

Celebrating 61 Years of Service to White Lake Residents

SPRING **2022**

2022 WLCL EVENTS

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communication@wlcl.org www.**wlcl**.org May 25, Wednesday - WLCL General Membership Meeting & Elections May 30, Monday - Memorial Day Pancake Breakfast May 31, Tuesday - Sailboat Races Begin June 11, Saturday - Spring Fishing Tournament July 2, Saturday - Independence Day Celebration and Boat Parade July 23, Saturday - 11th Annual White Lake Home & Cottage Tour TBD - Golf Outing TBD - Fall Bowling September 21, Wednesday - Volunteer Appreciation Event

PRESIDENT'S CORNER

Joe Tibus

2021 was a great year in virtually every way. We were able to have all our traditional events in person, the fireworks show was spectacular and we set a new record for memberships and donations. **Thank You to All for your generous support!!**

As the WLCL celebrates its 61st anniversary this year, we are planning to have all our traditional events...the Pancake breakfast, Home Tour, Winter Carnival, fishing tournament, weekly sailboat races and bring back the fall bowling event and Coastguard boat inspections and perhaps add a golf outing. And of course, the Independence Day Fireworks show will go on!! All of this contributes to making White Lake the great place it is!!

To those who have joined in the past, please do so again this year. If you have not joined in the past, we ask that you seriously consider joining to help support the Fireworks shows and other events. The membership form is on the back page of this newsletter. If it is more convenient for you to join on-line, please go to wlcl.org and click the **Membership Page** link and then the **Join Now** button. We have your Membership flags ready to deliver and will get them to you right away!

Please fly your membership flag proudly on your boat and know that every boat flying the flag has supported the fireworks show and other events that help make White Lake such a great place to live!

2022 MEETING SCHEDULE

WLCL MEETINGS

Open to everyone,

and are held on the 4th Wednesday of

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING & ELECTIONS

Joe Tibus

This important meeting is scheduled for 7:00 PM, Wednesday, May 25, 2022. The meeting will be held at the White Lake Township Community Hall.

An important part of this meeting is the nomination and election of WLCL Board

Members and Officers by the members of the WLCL. Any WLCL members interested in serving on the Board of Directors or holding an officer's position are encouraged to contact us by email at president@wlcl.org. All 2022 members of the WLCL are eligible to vote for Board of Directors candidates. Full details may be reviewed in the bylaws by clicking on the home page "More" tab then clicking on "Publications" then "WLCL By Laws".

each month (March -September).

LOCATION

WLCL Board Meetings will be held online and in person at White Lake Township Community Hall.

2022 MEETING DATES

April 27, 2022 May 25, 2022 Jun 22, 2022 Jul 27, 2022 Aug 24, 2022 Sept 28, 2022

COMMUNICATIONS

David Reid

This newsletter only provides a snapshot of the WLCL activities. Get the most up to date information at:

1) wlcl.org
2) WLCL Facebook page, and
3) through WLCL e-newsletters

If you do not receive the e-newsletters and would like to, you must sign up either:

1) **on the wicl.org home page** by clicking on the *"Click Here to Subscribe"* link at bottom of Home Page, or

2) **on the WLCL Facebook page** by clicking on the blue "Sign Up" button near the top of the Facebook page.

MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

Chris Wichers

Thank you to everyone who supported the 2021 Membership Drive, helping us reach a new high of 441 members. Thank you also to our Membership Drive Representatives, we greatly appreciate all that you do for the WLCL. We are in need of a few more Membership Reps in various areas of the Lake. If you can spare a little time, please email me at: join@wlcl.org. We are encouraging you to again make your membership payment and donation by mail using the membership form included in this newsletter or on-line at wlcl.org. The website is setup to accept your transaction in a secure environment and will notify us as payments are made.



Here is a sneak peek at this years flag! We look forward to seeing it on everyone's boats.

Support the Fireworks Saturday July 2. Join Now!!

