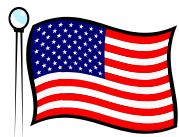
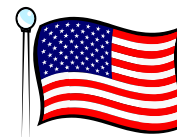


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TLDA Spring Meeting Minutes
June 4, 2016

Roll Call: Ron called the meeting to order at 9:40 a.m., with the Pledge of Allegiance. He welcomed everyone and thanked those who brought the treats and set them up (Bill and Donella Kubiak, John Parenteau, and Maureen DeGrio).

Officers and Directors Present: Ron DeGrio, Carla Montgomery, Renee McAdamis, John Parenteau, Liz Simonson, and Bill Kubiak; and Pat Smith and Ken Maeckelbergh (Ad hoc members).

Absent: Peter Jongewaard, Chris Magney, and Pat Lowry; and Ad hoc members Gordy Westendorf and Ryan Tuhkanen.

TLDA 2016 Schedule of Events:

July 4	Parade (no rain date) – Chris Magney will line up the parade
July 9	Rummage sale
July 30 (rain date is July 31)	TLDA/French Club Picnic
August 27 (9:30 a.m.)	Fall Membership Meeting
September 24 (9:00 a.m.) – meet at the “T”	Fall road and garden clean-up
November 25 (9:00 a.m.)	Burning of the brush pile

Financial Report:

Current Balance	\$3,058.72
Water Quality Balance	\$ 1,089.00

Bills over the winter included \$180.00 for one water testing for last year, \$2,970.00 for two defibrillators (including the supplies and training), and \$11.00 per month for the light on Highway 53.

Motion by Pat Smith to accept the Financial Report, second by Harry Brock, approved.

Old Business – 2015: None. Minutes from the previous meetings were included in the newsletter. Motion by Dave Fulda to accept last fall’s meeting minutes, second by Ted Hill, approved.

New Business - 2016:

- Ron introduced new members who were in attendance.
- Water Quality – We will start testing in late June.
- The Little Free Library Book Box has been installed on the corner of West Rose Lake Road, in front of Juntunen’s, 8215 West Rose Lake Road. Feel free to borrow and add books to the library. We are in need of some teen books.
- AED’s are located on Winkle Lake (Kubiak’s) and Rose Lake (Parenteau’s). Signs will be installed with arrows pointing to the locations. We are looking to train more individuals and update those who are certified. Watch for e-mails and the newsletter for more information. We purchased 100 masks to be used for CPR for year round residents, to start with. The “Chain of Survival” needed to have a successful resuscitation in a cardiac arrest is: recognize a cardiac arrest when someone is unresponsive; notify Emergency Medical Services (911); perform adequate CPR and chest compressions (which keeps the blood circulating to the brain and heart); early defibrillation (AED) and; transport to an appropriate medical facility. We will look into possibly making a sign outlining the steps in case of emergency, instructions, phone numbers and location of who to call for AED’s.
- 4th of July Parade – This year’s theme is patriotic. The newsletter was incorrect, there is no rain date. The parade will be held on July 4 rain or shine, starting at

11:00 a.m., with line-up at 10:00.

Volunteers are needed to help Chris Magney with the parade line-up, judges, set up at the French Club, and pass out ice cream.

- Rummage Sale – will be held on Saturday, July 9. If you are going to participate, please contact Ron. Volunteers are needed to put the ad in the paper, handing out signs to those who are participating, and promoting the rummage sale.
- Annual TLDA/FC Picnic – Volunteers are needed to assist with the raffle, beer sales, and registration. Mandy Robbins (French Club) is coordinating the picnic. If you have any suggestions, please turn them into Ron, and he will forward on to Mandy.
- Elections – All officers and board members are up for re-election at the fall meeting.
- Snails on Lake Elora – Peter is monitoring the snails. This is more political due to the public landing. They run in a cyclical cycle.
- French Club News - The dance scheduled for August 6 has been rescheduled for July 23 from 7:30 – 11:00. Barb McLean with the French Club thanked everyone who ordered Rada knives. They have raised \$2,037.00 towards a new lawn mower.
- E-Mail Addresses – We have received a lot of e-mails back that were undeliverable. Please let Ron know if your e-mail address has changed. We would like to contact everyone as we move on.

