Daryl</li> <li>37 Stupka, Michael &amp; Jeanne</li> <li>38 Patzke, Frank &amp; Carsello, Susan</li> <li>39 Meinert, William</li> <li>40 Mensching, Ron &amp; Michaeline</li> <li>41 Stienstra, Diane</li> <li>42 Quittschreiber, Bradley</li> <li>43 Gaul, Robert</li> <li>44 Laethem, Robert</li> <li>45 Mathson, Scott &amp; Michelle</li> <li>46 Dimke, Jr., Robert</li> <li>47 Davis, Alan</li> <li>48 Busch, Darrell</li> <li>49 Rutkowski, John &amp; Margaret</li> <li>50 Keating, Laura</li> <li>51 Kohl, Sue</li> </ol> | <p><b>52</b> Hiveley, George</p> <p><b>53</b> Louw, Shaun</p> <p><b>54</b> Knauer, Kyle &amp; Bauer, David</p> <p><b>55</b> Purdy, Clint</p> <p><b>56</b> Rosenberg, Michael</p> <p><b>57</b> Owens, Kevin &amp; Kathleen</p> <p><b>58</b> Oberman, Jim &amp; Stacy</p> <p><b>59</b> Cox, Joseph F.</p> <p><b>60</b> Diehl, Eric</p> <p><b>61</b> Morrison, Aaron</p> <p><b>62</b> Shain, Jamie &amp; Monica</p> <p><b>63</b> Simmons, Charles</p> <p><b>64</b> Toot, Brenda</p> <p><b>65</b> Herzing, James</p> <p><b>66</b> Franz, Robert C.</p> <p><b>67</b> Wulff, Randy &amp; Linda</p> <p><b>68</b> Butts, Dale</p> <p><b>69</b> Bass, Brian</p> <p><b>70</b> Milliken, Jenny</p> <p><b>71</b> Morawa, John</p> <p><b>72</b> Wiesemes, John &amp; Roberta</p> <p><b>73</b> Rundell, Dave</p> <p><b>74</b> Randecker, Rodney</p> |
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# CAMPSITE TO TRADE WAITING LIST

- as of 6/26/18**
- 1 Hermanson, Larry & Jeanne
  - 2 Ostrander, Gordy
  - 3 Coconato, Phillip
  - 4 Mensching, Ron
  - 5 Goeke, Dave
  - 6 Bruno, Frank & Paula
  - 7 Vick, Jon
  - 8 Owens, Kevin & Kathleen
  - 9 Herzing, James



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Child's name \_\_\_\_\_

Child's name \_\_\_\_\_

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## 2018 Swimming Lessons

*June 25 through June 28 & July 23 through July 26*  
\$18 per child, per week or \$35 for both sessions

Property Owner/Guest: \_\_\_\_\_

Lot: \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Available Swimming Lesson Levels

Swimmers: 8 – 9 a.m. (deep end class)

Advanced Beginners: 9 – 10 a.m. (must be able to swim front and back crawl)

Beginners: 10 – 11 a.m.

Child's name \_\_\_\_\_ Level \_\_\_\_\_

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Child's name \_\_\_\_\_ Level \_\_\_\_\_

Child's name \_\_\_\_\_ Level \_\_\_\_\_

**Swimming lesson registration fees are non-refundable.**  
**Advance registration is recommended.**

For more info, contact Julie at [julie.janssen@applecanyonlake.org](mailto:julie.janssen@applecanyonlake.org), 815-492-0090

## 2018 Swimming Pool Schedule

*Weather permitting*  
**Sat, May 26 – Mon, Sept 3 (last day)**

**SPECIAL EVENTS**

Jun 21, 1:30 pm	World's Largest Swim Lesson
Jul 21, TBD	Swim for a Cure Pool Party

**OPEN SWIM**

<b>Mon-Thurs:</b>	11 am-7 pm
<b>Fri &amp; Sat:</b>	10 am-8 pm
<b>Sun:</b>	10 am-7 pm

**LAP SWIM**

May 29-Jun 22	8-9 am
Jun 25-Jul 6	7-8 am
Jul 9-Jul 20	8-9 am
Jul 23-27	7-8 am
Jul 30-Aug 31	8-9 am

**Aqua Aerobics**

Beginning Jun 4, Mon-Thurs	9-10 am
<i>(No aerobics during swimming lessons)</i>	

**Night Aerobics**

Jul 9-Aug 1, Mon & Wed	7-8 pm
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**ACL Mermaids**

July 2, 3, 5 (1 <sup>st</sup> session)	9-10 am
Jul 30, 31 & Aug 1 (2 <sup>nd</sup> session)	9-10 am

**SWIM LESSONS**

Jun 25-28 & July 23-26	
<b>Toddler Swim Lessons (2-5 years old)</b>	
Jun 18-21 & July 16-19	10 am-10:30 am

**PRIVATE POOL PARTIES \$125\***

<b>Mon-Thurs, Sun</b>	7-9 pm
<b>Sat &amp; Sun</b>	8-10 am

\*For scheduling call 815-492-0090 or email [julie.janssen@applecanyonlake.org](mailto:julie.janssen@applecanyonlake.org)

## WANTED: BOAT SLIPS FOR ACL SUB-LICENSE BOAT SLIP PROGRAM

If you have a Seasonal Boat Slip that you will not be using this year, please consider entering the slip into the ACL Sub-License Boat Slip Program. This will allow another property owner to use the slip for the year (all sub-license program agreements terminate December 31), and you would be refunded \$150, 75% of the slip fee, if the slip is successfully sublicensed. We always have more demand for these slips than slips available.

For more information, please see <http://applecanyonlake.org/wp/boat-slip-sub-boat-slip-licensing/> or contact the office for more information.



## NO BOAT SLIP WAITING LIST

as of 6/26/18			
1	Frank, James & Jill	33	Flatley, John & Danuta
2	Ugalde, Ruben	34	Switzer, Terry
3	Armagno, Joseph & Dana	35	Schultz, Ronald & Janice
4	Rudny, Tony & Judith	36	Powers, Jim
5	Rudny, Tony & Judith	37	Drezek, Kamil
6	Martin, Kenneth "Pat"	38	Fiorini, Donna
7	Hall, Patricia	39	Nolan, William & Linda
8	Maculitis, Jerry	40	Winter, Josh & Kerin
9	Miller, Larry & Mary Jo	41	Lockwood, Linda & Roger
10	Murphy Family Trust	42	Przybylski, Bill
11	Radisavljevic, Srbo	43	Sproule, Allison & Christopher
12	Newman, John & Eileen	44	Deneen, Michael & Lorraine
13	Hermanson, Larry & Jeanne	45	Bohnsack, Norman
14	Noga, Jr., Casimir	46	Parkinson, James
15	Coffey, Jim & Martha Swarts	47	Fransen, John
16	Ferguson, Frank	48	Anderson, George
17	Gall, Daniel & Lorie	49	Buehler, Ron
18	Beck, Mark & Joann	50	Bourquin, William
19	Werner, Brad & Keri	51	Seivert, Charles
20	Furio, Dawn & James	52	Rosalez, Louie & Melissa
21	Steichen, Bradley	53	Engelke, Jacob
22	Howard, Bryon	54	Kavanaugh, Michael
23	Rowe, Stafford	55	Mischia, David W.
24	Pries/Spratt, Donna/Ryan	56	Heffernan, Gene & Lacey
25	Dunning, Michael & Deborah	57	Yereb, Paul & Kay
26	Sullivan, Anita & Bob	58	Nieman, Randy & Beth
27	Forbrook, Michael & Linda	59	Zuleger, Edward
28	Koehler, Vance	60	Just, Mike
29	Gnadt, Terry & Frances	61	Connolly, Mike & Heather
30	Marxen, Adam & Christine	62	Manders, John
31	Strazzante, Dale	63	Kielczewski, Jan
32	Sparr, Dennis	64	Raisbeck, Tim
		65	Griffin, Mark
		66	Fransen, Deborah
		67	Libby, David
		68	Schuster, Gwen
		69	Atilano, Daniel
		70	Alexander, Chad
		71	Mathys, Jim
		72	Buckley, John & Jackie
		73	Breitbach, Steve
		74	Skoskiewicz, Bogdan
		75	Marcotte, Kurt
		76	Giudice, Gerry
		77	Zophy, Cynthia
		78	Havens, Terry & Brandon
		79	Frank, David
		80	Osika, Anne
		81	Huenefeld, Robert & Lori
		82	Klippert, Andrew & Alaina
		83	Berens, Mike
		84	Quinn, Timothy & Sameena
		85	Moellendorf, James
		86	Clancy, Timothy
		87	Sigafus, Heidi & Scott
		88	Ohms, Michael & Olson, Diane
		89	Barker, Andrew
		90	Batease, Brian & Kathleen
		91	Frick, Jeff
		92	Johnson, Zhao
		93	Purifoy, Tommie & Mildred
		94	Karolek, Charles & Rosalinda
		95	Majors, David & Tiffany
		96	Flynn, P. Michael & Anastacia
		97	Serpliss, Ron & Cynthia
		98	Seas, Robert
		99	Krone, Sharon & Francis
		100	Michellini, William
		101	Carey, Ryan
		102	Ubert, Bill & Peggy
		103	Reynolds, Eric & Erika
		104	Bertsch, Charles
		105	Beresford, Dean
		106	Carter, Thomas & Heather
		107	Lopez, Jose
		108	Williams, Gordon & Shelli
		109	Penticoff, Rick
		110	Driscoll, Mark & Shannon
		111	Ditsworth, Casey & Tami
		112	Bonnet, Matt
		113	Kleiser, Robert & Kimberly
		114	Pople, DuWayne & Martha
		115	Yerk, George
		116	Lacey, Michael & Cynthia
		117	Book, Kyle & Ericka
		118	Virtue, Dave
		119	Wolff, Ben
		120	Nolan, Tim
		121	Roberts, Angie & Alan
		122	Lange, Randy & Karla
		123	Slovin, Don
		124	Miller, Adam & Ashlee
		125	Mischia, David M. & Cynthia
		126	Said, Amrou
		127	Mlynski, Matthew & Aneta
		128	Fawver, Jeff & Lisa
		129	Hamilton, Ronald & Karen
		130	Maniglia, Jeff & Laurie
		131	Fischer, Roger & Christy
		132	Adrian, Aaron
		133	Gushulak, Michael & Virginia
		134	Hass, Jeffrey & Peggy
		135	Louw, Shaun & Amanda
		136	Jursich, Michael & Amy
		137	Amore, Dennis & Karen
		138	Crandall, Travis & Lana
		139	McDermott, Phil
		140	Preston, Bryon
		141	Bronke, Ron
		142	Olson, Kelly
		143	Zink, Randy
		144	Breed, Nicholas & Brandi
		145	Malone, Steve & Brink, Sandra
		146	Schriever, Chris & Allison
		147	Carter, Thomas & Heather
		148	Flatley, Michael & Margaret
		149	Lueck, Duane
		150	Lyvers, Robert
		151	Paradise LLC
		152	Goodnight, Ben & Luci
		153	Cox, David
		154	Saunders, Shawn
		155	Folgate, Dale
		156	Diehl, John
		157	Louder, Ron
		158	Hood, Tim
		159	Thomasino, James
		160	Flesch, Steven & Kim
		161	Bloyer, Mary
		162	Pick, Joshua & Hannah
		163	Ruffolo, Ric
		164	Ruffolo, Ric
		165	Ethridge, Jamie
		166	Stoffel, Shawn
		167	Kratochvil, Jim & Jennifer
		168	Neff, Thomas
		169	Streit, Dillon & Michelle
		170	Hanson, John
		171	Harden, Russ
		172	Nelson, Barbara
		173	Beggin, Lucas
		174	Krizka, Martin
		175	Kruger, Donald & Krista
		176	Kluesner, Dale
		177	Raab, Colton
		178	Bailey, Jeffrey
		179	Toepfer, Vicki
		180	Sauer, Kurt
		181	Cavanaugh, Brian
		182	Magee, John & Charmaine
		183	Rowland, Aaron & Rachel
		184	Spejcher, Steve & Cynthia
		185	Frieri, Mike & Rose
		186	Lukowski, Robert
		187	Evans, David
		188	Kunkel, Joe
		189	Schmidt, Herb & Barb
		190	Koehn, Christopher
		191	Steffes, Ben
		192	Tribbey, Steve & Fern
		193	Whitehead, Jeff
		194	Bialek, Sandra
		195	Stauffacher, Terry
		196	McKee, Gabe
		197	Lingel, Randy & Wendy
		198	Gouskos, Karen & Nick
		199	Linden, Kevin & Andrea
		200	Kunnert, James
		201	Altfillisch, Joshua
		202	Pratt, Gregory & Laura
		203	Basinski, Bart
		204	O'Brien, Dan
		205	Dehlin, Dan
		206	Wasmund, Thom
		207	Hedges, Rich
		208	Sims, Arthur
		209	Curtiss, Adam
		210	Groom, Timothy & Jennifer
		211	Elliot, Aleta
		212	Cleary, Colin
		213	Lieber, Brandon
		214	Spencer, Michael
		215	Campbell, Martin
		216	Reynolds, Tim
		217	Dixon, Mike
		218	Hunt, Laurie & Walsh, Jim
		219	Fry, Brett
		220	Burbach, Kim
		221	Hulbert, Nick & Tracey
		222	Streit Living Trust
		223	Moon, Shane A.
		224	McGinnis, Ron
		225	Donth-Carton, Cynthia
		226	Polizzi, Cody
		227	Honan, Robert S.
		228	Walsh, Edward J.
		229	Werner, Leo & Janet
		230	Birkett, Rich & Jackie
		231	Coffey, Donovan & Teresa
		232	Stoffel, Shawn
		233	Barnash, Karen
		234	Bialek, Brian
		235	Lange, Robbie & Brooke
		236	Stoffa, Todd
		237	Riggle, Steven
		238	Loeffelholz, Nick
		239	Gillespie, Thomas
		240	Caldwell, James
		241	Galaviz, Brian
		242	Hughes, Jeffrey
		243	Carney, Jim & Kelli
		244	Clancy, Mary Ann
		245	Sheppard, Jennifer
		246	Meusel, Mike & Sue
		247	Kachka, John
		248	Mackenzie, Craig
		249	Schalla, Jeffrey
		250	Nickels, Lynda
		251	Karner, Owen
		252	Winter, Joshua
		253	Smith, Candice
		254	Pfeiffer, Kevin
		255	Holcomb, Daniel
		256	Kunitzer, Jim
		257	Rydholm, Steve
		258	Doersam, Gary & Gayle
		259	Mamlic, Daniel
		260	Mamlic, Daniel
		261	Conrad, Tammy & Scott
		262	Price, Derke
		263	Guzman, Roger & Amy
		264	Veach, Billy
		265	Brant, Jeremy & Hannah

