

Greater Whitewater Lake Property Owners Association 2019 Newsletter and Membership Form



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Dates for 2019 Events

Feb. 10 - Lion's Club Fish-A-Ree and breakfast & lunch
 June 1 - GWLPOA Dinner & Elvis Impersonator - Monte Carlo Rm., Elkhorn
 June 29 - GWLPOA Hot Dog Picnic - Lion's Club
 July 13 - Whitewater Fireworks
 August 24 - GWLPOA 3:00 pm Golf Outing & Buffet Dinner
'Willowbrook Golf Course
 August 24 - Annual Meeting of GWLPOA and Lake Mgt.
 September 7 - Square Dance & Dinner - Fuzzy Pig Barn
 September or Oct. - GWLPOA Warhawk Tailgate
 Pontoon Parties- May 16, June 20, July 18, Aug. 15, Sept. 19
 Whitewater-Rice Lakes Mgt. Dist.- Monthly mtg, 2nd Thurs./ month
 Watch the Web site for updates: www.whitewaterlake.org



Winter Lake Safety

Color variation in ice may mean ice depth difference
 Bubblers near piers impact ice depth
 Springs on the lakes reduce the depth of the ice in their vicinity
 White ice or "snow ice" is only about half as strong as new clear ice
 Check ice thickness at least every 150 feet.
 Excellent tips on ice safety:
<https://dnr.wi.gov/topic/outdoorrecreation/activities/icesafety.html>
<https://www.safeopedia.com/2/1613/prevention/winter-ice-safety>

Your 2019 Board: *contact any of us with ideas*

Cathy Braun 262-473-1850	Lynn Carter 857-650-1789
Judy Dern 262.473.2399	Nancy Dynkowski 262-215-7431
Elaine Florczak 224-489-7034	Pat Koppelman 262-473-3527
Nancy Lindenmuth 630-846-7553	Carol Marvin 262-473-3771
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Lillian Roy 608-883-6634	Joyce Swartwood 630-584-9276

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Whitewater Lions
43 Annual Fish-A-Ree
Sunday February 10, 2019 6:00am to 4:00pm
 Whitewater Lions Clubhouse
 N7462 Kettle Moraine Dr.
 Whitewater Lake

St. Valentine's Day Breakfast - All You Can Eat 8:00 am to 11:00am
 Adults \$8.00 Children 6 to 10 \$4.50 5 and under free
 Pancakes, Eggs, Sausage, Milk, Orange Juice, Coffee, Stuffed Jalapeno Peppers
 Lunch from 10:00am to 4:00pm Downstairs:
 Chili-Brats-Hot Dogs-Coffee-Beer-Soda

Hourly Fish Prizes
 Bas-Northern-Walleye-Crappie-Perch-Blue Gill
 Cash Raffle Tickets-\$500, \$250, \$250 1 for \$2 or 3 for \$5
 2 Special Raffles and Bucket Raffles

GWLPOA - What You Get with Membership

Free Directory every even numbered year
 Discounted tickets to GWLPOA events
 Approx. 6 Newsletters to keep you up-to-date on events on the lakes
 Invitation to attend the free hot dog picnic
 Communication on issues of concern to lake owners
Fill in the attached form and mail it today - you will be glad you did!

What has GWLPOA done in 2018?

May - Murder Mystery Dinner
 June - Hot Dog Picnic
 August - Ice Cream Social. Heart Prairie Church
 August - Golf Outing
 August - Annual Meeting
 Sept. - Dinner & Trivia Night
 Pontoon Parties - May, June, July, August, Sept.
 Contribution to Minneiska Water Ski Show Team,
 Whitewater Lake Fire Works, Lakeview School for lunch program, Whitewater Food Pantry, Heart Prairie for their help with the Ice Cream Social,
 Whitewater Town for Buoys
 Six Newsletters
 And a record 283 members

NEW garbage and recycling services for 2019

Town of Whitewater Residents: We'll still receive the same great service from John's Disposal, but we'll have the following services all included in your annual rate:

- Garbage pick up every week (same as previous)
- Recycling pick up **EVERY** week (this is new)
- Bulk call in up to 12x per year (different in that you have to call John's to schedule 262-473-4700). Beginning in January we will **no longer** have regular bulk pick up the last week of the month.
- Electronics pickup with bulk (NEW and you must call John's to schedule 262-473-4700)

Roles of Whitewater-Rice Lake Organizations

Government Units

Whitewater-Rice Lake Management District

Taxing body – appears on the Walworth County Tax Bill
Elected commissioners plus Walworth County and
Whitewater (Richmond) Town (township) appointees
Develop and use 5-year lake management plan in partnership
with Wisconsin DNR and SE Wis. Regional Planning Commission
Provide water quality management and surveys
Invasive aquatic weed spraying
Aquatic weed harvesting
Bog management
Own and manage lake equipment
Contract actual operations
Monitor and manage fish and wildlife on the lake
Advise on shoreland pollution control and management
Advise on Town ordinances for lake use
Sponsor annual Boater Safety Course
Monitor and advise on water safety financing with Town officials
Publish annual newsletter with financials and future budget
Website - <http://district.whitewaterlake.org/>

Town of Whitewater in Collaboration with Town of Richmond

Lakes Boating Ordinances
Safety Patrol
Road Maintenance
<http://townofwhitewater.org/> <https://town.richmond.wi.us/>

State of Wisconsin &/ or Wisconsin DNR & Walworth County

State-wide Boating Laws
Shoreline Zoning Regulations, Permits for Building & Shoreline
Dock and Pier Regulations
Fishing License and Regulations
Licensing of Bog removal. Weed spraying, Weed harvesting

Social Organization/Special Interest

GWLPOA (Greater Whitewater Lakes Property Owners Association)

"Helping you turn your lake area neighbors into friends"

Volunteer membership organization – annual Jan. – Dec. dues
Volunteer Board Managing all activities
Communication to lake residents
Publish seasonal newsletters – approx. 6 newsletters per year
Publish the lake directory bi-annually
Plan and execute events
Donate portion of revenue to Fireworks, Ski Team, Safety
Needs, and Non-Profits
Maintain email communication with members

Your 2019 Board: Website - www.gwlpoa.org

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Current information about our lakes:

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/Whitewaterlake/>

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History Book Of Our Lakes : **A History of Greater Whitewater and Rice Lakes**,
available through GWLPOA for \$15.00

Southern Wakes United Water Ski Show Team formally Minneiska Ski
Team <https://www.southernwakesunited.com/>