Door Prize Winners;

Dennis LaRoque - Plant

Donella Kubiak - Plant

Peg Hill - \$15.00 gift certificate to Big Daddy's

Ken Maeckelbergh - \$15.00 gift certificate to Big Daddy's

Harry Brock - \$15.00 gift certificate to Big Daddy's

Motion by John Parenteau to adjourn, second by Pat Smith, approved. The meeting adjourned at 10:10 a.m.

Submitted by:

Renee K. McAdamis
Secretary



Around the Lakes

The following is editorial material from TLDA members. You are welcome to submit material for any newsletter. Send to editor e-mail.

Ice out on the lakes: Thursday, April 6th for Rose Lake.



Did you know?

We recently learned that Van and Janet Heimbach have moved from Rose Lake, where they lived year round for more than 50 years. Janet always recorded the date on which the ice went out. Is anyone interested in carrying on this tradition? If so, please let Ron know! Thanks!



**Cabin to Rent on
July 7th & 8th, 2017
Please Call Lynn @
612-275-2985**

REMINDER: The boat landing on Lake Elora has been updated for boat launching. If you use this landing please note your vehicle should not have to back into the water. Rather, back your vehicle to the end of the concrete, and your boat should be in very deep water by that time. The boat landing will be seeing major upgrades as the season moves along.

**Memories of Our Dad at the
Cabin on Lake Elora
Tom Zbaracki -10/10/1926-9/5/2016**

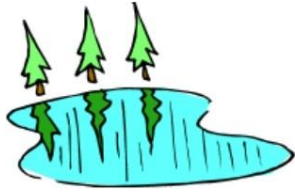
In the late 1930's our grandparents John & Sophie Zbaracki along with their sons Tom & Dick starting looking for lake property to build a log cabin. After visiting friends around Cotton and Three Lakes they bought a lake lot from Mr. Winkle on the South East side of Lake Elora so they could enjoy the beautiful evening sunsets. The cabin was the first one actually on that side of the lake besides a couple of places across the road on Winkle Lane. They cleared the land and the trees were split and the bark peeled by hand to be used on the construction of the cabin. Grandpa was a skilled carpenter and he built all the kitchen cabinets, the dressers in the bedrooms, all the doors and even some of the furniture. We still sit at the kitchen table and use the benches he built out of the logs. He worked many hours on the stone fireplace in the middle of living room. People are amazed at the construction and we still to this day get many compliments on how unique and beautiful the cabin is.

After our grandparents died our parents Tom & Mary became the owners of the cabin. Every weekend we would all pile into usually more than one car because there were nine kids in the family and head out to the lake. What a blast we would have swimming, waterskiing, sailing, fishing and eating. We all would run down to the lake to see dad run off of the dock and dive into the lake. He said that was the easy way to get used to the water. In the evening, when we were young, to give mom a break, dad would take us all fishing. He also enjoyed cooking hotdogs and burgers on the grill down by the boathouse and later the Weber on the deck. We played a lot of card and board games especially on rainy and windy days. Our cabin didn't have electricity till the 1970's so we had no TV to watch. Dad taught us how to play a poker game called Michigan Kitty and we did many jigsaw puzzles by the light of our two propane lights. At night dad would pull out his guitar and we would all sing his old songs from his Melody Mountaineer Hillbilly Band days in front of the fireplace. "You Are My Sunshine" and "The Wabash Cannonball" were our favorites.

The time we spent at the cabin was always a lot of fun but at times a lot of work. Memorial Day

weekend and Labor Day weekend weren't our favorites. We would all have to help with putting the docks and boats in the lake and cleaning the cabin and yard. Labor Day weekend was especially hard because we would have to take the docks and boats out and close up the cabin for another season. So as we were all gathered around dad's hospital bed he must have found it meaningful to leave us on Monday, September 5th at 11:50 PM, Labor Day 2016; the end of a long life of cherished memories at the cabin on Lake Elora. Dad would have been 90 on October 10th. Thank you, dad. We will miss you and mom at the lake.