WHITE LAKE MERCHANDISE

Eliizabeth Millington

We will be selling WLCL logoed merchandise on-line and in person. The money raised goes toward the fireworks shows. We will start taking on-line orders in April. All merchandise will be ordered for delivery by the Pancake breakfast. Those that order on-line, before the pancake breakfast, will receive their merchandise first! Watch for the cool designs and product offerings that will be available soon and communicated by e-newsletter and on wlcl.org and the Facebook page when we are ready to start on-line sales.

SHERIFF LAKE PATROLS

Joe Tibus

This summer White Lake is again contracting with the Oakland County Sheriff for marine patrols on our lake. In addition to patrolling every weekend from Memorial Day through Labor Day, the sheriff will patrol occasional weekdays and late nights as well as some evening fishing tournaments. We have asked that they pay particular attention to wrong direction of travel in the narrow areas of the lake. Please report any dangerous activity on the lake any time by calling 911 or the Oakland County Sheriff Dispatcher at (248) 858-4950. More information is available on the "Sheriff Marine Patrols" and Boating Safety & Regulations" pages on the wlcl.org website.

COASTGUARD BOAT INSPECTIONS

Joe Tibus

We have been contacted by the Coastguard Auxiliary and are working on a date and location to again provide lake residents with boat safety inspections. Boats that pass inspection will receive a Coastguard sticker to display. Please watch wlcl.org and the WLCL Facebook page for details.

MEMORIAL DAY PANCAKE BREAKFAST

Denise LaFlamme

Our traditional event is scheduled for Monday May 30, 2022 with Chris Cakes serving. Like last year, we will be selling

INDEPENDENCE DAY FIREWORKS & BOAT PARADE

Karen Pinagel & Larry Bruins

This year's fireworks show will be on Saturday July 2, 2022. The White Lake Citizens League has contracted with Ace Pyro, who did a spectacular show for the 2022 Winter Carnival, and we look forward to seeing the show they will provide for the Independence Day show. Thanks to the Seven Harbors Duck & White Lakes Association for allowing the use of their beach property to load the fireworks barge again this year. tickets on-line for specific time slots. It greatly facilitated a steady crowd that makes the morning go smoothly. We will also be selling breakfast tickets and taking memberships and donations at the door.

Come kick off the summer season at the White Lake Inn with friends and neighbors!

The Boat Parade will begin at 2:15 PM starting in front of Mitchell's Marina. The theme for the parade this year will be "Boater's Choice". There will be cash prizes again this year for the 3 best decorated boats. Stay tuned for more details.

The Fireworks are paid for entirely by WLCL Annual Memberships and Donations and WLCL fund-raising activities. If you have not already joined for 2022, please do so. You can go online at www.wlcl.org or mail a check payable to WLCL with the form on the back of this newsletter.

WEED CONTROL

Frank Dyson

The Department of Environment, Great Lakes and Energy (EGLE) has continued its policy essentially banning the use of copper sulfate for the months of May and June for algae control. Chelated copper can be used to treat up to 25% of the potential fish spawning area of a waterbody. This policy affects all water bodies within the state over 10 surface acres except canals and marinas connected to the Great Lakes. However, chelated copper algaecides are not as effective as copper sulfate and they are more costly. This will again make controlling algae as difficult in 2022 as it was in 2021. Aqua-Weed will again do the weed control on White Lake. Aqua-Weed together with Frank Dyson will do a thorough review of the lake weed situation to permit proper planning and application of weed control products. The chemicals to be used are in the included treatment notice. Yellow notices will be posted prior to each treatment. Please contact us regarding weed problems at weeds@wlcl.org or call Frank Dyson at (248) 762-4104.

<u>**This notice is required for each Lake/Pond resident, to be distributed between</u> <u>7 - 45 days prior to first treatment (per EGLE rules)**</u>

TREATMENT NOTICE

RESIDENTS IN THIS AREA ARE PLANNING TO HAVE THE WATERS IN THIS AREA TREATED WITH HERBICIDES AND ALGAECIDES FOR CONTROL OF AQUATIC WEEDS AND/OR ALGAE.