## SEASONAL CAMPSITE WAITING LIST

as of 6/26/18			
1	Zweep, James & Cheryl	51	Clark, Rick & Judith
2	Denney, Charles & Margaret	52	Lutz, Al & Kay
3	Evans, Kenton	53	Baldrige, Ernest & Martha
4	Roderweiss, Ronald & Irene	54	Carey, Ryan
5	Huber, Eric	55	Carroll, Michael & Amie
6	Davis, Alan	56	Rubin, Jerry
7	Flesch, Steve & Kim	57	Saunders, Brian & Karlene
8	Sibenaller, Greg & Catherine	58	Hood, Tim & Valerie
9	Kruse, Brad & Rebecca	59	Medley, Gary & Stacie
10	Byerly, Jerald & Rosemary	60	Johnston, David
11	Penticoff, Jason	61	Ruffolo, Ric
12	Zuleger, Edward	62	Ruffolo, Ric
13	Marron, Sue	63	Ethridge, Jamie
14	Griffin, Mark	64	Cudworth, Tim
15	Haas, Lloyd & Lisa	65	Neff, Thomas
16	Lockwood, Roger & Linda	66	Streit, Dillon & Michelle
17	Krupinski, Patrick & Patricia	67	Harden, Russ
18	Dittmar, Jeremy	68	Jursich, Michael & Amy
19	Rhinerson, Trent & Renee	69	Cox, Joe
20	Johnson, Gerald & Kathy	70	Toepfer, Vicki
21	Chumbler, Byron & Rose	71	Toot, Brenda
22	Schulget, John & Lori	72	Wellman, Darren & Donna
23	Mullins, Ronald & Jill	73	Pries, Donna
24	Fischer, Robert & Kathleen	74	Frieri, Mike & Rose
25	Miller, Joy	75	Maniglia, Jeff
26	Fill, Mark	76	Diorio, James & Joanne
27	Lagioia, Rocco & Aurora	77	Flynn, Mike & Stacey
28	Lagioia, Rocco & Aurora	78	Hyde, William
29	Stienstra, Diane	79	Heaver, Robert
30	Jeffrey, David & Susan	80	Mosley, Richard
31	Ubert, William & Peggy	81	Stauffacher, Terry
32	Pape, David	82	Wiegel, Aaron
33	Stewart, Scott & Kathy	83	Raab, Colton
34	Szymanski, James & Marilyn	84	Wasmund, Thom
35	Murphy, Mike & Linda	85	Stith, Herbert
36	Ditsworth, Casey & Tami	86	Allen, Michael
37	Smith, George	87	Carlson, David
38	Lamz, Daniel & Sherry	88	Burbach, Kim
39	Book, Ericka & Kyle	89	Murray, Glen
40	Wolff, Ben	90	McGinnis, Ron
41	Randall, David & Lynn	91	Birkett, Rich & Jackie
42	Lange, Randy & Karla	92	Caldwell, James
43	Miller, Adam & Ashlee	93	Mackenzie, Craig & Theresa
44	Dittmar, Jonathan	94	Nickels, Lynda
45	Adrian, Aaron	95	Judas, Kevin & Deb
46	Knauer, Kyle	96	Winter, Josh
47	Bertsch, Charles	97	Smith, Eric
48	Mihajlovic, Branko	98	Rydholm, Steve
49	Miller, Larry & Mary Jo	99	Saunders, Shawn
50	Breed, Nick & Brandi	100	Hurtado, Alison



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## Communique

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### IT TAKES A TEAM

The Communications and Recreation Department has been in a whirlwind these past months, and I really need to thank my team. ACL's Recreation Committee meets monthly and has their hands full of duties as we progress through the season. These committee members are willing to give their time to help host memorable events for the membership—many times while hosting house guests themselves. I am grateful to Rec Committee chair Mary Hannon, Vice Chair Carmel Cottrell, and Secretary Pat Reese for their dedication to the committee, and to all our hard-working committee members who assist with the various activities.



I must give my assistant Tim Brokl a major pat on the back, and I want to thank our Rec helper Morgan Cocagne for her hard work and support this summer as well. It's fun to work with these young people. Their energy is contagious, and you CAN indeed teach an old dog new tricks; I learn from them every day. And I laugh a lot; we have a so much fun together. To be honest, I expect a lot from my team and I'm never disappointed. They go above and beyond every day.

I cannot say enough about Tim. He is the "techy" guy in the background but isn't afraid to take the lead when needed. In addition to all the "right-hand man" duties Tim does, because of his efforts, we are finally getting somewhere with online registrations. He has

spent quite a bit of time researching widgets and has worked hard to bring this goal to fruition. Thank you, Tim, your good work does not go unnoticed.

Morgan is a breath of fresh air; she's very positive and works like a team of horses! At her tender age, Morgan lives the life of a servant leader, coaching a grade school softball team with her sister, helping at her church when she can, and does great things with her sorority. I first met Morgan as a grade school student when she volunteered to help at the triathlon with her Grandma Gail. Her personality fits well in our department, making our work fun. Tim and I tell her we are not letting her return to Iowa State in August. She is far too valuable to us!



### NEW THINGS ON THE HORIZON

We are trying some new things this year, and hope we have something for you! July 14 will be day of fun with new events in addition to Roger Higgs' Prairie Talk. Science Saturday for our curious tweens starts at 9 a.m. at the Canyon Club Prairie (near the tennis courts) and will offer kids a fun way to learn about the prairie plants that keep our soils intact and healthy. They will need a camera or cell phone to complete the "scavenger hunt."

Who is into forensics? ACL volunteer Cyndi Mischia will help us host the Science Saturday Cadaver Camp at Nixon Beach on July 21. Cyndi teaches college level forensic science and has offered to share her knowledge with ACL youth. She will have some tissue and organ specimens that young scientists will be able to view and examine.

There is no cost for these Science Saturday activities. Plan for an hour and a half of informational fun. Please see the posters in the back of the *Apple Core* for more info.

