

RUNYAN LAKE INC. NEWSLETTER

May 2010

PO Box 105, Fenton MI 48430

www.runyanlakeinc.com

Spring General Meeting Friday, May 28, 2010

(Memorial Day weekend)

2011 DUES WAIVED RAFFLE!!!!!

Don't miss out!! One lucky member attending the meeting will have their 2011 dues waived. Put your name in the drawing and see if you're the lucky winner!

Spring General Membership Meeting

Tyrone Township Hall, 10408 Center Road, Fenton MI 48430

Friday, May 28, 2010 (Memorial Day weekend)

6:00 PM Social hour, pizza & pop provided7:00 PM Membership Meeting

Agenda:

- Call to order; Pledge of Allegiance; introduce Trustees
- Minutes of Fall 2010 General Membership Meeting
- Invited Guest-Brian Miles, Tyrone Twp. Trustee
- Treasurer's Reports, 2009 final & 2010 YTD
- Nominations for Trustee elections at Fall Meeting (Nominations to be received 30 days prior to the meeting)
- Social Committee Report
- Drawing for 2011 dues to be waived (see details)
- New / Other Business
 - Goals for 2010
 - Bylaw change proposal
 - Weed Control review
 - Fireworks plans
 - Geese control / Goose Busters
 - Boat ramp openings
 - Other
- Announcements
 - Date of Fall General Membership Meeting, 2010
 Friday, September 3, 2010 (Labor Day weekend)
 - Other
- Adjournment

Chance to have your 2011 RLI dues waived!

Incentive to attend the General Meetings!

Attend the General Meetings this year to be eligible for a drawing to have your dues waived for 2011.

Members must sign in prior to the start of the General Membership meeting (7 PM). Only one entry per RLI lot number/tax ID. The winner must be in attendance at the meeting when the drawing is made and announced. Dues on the winning lot only will be waived for 2011. The winning lot at the Spring General Meeting is not eligible to enter the Fall General Meeting drawing.

Social Event dates for 2010

Progressive Dinner – June 19th

Fishing Contest -- June 25 to July 2 Awards July 4th

Runyan Lake Fireworks -- Saturday, July 3
(Rain date Sunday, July 4)

Night of Music -- Saturday, July 17 (Rain date Sunday, July 18th)

Movie Night -- Friday, July 30

Hot Dog Roast -- Saturday, August 7

Lobster Cookout -- Saturday, August 14

Fall General Meeting -- Friday, September 3
(Labor Day weekend)

Michigan - Michigan State - Football Party Saturday, October 9th

Winter Games - TBA

Boating Safety –

As our lake becomes busier, and property owners start to use the lake, safety is a major factor.

Our efforts to promote safe boating on Runyan Lake this year include:

- Providing a key to the boat ramp to the Livingston County Marine Sheriff for his/her use at any time, or if he/she is called.
- Posting updated safety information at the RLI web site at http://www.runyanlakeinc.com/safety.htm.

Additional boating safety information can be referenced at:

Marine safety and boating laws information: http://co.livingston.mi.us/sheriff/boatingSafety.htm

Handbook of Michigan Boating Laws & Responsibilities is available from Secretary of State Branch Offices or at http://boat-ed.com/mi/handbook/.

Boating Safety Classes schedule is available at http://co.livingston.mi.us/sheriff/boatingclasses.htm

Please support, practice, and promote safe boating on Runyan Lake for all our families!

Proxy voting ...

..... is available for anyone who cannot attend General Meetings. Please contact a trustee for a proxy form. You may give your proxy vote to any other RLI member or RLI board member in good standing, to vote on your behalf on the matters of trustee elections, budget approval and bylaw changes. You may give direction on your voting, or you may entrust your nominated member to vote for you as they consider appropriate. Your completed proxy form must be at the RLI PO box 48 hours prior to the meeting, or recorded at the meeting prior to the Call to Order.

Weed Control & Water Quality

Weed control treatment will be provided by Aquatic Nuisance Plant Control again this year. Treatment will be applied during May or early June depending on the water temperature, and any required touch-up will likely occur in July. We will advise you of the actual dates when Aquatic Nuisance schedules their treatment day.