This notice is being circulated as required by the Environment, Great Lakes & Energy (EGLE) rules. A permit for the treatment has either been secured or will be secured from EGLE before the work is begun. In some cases, a permit is not required.

You are receiving this notice if you are in the proposed treatment area, or if you are within 100 feet of the proposed treatment area. In some cases, we also provide this notice to persons in adjacent subdivisions as an informational courtesy to advise persons who may have beach rights but are not lakefront residents.

We usually work with groups of homeowners or their elected representatives through homeowners' associations, or with the owners of apartment or condominium units. Please try to contact any of these in your situation if you have any questions about the proposed treatment plan.

Aqua-Weed Control, Inc. typically performs two types of treatments: algae control and weed control.

Algae Control - If we are doing only an algae control treatment using only copper-based products then no water use restrictions apply. We will post the shoreline with yellow signs informing you of this work as required by EGLE.

- Lakes Typically lake shorelines are treated twice during the summer.
- Ponds Expect several algae control treatments during the summer beginning in late April thru September.

Weed Control / Water Dye - If we are treating for weeds, or using blue dye, or using some non-copper algae control products then there are restrictions on the use of the water, and we will post the shoreline with yellow signs before these products are applied to the water body as required by EGLE.

We treat each water body according to a schedule or seasonal plan worked out between the persons in charge and an aquatic manager. A typical plan will include multiple treatments from May thru August and possibly September. However, due to the differences in season plans and the uncertainty of weather, please watch your shoreline for the posting of the yellow signs throughout the summer.

Typical lake weed control treatment patterns:

- If your lake is to be treated with Fluridone then you can expect treatment in late April or early May and then again in mid May.
- If your lake is to be treated for weeds using other herbicides, then you can expect two treatments a summer. The first being in late May or early to mid June. The second application typically is done in mid too late July or early August depending on weed growth patterns. In a few cases a third touch-up weed application may be required.
- Ponds are typically treated for weeds twice each summer.

IN MOST CASES YOUR WATER BODY WILL BE TREATED MORE THAN ONCE EACH SEASON; CHECK THIS WITH YOUR ASSOCIATION.

The posted signs will indicate the date of the treatment, the product name, the active ingredient, and any restrictions as to the use of the water for swimming, watering lawns and the consumption of fish taken from these waters. We use NEW SIGNS for each treatment.

When more than one product is used, the restrictions longest limits will be posted. IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS PLEASE CONTACT YOUR HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION OR NEIGHBORS WHO ARE IN CHARGE OF THE TREATMENT OR YOUR APARTMENT OR CONDOMINIUM MANAGER. If they cannot answer your questions, we can be reached at the number on the other side of this notice.

Only products which have been registered for use in the aquatic environment by the Michigan Department of Agriculture and the US Environmental Protection Agency are used.

We anticipate using one or more of the products listed. Please be aware of the restrictions on each product. If EGLE changes any restrictions, they will be noted on the signs we post.

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PRODUCTS & RESTRICTIONS: (Information below is from product labels. When 2 or more labels exist for a single active ingredient the most stringent information is provided)

Diquat Dibromide: Do not use the treated water for swimming for 24 hours (EGLE restriction). Do not use treated water to irrigate turf or non-food crops for a period of three [3] days after treatment. Do not use the treated water for watering food crops, animal watering (farm stock -- not incidental drinking by a domestic pet) or drinking purposes for a period of five [5] days after treatment. There is no restriction on fish consumption. Diquat dibromide is the active ingredient. No swimming restriction exists on the federal label of this product. Common trade names for this product: Reward, Tribune.

