Dewart Newsletter

"The Dewart Lake Protective Association was founded in 1965"



Summer 2016

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* Between Lanes 12 & 13 All (574) Area Code				
** Between Lanes 17 & 18				

2017 IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

EVENT	CHAIRPERSON	DATE
ROADSIDE CLEANU	P ALEX BARRETT	APRIL 15
LAKE GARAGE SALE	EVON FOYLE	MAY 12 &13
GOLF OUTING	TOM & JANET ROTH	JUNE 5
" " RAIN DATE		JUNE 12
ANNUAL MEETING	RANDY YODER	JUNE 11
CHICKEN BBQ SALE	CHUCK RANEY	JUNE 17
FLOTILLA	DAVE & BRENDA SMITH	JULY 4

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Letter from the President

The last days of summer are rapidly approaching. For many of you, by the time you read this, your children or grandchildren will already be back in school. Gone are the days when it was "out before Memorial Day, and return after Labor Day."

There has been a lot of activity on the lake with the hot humid days lately. Let's be sure to end the summer with memories of another safe and enjoyable year at the lake.

I want to take this opportunity to thank several people who work hard each year on behalf of the Dewart Lake Protective Association. A big "Thank You" goes to: Evon Foyle for her work in organizing the lake wide garage sale weekend, Alex Barrett for his help heading up the roadside clean up each spring, Dave and Brenda Smith for organizing another enthusiastic July 4th Flotilla, Chuck Raney for organizing another successful chicken bar b q fundraiser which was enjoyed by many, Janet Roth for her commitment to gather and organize stories for the DLPA newsletter in an effort to keep each of us informed of things happening around the lake, and to each of you as well as you participated and helped alongside these people to make each activity a rewarding and successful event.

Each of these events helps build a community atmosphere and pride in our lake. Some also are intended to raise funds that help keep our lake clean for all of us to enjoy.

There is another way the DLPA generates funds, and that is through membership dues paid each year. If you haven't paid your 2016 membership dues of \$25.00, it's not too late to do so. Simply mail your check to the DLPA, P.O. Box 152, Syracuse, IN 46567.

This next year the DLPA, under the guidance of Jerry Jacquay, will be attempting to increase the awareness as well as the membership of the DLPA.

Please make it a point to join the DLPA as it is the only way to have a voice in what decisions are made regarding the lake. The Association helps protect our beautiful lake where you and your families are making lasting memories.

Randy Yoder, DLPA President

ANNUAL FUNDRAISERS

Golf Outing

The Annual DLPA Golf Outing was held on Monday, June 6th at Maxwelton Golf Club in Syracuse. There were 23 hole sponsors, and 8 teams participated. This event brought the Association in excess of \$1700.00. Thanks to Tom and Janet Roth for heading up this fun and profitable event.

Chicken Bar B Q

The Annual DLPA Chicken Bar B Q was held on June 18th in the New Market/Dollar General parking lot in Syracuse. The Nelson's Port A Pit chicken , chops and chicken bites were a big success, netting the Association in excess of \$2,000.00. Thanks goes to Chuck Raney and crew for all of their hard work in getting this event organized and successful.

4th of July Flotilla

This event was held as scheduled on July 4th @ 2:00 p.m., with perfect weather. Nine boats participated, and all had a great time. The decorations were excellent, and the judges had a difficult time choosing the winners.

The boats were judged at six different locations on the lake to confirm the enthusiasm and continuous efforts of the participants.

The judges were from West Lafayette-- an investment adviser and a new student adviser from Purdue University.

The winners were: 1st Place: Miller Family, 18 EMS D22 Lane, \$100.00 2nd Place: M. Golden, 47 D-12 Lane, \$50.00 3rd Place: B. Beer, 240 Lane 23, \$25.00 First place winner also received a plaque. Congratulations to all of the winners.

Others entries were: Dave Smith, 3679E 1000N Poppenfoose, 160 EMS D23 Lane Roth Family, 464 EMS D-15 Lane Amelia Austin, and Xcursion Pontoon Boat – not signed in but involve

Thanks to all who participated. We would love to see 20 boats for the 2017 Flotilla. It is a lot of fun!

Annual Meeting

The DLPA Annual Meeting was held at 2:00 on Sunday afternoon June 12th at the Quaker Haven Activity Center. Jim Donahoe of Aquatic Weed Control was present and informed the group that our lake has been approved by the DNR to have 25 acres of the lake treated this summer for the Eurasian Milfoil.

Sue Lentz reported that there will be a few more bass tournaments on the lake this year. The dates are: August 13, 14, 20, September 10, and 24th. There could be some additional ones in September and October.

New buoys have been set around the lake to remind boaters of the No Wake zones. Please be aware of these areas.

This is your newsletter. If there is anything newsworthy that you would like to have put in regarding residents on your lane, please contact:

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