### REGISTER YOUR TEAM FOR CANOE BATTLESHIP

We are introducing Canoe Battleship at the Beach where teams compete to sink their opponents' battleship (canoe). YOU DO NOT

NEED A CANOE. We supply the watercrafts.

We have invited Canyon Camp BSA staff to compete with ACL's best. Who is up for the challenge? Do you think your team has what it takes to beat a team of Eagle Scouts? Adults are more than welcome! Does age have an advantage? Let's find out! Get complete details at [www.applecanyonlake.org/battleship](http://www.applecanyonlake.org/battleship).

### TRAIL TREKKER 5K COLOR RUN IS JULY 28

We are excited to host our third annual TT5K on July 28. If you don't participate in the race you can still join in on the fun and excitement. Bring the family to breakfast and be there to throw color on the participants as they cross the finish line.

TT5K entry is just \$20 for ages 13 & up, \$10 for kids 12 & under and includes t-shirt, sunglasses, color pack & race bag. The scenic route treks along Marina Trail, proceeding to the Harold Bathum Walking Trail along Hell's Branch Creek and back. The public is invited to join us.

Volunteers are needed and will get an event t-shirt thanks to our generous sponsors! Anyone who helped at the triathlon will enjoy helping at this event as well.

Sponsors are also wanted! Download registration or sponsorship forms at [www.applecanyonlake.org/tt5k](http://www.applecanyonlake.org/tt5k) or email [cindy.carton@applecanyonlake.org](mailto:cindy.carton@applecanyonlake.org) to volunteer! Register online at [applecanyonlake.org/shop](http://applecanyonlake.org/shop).

Other events planned for that day include Pancake Breakfast of Champions from 8 – 11 a.m., Pecatonica Beer Tasting from noon – 3 p.m., and the Sizzling Summer Concert featuring local favorites Ten Gallon Hat from 7 – 10 p.m. Come celebrate the day with us.

### VENETIAN NIGHT IS FOR EVERYONE!

Many years ago, ACL hosted boat parades where all members were invited to decorate their boats and parade around the lake. We are reviving this tradition and will gather at Nixon Beach on Saturday, August 4. It will be dark as we parade and return, so we are asking that our members get CRAZY with their themes and lights. There is no cost to enter. Our goal is to gather and have fun, while offering a beautiful view for those on shore.



### DRONE WARS AT ACL?

Yes, indeed. We are hosting our first Drone Wars obstacle course on August 11. Check out the poster in this issue of the *Apple Core* and start practicing your maneuvers.

### ARE YOU SCARY? ARE YOU CREATIVE? ADOPT A STAGE ALONG THE HAUNTED TRAIL!

If you and your family, friends, or neighborhood want to "adopt-a-stage" along the Haunted Trail, we are looking for you! Please find the Adopt-a-Stage form in this issue of *The Apple Core* and help us scare the scrap out of our guests on October 20. We have removed the deadline to sign on. We want any member, family, department, or committee to get on board and make this a great event. Please join us.

### FARM TO TABLE DINNER IS SEPTEMBER 22

This is new this year. We are collaborating with the Jo Daviess County Farm Bureau to host a delicious dinner prepared with fresh, local ingredients. We are still in the planning stages but so far, we have commitments from the Jo Daviess County Beef Association, Massbach Ridge Winery, Blaum Brothers Distillery, Dittmar Farms, and more. The social hour with appetizers and cocktails will be at 6, with dinner at 7. Steve McIntyre is scheduled to perform during the social hour. You will certainly want to watch for details. Limited tickets will be available, so mark your calendars. This will be the event of the season.

### MORE TO COME...

Stay tuned to the *Apple Core*, our Facebook page at Apple Canyon Lake POA or [www.applecanyonlake.org/programs/events](http://www.applecanyonlake.org/programs/events) for all the facts on these events and many others as well!

### CAN YOU HELP?

We are ALWAYS looking for volunteers to help host events. If you're interested in helping with any of the events you see listed on page 3, please call me at 815-492-2769 or email me at [cindy.carton@applecanyonlake.org](mailto:cindy.carton@applecanyonlake.org).

ACL families, neighbors, committees, & departments:

### Adopt-a-Stage at ACL's



Saturday, October 20, 2018

This year's Haunted Trail will take place at the Harold Bathum Nature Trail, an area that lends itself well to a haunted environment! Teams will be responsible for their own theme, characters, sound, lighting, and volunteers. Provide your own power sources for your stage—generator, solar, battery operated candles, lanterns, flood lighting, strobe, black lights, etc. Tiki torches approved in select locations.

Adopt-a-Stage along ACL's Haunted Trail  
There is no cost to adopt a stage, and no deadline to sign up!

Team Leader's name \_\_\_\_\_ Lot # \_\_\_\_\_  
 Cell phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_  
 Team Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 Themes (list ideas and possible characters for your area.)  
 Theme Option #1 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Theme Option #2 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Briefly describe what might be involved with your set up. \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Briefly describe what your stage might look like (characters, sets, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

For more info, call 815-492-2769 or email [carmel.cottrell@gmail.com](mailto:carmel.cottrell@gmail.com).  
 Mail form to: ACLPOA, 14A157 Canyon Club Dr., Apple River, IL 61001  
 or submit online at [www.applecanyonlake.org/hauntedtrail](http://www.applecanyonlake.org/hauntedtrail)



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# APPLE CANYON LAKE LOTS FOR SALE

As of June 14, 2018

The lots below did not sell at the ACL Lot Auction and are available for purchase through the Association Office.

PTAX forms and deeds will be completed by the attorney after a signed Winning Bidder Form is submitted to ACL along with payment of the fees above. Real Estate Transfer Tax cost will be determined based on the auction price and paid with the other ACL fees.

### ACL FEES

Minimum purchase price \$150 (includes PTAX/deed preparation and recording fees)

**2018 Fees:** \$500 partial 2018 Annual Assessment  
\$100 Owner Amenity Registration Fee (per owner on the deed, up to three owners)

### JO DAVIESS COUNTY TAXES

Past due taxes (if applicable) must be paid to Jo Daviess County following the sale.

Please contact Megan at [officemanager@applecanyonlake.org](mailto:officemanager@applecanyonlake.org) with questions or for more information!

- 1. 03-152 General Jackson Dr
- 2. 05-074 Whispering Wind Dr
- 3. 06-088 Appomattox Dr
- 4. 07-156 Teepee Ct
- 5. 07-205 Bison Ct
- 6. 07-226 Fox Ct

- 7. & 8. 08-029 and 08-030 E Apple Canyon Rd (combined with Jo Daviess County)
- 9. 08-076 Constitution Dr
- 10. 09-003 White Birch Ln
- 11. 09-085 Evergreen Dr
- 12. 11-242 Tee Ct

- 13. 12-051 McKinley Ct
- 14. 12-173 Wilson Ct
- 15. 13-057 Pioneer Dr
- 16. 13-098 W Apple Canyon Rd
- 17. 13-173 W Apple Canyon Rd
- 18. 13-174 W Apple Canyon Rd



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# LAKESIDE REALTY



15A312 Deer Run  
2 Bedroom 3 Bath  
Lakeview Condo  
\$225,000



9A233 Cherry Lane  
3 Bedroom 2 Bath  
\$170,000



Apache Lot 179  
Marina Dock,  
\$30,000



11A187 Tournament Ln.  
3 Bedroom 2 Bath  
\$179,000



12A1 W ACL RD  
3 Bedroom 2 Bath  
\$74,500



11A272 Nicklaus  
5 Bedroom 3 Bath  
\$195,000



14A110 Deer Run  
5 Bedroom 3 Bath  
\$199,000



1A20 Painted Post  
4 Bedroom 3 Bath  
Lakeview with dock  
\$385,000



14A70 Falling Sun Dr.  
3 Bedroom 3 Bath  
Lakeview with dock  
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6A6 Hampton Ct.  
6 Bedroom 3.5 Bath  
Lakeview  
Transferable Dock  
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Independence Lot 245  
Zone Dock 8-245-1  
\$39,900



3A91 General Sherman  
4 bedroom 3 bath  
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14A85 Anchor Ct.  
4 Bedroom 2 Bath  
Lakeview  
Transferable Dock  
\$295,000



1A85 Mustang Lane  
3 Bedroom 1.5 Bath  
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7A49 Moccasin Lane  
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14A86 Anchor Ct.  
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15A311 Deer Run  
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111 \$1,500		134 \$4,000	84 \$17,000	96	\$925		
		216 \$4,500	89 \$9,000	105	\$5,000		

^^ Transferable Boat Slip Available  
\*\* Owner holds a Real Estate License  
## Dues Reduction Non-Buildable Lot

# ACL Hosts its First Smoke on the Water BBQ Cook-Off

BY CINDY CARTON  
*The Apple Core*

Many attended the Smoke on the Water BBQ Cook-Off, Lena Brewing Company Beer Tasting, and Firehouse Fitness Open House on Saturday, May 26. With just three contestants and four sponsors, we had a good start for a cook-off event we think could become an ACL favorite. Anyone in attendance was fortunate to taste some great BBQ. Sullivan's Foods supplied potato and macaroni salads to complement each tasting. We are hoping more ACL members take the plunge and compete next year.

The Beer Tasting was a huge success with members falling head over heels for Perfect Situation, Lena Brewing's best seller. The BBQ Cook-off concession stand sold out of pulled pork just in time for the tastings to start at 4 pm.

Congratulations to Calvin Stalls of Freeport, and his team Rapped with Smoke, who swept first-place honors in four of the five categories, with hearty cheers to the other two teams, Shawn Livingston and The Show-Me Smokers of Lanark, and Dan Cogan and Smoked By Ten of Galena. All three teams turned in some of the best BBQ many in attendance had ever tasted.

## WINNERS IN THE SMOKE ON THE WATER BBQ COOK-OFF ARE:

### Chicken:

1. Rapped With Smoke
2. The Show-Me Smokers
3. Smoked By Ten

### Ribs:

1. Rapped With Smoke
2. Smoked By Ten
3. The Show-Me Smokers

### Sirloin Tri-Tip Beef Roast:

1. The Show-Me Smokers
2. Rapped with Smoke
3. Smoked By Ten

### Bone-In Pork Shoulder:

1. Rapped with Smoke
2. Smoked By Ten
3. The Show-Me Smokers

### Overall:

1. Rapped with Smoke
2. The Show-Me Smokers
3. Smoked By Ten

A very special thank you to our sponsors: Sullivan's Foods, Pat's Country House Grocery, Scales Mound, Weber's Meats, Cuba City, WI, and AJ's Lena Maid Meats, Lena.