2,4-D (ester and amine): Do not use the treated water for swimming for 24 hours. Do not use treated water for irrigating plants, mixing sprays for agricultural or ornamental plants, watering dairy animals, or domestic water supplies for 21 days. "Irrigation" includes watering gardens --however it does NOT include established grasses. Domestic use means using lake water inside your house. There is no restriction on fish consumption. 2,4-D is the active ingredient. *Common trade names for this product: Navigate, Sculpin G, Renovate Max G (also contains Triclopyr)*

Triclopyr: Do not use the treated water for swimming for 24 hours (EGLE restriction). Do not use treated water for irrigation of any plants except turf grass for 120 days or until the active ingredient has dissipated below a non-detectable level as determined by water testing (usually after 2 weeks). This restriction does not apply to established turf grass watering. There is no restriction on fish consumption. Triclopyr is the active ingredient. No swimming restriction exists on the federal label of this product. Common trade names for this product: Renovate 3, Renovate OTF, Renovate Max G and Navitrol. (Note: Renovate Max G also contains 2,4-D)

Endothall: Do not use treated water for swimming for 24 hours (EGLE restriction). Endothall is the active ingredient in each of these products. No swimming, fishing or watering restrictions exist on the federal label of this product. Common trade names for this product: Aquathol-K, Super Aquathol-K, Hydrothol-191(liquid and granular)

Fluridone: Do not use the treated water for swimming for 24 hours (EGLE restriction). It is suggested that lawn and garden watering be restricted from 7 to 30 days at the extreme. The suggested number of days depends on the rate applied and whether you are on a lake or canal and the type of irrigation. When parts per billion (PPB) concentrations of fluridone reach 5 PPB or less there are NO irrigation restrictions. Established turf and tree irrigation restrictions expire (NO restriction) at 10 PPB or less. Most fluridone applications permitted in Michigan are applied at 6 PPB or less! The sign we post when we treat will give the details for your area. Fluridone is the active ingredient. There is no restriction on fish consumption. No swimming restriction exists on the federal label of this product. Common trade names for this product: Avastl, Sonar, SonarOne, Sonar Genesis

Water Dye: Do not use the treated water for swimming for 24 hours (EGLE restriction). No restriction for fishing and watering. Organic dye (food grade) is the active ingredient. The label restriction for swimming is "several hours" after application or after even mixing throughout the water body. Common trade names for this product: Cygnet Select, Cygnet Extreme, Pure Blue, Paradise Blue.

Copper based algaecides: NO WATER USE RESTRICTIONS. Copper is the active ingredient. Informational posting only. Common trade names for this product: Alligare Argos, Copper Sulfate, Cutrine (Plus,Ultra), Captain (XTR), K-Tea, Symmetry, SeClear, SeClear G, F-30.

Copper based herbicides: Do not use the treated water for swimming for 24 hours (EGLE restriction). Copper is the active ingredient. No restriction for fishing and watering. No swimming restriction exists on the federal label of this product. Common trade names for this product: Nautique, Komeen, Harpoon (liquid and granular), Current.

Sodium Carbonate Peroxyhydrate: No water use restrictions. The active ingredient is a strong oxidizer. Common trade names for this product are: Green Clean PRO, Green Clean Granular, PAK 27, Phycomycin.

Glyphosate: Do not use the treated water for swimming for 24 hours (EGLE restriction). No restriction for fishing and watering. The active ingredient is Glyphosate. No swimming restriction exists on the federal label of this product. Common trade names for this product: Shoreklear, Shoreklear-Plus, Aqua-Star, Refuge, Alligare Glyphosate 5.4, Aquapro, Aquaneat.

Imazamox: Do not use the treated water for swimming or irrigation for 24 hours (EGLE restriction). No restriction for fishing and watering. The active ingredient is Imazamox. No swimming restriction exists on the federal label of this product. Common trade names for this product: Clearcast.

