

Grand Lake Association / Association du Lac Grand

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NOTICE OF 2019 ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

This year's meeting will be held on Saturday July 13th at 10 AM at Crepin Beach (weather permitting or alternatively at the Grand Lake Sports Club). This will be followed by a free barbecue, rain or shine. If you have a tidy portable chair, bring it as seating can be a challenge.



What a winter and late spring, but it looks like summer will indeed arrive so residents and cottagers of Grand Lake and Green Lake can again enjoy the incredible beauty of our special environment we are fortunate to share with family and friends.

Your Lake Association invites you to become aware of the content of this newsletter and also learn of the various activities planned to make this another enjoyable season at the lake.

Please contact any member of the Board if you have any questions, comments or information that could be of interest to your Association. Please refer to the last page of this newsletter for a complete list of directors and contact details.

Call for New Members for the Board of the Grand Lake Association

We are always seeking energetic candidates with new ideas interested in joining the Board of the Grand Lake Association, or volunteering to chair and manage special projects or activities. If you are interested in submitting your name for consideration, please do so by using the form attached to this newsletter. You may also submit the name of another member for consideration, with his/her approval of course. All submitted names will be reviewed by the Nominating Committee who will report at the AGM. We have had a significant renewal on the Board and special project committees and the future looks good.

Membership

Our 2018/2019's membership again stood at virtually 100% of the property owners on Grand Lake and Green Lake, a statistic that makes the envy of other lakes in Val-des-Monts. It also gives us a strong voice when we need to interact with various levels of government. This past year, 67 members also signed up for Winter Patrol. We want to thank James Lévesque, our patroller for performing this important and historically successful patrol service.

Our data base includes double entries for surnames where indicated on the latest membership forms and in the order submitted.

For your convenience, attached to this newsletter is a copy of the 2019/2020 membership form. We really appreciate receiving these forms, as they provide us accurate information as a means of communicating and creating up-to-date Grand Lake Directory's every few years. To date, almost all cottagers have indicated that they prefer to receive their correspondence by e-mail. If you have any questions or wish to provide your e-mail address for all Association communications, please e-mail rosfrith@outlook.com



We continue to work towards increasing the size of our reserve funds to maintain their purchasing power.

Treasury

Our treasury continues to reflect a strong surplus position, with reserves of \$63,195 invested securely and conservatively in CDIC-insured instruments plus a current account balance of just over \$600. As usual, our annual fees cover all administrative costs, which are minor, and all Association events are designed to be self-financing. In fact, some events actually contribute funds to the Association.

As most of you are aware, the Association maintains the reserve funds largely for contingencies and unexpected events that could arise and potentially impact our Members. Certain reserves are also earmarked for specific purposes.

We believe that it is prudent to continually seek means of increasing reserves creatively to allow us to be in a position to make a meaningful contribution to any significant problem that may surface, as well as provide critical funding to spending initiatives that could be brought to us by members to maintain, protect or enhance the lake environment and water quality we all cherish. A guiding principle for reserve spending is that the result will benefit all members. Our 2018/2019 Milfoil Project is virtually complete, at a cost of approximately \$6,000.

Annual Golf Tournament - 26th Edition

*July 26, 2019
Grand Lake
Golf Tournament at
the Edelweiss Golf
Club*



The 2019 Annual Grand Lake Golf Tournament will be held on Friday, 26th July at the Edelweiss Golf Club in Wakefield, Quebec. Check in will start at 11:30AM with a shotgun start at 1 PM sharp for all teams.

A registration form with all the details required is part of the newsletter package for you to easily complete and scan and e-mail or fax or mail to the co-ordinates on the sheet. We will also accept e-mailed funds for those who dislike using any paper transactions - like cheques.

Please contact Dale Smith at dale@dalegsmith.ca or Siobhan Devlin at devlinsiobhan@gmail.com or Dave Helgason at dave.classicrenovations@gmail.com.