As always, a huge shout-out to our ACL staff, our hardworking volunteers, for their help in setting up and hosting the event, and Tony Carton, editor of *The Scoop Today* for the great coverage and allowing us to use reporter John Day as a judge. Our judges, Recreation Committee Chair Mary Hannon, ACL GM Shaun Nordlie, and *The Scoop Today* reporter John Day had their work cut out for them. It was no easy task choosing the winners.

A special shout-out to Jon Sonntag of the ACL Board of Directors and Recreation Committee for his help in researching what it takes to host a cook-off. I think he nailed it the first time around.



TOP: Cook-off judges Recreation Committee chair Mary Hannon, ACL GM Shaun Nordlie, and *The Scoop Today* reporter John Day judge the chicken samples.



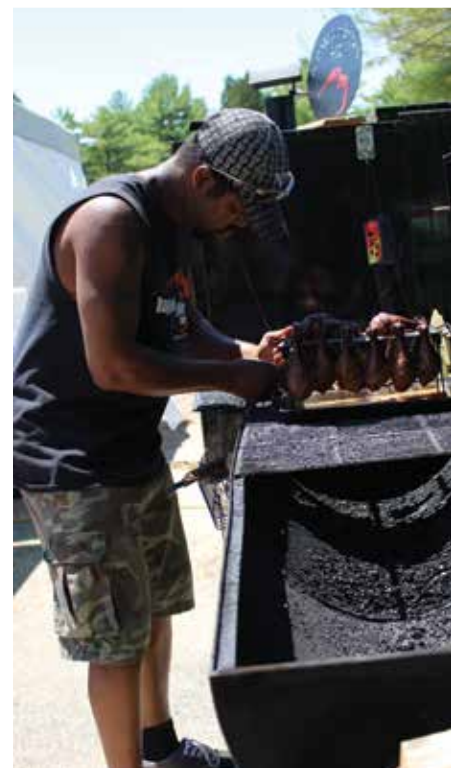
LEFT: Recreation Committee member Lee Causero serves up delicious pulled pork sandwiches during the Smoke on the Water BBQ Cook-off.



Guest to the Cook-off enjoyed the tastings offered by Lena Brewing Company.



BELOW: Calvin Stalls (second from left) and his team Rapped with Smoke received the most honors, winning first place in the Chicken, Ribs, Pork shoulder, and Overall categories.



Calvin Stalls of Rapped in Smoke prepares his entry for the chicken turn-in.



Recreation Committee member LeAnne Killeen works the Rec table during the BBQ Cook-off, Lena Brewing beer tasting, and Firehouse Fitness Open House.



TOP: Dan Cogan and Smoked By Ten made it a fun day for all, and were thrilled about their honors. These guys should have gotten a trophy for their attitudes.



LEFT: The Show-Me Smokers claimed first place honors for their Sirloin Tri-Tip Beef Roast, and second place overall.




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Mark Montgomery and sons Stan and Frank pose in their superhero tees next to a Sweet Pea at Farm Fun Days.

# Jo Daviess Farm Bureau Brings the Farm to ACL

STORY AND PHOTOS BY TIM BROKL

On Saturday, June 23 the Jo Daviess County Farm Bureau and Apple Canyon Lake teamed up to bring Farm Fun Days to the lake. Farming and agriculture are the heart of Jo Daviess County. So, it is always exciting when we can share a little bit of that knowledge with the younger generations!

A variety of stations allowed guests to make their own ice cream and butter, create earth bracelets, cluckers, and trail mix. And the Farm Bureau's petting zoo was a family favorite.

ACL thanks all volunteers for sharing their day with our members. A special thanks to Annette Eggers, Manager, Jo Daviess County Farm Bureau, and the FB's Young Farmers.



This young artist has created her own clucking chicken.



Carmel Cottrell and Steve Tribbey assist at the butter-making table.



Board member Steve Tribbey takes a shot at milking a cow.



One of the Montgomery boys was just as nervous to meet this calf, as the calf was to meet him.



Volunteers Pat Reese and Rosanne Brandenburg lend a helping hand, stringing earth bracelets for these little girls.



Looks like Sweet Pea the cow has made some new friends.



TOP: Volunteer Kirsten Stolpe-Friend helps families make ice cream at Farm Fun Day's most popular table.

TOP LEFT: Volunteers Lee Causero and Edith Casalang help youngsters assemble chicken cluckers. Cluck, cluck, cluck.

RIGHT: These ACL moms assist their daughters at the earth bracelet table.



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The Association has three pontoon boats available for rent on a daily or half-day basis. All reservations must be made by a property owner or authorized guest. Property Owners must contact the Association Office to give their permission for a guest to make a reservation. Property Owners are reminded that they are responsible for the activities of their guests, and any violation of the rules by a guest or the cost of damages in excess of the security deposit will be charged against the Property Owner. All boats will be checked in and out of the Marina. An Amenity Tag must be presented to the Marina staff by the lessee. Each boat has a capacity of ten (10) persons. Ten (10) adult-size life jackets are provided. Lessees must provide their own life jackets for children and infants. Anyone who leaves the boat to access Nixon Beach, the Marina Bay Trail, etc. must have an Amenity Tag.

Effective January 1, 2016, the Illinois Boat Registration & Safety Act has been amended and now requires that any person operating a rental boat submit a valid Boating Safety Certificate or complete an abbreviated safety course prior to operating the watercraft. A copy of a valid Boating Safety Certificate must be provided to the Association Office by the rental boat operator at least 24 hours in advance of the rental, or completion of the abbreviated safety course at the Marina will be required. Rental boat operators taking the safety course must arrive at the Marina at least 30 minutes prior to the rental. Rentals will not be extended if the rental boat operator fails to complete the course prior to rental start time. Anyone taking the abbreviated safety instruction course must provide the Association with a copy of their driver's license and complete course paperwork, per the IDNR Watercraft Rental Safety Policy. Upon completion of the abbreviated course, a completion receipt valid for one year will be issued.

Reservations for rental boats will be accepted during normal Association Office hours in person or by calling 815-492-2238. Reservations should be made at least 24 hours in advance of the rental. Same day reservations can be made at the Marina. When the reservation is made, payment for the rental must be made in full. A credit card used for the Security Deposit will be taken as a guarantee at the time the reservation is made. An authorization of the Security Deposit amount will be placed on the card the week of the rental. If a reservation is being made for the same week, the authorization will be placed at the time the reservation is made. The authorization will be released if the boat is returned in same condition. A \$50 fee will be retained from the security deposit if the boat is returned after hours, the renter fails to have the boat inspected, or the renter fails to refuel the boat. The Association will make every attempt to process releases within 72 hours of the rental completion. Please be advised that the credit card company may not process the release immediately.

Cancellation policy: In the event of severe weather on the day of the rental, the rental amount will be returned to the credit card on which it was paid. If a rental is cancelled for any other reason with less than 24 hours' notice, including no shows, the rental fee will not be refunded. Any rentals cancelled with at least 24 hours' notice will be refunded the rental amount in the form of an ACL Gift Card which can be used at the Association Office, Pro Shop, Pro Shop Bar & Grill, and the Marina. ACL Gift Cards cannot be used at The Cove restaurant.

## MEASURING WATERCRAFT

Association staff must measure any newly registered watercraft with a length of 19' or greater stated on the Watercraft Registration, and any newly registered ATV/UTV to ensure the vehicle is less than 66" in width. Both size restrictions are in accordance with ACL Rules and Regulations, which were amended at the July 15, 2017 Board meeting to clarify how watercraft are measured. If you are considering a new boat or trail vehicle, please pay close attention to the measurements! We had several boats and vehicles registered this summer that were just a hair under the maximum allowed!

### C. Boat Size/Horsepower

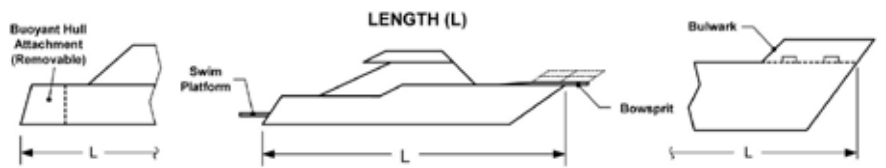
1. Powered boats, with the exception of pontoon boats, shall be no more than 21 ft. in length from bow to stern in length overall (LOA), as measured by the ACL staff. If watercraft registration shows boat length of 19 ft. or greater, boat must be measured prior to registration with ACL.

### Length Overall Defined:

**USCG Enclosure (4) to MTN 01-99 CH5, Tonnage Technical Policy, Simplified Measurement 69.203 Definitions, Page 4:**

OVERALL LENGTH means the horizontal distance between the outboard side of the foremost part of the bow and the outboard side of the aftermost part of the stern, excluding rudders, outboard motor brackets, and other similar fittings and attachments.

Also excluded from length are non-buoyant attachments such as bulwarks, bowsprits, overhanging decks, swim platforms and stern-wheel supports. Buoyant hull structures both fixed and removable are included in the overall length.



2. Pontoon boats shall not exceed 25 ft. as measured from the forward most point of the pontoon(s) to the aft most point of the pontoon(s).
3. Electric powered boats, sailboats or other than power boats shall not exceed 25 ft. in length as measured bow to stern in Length Overall (LOA), as defined above. Motor not included.

For ATVs and UTVs, section XI Motorized Vehicles-Recreational, F. Operation Limitations on operation of All Terrain Vehicles (ATV) and Golf Cart, states: "13. All motorized recreational vehicles shall be 66" or less in overall width."

All measurements will be taken by ACL staff at the Association Office before a decal will be issued. If a property owner is unable to reach the office prior to closing, the office staff will make reasonable arrangements for that property owner to meet with the Safety and Security Department to have the watercraft/vehicle measured and the decal given, provided all paperwork is on file, and the registration fee has been paid in advance. The Safety and Security Department will not accept any paperwork or payments. Please allow extra time for staff to complete these measurements. If the office staff is occupied with other owners, the Safety and Security Department will be called to assist.