Flumioxazin: Do not use the treated water for swimming or irrigation for 24 hours (EGLE restriction). Lawn and garden watering is restricted for 1 day after treatment. Do not use the treated water for watering food crops, animal watering (farm stock -- not incidental drinking by a domestic pet), or drinking purposes for a period of five [5] days after treatment. No restriction for fishing. The active ingredient is Flumioxazin. No swimming restriction exists on the federal label of this product. Common trade names for this product: Clipper, Propeller, Schooner.

Florpyrauxifen-Benzyl: Do not use the treated water for swimming for 24 hours (EGLE restriction). Do not use treated water for irrigation of any plants except turf grass for 14 days or until the active ingredient has dissipated below a non-detectable level as determined by water testing (usually after 2 weeks). This restriction does not apply to established turf grass watering. There is no restriction on fish consumption. The active ingredient is Florpyrauxifen-benzyl. No swimming restriction exists on the federal label of this product. Common trade names for this product: ProcellaCOR EC

Carfentrazone: Do not use the treated water for swimming for 24 hours (EGLE restriction). Do not use treated water for irrigation of any plants except turf grass for 14 days if more than 20 % of the waterbody was treated. This restriction does not apply to established turf grass watering. Do not use the treated water for animal watering (farm stock -- not incidental drinking by a domestic pet), or drinking purposes for a period of one day after treatment. There is no restriction on fish consumption. The active ingredient is Carfentrazone. *No swimming restriction exists on the federal label of this product. Common trade names for this product: Stingray.*

This notice contains information that is the latest available at time of printing. We update this notice as required to keep all data current. Updated versions of this notice and product labels are available at our website. (www.aquaweed.com)



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FISHING TOURNAMENT

Scott Trudell

The 2022 WLCL Spring Fishing Tournament is scheduled to be held on Saturday June 11, 2022 from 7 AM to Noon. This is the free fishing weekend, so anyone can participate without buying a license. We do require that there be a WLCL member on each boat. Registration starts at 6 AM at the White Lake Inn, with a \$30.00 entry fee per boat. No carp or bow-fishing will be counted in the tournament. Coffee and donuts are being provided. This family friendly event is a great time to show off your fishing skills (or luck). There will be cash prizes and a trophy for: 1st & 2nd place largest combined weight of 3 fish per boat, the largest single fish, the largest walleye and 1st & 2nd place Youth Trophies (13 & under) for the largest fish by weight. Download the official rules and an entry form from wlcl.org

Grab your gear and the kids and let's go fishing!!

SAILBOAT RACES

Manuel Bartolo

Ahoy sailors! 2022 marks the 14th year of organized sailboat racing on White Lake. The start of this year's season is Tuesday May 31st. New participants of all levels are encouraged to join.

It doesn't matter if your boat is big or small or if you have none at all. We will try to find a boat with an open seat for you to crew on. The racing format is very casual and is intended to help grow interest in the sport. The races are held on Tuesday's at 6PM run through Labor Day week. With safety being a key consideration, participants are notified by phone, text or email if weather will cause a cancellation or reschedule of the race. Please contact Manuel Bartolo at mjbartola@comcast.net or sailing@wlcl.org to be added to our contact list.

So, let's get the sailboats ready for the water and come have some fun sailing! See the new traveling trophy for the best boat at the White Lake Inn. More information can be found on the "Sailing" tab on the wlcl.org website.

HOME TOUR

Wendy Tibus

The 10th Home Tour was held in 2021. Many thanks to the Home Owners (Kirchners, Siwecks, Chip Sherbrook, Rangs and Kotharis) who opened their homes for the tour this past year!

The 11th Home Tour is planned for Saturday July 23, 2022. assuming we can get the 5 homes needed. In keeping with our past practice, the tour will consist of a pontoon ride to

each house, with wine and cheese on the pontoon and a guided tour of five homes. All proceeds benefit the White Lake Citizens League Independence Day Fireworks and Winter Carnival Fireworks. Tickets will again be sold on-line on a first come first served basis. Pictures of the homes on the tour and the timing of ticket sales will be announced by e-newsletter and on the WLCL website and Facebook page.