TLDA Calendar

Saturday, May 13 @ 9:00 a.m.
Spring road and garden clean-up
Saturday, June 3 @ 9:30 a.m.
Spring Membership Meeting
Tuesday, July 4 (no rain date) @ 10:00 a.m.
4th of July Parade
Saturday, July 8
Rummage Sale
Saturday, July 29 (no rain date) @ 11:30 a.m.
TLDA/French Picnic
Saturday, August 26 @ 9:30 a.m.
Fall Membership Meeting
Saturday, September 23 @ 9:00 a.m.
Fall road and garden clean-up
Friday, November 24 @ 9:00 a.m.
Burning brush pile

2017 French Club Calendar

Saturday, June 17 Pie Social
Saturday, June 24 Progressive Dinner
Saturday, July 1 @ 10:00 a.m.
Membership meeting
Saturday, July 1 or 2 John and Andy Concert
Sunday, July 2 @ 8:00 – 11:00 a.m.
Pancake Breakfast
Tuesday, July 4 (no rain date) @ 10:00 a.m.
4th of July Parade
Saturday, July 15 @ 7:00 p.m.
Bingo
Saturday, July 29 @ 11:30 a.m.
French Club/TLDA Picnic
Saturday, August 5 or 12 @ 7:00 p.m.
DJ Dance
Saturday, August 19 @ 7:00 p.m.
Bingo
Saturday, September 2 @ 5:30 – 7:00 p.m.
Spaghetti Dinner
Sunday, September 3 @ 11:00 a.m.
3-Miler Race
Picnic Following Race
Saturday, October 7 @ 10:00 a.m.
Membership meeting

If you need help putting in your dock or boat this year please email Ron at rdegrio@hotmail.com. We have members that are willing to help if you need it. As far as grass cutting, if you are looking for someone let us know and we will put them in contact with you, too. Thanks!



Road Clean Up Crew – THANK YOU!

We greatly appreciate your time and commitment to keeping our road clean!



Fred Zorn, Sheldon Watts, Susan Watts, John Parenteau, Diane Parenteau, Roger LaFlamme, Mary Hartel, Sally Lindberg, Dan Zezulka, Elizabeth Simonson, Chris Magney, Bill Kubiak, Peter Jongewaard, David Fulda, Sue Gulland



TLDA Purchases Two Automatic External Defibrillators (AED's)

With the number of people moving to the area and with the increasing age, the TLDA Board decided to purchase two AED's to accommodate the need for intervention in a suspected cardiac arrest. The machine is very simple to

use with minimal training but basically is a teacher, a heart monitor, and a defibrillator (Shock).

Teacher: When you open the machine a voice prompts you to perform the necessary tasks in life saving skills needed in a cardiac arrest, specifically, performing Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation (CPR) and using the machine. They go hand in hand and are part of the Chain of Survival needed to have a successful resuscitation in a cardiac arrest. The "chain" is: 1. Recognizing a cardiac arrest when someone is unresponsive; 2. Notifying Emergency Medical Services (911); 3. Performing adequate CPR; 4. Early defibrillation (AED); and, 5. Transport to an appropriate medical facility.

Monitor: When you apply the patches the machine automatically monitors the patient's heart rhythm and determines whether the patient is in a condition that needs shocking.

Defibrillator: The AED is designed to recognize a shockable rhythm. It will automatically charge the machine and prompt you to push to shock button when ready.

AED's have saved thousands of lives across the country and have become increasingly user friendly with better engineering and more sophisticated electronics. It cannot be overstated, however, that a person in cardiac arrest needs CPR as much as the AED. They go hand in hand. So, if you haven't had CPR training, I encourage you to get it. It is very easy and could save a loved one's life. (Reprint from the Labor Day Edition)



Around the Lakes: Family Stories

In past issues, we have shared other stories submitted by families on our lakes. Here is the latest addition. You are welcome to submit material from your family! Send to editor e-mail.