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# Financial Reports -- Spring General Meeting 2009 final & 2010 YTD

| RLI Financial Report 3/13/2010 |             |     |           |      |            |      |          |     |    |              |     |           |
|--------------------------------|-------------|-----|-----------|------|------------|------|----------|-----|----|--------------|-----|-----------|
|                                |             |     | 2009      | 2010 |            |      |          |     |    | 3/13/2010    |     |           |
| Revenue                        |             |     | Actual    |      | Budget     |      | Actual   | %   | Ov | er / (Under) | f   | orecast   |
| 1                              | Dues        | \$4 | 10,527.00 | \$   | 31,935.00  | \$ 2 | 0,725.00 | 65% | \$ | (11,210.00)  | \$3 | 31,935.00 |
| 12a                            | Social Con  | \$  | 4,238.03  | \$   | 2,000.00   |      |          | 0%  | \$ | (2,000.00)   | \$  | 2,000.00  |
| 27                             | Fish Dona   | \$  | 16.00     | \$   | -          |      |          |     | \$ | -            | \$  | -         |
| 18                             | Interest    | \$  | 1,150.16  | \$   | 1,100.00   | \$   | 130.96   | 12% | \$ | (969.04)     | \$  | 1,100.00  |
| 1a                             | Donations   | \$  | 500.00    | \$   | -          |      |          |     | \$ | -            | \$  | -         |
|                                | Total       | \$4 | 6,431.19  | \$3  | 35,035.00  | \$ 2 | 0,855.96 | 60% | \$ | (14,179.04)  | \$3 | 35,035.00 |
| Expenditu                      | roc         |     |           |      |            |      |          |     |    |              |     |           |
| •                              | Printing    | \$  | 259.17    | \$   | 500.00     | \$   | 13.78    | 3%  | \$ | (486.22)     | \$  | 500.00    |
|                                | Postage     | \$  | 214.00    | \$   | 550.00     | \$   | 228.80   | 42% | \$ | (321.20)     | \$  | 550.00    |
|                                | P.O. Box R  | \$  | 42.00     | \$   | 50.00      | \$   | 44.00    | 88% | \$ | (6.00)       | \$  | 50.00     |
|                                | Membersl    | \$  | 560.33    | \$   | 600.00     | φ    | 44.00    | 0%  | \$ | (600.00)     | \$  | 600.00    |
|                                | Aquatic N   | •   | 8,151.75  | \$   | 8,500.00   |      |          | 0%  | \$ | (8,500.00)   | \$  | 8,500.00  |
|                                | State of M  | \$  | 820.00    | \$   | 830.00     |      |          | 0%  | \$ | (830.00)     | \$  | 830.00    |
|                                | Hall Renta  | \$  | 100.00    | \$   | 100.00     |      |          | 0%  | \$ | (100.00)     | \$  | 100.00    |
|                                | General Si  | \$  | 176.39    | \$   | 300.00     |      |          | 0%  | \$ | (300.00)     | \$  | 300.00    |
|                                | Social Con  |     | 5,382.06  | \$   | 3,700.00   | \$   | 95.50    | 3%  | \$ | (3,604.50)   | \$  | 3,700.00  |
|                                | Property F  | \$  | -         | \$   | 500.00     | \$   | 85.00    | 17% | \$ | (415.00)     | \$  | 500.00    |
|                                | Lake Study  | \$  | -         | \$   | 500.00     | 7    |          | 0%  | \$ | (500.00)     | \$  | 500.00    |
|                                | Liens       | \$  | 242.21    | \$   | 300.00     |      |          | 0%  | \$ | (300.00)     | \$  | 300.00    |
|                                | Website,    | \$  | 518.42    | \$   | 300.00     |      |          | 0%  | \$ | (300.00)     | \$  | 300.00    |
| 19                             | Fireworks   | \$  | 6,657.09  | \$   | 6,000.00   |      |          | 0%  | \$ | (6,000.00)   | \$  | 6,000.00  |
|                                | Property 1  | \$  | 1,387.84  | \$   | 1,425.00   | \$   | 605.40   | 42% | \$ | (819.60)     | \$  | 1,425.00  |
| 22                             | Consulting  | \$  | 74.73     | \$   | 3,000.00   |      |          | 0%  | \$ | (3,000.00)   | \$  | 3,000.00  |
| 26                             | Boat Stick  | \$  | 326.40    | \$   | 360.00     |      |          | 0%  | \$ | (360.00)     | \$  | 360.00    |
| 28                             | Insurance   | \$  | 702.53    | \$   | 3,800.00   |      |          | 0%  | \$ | (3,800.00)   | \$  | 3,800.00  |
| 27,29,32                       | Federal ta  | \$  | 786.08    | \$   | 625.00     |      |          | 0%  | \$ | (625.00)     | \$  | 625.00    |
| 31                             | Banking F   | \$  | 12.00     | \$   | 25.00      | \$   | 2.00     | 8%  | \$ | (23.00)      | \$  | 25.00     |
| 33                             | Coalition I | \$  | -         | \$   | -          |      |          |     | \$ | -            | \$  | -         |
| 34                             | Goose Bus   | \$  | 200.00    | \$   | 200.00     |      |          | 0%  | \$ | (200.00)     | \$  | 200.00    |
|                                | Total       | \$2 | 26,613.00 | \$   | 32,165.00  | \$   | 1,074.48 | 83% | \$ | (31,090.52)  | \$3 | 32,165.00 |
| Summary                        |             |     |           |      |            |      |          |     |    |              |     |           |
|                                | Beginning   | \$7 | 70,615.10 | \$9  | 90,433.29  | \$9  | 0,433.29 |     |    |              | \$9 | 0,433.29  |
|                                | Ending Ba   |     | 0,433.29  |      | 93,303.29  |      | 0,214.77 |     |    |              | _   | 3,303.29  |
|                                | Increase (  | \$1 | 19,818.19 | •    | \$2,870.00 | \$1  | 9,781.48 |     |    |              | \$  | 2,870.00  |