If you are willing to help, make this year's event successful by showing your home, please email home tour@wlcl.org or call Wendy Tibus (248) 390-4139.

BOWLING TOURNAMENT

Denise LaFlamme

We hope to again have this fun, fund-raising event in the fall of 2022. When the date and locations details are set, they will be communicated in e-newsletters and Facebook posts. Plan to come out to join the fun and make new friends with other White Lake residents!

THE WLCL WINTER CARNIVAL

Chuck Neville

The Winter Carnival was held on Saturday February 5, 2022 with on-ice games and end of the day fireworks!! It was by far the largest ever turn out for the carnival, we estimate there was in excess of 1,000 people at this year's event, at least twice the size of previous events. The closing fireworks, provided by Ace Pyro, were spectacular! Thanks to the White Lake Inn and their staff for making the event possible.

The added size created some challenges for bathroom facilities and traffic both on the roads and on-ice. We will be working closely with local officials to better manage the traffic and have porta-potties for this coming year. Plan on joining the fun this coming year on Saturday February 4, 2023... ice conditions permitting.

A BIG THANK YOU to these local businesses who supported the WLCL in 2021!

An updated list is always available on the "Community Businesses" page of the website. Many of the businesses also have a link to their website there.

PLATINUM LEVEL (\$500 and above)



3955 Ormond Road White Lake, MI 48383 (248) 887-1818



32140 Woodward Avenue

Royal Oak, MI 48073

(248) 549-8500



35355 Forton Court Clinton Township, MI 48035 (586) 790-6100



GOLD LEVEL (\$200-\$499)

Aqua-Weed 414 Hadley Street Holly, MI 48442 (248) 634-8388

Mastercraft Heating & Cooling Redford, MI 48239 (313) 533-5700

Neighborhood Dump Trailer Rental 2210 Duck Lake Road Highland, MI 48356 (248) 727-4649

Powers Real Estate Investment Company 3711 Ormond Road White Lake, MI 48383 (248) 722-5320

Sparkies Kitchen & Bar 2868 East Highland Road Highland, MI 48356 (248) 887-2610

Stella's Table 340 Town Center Blvd White Lake, MI 48386 (248) 698-2400

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Abe's Storage 10433 N. Holly Road Holly, MI 48442 (810) 694-7707

Age with Grace Senior Care 2230 E Highland Road Suite C Highland, MI 48356 (248) 529-6431

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Highland, MI 48357 (248) 872-4339

The Mitchell Team, Real Estate One 560 N. Milford Road Milford, MI 48381 (248) 467-1185

Omni Medical Supply, Inc. 4153 Pioneer Drive Walled Lake, MI 48390 (800) 860-6664

Priority One Shrinkwrap (248) 240-0388

Tedder Whitlock Consulting

17199 N. Laurel Park Dr. Livonia, MI 48152 (734) 542-4200

Wolfenbarger Development Co. 2335 Ridge Road White Lake, MI 48383 (248) 330-4775

Businesses donating \$50 or more to the WLCL are listed here and on the website. To add your business, please use the special Business Contribution Form, which is available at **www.wlcl.org/business.shtml**.

If your business would like to set up a promotion to benefit the WLCL, send an email to communication@wlcl.org.



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CURRENT RESIDENT OR

2022 MEMBERSHIP DUES AND DONATIONS

Membership dues and General Fund donations should be remitted now. The annual membership dues are \$25 per household. Donations go to our annual fireworks show and board approved activities/expenses. You may join online or using this form. Please donate generously and support our activities!

Please make checks payable to WLCL

Mail to: WLCL, PO Box 851, Highland, MI 48356 (envelope enclosed)

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D Other			

BUSINESS DONATIONS: Please send separately from household membership dues, and clearly indicate your business name on the check. A special form is available on the website. Businesses donating \$50 or more will be listed on the website and in the current newsletter.