Please register and commit by July 2, latest, (by July 2 will save you \$5 each!) as it assists with planning the event properly and as well allows us to confirm the correct number to the Golf Club to avoid paying

for people who do not show. We need at least 60 golfers to allow us a shotgun start; the only way to go to allow for proper socializing after golf/before dinner.

We are hoping to field a good mix of young and not-so-young golfers who want to enjoy a fun outing in a beautiful setting. Please encourage your neighbours, family and friends to share in a "Grand" experience and join us for a memorable day!



Environment

General

Grand Lake is a member of the Federation of Lakes of Val-des-Monts. The Federation has put forward its most ambitious project to date for the protection and improvement of lake water quality in the Val-des-Monts area. The *Val-des-Monts Integrated Watershed Management Project* (PGLVDM) is a study of all the accessible and inhabited lakes of the Rivière Blanche watershed in Val-des-Monts with a view to create a Water Master Plan (PDE).

This would see the Federation participating with VdesM to develop an action plan to seek proper funding (from various levels of government) and then implement actual plans that will help us protect our watershed.

This process will inevitably be slower than we want, but at least it is starting. We, as the GLA, are

supporting this cause and the Federation's role.

Water Testing

2019 is the 16th year we have tested the waters for Tp (Total phosphorous), the principal indicator for the nutrient level in the lake, which promotes weed growth.

When we began in 2003, the advice from the biologist was that we should not put too much stock into actual numbers for any particular year because of the many variables that could affect the results; but if we collected data on a continuing basis, that there would be trends that would be revealed.

For the number crunchers in the membership, we shall post all results on the website with GPS coordinates that identify a more precise location of the 5 current test sites. We will do the same with fecal coliform testing results.

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For additional information about the activities of the Federation, check the web site

<http://www.federationdeslacs.ca>

Later in the summer we will test for e-coli. This is done to reassure us that the lake is safe for swimming which has far and away been the case every summer we have tested.



This is what Eurasian Milfoil looks like- please remove carefully any floating pieces you see! If not, they eventually sink to the lake bottom and multiply like rabbits.

Boating and Swimming Safety

EVERYONE who operates a motorized pleasure water craft (PWC) must carry on board at all times a proof of competency (such as a Pleasure Craft Operator Card, a Boating Safety Course Completion Card, proof of the successful completion of a boating safety course, or a certificate or other document pertaining to boating safety). Proof of competency is not required for pleasure craft without motors. Visit www.boatingsafety.gc.ca to get details. Please refer to the new map in the latest Directory.

Action Checklist for Recreation and Water craft Use:

- All watercraft (powered or not) must be equipped with navigation lights if operated after sunset or before sunrise.
- Operating a boat or PWC if you are under age is subject to a fine of \$100.
- Scan constantly for people, objects and other watercraft on the water.
- Be alert for conditions that limit your visibility or block your vision of others.
- As you leave or arrive at your dock with your boat or PWC, you MUST BY LAW use a 90 degree angle in order to avoid unnecessary wake (causing shoreline erosion), hitting swimmers or collision with other boats.
- Please practice BOATING sport activities as far as possible from the shoreline where the lake is wide and clear of obstructions. This will reduce, although not eliminate, the damage of wakes on our precious shores.
- Swim in designated swim safe zones (WITHIN 100 feet from shore) and boaters use extreme caution in these zones where most people swim.
- Be visible at all times while swimming. There have been reports of swimmers crossing the lake without proper accompanying spot boats or markers. This is a very dangerous situation, and we have had near misses.

FYI – Points of Interest

As you will already be aware, the water level this spring reached new record levels, causing considerable property and environmental damage as well. This damage could have been avoided by effecting proper dam management protocols on the Dam Lake dam, procedures which were requested from, but permanently denied by, the Municipality. Please take extra precautions with your boat wake management until our lake gets down to more normal levels. Our shorelines are already showing some devastating effects and we are losing very special old trees.