## **Social Committee**

Julie Dooling is our Social Committee Chairperson. If you have any ideas for social events please direct them to her. She is always looking for new fun events each year. You can contact her by calling 810-750-2101. The 2010 events are noted on page 1. Please join your fellow RLI members and enjoy one or more of the many activities this year!

# **Boat Ramp Opening**

There are no set opening hours for the boat ramp – please call your area trustee (or other trustee as needed) with at least 24 hours notice, so we can schedule boats together if possible.

To use the ramp your dues must be paid up, boats must be titled to Runyan Lake riparian property owners, or their renters, a BLUE 2010 RLI boat sticker must be on your boat, and your boat must have a current MI registration decal.

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#### **Social Event Information**

**June 19<sup>th</sup> – Progressive Dinner-**If you are interested in hosting part of the progressive dinner please contact Julie Dooling at 750-2101by June 9<sup>th</sup>. Party will start at 6PM.

**June 25-July 2<sup>nd</sup> Fishing Contest-**Weigh in station – Ostrowski's dock –south end of lake. Look for the fish windsock. Weigh in as many fish as you would like. Each fish will get you in a drawing for a prize. Weigh in each day from 4-8PM. For further information call Mike Ostrowski at 629-4569 or Bret Straffon at 810-610-3207. Awards will be presented on the island on Sunday, July 4<sup>th</sup> at 11AM.

**July 3<sup>rd</sup> – Fireworks-**Fireworks will be on display at dusk. The island will be closed off during the day due to set-up. If you would like to help with set-up or takedown please call Mark Meisel at 629-3406.

**July 17<sup>th</sup> – Night of Music on the Island-**Pull your boat up to the island and enjoy the music from 6-10PM. Rain date TBD-Call Julie Dooling at 750-2101 for further information.

**July 30<sup>th</sup> – Movie Night on the Island-**Pull your boat up and enjoy and PG movie with your kids. Movie will start at dusk. Contact Julie Dooling at 750-2101 for further information.

August 7<sup>th</sup> – Hot Dog Roast on the Island-Come out from 12-2:30PM and enjoy a hot dog lunch for \$1.00. Contact Ken Burke at 629-2439 for further information.