## TRASH FACTS

Every lot with a home at ACL is required to pay an annual \$75 Trash Assessment. Other property owners may elect to pay the trash fee and use the Solid Waste/Recycling Center. For each \$75 fee paid, the property owner has a choice of a trash decal sticker or a paper trash pass. Unless the same vehicle is used to drop off trash every time, a paper trash pass is needed. The paper trash pass can be transferred between vehicles or presented if an ATV, UTV, or golf cart is used to drop off trash. Photocopies or photos of the pass are not acceptable and entry to the facility will be denied without a decal sticker of a paper trash pass as issued by the Association. If needed, one additional trash pass (paper or decal) can be purchased for \$10, provided the \$75 fee has already been paid. A total of two passes is allowed per lot. If a pass is lost, the replacement fee for each pass is \$30.

If a member has paid the \$75 Trash Assessment, they are then eligible to purchase Large Item and Electronic Item Disposal Permits. These permits are available at the ACL Office for \$15 each and allow the property owner to dispose of televisions, furniture, large appliances, etc. This is a very handy service as fewer and fewer locations allow the disposal of items such as televisions and old computer monitors.

No hazardous materials can be disposed of at the Center, nor are septic tanks or septic components, tires, or batteries allowed. Building materials cannot be disposed of at the Solid Waste/Recycling Center, the property owner needs to ensure an on-site dumpster is rented for any construction or renovation projects.

Detailed recycling information and a list of items accepted for Large Item and Electronic Item Disposal is included on the Solid Waste/Recycling Hours brochure given to each property owner with their trash pass. If you have any questions or would like to purchase a Trash Pass, please contact the Association Office at (815) 492-2238.

## Yes, you do need a fishing license at Apple Canyon Lake!



There is some confusion about fishing license regulations at Apple Canyon Lake since our lake is private for our property owners' use only. Per the Illinois Department of Natural Resources, exemption from fishing licenses does not apply to club and organizational lakes or lake developments (ILCS 515). Everyone must have a fishing license to fish in Illinois, unless they meet one of the following requirements: being under 16 years of age, an Illinois resident who is disabled or blind, or an Illinois resident on leave from active duty in the Armed Forces. Please keep in mind that if you take your children or grandchildren fishing, you must have a fishing license if you help cast, set hooks, reel in fish, etc. Fishing licenses can be purchased online or at an IDNR terminal such as our own Marina. An annual Resident Fishing License is only \$15. There are several options for non-residents, including daily and weekend licenses. Resident seniors aged 65 and older receive a reduced rate on fishing licenses. Licenses expire on March 31 of each year, new licenses can be purchased starting around the third week of January. For more information, please visit <http://www.ifishillinois.org/FAQS/>



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1. All hunters must fill out an application. Deadline for accepting applications and fee is **July 31, 2018**. Late/incomplete applications will not be accepted.
  - a. Cost \$125 per hunter. Due with application.
  - b. ACL property owners 18 years of age and older only. Must provide proof of age with application.
  - c. If you want to be part of the partner program, please include the partner information.
  - d. Car information must be completed on application.
  - e. Hunting License. Due with application.
  - f. Liability Insurance showing a minimum \$500,000 with ACLPOA listed as an Additional Insured or Additional Interest. (They may use their homeowners, renters or other as long as it's cleared by their agent.) Due with application.
  - g. Hunter Safety Certificate. Due with application.
2. Archery qualifying date – **August 18, 2018; 9am**
3. Mandatory Orientation meeting – **September 8, 2018; 7pm** – Each participant **MUST** attend the orientation meeting.

Deer Management Program Rules & Regulations were amended at the January 19, 2013 Board of Directors meeting. Current copies are available on our website www.applecanyonlake.org or at the Association Office.



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 (When hunting) Year: \_\_\_\_\_ Color: \_\_\_\_\_  
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If you want to participate in the Partner Program, then please fill out the below information.

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 License Number: \_\_\_\_\_

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- ~~Sunday, July 1 ~ Noon in Clubhouse~~
- ~~Sunday, July 8 ~ Noon in Clubhouse~~
- ~~Sunday, July 22 ~ Noon in Clubhouse~~
- Sunday, Aug. 12 ~ Noon in Clubhouse**

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**Identification:** Player(s) must show ID and have valid driver's license to drive golf cart.  
**Restrictions:** Not valid for group outings. All tee times are based on availability.

### participating golf courses

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#### RECIPROCAL GOLF PROGRAM RULES:

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Eagle Ridge, The General, Galena, IL	\$59 (Sun-Thur only)	
Eagle Ridge, North Course, Galena, IL	\$59 (Sun-Thur only)	
Eagle Ridge, South Course, Galena, IL	\$59 (Sun-Thur only)	
Emerald Hill, Sterling, IL	\$22/weekday	\$25 Weekend/holidays
Lake Carroll Golf Course, Lanark, IL	\$20	
Lancaster Country Club, Hazel Green, WI	\$10	\$15
Park Hills, Freeport, IL		\$20 (after 10 am weekends)
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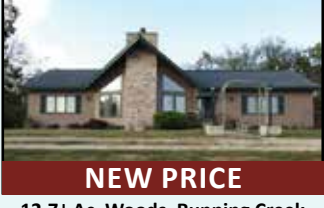
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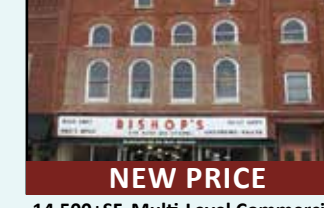
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## CONSERVATION CONVERSATIONS

### THE CARE AND FEEDING OF YOUR SEPTIC SYSTEM

BY PAULA WIENER  
Chair, Conservation Committee

For many of us who didn't grow up in the country, a septic system is a horse of a different color. When one of the Conservation Committee members mentioned doing this article, I was taken aback. An article about septic systems – what would you need that for? You just get them pumped out when the Maintenance Department tells you to, right?

Wrong. Our septic systems require we follow some basic rules if they are to operate efficiently and correctly. Not following these rules can result in system failure or the drain field flooding.

The first thing to remember is everything that goes down your toilet, is ground up in your garbage disposal, poured down your sink, or swished down your shower or bath drain ends up in your septic system. The only thing that should ever be flushed down your toilet is human waste and toilet paper. End of story. Anything else should go into your garbage can.

Your septic system does what it does because it contains a collection of living organisms that digest and treat household waste. Pouring toxins like chemical drain openers, cooking oil, or oil-based paints and solvents down your drain can kill these little guys and harm your system. If your drain is clogged, try using boiling water or a drain snake. Limit or eliminate the use of your garbage disposal as the solids can enter the tank and clog the drain field.

Conserving the amount of water your household uses improves the operation of your system and reduces the risk of failure. According to the EPA, the average single-family household uses 70 gallons of water per person per day. To reduce usage the EPA suggests installing a high-efficiency toilet when it's time to replace the old one. Switching out your showerheads to high-efficiency models is another way to conserve water. Using the proper load-size cycle on your washing machine as well as spreading your washing machine use throughout the week makes a big difference, too. Doing too many loads of laundry in one day can harm your system, not allow the tank sufficient time to treat the waste and may flood your drain field. A good rule is no more than two loads per day.

There are septic tank additives on the market. You might be tempted to use one to give your system a "boost". Don't. They usually do not help and some of these products can actually be harmful to your system.

Finally, your drain field should only have a grass cover. Grass will prevent erosion and help remove excess water. Roots from certain types of trees and shrubs can find their way into the drain field, clogging or damaging it. And don't drive or park over your septic system.

Well, there you go – the basics for the care and feeding of your septic system. Hope you learned as much as I did writing this article.



### JDCF Native American Heritage Sites: Not-to-be-Missed Destinations for Residents and Visitors of Apple Canyon Lake

BY KAY WEIBEL

Thousands of years before the Brannigar organization saw the potential for a recreational resort community near the Apple River, the lands along the Mississippi's tributaries were the summer camp communities of Native peoples. Today, we boat, hunt, fish and hike the trails there for fun. Ancestors of Native American tribal groups such as the Ho-Chunk, Ioway, Lakota, and Winnebago, to name a few, did so for survival. These peoples populated North America for thousands of years before Christopher Columbus discovered the new world. Though they didn't leave a written record, they left a record of their life in the earth.. The evidence of their heritage — mounds, village remnants, effigies — is all around Jo Daviess County, on properties owned and conserved by the Jo Daviess Conservation Foundation (JDCF), and open to the public for free.

At a potluck and program on Tuesday, July 10, JDCF's executive director, Steve Barg, will be talking about these sites — the ancient peoples who lived here and the connections that JDCF is making to modern-day tribal groups who trace their heritage to these sites. This speaker event is being held at the Galena Cellars Vineyard, 4746 N. Ford Road, just north of the Galena Territory.

Among JDCF Native American Heritage sites already open to the public are Casper Bluff Land and Water Reserve, south of Galena and Wapello Land and Water Reserve, near Hanover. Casper Bluff features linear and conical mounds and an effigy mound in the shape of the mythical "thunderbird." There are also walking trails and commanding views of the Mississippi River and its backwater sloughs. Wapello's ancient cultures left behind mounds as well as footprints of villages and artifacts which indicate they traded with other peoples throughout the North American mainland. Today, Wapello's walking trails wind through one of the premier prairie restorations in the Midwest.

At select events, JDCF has begun introducing the public to its newest heritage site, Portage Preserve, located on a 4th-generation farm near Galena. In May, Chloris Lowe, past-president of the Ho-Chunk nation, and archaeologist and Galena-native Phil Millhouse led a two-mile interpretive walk of the property to woodlands and a line of mounds, some 6 feet high, sloping toward an overlook of the Mississippi. "We celebrate centennial 4th-generation farms," said Steve Barg, "and we should." "Chloris's people go back twelve to fifteen thousand years. Surely they are worth celebrating too."

Steve will talk about the steps that JDCF is taking to include the leadership of the Ho-Chunk in plans to conserve and use Portage, a strategy which Albert LeBeau, the cultural resources manager at Effigy Mounds National Monument in Iowa, praises. Albert is an archaeologist and member of the Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe. "JDCF wants to be able to tell the story of these places," he said, "and telling it correctly can't be done without bringing in tribal partners." "We want to work with tribal descendants to best preserve and care for these sites in ways that will honor both their heritage and our mission," Steve said. JDCF's mission is to preserve land for the lasting well-being of people and wildlife.

