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HAPPY 250TH BIRTHDAY AMERICA

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"A Note from the Editor"
WELCOME TO BOB'S CORNER:



This was one of Bob's favorite holidays, second to Memorial Day. He loved having the parade and made sure everyone else did too! He would also want everyone to be safe and happy on the 4th of July.



3 Lakes 4th of July Parade
Sat. July 4, 10 am start
"Theme: America's 250th Birthday"
1st, 2nd, 3rd place awards.
Line up at The Watts's at 9:30am



Fall Clean up
Sat. Oct. 3rd
Meet at 8 am at the T.



**The Eben Spencer
Memorial Sailboat
Race**
**July 4 at 2pm on
Rose Lake**



Up And Coming Events

3 Lakes Area Picnic:

Sat August 15th

Starts at noon, eat at 1:00pm
8250 E Rose Lake Dr, Watts's
Burgers and Brats provided.
Bring something to share.
Raffle prizes.



Proceeds go to the new Fire Hall

3 Lakes Area Bean Bag Tournament:

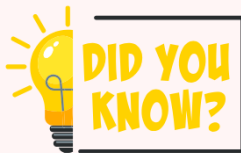
Sat August 15th

Sign up 9:30am Start 10:00 am
8250 E Rose Lake Dr, Watts's
Teams will be picked. Race to 21.
Double elimination. \$20/person.

Cash payout 1st, 2nd, 3rd place
Money will also be donated to the Fire Hall.

TLDA Fall Membership Meeting:

Sat. Aug. 29th at 9 AM at the French Club



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AED Locations

8619 S Strand Lake Road - Hargrove

6992 Lake Elora Drive - Smith

6838 Lake Elora Drive - French Club
Summer Only

7034 Three Lakes Road - Twining



Still looking for someone to take over making the signs for the events. There are signs to be used already and can be edited. Please let anyone on the board know if you are interested.

Kudos, Cheers, and Applause

Thanks go out to The Watts Girls,
Michelle Lyons and Robin Cicmil,
for bringing back the picnic.

Fun Facts in History

1777- The first organized **Fourth of July celebration** took place in Philadelphia with bonfires, bells, fireworks, and patriotic festivities.

1826-Both **John Adams and Thomas Jefferson** passed away exactly 50 years after the signing of the Declaration of Independence on the nation's birthday.

1884- **The Statue of Liberty** was presented by France to the United States during ceremonies in Paris. It would later become one of America's most recognizable symbols of freedom.



Attention:

Since the French Club 3 Miler is not happening this year, is there anyone who wants to form a committee to have a 3 Lakes 3 Miler? Please contact Michelle Lyons. 218-348-6143



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