**August 14<sup>th</sup> – Lobster Bake-**Contact Mike Czarnota at 714-0037 for further information.

**Tailgate Party – MSU vs. U of M-** Event takes place at the VFW on Saturday, October 9<sup>th</sup>. Time to be announced. Contact Sandy Simpson at 629-8545 for further information.

Additional information on social event updates can be found on our website, runyanlakeinc.com

#### **RLI Board of Trustees**

(Elected each Fall Generalship Meeting)

| Area 1 - | Runyan Lake Heights                       |            |              |  |  |  |  |
|----------|-------------------------------------------|------------|--------------|--|--|--|--|
|          | & Carmer Road, north to # 10051           |            |              |  |  |  |  |
|          | Michele Ostrowski*                        | Rec. Sec'y | 810-629-4569 |  |  |  |  |
|          | Dave Verbeke                              | Trustee    | 248-922-0995 |  |  |  |  |
| Area 2 - | Carmer Road, north from # 10065           |            |              |  |  |  |  |
|          | & White Lake Road                         |            |              |  |  |  |  |
|          | Andy Nester                               |            |              |  |  |  |  |
|          | Bret Straffon*                            | Trustee    | 810-610-3207 |  |  |  |  |
| Area 3 - | Runyan Lake Point                         |            |              |  |  |  |  |
|          | Pat Maynard                               |            |              |  |  |  |  |
|          | Mark Meisel*                              | Vice Pres  | 810-629-3406 |  |  |  |  |
| Area 4 - | Runyan Lake Road, and                     |            |              |  |  |  |  |
|          | & Walnut Shores Drive, south thru # 10320 |            |              |  |  |  |  |
|          | Ken Burke*                                | Trustee    | 810-629-2439 |  |  |  |  |
|          | Joe Perrera                               | President  | 810-750-6239 |  |  |  |  |
| Area 5 - | Walnut Shores Drive, south from # 10314,  |            |              |  |  |  |  |
|          | including Sleepy Shores Path              |            |              |  |  |  |  |
|          | Ivan Quinn                                | Treasurer  | 810-629-7986 |  |  |  |  |
|          | Jim Sporer*                               | Trustee    | 810-629-9024 |  |  |  |  |
| At-Large | Jim Beebe*                                | Trustee    | 810-750-9411 |  |  |  |  |

<sup>\*</sup> Subject to elections at the Fall General Membership Meeting.

Please feel free to call any trustee with questions, or for boat ramp access (24 hrs notice for the ramp please).

# **Sewer Leak or Alarm?**

Call 517-546-0040, then press 1, then press 1 again, leave a clear and detailed message, with your address and telephone number, you will be called back quickly.

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For Sale

Classifieds are at the web site, www.runyanlakeinc.com.

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#### **Sheriff or Marine Sheriff**

For all dispatch call 911
For non-dispatch inquiries call 517-546-2440

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e-mail & web site

The fastest and cheapest way for us to get Runyan Lake community information to members is by e-mail. If you are not on our e-mail distribution list please send your e-mail address to Mark Meisel at runyanlakeinc@aol.com. We will not send you unnecessary messages, but will try to keep you informed. We will not share your e-mail address with anyone else.

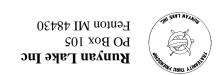
You may also check our web site regularly for current news, information, and upcoming events at www.runyanlakeinc.com.

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## Enjoy the Summer! Be safe on the water!









# AQUATIC PESTICIDE TREATMENT NOTICE



PLEASE TAKE THE TIME TO READ THIS NOTICE: IT IS FOR YOUR INFORMATION!!

RESIDENTS IN THIS AREA ARE PLANNING TO HAVE THE WATERS IN THIS AREA TREATED FOR CONTROL OF LAKE WEEDS AND/OR ALGAE. This notice is being circulated at least 7 days and not more than 45 days in advance of the treatment in accordance with Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) procedures. A permit for the treatment has either been secured or will be secured from the DEQ before the treatments are to begin. You are receiving this notice if you are within 100 ft of the treatment area.