At the upcoming AGM, we will again report on recent developments in our watershed with respect to the invasive species Eurasian milfoil and measures that are being tested to control its attack on our lakes. **Refer to the special report of the Milfoil Committee attached hereto.**

We continue to closely follow any indications of development activities that could impact our lake and environment in any way, and regularly meet with appropriate representatives of the various authorities who have some role in this domain. Peter Kearns has a mandate to make appropriate enquiries and report regularly to the Executive and in due course to our Association members. If you are aware of any such activities that warrant further research, please advise Peter or any one of our executive whose co-ordinates are on page 8. At the AGM we will invite the Mayor to speak on the latest development activities that could impact us, as well as other matters.

We remind folks of the latest septic inspection rules and also new garbage collection and composting rules being imposed by Val-Des-Monts. Some carry significant fines for non-compliance. Details are available on our lake website or on the Municipality website as well.

We hear a number of complaints about noise and frequent fireworks, as well as broken glass, campfires and related mess at Crepin Beach. We ask that all neighbours of Crepin Beach be respectful of that beach property and of the rights of others to peaceful enjoyment of their time at the lake.

See special fundraising insert attached.

Who said there are no fish left in Grand Lake-both were carefully caught and released in the last couple of years. If you have bigger or better, please send pics!



Sailing 2019: GLSA.ca

Ahoy, and welcome to the 2019 Grand Lake sailing season!! You and your guests of any age and ability are welcome to participate in the Sunday race held each week and our annual Founder's Regatta. The initial race schedule is listed below. The first race will be on Sunday June 23 with a start at 12 noon off of the Potheary dock (green cottage in the south basin)*. The final race schedule will be available by July 1 and will be posted on the GLA website under Sailing (<http://lacgrandlake.ca>); along with the results of prior races. The emphasis is on fun with some light-hearted competitive spirit showing up from time-to-time. Come on out, you'll fit in with minimal sailing experience. If you need help rigging your boat or getting going the more experienced sailors are always keen to welcome newcomers with their guidance and words of encouragement - just ask. We also welcome on-the-water spectators (no wake and stay clear of the racers please). If you want to get involved in other ways there is an ongoing demand for assistance (blowing whistles, taking pictures, keeping track of finishes, setting a course mark). Volunteers for either the season, or one day are always appreciated. Contact one of the co-commoedores, information below.

2019 RACE SCHEDULE – Firm

Each Sunday with **starts promptly at noon**. Races generally alternate from the south end to the north end of the lake each week.

Sunday June 23. Potheary dock --This race does not count towards the season's overall results, but is a good opportunity to get your boat on the water and see how it (and you) have survived the winter.

Sunday June 30. (Canada Day weekend). Ford dock.

Sunday July 7. Maclaren dock. NOTE: Annual Mug up and sailors meeting immediately after the race.

RACE SCHEDULE - Tentative (check <http://lacgrandlake.ca> for updates and/or get on our email distribution - see below.)

Sunday July 14. Potheary dock.

Sunday July 21. Ford dock.

Sunday July 28. Potheary dock.

Sunday August 4. Ford dock.

Sunday August 11. Maclaren dock. Annual Founders Regatta.

Sunday August 18. Potheary dock.

Sunday August 25. Maclaren dock.

Sunday September 1. Ford dock.

ALL AGES AND ALL ABILITIES ARE WARMLY INVITED TO TAKE PART IN THE GRAND LAKE SAILING RACES. If interested contact one of the co-commoedores:

Ian Maclaren, [613-806-2670](tel:613-806-2670), ikmaclaren@gmail.com

Duncan Vipond, [819-617-1091](tel:819-617-1091), devipond@rogers.com

Races start **at 12 noon** every Sunday. * For a chart showing the courses, contact Sarah Potheary, [416-365-3245](tel:416-365-3245), spothecary@strabo.ca.