This speaker event starts with a potluck at 5:30, and everyone is welcome. Please bring a dish to pass and your own table service. Beer and wine will be available for purchase. If attending just the talk, arrive shortly before 7 pm. JDCF is grateful to Apple River State Bank/First Community Bank of Galena for sponsoring this event and to Galena Cellars Winery and Vineyard for hosting it. For more information, go to [www.jdcf.org](http://www.jdcf.org).

### Natural Land Institute and Jo Daviess Conservation Foundation release Soil Health and Water Quality Survey

The Natural Land Institute and Jo Daviess Conservation Foundation announce the immediate release of the *Soil Health and Water Quality Survey*, enabling citizens in the region to provide feedback on the creation of a Strategic Land and Water Plan for Northwest Illinois.

The goal of the plan is to strengthen the vibrant communities, high-quality water resources, natural areas, and thriving farms of the region. It aims to identify opportunities and tools for conservation groups and landowners to work together to find win-win solutions that benefit landowners while protecting land and water for future generations and meeting the goal of the Illinois Nutrient Loss Reduction Strategy along the way.

The *Soil Health and Water Quality Survey* is a reflection of Natural Land Institute's and Jo Daviess Conservation Foundation's commitment to the needs of the agricultural community, conservation, and residents of our region. The survey is available at [www.surveymonkey.com/r/NW\\_IL\\_LandandWater](http://www.surveymonkey.com/r/NW_IL_LandandWater).

For 60 years, Natural Land Institute has helped residents of northern Illinois conserve the land they cherish. The Jo Daviess Conservation Foundation was founded in 1993 and works to preserve land for the lasting well-being of people and wildlife.

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# What's new with 'What's Trump?'

BY MARY BEHAN, TEAM CAPTAIN

On May 30<sup>th</sup>, past and present members of "What's Trump?", Apple Canyon Lake's local Relay for Life team, treated Pat Volpert, retiring team captain, to lunch at Stella's in Stockton. We reminisced and laughed about events surrounding past team events and presented her with a gift that is a symbol of the hard work and team effort while Pat was the lead. "What's Trump?" was formed by Pat and the late Laura Turek and has been active in holding fundraising events here at the lake for about 15 years. Pat and her husband John have moved to Huntley and will be much closer to family. They will be greatly missed.

On June 9<sup>th</sup> we participated in the Carroll/Jo Daviess County Relay for Life end of year Rally held at the Church of God in Mount Carroll. This year's theme was "All Aboard...help fight Cancer!" About nine teams attended as well as many local residents, and we enjoyed games, walking the track, silent auction, delicious food and the night ended with a luminaria ceremony where over 400 names were read of those that are currently fighting and those that have lost the cancer battle.

Our team was very proud to be able to donate around \$8500 that night while the overall rally raised just over \$40,000 for the American Cancer Fund. We are very proud and grateful for all the support and donations that our fellow lake residents and the nearby communities have shown us over the years and we intend to continue to follow in Pat and Laura's footsteps.

Watch *The Apple Core* for news about our next dinner, scheduled for October 27; mark your calendars now!



"What's Trump?" Relay for Life team members gather to wish retiring team captain Pat Volpert a fond farewell. Front, from left: Tina Miranda, Deb Laethem, Pat Reese, Pat Volpert, Sharon Webster, Virginia Ozga, Kathy Makar. Back, from left: Carol Horist, Rosanne Brandenburg, Mary Behan, Lee Causero, Nancy Winter.



"What's Trump?" team members walk with other survivors at the Mount Carroll Relay for Life event.



Fab fundraisers and survivors include, from left: Bob Laethem, Deb Laethem, Vickie Sershon, Lee Causero, and Virginia Ozga.



"What's Trump?" earned Platinum Team status. From left: Lee Causero, Bob Laethem, Deb Laethem, Virginia Ozga, Pat Reese, Mary Behan, Vickie Sershon, and Sharon Webster.

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# Try SCUBA makes a splash at ACL

On Saturday, June 23 Breezeway Bubbles SCUBA LLC, of Madison, Wisconsin, provided SCUBA gear and an instructor so our property owners and their guests could try SCUBA diving in a controlled environment – more specifically the ACL swimming pool.

SCUBA students learned the basics of diving and worked on their buoyancy.



This excited group of future divers gets their gear ready to go.



Getting familiar with the regulator.



ABOVE: Submerged.



RIGHT: SCUBA students get used to their masks and fins, and the weight of their buoyancy compensators and tanks.



From left: Kathy Reich, Peg Bainbridge, and Geri Hendren, members of the Nimble Thimbles Quilt Group, display fidget quilts the group made for area memory care units.

## Nimble Thimbles Quilt Group Creates and Donates Fidget Quilts

BY GERI GENDREN

This year, the Nimble Thimble Quilt Group chose to make and donate “fidget quilts” for the annual service project during their monthly meetings.

The group constructed the quilts by using 8 1/2” squares, decorating the squares with buttons, beads on a ribbon, pockets with zippers, and pockets with things stuffed inside of them. A total of 10 quilts were completed and delivered to the Memory Care Unit at Lena Living Center.

These quilts are used in the memory care units as a calming tool for anxious patients. Patients zip zippers, button buttons, and tuck items in pockets. All items are attached to a ribbon, so the patient does not lose the items and can stuff them back into the pockets.

The Nimble Thimbles meet the second Wednesday monthly at the clubhouse from 9 am until noon. All are welcome.

More information about fidget quilts can be found online at Bethesda Health.



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# Members' Lens



Mike Minet shared this photo of a fox cub coming out of its den. Mama was nearby, watching. The photo was taken by Fortune Minet.



Our members love seeing hot air balloons grace the skies over the lake. This shot was taken and shared by George Drogosz.



Sandy Kooistra submitted this photo of her brother-in-law Phil and great-nephew Henry, during their recent visit to the lake. This is what Apple Canyon Lake is all about!



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Jon Pick submitted this great shot of his family celebrating the sunset from "the rock". Gorgeous photo!

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Pick up membership forms at the Association office lobby, or at <https://bit.ly/2J1ZFli>. The Fitness Center is not staffed, although staff will be walking through routinely throughout the day. Please be respectful of other users; the buddy system is encouraged.

For more information call Cindy at 815-492-2769 or email [cindy.carton@applecanyonlake.org](mailto:cindy.carton@applecanyonlake.org).



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Firehouse Fitness members must sign in and have Amenity Tags.

Property Owners' Guests are welcome but must "join" by completing Membership and Waiver form prior to use.

This facility is not supervised. Use of the equipment is the responsibility of the member.

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No one under 16 allowed without parent or guardian.

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- Second Place:** .....Matt Runge – Jake Siara .....12.40#
- Third Place:** ..... Rob Krzeminski – Fred Folmer .....10.96#
- Fourth Place:** .....Leroy & Thad Krippendorf .....10.53#
- Big Bass:** .....Chris Marek – Steve Wiskerchen .....4.22#
- Number of Boats:** .....31
- Number of Limits:** .....5
- Number of Fish Weighed:** .....74
- Total Weight:** .....170.34#
- Average Weight:** .....2.302#

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**22 July, 6 am – 2 pm**  
**26 August, 6:30 – 2:30 pm**  
**16 September, 7 am – 3 pm**  
**Buddy Classic October 6 & 7, 7:30 am – 3:30 pm**

## FISH TALES



Alex Cullen caught this beautiful bass on May 30. The location and bait will remain a secret.

**BELOW:** Bruce Wuebben submitted evidence of a successful fishing excursion. He and Cindy Sikenger brought in the motherload on June 6. Between the two of them, they caught 49 good sized bluegill and 2 bass.



BUDDY CLASSIC STANDINGS					
PL.	TEAM	4/22/18	5/20/18	6/24/18	TOTAL
1	Randall/Skorupski	13.78	11.96	4.63	30.37
2	Heller/Calow	7.86	15.14	4.73	27.73
3	Sargent/Eveland	11.58	10.76	4.99	27.33
4	Krzeminski/Folmer	6.87	8.16	10.96	25.99
5	D Hastert/ F Staver	4.17	10.18	10.49	24.84
6	Krippendorf	0.00	13.89	10.53	24.42
7	Baker/Evans	0.00	11.21	12.64	23.85
8	Popp/Webster	7.74	9.36	6.44	23.54
9	Runge/Siara	10.37	0.00	12.40	22.77
10	Reifsteck/Hoover	9.25	7.82	3.32	20.39
11	Sneath/Buckman	0.00	11.63	8.37	20.00
12	Miller/House	3.44	10.45	5.98	19.87
13	Marek/Wiskerchen	0.00	12.72	6.54	19.26
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22	Olivotti/Olivotti	2.93	9.56	0.00	12.49
23	B Ballenger/Maness	0.00	11.11	0.00	11.11
24	Kenton Evans	0.00	6.60	4.50	11.10
25	Tidei/Amodio	0.00	10.47	0.00	10.47
26	Reeverts/D'Agostin	0.00	10.08	0.00	10.08
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28	Pillard/Pillard	0.00	7.90	0.00	7.90
29	Winslow/Steger	0.00	2.76	4.79	7.55
30	Loete/Loete	0.00	2.70	2.74	5.44
31	Anderson/Anderson	0.00	4.47	0.00	4.47
32	Ernst/Ernst	3.05	0.00	0.00	3.05
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# APPLE TREE GENEALOGY: RESEARCH. STORIES. QUESTIONS.

## California Melting Pot — Brokl Family

— RESEARCH, STORIES, QUESTIONS — BY ROGER HIGGS, APPLE CANYON LAKE RESIDENT

BY ROGER HIGGS, ACL RESIDENT

*This column is meant to be helpful in a small way to Apple Canyon Lake residents who have an interest in genealogical research and who may have problems or stories to share*



Tim Brokl, Communications Administrative Assistant at ACL claims an ethnicity of “far-flung” ethnic locations - Czechoslovakia, Italy, Mexico and Ireland - who converged in Southern California in the 1940’s. They were no doubt attracted to California for various job opportunities including WWII War efforts, the military and others.

Tim Brokl lives in Elizabeth. He was born in San Bernadino, CA; but he does not remember California. He lived from age 3-13 in Burkburnett, TX. Tim compares the north Texas area to Jo Daviess County. Later, he moved with his parents to Las Vegas, where he completed his college degree at the College of Southern Nevada.