-Our company does two types of treatments: Algae control and Weed control. Since the beginning of the 2002 season we have been required by the State to post for copper products, which have no restrictions. If this is the case we will use a different color poster (BLUE), so please pay attention to the signs and restrictions in your area.

If we are treating for weeds (including lake dye) then there are restrictions on the use of the water and we will post the shoreline with 14 x 11 inch yellow signs before these chemicals are applied to the lake. In some cases we treat for both algae and weeds. In those cases we may be treating with the copper products while the signs are being posted. We do not treat with the weed chemicals without posting first.

-We treat each lake according to a schedule or season plan worked out with the persons in charge of your lake treatment program. However, due to the differences in season plans and the uncertainty of weather please watch your shoreline for the posting of the 14 x 11 inch yellow signs, particularly in April, to late August. YOUR LAKE MAY BE TREATED MORE THAN ONCE EACH SEASON. CHECK THIS WITH YOUR ASSOCIATION. The signs will indicate the date of the treatment, the chemicals used, and the restrictions as to the use of the water for swimming, irrigation and the consumption of fish taken from these waters. We use NEW SIGNS for each application.

Only chemicals, which have been registered by the State of Michigan and the Federal Government, are to be used. These chemicals are applied in amounts approved by the DEQ.

<u>Method of Application:</u> Chemicals are applied as either liquid or granular formulation; liquids are either surface sprayed or subsurface injected, granular formulations are applied with broadcast spreaders.

-Another requirement of our permit is that we locate all wells (when using granular 2,4-D or granular Endothall products Aquathol-K and Hydrothol 191 only) and maintain a distance of 75 ft from all wells and 250 ft from any well that is less than 30 ft in depth. IF YOU ARE AWARE OF SUCH A WELL, PLEASE NOTIFY OUR OFFICE.

-We anticipate using one or more of the chemicals listed below. Please be aware of the restrictions on each. We will post signs as necessary. If we have not posted it means we are using products that require no posting. If the DEQ changes any restrictions they will be noted on the signs we post. **PLEASE READ THE SIGNS WE POST!** 

# (CHEMICALS/RESTRICTIONS):

<u>Reward (Diguat Dibromide):</u> Do not use the treated water for swimming for 24 hours. Do not use the treated water for watering lawns or gardens, animal watering (farm stock--not incidental drinking by a domestic pet), or drinking for 5 days after treatment. **There is no restriction on fish consumption.** 

2,4-D (Dichlorophenoxyacetic Acid, Butoxyethl Ester): Do not use the treated water for swimming for 1 day. Do not use the treated water for irrigation, agricultural sprays, watering dairy animals, or domestic water supplies. "Irrigation" includes water gardens--however, it does NOT include watering lawns. Lawn spray companies often use 2,4-D to kill weeds in lawns --watering lawns when only 2,4-D has been applied will not hurt your lawn (but see restrictions on the other products). "Domestic use" means using lake water inside your house. Fish and wildlife are not affected. There is no restriction on fish consumption.

#### Aquathol-K, Aquathol (Dipotassium Endothall), & Hydrothol 191 (Mono (N, N-Dimethylalkylamine) salt of Endothall:

Do not use the treated water for swimming for 24 hours. Do not use the treated waters for household uses, irrigation (lawn or gardens), animal watering (farm stock), or similar uses for 14 days. **There is no restriction on fish consumption.** 

Copper Sulfate(Pentahydrate), Cutrine-Plus(Cutrine Alkanolamine Complex), NO RESTRICTIONS.

Nautique(Copper Carbonate) and Komeen (Copper-Ethylenediamine: 24 Hour restriction on swimming in treatment areas only.

<u>Rodeo,Eagre(Glyphosate):</u> Rodeo is used primarily for lily and cattail control. There is a 1 day no swimming restriction. There is no restriction on watering or fish consumption.

If you have any questions, please contact Runyan Lake Inc. or contact us at the number below if they cannot help you.

AQUATIC NUISANCE PLANT CONTROL, INC., P.O. Box 160 Swartz Creek, MI 48473, (810) 621-5404