

The

Chain Letter

Pike Lake Chain Lakes Association, Inc.

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UPCOMING EVENTS

- ◆ FUN DAY: Sunday, September 6th
Noon-6:00 PM - Pike Lake Fire Hall
- ◆ Adopt-a-Highway Cleanup:
Saturday, October 17th - 9:00 AM



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FROM THE PRESIDENT (SUMMER UPDATE)

Every now and then someone will ask, "What is the Lake Association doing?" My response to that question is the following.

Board Members and/or Association Volunteers...

- ◆ Monitor and maintain two life jacket stations and three fishing line recycling tubes found at our boat ramps.
- ◆ Seek out and remove invasive plants from our shorelines.
- ◆ Welcome new residents to our community and present them with valuable information about our chain of lakes and the purpose of our Lake Association.
- ◆ Conduct monthly water tests on all 4 lakes to ensure they are healthy. The test results are sent to the DNR for further evaluation.
- ◆ Maintain and brush the many multi-purpose hiking trails and the north side of Round Lake. This summer, volunteers will install \$700 of new signage purchased by our Association.
- ◆ Pick up litter on 2.5 miles of Hwy 70 in the spring and fall as part of the Adopt-a-Highway program.
- ◆ Offered 2 educational listening sessions to gain the thoughts of community members on two relevant topics: invasive species and wake boats.
- ◆ Maintain and update our Facebook page and website with important information to keep all community members informed.
- ◆ Maintain an educational resource center/library in the Fire Hall for community members to use.
- ◆ Are currently working on creating a second edition history book on the many organizations found in our community such as Firefighters, Inc., the Fire Department, and the Lake Association.
- ◆ Are exploring ways to work with the DNR, and possibly Walleyes For Tomorrow, to increase the number of adult walleyes in our waters.
- ◆ Travel with DNR and Forest Service teams when they set fyke nets in the spring and shock in the fall to observe these activities.
- ◆ Monitor and replace, if necessary, Lake Association signage at the boat landings and on the Thorofare bridge.
- ◆ Ensure that all Board meetings are recorded and broadcast via Zoom on the Internet so that members may watch and participate by asking questions at the beginning of the meeting.

As the above bullet points suggest, our Association leadership team and members are active and engaged in preserving and protecting our chain of lakes. As your president, I invite you to participate in those activities that interest you or attend an occasional Board meeting (either in-person or via Zoom). I would also invite you to contact me if you have any questions, concerns, or ideas for future programs or projects. You may contact me at president@pikelakechain.net or by phone or text at **262-325-6136**. Have a great summer, stay safe on the water, and please respect the slow, no-wake zones and our water sport hours of 10AM-7PM.

Sincerely,



Mike Ida
President



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