The parents of Tim Brokl of Apple Canyon Lake were Tim S. Brokl, Sr. and Ann Marie Rameriz, born 1963 in Albuquerque, NM, but lived in Buffalo, NY. Tim S. Brokl, born 1961 is the great-great grandson of Thomas Brokl (1839-1914) who was born in Czechoslovakia. Ann Marie Rameriz is the granddaughter of Emilio



Frank Rameriz who was born in 1904 in Mexico and became a steel worker in Buffalo, NY. Emilio came to the U.S.A. at the age of 12, after his parents were lost in a Civil War in Mexico. He moved from job to job in the states, before he ended up in Buffalo where he married Helen Domico.

The parents of Ann Marie Rameriz (b. 1963) were Emilio Peter Rameriz (1938-2017) and Laura Lee Nappo (1941-2017). The grandparents of Laura Lee Nappo were Carmen Nappo (b. 1875 in Naples, Italy) and Frances Boccia (b. 1881, Naples, Italy). When Ann Marie was eight years old in 1971, the family of Emilio Frank Rameriz moved to California.

Carmen Nappo was a chipper in a Buffalo steel mill. Carmen Nappo immigrated from Naples

to New York City in 1902. His wife, Frances Boccia, immigrated from Napoli (Naples) in 1911 to New York City.

Louis Anthony Nappo, Sr. (1915-2008) and his wife, Antionette (1919-1976) were the parents of Laura Lee Nappo [grandmother of Tim Brokl]. Louis Nappo, Sr., was a steel worker who worked on tall buildings. He survived one fall of several stories. Also, his son, Louis II and grandson, Louis, III were steel workers in Buffalo. Louis III died in a fall at the age of 22.

Antionette (Russo) Nappo, wife of Louis Nappo, Sr. had a popular catering business. Her funeral and visitation were attended by over 1,000 people; including many dignitaries.

One grandmother of Tim Brokl of ACL is Donna Kathryn (Athey) Brokl who was the wife of Stanley Brokl (b. 1941 McLeod, MN). Donna Athey (1943-1997, Los Angeles, CA) is the daughter of Don Athey (b. 1914, Blairsburg, IA, d. 1962, Los Angeles).

Don Athey (1914-1962) is the 18x great-grandson of John de Athey who was born in 1275 A.D., Loughrea, Galway, Ireland and died in 1346, Galway, Ireland.

The Athey family of Galway were an Anglo-Norman family and credited with being the first to erect a stone building in Galway City in the 13<sup>th</sup> Century. They went on to become one of the 14 tribes of Galway and erected several castles and great houses over the centuries. The family survived in Galway up to the middle of the 20<sup>th</sup> Century.

The first of the line was Gerard de Athee, who was born in France at Athee Sur Cher. Gerard became a very well-known Knight and military leader for Richard the Lionhearted, King of England. He was the Castilion of Chinone castle in France for King Richard. He and his son Engeldard of Cigogne are mentioned in the Magna Carta, which was signed by King John in 1215. Engeldard of Cigogne adopted Athee as his surname. In the early 1300’s his descendants migrated to Ireland and Athee became Athy.

No records exist for Galway prior to the date of the Anglo-Norman invasion; among the earliest preserved the name Athy appears as a leading family in that city.

It was the 6x great-grandfather of Don Athey (1914-1962) named Captain George Athey, who came to Prince Georges County, MD between 1642 and 1709 A.D. The Athey forebears lived in Galway, Ireland from circa 1275 A.D. and circa 1675 A.D. In 1615, Frances Athey lived in the Galway Castle. In the 1800’s, Judson Athey, Sr. moved from West Virginia to Benton County, IA. James Washington Athey (1829-1925) was the son of Judson Athey. James Washington Athey owned three farms near Blairsburg, IA. James had two wives and 12 children. The eleventh child was Roy Athey who moved to California in the mid-1900’s.

As stated earlier, Thomas Brokl (1839-1914) was born in Czechoslovakia (Bohemia). He immigrated in 1884 to Hopkins, MN. His wife, Katerina Makavsky (1836-1917) was also born in Czechoslovakia. They were married in the U.S. in 1867. Their son, Joseph Brokl (1870-1934, Minnesota) immigrated in 1884. He married Katherine Buresh (1871-1941) who was born in Cresco, IA. (There were major Czech communities in Iowa and Minnesota.) Arnold Stanislaw (Stanley) Brokl (1913-1959) is the great-grandfather of Tim Brokl of ACL. Arnold left Minnesota in the 1940’s for the West Coast of the U.S.A. He was a machinist in Menlo Park, CA in 1944 during WWII. He was a car inspector in Eugene, OR in 1946-1951. Later, he worked in Los Angeles County, CA. He was known to have worked for Lockheed Martin Aircraft in Burbank, CA. This author has speculated that he may have worked in some classified aircraft projects with Lockheed Martin as they developed the U-2 spy plane, the Blackbird spy plane and the Stealth bombers which were invisible on radar. This is pure speculation. However, these workers worked in secret and the families may never know.

Florene (Jones) Athey is the great-grandmother of Tim Brokl of ACL. Florene Jones (1931-2011) married Don Athey in California. Florene was born in Wellington, KS. Her parents were Gustafus A. Jones (1885-1966) and Mattie D. Ford (1897-1979) who lived their lifetime in Wellington, Summer County, Kansas.

So, several family representatives of the Brokl, Athey, Jones, Rameriz and Nappo families converged on Southern California in the 1940’s. They are the forebears of Tim Brokl of Apple Canyon Lake.

Family genealogy is more than the knowledge of ancestors for Tim Brokl. There are family traditions and particularly family food traditions from the Italian (Nappo) side of the family. Tim has become adept at making gnocchi (Italian dumplings) and particularly during the holidays. He learned from his grandmother and mother not only how to make gnocchi but also how to make Grandma’s Italian tomato sauce.

To this writer, this family tree illustrated two major genealogical points: (1) people move to areas of job opportunity and (2) America has been a great “melting pot: of people of various ethnic groups.

Tim Brokl of Elizabeth has returned to the Midwest where several of his forebears lived. Tim enjoys this area as it reminds him of growing up in northern Texas.



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As an added highlight to the dedication, Billy Spivey stopped by boat and played "Amazing Grace" on his bagpipes. There were a lot of tears of joy! Thank you, Uncle John and Billy.



# LETTER TO THE EDITOR

NEWMAN

A special thank you to Good Samaritans Bob and Tina Klemmer. We were at the end of a long bike ride on the Sunday of Memorial Day weekend and making a final rest stop at ACL and Lake Road #1. It was very hot that day and Bob and Tina stopped to make sure we were doing ok. They ended up giving Eileen a ride home the last couple of miles as her leg was cramping up and she would have had trouble finishing the ride.

What great neighbors - thanks again Bob and Tina!

John and Eileen Newman  
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**\$30 includes all supplies needed to carve & customize your own comfort bird.**

Advance registration & payment required.



Marie McDonough of Marie's Wood Carvings, Stockton, IL will lead the class.



Get registration forms at the Office, Marina, or [www.applecanyonlake.org/programs/recreation-events](http://www.applecanyonlake.org/programs/recreation-events). Call 815-492-2769 for more information.

**UPCOMING EVENTS**



**PLEASE JOIN US!**

July 13th, 1:00 - 3:00  
At the Apple Canyon Lake Clubhouse  
for

**A SPECIAL NATURE LOVER'S EVENT**

Local Authors and Illustrator  
Mark and Sharen Mellicker of  
**Nature Lover Books**

Invite you to a book reading and  
to check out our series of nature books.

Purchases can be made at the event with  
cash, check or credit.

**HOPE TO SEE YOU AT  
THE CLUBHOUSE!**

**Nature Lover Books**  
Walking With Bigfoot Series  
Tree Guide, Bird Guide, Mammal Guide  
and Activity Book

Hike along with the Bigfoot family as they introduce young readers to nature and the great North American outdoors. We are Mark and Sharen Mellicker and yes, we are nature lovers! We currently live on a farm in Jo Daviess County, IL. We're inspired to head for the wilderness to camp, hike, and enjoy nature whenever possible. We hope our books will inspire children to also develop an interest in and love for nature. We research and write the stories together. Sharen, a retired elementary art teacher, enjoys illustrating the books using mixed media. This collage of watercolor, torn paper, color pencil and marker creates colorful and eye catching images kids will love! Let's get kids back to nature.




**Book Order Form**  
Check our website for more information  
about the books: [www.natureloverbooks.com](http://www.natureloverbooks.com)

Name : \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone Number : \_\_\_\_\_

Tree Guide - Quantity \_\_\_\_\_ Price \$15.00 each Total \_\_\_\_\_  
Bird Guide - Quantity \_\_\_\_\_ Price \$17.00 each Total \_\_\_\_\_  
Mammal Guide - Quantity \_\_\_\_\_ Price \$17.00 each Total \_\_\_\_\_  
Activity Book - Quantity \_\_\_\_\_ Price \$5.00 each Total \_\_\_\_\_

**Package Deals:**  
(Any 2 guide books - \$30.00) (Any 3 guide books - \$45.00)  
Checks made out to: Nature Lover Books. Cash or credit also accepted at the event.  
Online orders at: [Walkingwithbigfoot.com](http://Walkingwithbigfoot.com) or [natureloverbooks.com](http://natureloverbooks.com)



**Canyon Club Prairie Talk**

July 14 at 2 pm  
14A105 Deer Run Lane

The ACL Conservation Committee invites you  
to an informal prairie talk by Roger Higgs

Join us and learn about native prairie plantings.

*Canceled if raining.*

**Canoe Battleship  
at the Beach**

Saturday, July 14, 4 pm  
Nixon Beach

Teams of 4 will battle it out using buckets and shields  
to defend their ship and sink opposing teams.



**\$20 per team**  
**1st place prize \$100**



Pre-register by Friday, July 13  
Limited to 18 teams

image courtesy of  
The University of Utah

For Property Owners & their guests. Must have Amenity Tags.  
Register & see rules at [AppleCanyonLake.org/Battleship](http://AppleCanyonLake.org/Battleship)

**Canoe Battleship at the Beach**  
Saturday, July 14, 2018 – start time is 4:00 pm

Teams of 4 will battle it out using buckets and shields  
to defend their ship and sink opposing teams.

**Registration Fees:** \$20 per team. (Team includes 4 people, register by Thursday, July 12)

**Check in:** Saturday, July 14, 3:30 – 4:00 pm at Nixon Beach

**Please note:** Property Owners and their guests must wear amenity tags.

SUBMIT BOTTOM PORTION ONLY - KEEP TOP FOR IMPORTANT FAQs (more on back).

