### 2017 Summer Membership Meeting Notes

**Meeting Called by:** Gary Nereson  
**Date:** July 16, 2017  
**Location:** Crooked Lake Pavilion

**Meeting Called to Order at:** 5:00 pm  
**Meeting Adjourned at:** 5:40 pm  
**Notes by:** Julie Jared

**CLAA Board Members:**
- Dan Anderson
- Patti Friday
- Joel Friday
- Angel Prom
- Duane Ullrich
- Paul Martin
- Julie Jared
- Amy Mulvihill
- Matt Waks

**Guests:**
- Jessica Leverty, AIS

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**Topic** | **Discussion** | **Decisions and Action Items**
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**Call to Order** | CLAA President Gary Nereson hosted the meeting. | Informational.

**Welcome and Introductions** | Gary Nereson introduced guest speakers and the members of the Crooked Lake Association board.  
Gary Nereson welcomed all guests and invited them to introduce themselves. Lake residents introduced themselves stating how long o | Informational.

**Open Mic** | A member expressed thanks for the work the board has done to improve the milfoil situation and the health of the lake, and said it is really making a difference.  
We had boating safety information added to the sign at the boat landing in 2015. If you have guests visiting with a boat, remind them to drive counter clockwise while boating for safety reasons, especially if they are towing someone. This was also printed in the 2016 newsletter. |  

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<th>Approval of 2017 Winter Membership Meeting Minutes</th>
<th>Julie Jared briefly read the February 23, 2017 Winter Membership Meeting minutes. Copies are available on the website at <a href="http://www.cooncreekwd.org/claa">http://www.cooncreekwd.org/claa</a>. CLAA sponsors/supporters were thanked. Sponsors include: Bill’s Superette, Costco, County Market, Cub Foods, G-Will Liquors, Spire Bank, Target and Walmart.</th>
<th>Motion: Approve 2017 Winter Meeting Minutes. Motion approved.</th>
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<td>Treasurer’s report, 2017 Donations</td>
<td>Treasurer report was prepared by Paul Martin and read by Carol Martin. Carol discussed delta since SGM report explaining checks issued and deposits made. Also noted that many t-shirts were sold at the summer picnic currently in progress!</td>
<td>Motion: Approve the Treasurer’s report. Motion approved</td>
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<td>July 4th Boat Parade Report</td>
<td>July 4, 2017 boat parade winner depicted above. July 4th on the lake included a boat parade consisting of outstanding participants and their decorated boats. Congratulations went out to the Beckermann family for the win with their Ice Cream Truck! The lucky winners received four (4) tickets to the AMC Theatre compliments of Spire Bank!</td>
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<td>Adopt a Park, Andover Public Landing</td>
<td>CLAA adopted the Andover Public access in 2006 and continues the adoption through Spring of 2020. All Crooked Lake residents are empowered to join in the stewardship of the Andover Public access. No formal pickup events will be schedule. A round of applause took place for Josephine and Eric Larson for Andover public landing clean-up over the last ten years. Josephine Larson was presented a picture of an engraved tray from the CLAA board for ten years of outstanding service as Administrative Assistant, beginning in 2006. Josephine expressed to the members that she believes that if we keep a clean landing, people will keep it clean. Josephine also shared what she is most proud of, which is that Crooked Lake is the only Star lake in the metro area!</td>
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<td>Coon Rapids Beach Park Update</td>
<td>Coon Rapids Beach Park will be offering a shelter that accommodates electricity in the future. CLAA brought their own electricity to this meeting.</td>
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| **Zebra Mussel Monitoring** | Jessica Leverty, AIS, spoke regarding watercraft inspection and zebra mussel monitoring.  

**Zebra mussel monitoring:**  
The program is working well. No zebra mussels detected!  
There are 11 zebra mussel sampler plates setup on the lake including at the pier and boat launch.  

**Watercraft inspection:**  
486 hours of monitoring has already taken place to date at Crooked Lake between May and June. That figure was contrasted with 288 hours of monitoring total in 2015, and 519 total hours of monitoring in 2016.  
There have been 516 inspections to date in 2017, with 4 boat-plug violations and 7 plant violations.  
Violation rate is 1.2% and decreasing each year.  
People seem to be getting it! |  | Informational |
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| **2016 HEWN (Milfoil) Treatment Update** | Gary Nereson provided a brief history of the 2016 Milfoil treatment, noting that Fluridone was used in an experimental treatment.  

In 2016, James Johnson of Freshwater Scientific Services and Keegan Lund of the DNR laid out the map of Crooked Lake, augmented it with wind and wave action information, and used that data to strategically treat parts of the lake. The result was the equivalent of a whole lake treatment. The team kept the lake at a long duration low dose concentration throughout the entire summer, which was key to the success.  
Gary Nereson read an email from James Johnson received June 23, 2017:  

“I completed the EWM survey last week and found NO Eurasian watermilfoil!!! Keegan said that he had found one plant earlier this year, so I plan to get the GPS location for that point from Keegan and then collect more rake samples in that area to see if I can locate any more. Needless to say, the EWM map in your 2017 delineation report will be boring, but the findings are very exciting.  

Congrat’s on such a successful treatment!”  

Crooked Lake does not require treatment for EWM this year, and the board expects to keep it under control with future spot treatments. |  | Informational |
| **2017 and 2018 CurlyLeaf Pondweed treatment** | Curly leaf pond weed is heavy. CLAA will be treating spot treatments for five (5) years. Turions (seeds) can grow. |  | Informational |
| **Native Plant Restoration: transplanting project** | Native plantings took place on June 30, 2017.  
Volunteers from the DNR, CCWD, CLAA members and James Johnson (Freshwater Scientific) harvested plants from Norris Lake (no AIS) in Nowthen, MN and replanted them in Crooked Lake.  
Six (6) species were harvested from Norris Lake and replanted in six (6) dining room table size plots in Crooked Lake  
James Johnson will point intercept survey.  
DNR will continue to check plots. |  | Informational |
New Business | None discussed | Informational
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Adjournment | Meeting adjourned at 5:40 pm. | Adjournment was approved.

List of Officers and Phone Numbers:

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Respectfully submitted: Julie Jared