Family photo found in National Magazine!

This photo was printed in the May/June edition of *Cabin Living* with the caption "Family visiting from Arizona to celebrate our annual picnic!" – Marlene Sorenson, Lake Elora, Canyon, MN. Anything else to share about this group? Let us know!



Remember as you are cleaning up and using the brush and leaf area,
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Bob's "Corner of the World"

Someone new has moved into the White House over 100 days ago. I am sorry but I have been busy with golf and basketball. Who could that be?

Rumors are the Mr. Trump and wife moved in under cover while

I was worried about Tiger returning to golf too soon. Now I understand that President Donald is to speak to both sides of Congress. Wow it is snowing again. Sure do hope I don't miss his report due to the weather but I do know that they still play golf in the rain. I prayed that I would stay alive to see the Viking new stadium and did that – but my passport to heaven will not last 8 more years but everyone is welcome to come visit my grave .. Sorry! Rev. Bob – signing off.



PRISCILLA (CHAPMAN) FISHER



Priscilla (Chapman) Fisher, 73, of Duluth passed away Tuesday, April 25, 2017 in Solvay Hospice House after a long, courageous battle with cancer.

Born June 18, 1943 in Duluth to Reginald and Elaine (Roleff) Chapman, she graduated from Duluth Central High School

before working at St. Jean's School and Minnesota Power. She married Ron Fisher Sept. 12, 1970 and raised three children. She was a lifetime member of the French Club and an active and devoted member of Holy Family (formerly St. Jean's) Church. She enjoyed reading, knitting, and spending as much time as possible at her camper by the lake. But perhaps most of all she loved her family and adored her grandchildren. Her deep and lasting devotion to her husband and children and her warm and generous nature ensured that she was loved by many friends and will be missed dearly by all who knew her.

She was preceded in death by her parents, and her brother Dan Chapman.

She is survived by her husband Ron; her children Bronwyn Lipinski of Duluth, Ethan (Heather) Fisher of Duluth, and Jessica (Kevin) Saba of Belle Plaine; her grandchildren Jonah and Dalton Lipinski, Emily and Lauren Saba, and Ethan, Hannah, and Lillian Fisher; and many nephews, nieces, and cousins.

A special thanks to the many amazing doctors, nurses, and caretakers from St. Mary's and Solvay Hospice House, who went above and beyond their duty to make an impossible experience one that was filled with laughter, care, and love.

Janet L. Soderberg



Born, Saturday, September 13, 1941. Passed away on Friday, May 19, 2017.

Janet L. Soderberg, age 75, of Canyon, formerly of Hermantown passed away peacefully at home from complications of C.O.P.D. Her loving husband was at her side. Janet was born September 13, 1941 in Duluth to Roland and Audrey Carlson and attended Denfeld High School. In her early years Janet attended cosmetology school and worked as a beautician. In her later years she worked at Glass Block in the mall. On October 17, 1959 Janet married her caring, wonderful husband of 58 years, Daryl Soderberg. She enjoyed many years wintering in Florida, traveling with family, camping, gardening, making "fatigman" and her girl's weekends.

Janet was preceded in death by her daughter, Lori Lee and her parents.

She is survived by her loving husband, Daryl; son, Lane (Ingrid) of Minneapolis; five grandchildren, Sebastian Lee, Zachary Lee, Gabe Lee, Hayden Soderberg and Tuula Soderberg; sisters, Carol Kuchenbecker and Mardy (Jim) Rodman all of Duluth; son-in-law, Mike Lee of Duluth; and many helpful and loved nieces and nephews.

The family would like to thank Dr. David Arvold, Dr. Jeray Johnson and all the nurses of St. Luke's Home Hospice, especially, Jennifer and Health Aide, Andrea for their wonderful care of Janet.

Memorials are preferred to St. Jude's Children's Hospital in lieu of flowers.