**Apple Canyon Lake Canoe Battleship at the Beach**  
Saturday, July 14, 2018 – Start time is 4:00 pm

Team Captain (person filling out form): \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone# \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
Lot # \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Team Member 2 \_\_\_\_\_  
Team Member 3 \_\_\_\_\_  
Team Member 4 \_\_\_\_\_

Total paid \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Check # \_\_\_\_\_

WAIVER: In consideration of being permitted to participate in this event, I hereby for myself, my heirs, and personal representatives assume any and all risks which might be associated with the event. I further waive, release, discharge and covenant not to sue ACLPOA, it's officers, employees, sponsors, organizers, volunteers, or other representatives, or their successors and assigns, for any and all injuries or damage of any kind whatsoever suffered as a result of taking part in the event or related activities. I also agree to the use of any photo, film, or videotape of event for any purpose.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Parent/Guardian's signature for participants under 18)

Checks payable to ACLPOA. Mail registration & entry fee(s) to: ACLPOA, 14A157 Canyon Club Dr., Apple River, IL 61001



**Open Air  
Concert**

Saturday, July 14, 2018  
7 - 10:30 pm  
**NIXON BEACH**



**w/FREE FALL**  
*Back by popular demand!*

**\$5 PER PERSON SUGGESTED DONATION**  
**If it STORMS, we move to the clubhouse!**


**Property owners and their guests only.**  
**Must have Amenity Tags**

UPCOMING EVENTS

Apple Canyon Lake PRESENTS **1-2-3**  
**Emotions and Me**  
**A Children's Summer Workshop**  
 July 16, 18, & 20 from 10 -11:15 am  
 ACL Clubhouse

ACL is pleased to present an interactive workshop for children ages 6-10 (+ one adult per child) designed to raise awareness of emotions in your child, increase empathy for others, and develop self-management skills. You and your child will learn fun heart-focused techniques to support and promote positive internal feelings. Workshops include singing, interactive games, a craft and educational content. Invest in your child's future, outfit your child with skills designed to support them for a lifetime. To register call 815-492-2769 or download form at [www.applecanyonlake.org/programs/events](http://www.applecanyonlake.org/programs/events). Cost: \$59 per person for all 3 sessions. Space is limited to 10 child/adult pairs.

- Develop skills to cope with negative or stressful emotions.
- Strengthen awareness, experience and expression of positive feelings.
- Build resilience, encourage self-control and self-management skills.



This children's class incorporates adult/child participation. Each child must be accompanied by an adult. One child per adult please. Instructor Loraine McIntyre is with Harmony Factor, and is a Certified HeartMath HREV Practitioner, Stress Management and Biofeedback Specialist with over 17 years of experience leading small groups including children.



**JULY 21, 2018**

No cost to party with us! T-shirts for sale w/\$10 donation

Pool Party: 10 am - 8 pm  
 Silent Auctions: 10 am - 3:30 pm  
 Josh the Otter story hour: 11 am  
 Dress up for a Splash: Noon; Plunge for a Splash to follow "Be the Match" Bone Marrow Registry: 1 - 3 pm  
 Blaum Bros Tasting: 12 - 3 pm

American Cancer Society logo

Open to members & their guests (Amenity Tags required for pool access)

Cash donations accepted at entry for "What's Trump" Relay for Life. Call 815-492-0090 or email [julie.janssen@applecanyonlake.org](mailto:julie.janssen@applecanyonlake.org) for more info.

**trail trekker 5k color run/walk**



Save The Date!

Apple Canyon Lake

**saturday, july 28, 7:30 am**

Registration/info at [www.AppleCanyonLake.org/tt5k](http://www.AppleCanyonLake.org/tt5k)

Our scenic course winds around Marina Trail to the Harold Bathum Walking Trail, follows Hell's Branch Creek, and returns the same way.

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ENTRY FEES THRU JULY 15  
 \$20 Ages 13 & over (\$25 after 7/15)  
 \$10 Kids 12 & under (\$15 after 7/15)

Registration fee includes: sunglasses, color pack, race bag, & t-shirt!  
 Cannot guarantee t-shirt for post 7/15 registrants.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED! Volunteer with event and receive Trail Trekker Volunteer t-shirt!  
 Call Cindy at 815-492-2769 or email [cindy.carton@applecanyonlake.org](mailto:cindy.carton@applecanyonlake.org)

All welcome - you do not have to be a Property Owner!  
 CALL 815.492.2769 FOR SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

\$200 Golden Apple Company/Organization logo displayed on event posters, t-shirts. Exhibitor booth space included for Color Run and concert that evening.	\$150 Red Apple Company/Organization logo displayed on event posters and t-shirts.
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SPONSORSHIP DEADLINE IS JULY 8, 2018

**PECATONICA**  
 BEER COMPANY

**Pecatonica Beer Tasting**  
**Saturday, July 28**  
**12 - 3 pm**

At the old firehouse, near the clubhouse.

**Featuring Pecatonica Beers paired with local cheeses!**



Try Muskelager!



**ACL Youth Archery Day**  
 Hosted by the Deer Management Committee  
**Saturday, August 4**  
**9 - noon, at the Quarry**  
 (N. Apple Canyon Rd, east of Eagle Feather Ct.)  
 Bring bows or other equipment if you have some.

Please join us, no prior experience or equipment necessary!



The Deer Management Committee would like to invite all property owners, their children, grandchildren, and guests to participate in YOUTH ARCHERY DAY.

(Please wear your Amenity Tag.)

*This program is still in its growing stages. We appreciate equipment donations of any kind. Call Jim if you have anything to donate at 815-492-0018.*

**Venetian Night**  
**Saturday, August 4**  
**8 - 9:30 pm**

Meet at Nixon Beach; we will start the parade around the lake at 8 pm.

Get creative with your theme!  
 The more lights the better; help us light up the night sky!

Everyone is welcome.  
 No cost to enter!



**UPCOMING EVENTS**

**Apple Canyon Lake**

**DRONE WARS**

**SAT. AUG. 11, 9AM**

**AT THE HAROLD BATHUM WALKING TRAIL**

Deadline to register: **8/10**

Pilots will have to navigate their drone through our obstacle course faster than their opponents. Anyone may participate, we encourage teens to challenge their peers!

**\$10 to enter - Must have own drone**  
Open to Property Owners & their guests. Must have Amenity tags.

Winner will receive a cash prize based on the number of participants!

Register at the office or download a registration form at [www.applecanyonlake.org/programs/events](http://www.applecanyonlake.org/programs/events)

Apple Canyon Lake

**Big Cup Tournament & Cook out**

OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

**August 18, 2018**  
(Rain date Aug 19)

Call for tee times, 815-492-2477

\$45 includes 9 holes of golf, green fees, cart & meal  
\$10 meal only (non golfers welcome)

Serving from 11 am - 6 pm  
Replay for additional \$20

50/50 & Silent auction  
Drawings at 5:30 pm

Golf Committee Fundraiser for course improvements  
Other Golf Committee funded projects include:  
Bar, HDTV, tee stones, welcome stone, hole flags & other improvements

For more info, call the Pro Shop  
Or email: [golf@applecanyonlake.org](mailto:golf@applecanyonlake.org)

**Apple Canyon Lake's 40th Annual**

**Ice Cream Social & Craft Fair**

**Sunday, Sept 2**  
10 am - 4 pm

**Apple Canyon Lake Clubhouse**

**LUNCH STAND FEATURES:**  
**BBQ, grilled hot dogs, chips, soda, and delicious desserts!**

**Crafters Wanted!**  
Call 815-492-2769  
or get application at [www.applecanyonlake.org](http://www.applecanyonlake.org)

Apple Canyon Lake

**Property Owners' Tournament**

Open to ACL Property Owners Only

**Sept 15 & 16, 2018**  
(Rain date Sept 29 & 30)  
**TEE OFF AT 9 AM**  
Registration from **8-8:30 am**  
**Saturday, Sept 15**  
Awards at completion of play.


Handicap determined by first day of play.  
Tournament will be flighted for the final round of play.

\$20 Season Pass Holders  
\$40 Non-Season Pass Holders

Sign up at the Pro Shop or email [golf@applecanyonlake.org](mailto:golf@applecanyonlake.org).  
Call 815-492-2477 for more information.

**HIGHLAND COMMUNITY COLLEGE**  
Lifelong Learning

**Cleaning, Preparing & Eating Fish**



Instructor: Tim Hood  
Date(s): Thursday, September 27  
Time(s): 6:00-8:00 PM  
Location: Apple Canyon Lake Prop Owner's Club  
[highland.edu/lifelong](http://highland.edu/lifelong)  
815.599.3403

Description: How to clean and prepare fish will be demonstrated. Attendees will be treated to tasting fried fish!

About the Instructor: Tim is the President of Highland Community College. He is an avid fisherman and has received numerous accolades on his various fish preparing techniques.

Course Registration No. 3790      Course Fee \$ 20

How to Register

1. Register online at [highland.edu/lifelong](http://highland.edu/lifelong), click Register Now, for credit card registration.
2. Print out and complete the registration form found at [highland.edu/lifelong](http://highland.edu/lifelong). Enclose your personal check for payment and mail to: Highland Community College, c/o Admission, 2998 W. Pearl City Rd., Freeport, IL 61032.
3. Fax the registration form to 815.235.6130 and admissions staff will call you to process your credit card payment over the phone.
4. Register by visiting the Admissions Office on the second floor of the Student/Conference Center (Bldg. H) on the Highland campus and make payment in person.

We dare you to Brave the Bathum &

**WALK THE HAUNTED TRAIL**



**Park & board the bus at Nixon Beach**

For members & their guests. Amenity tags/parking sticker required.

**Saturday, October 20**  
**7 - 10 pm** (last bus leaves at 9:15)  
**COME IN COSTUME, FLASHLIGHTS SUGGESTED!**  
**\$10 - adults, \$5 - 12 & under**  
(under 3 free, but remember - it's a haunted trail!)  
Sorry, no pets - they could end up as a tasty morsel for our monsters!

Face painting, glow sticks, & light concessions available for purchase.

**VOLUNTEERS WANTED**  
Email [Killeen5minus3@hotmail.com](mailto:Killeen5minus3@hotmail.com) to help haunt!