If you would like to add your name to the list of people who receive e-mail communications about sailing activities, please contact Sarah Potheary.

Condolences

James Kokonis passed away February 21, 2019, at 86 years young. A brilliant and highly respected intellectual property litigator, "Jim" was also President of the Grand Lake Association for a number of years and loved life, travelling the world with Helen and spending time with family and friends at Grand Lake

Callan-Robinson, Jane (73 years young)

Kit and Jane Robinson were long-time residents of Grand Lake. They enjoyed the idyllic two island location in the south-end of Grand Lake connected by a bridge. Jane courageously faced the cancer that had invaded her body for the last two years of her life. She passed away in her Chelsea home on April 16, 2019, with her loving husband, Kit and son, Christopher by her side. Many of her friends on the lake will miss her sunny disposition and outgoing personality.

Our sincere condolences to family and friends

*Get those
boats in the
water and
ready to sail.
See you on
the water.*



Hiking Trail Update – June 2019



As I have reported in the last several editions of this newsletter, logging activities have played havoc with maintenance of the trail. The current approach to commercial logging using strip cutting rather than selective cuts, leaves behind considerably more large debris and ugly landscapes, not to mention ruined habitat and impassable trails. We are still in the process of reconfirming with provincial authorities the access to the crown land at the north end of Lac Grand and Lac de la Montagne for our hiking trails that was originally negotiated nearly a decade ago.

In the meantime, I am happy to report that the trail heading south and then west from the Trailhead toward Lac de la Montagne and then up to splendid views high above Lac de la Montagne and Lac Grand is in good shape and unimpeded by logging activity. The usual tidying up of winter debris – fallen branches and the occasional dead tree – is required to get the trail back to tip-top shape. That should be completed by July 1st. As the old logging road is still extremely unattractive in the aftermath of several seasons of extensive logging, an out-and-back route for this trek is recommended.

For this summer season, hikers wishing to venture up to the heights above the Culbute will find a more passable and better marked route by starting from the ‘green’ dock about half way along the north shore from the main Trailhead toward the Culbute. Again, fine-tuning of signage and removal of winter debris should be completed by July 1st. To get to the best look-out spots above the Culbute, follow the small road slightly downhill when you arrive at the junction of the trail and the road high up on the hill-side.

A reminder for new and long-standing users of the trail: the path is marked with white metal blazes approximately 6 cm x 20 cm fastened to trees on the right-hand side of the trail. Two parallel blazes means the trail turns in the direction of the higher blaze. A T-symbol signals the end of the trail. (Head back by the out-going route, or proceed on your own!)

Revised trail maps reflecting the above will be available at the Trailhead sign-in box by end of June.

Given the amount of work required to restore those sections of our traditional trail system affected by logging, I am looking for individuals or families to volunteer to act as ‘trail stewards’ for designated sections of the trail. This will help spread the work around, and allow volunteers to oversee their piece of the trail at their own pace and schedules. We will still have group work parties, but trail maintenance can happen independently as well on group occasions. Please get in touch with me if you are interested in pitching in.

Despite the unpleasant bouts of ecocide downloaded on to the woods, habitat and wildlife at the north end of the lake, now that the trees have leafed out and views of the carnage are blocked, our trails are once again able to provide a pleasant diversion and peaceful refuge for all of us.

Abby Hoffman
Trail Coordinator
abby.hoffman@canada.ca
819 – 457 1289 (cottage number)
613 – 614 3878 (mobile)

WEBSITE

We're always looking for ideas and content that would be of interest to our members and volunteers.

Reports and photos from lake activities, Canada Day, Golf Tournament and Poker Run etc. get posted promptly when received. Sailing results go up each week but apart from that there is no actual recurring content. A number of Road Associations have meetings and minutes which are posted on the Community Page, and the Cottagers Map has proven to be quite popular. For Services, For Sale or For Rent we post in the language we receive. Submitting your content in French and English guarantees the largest audience.

Please contact Paul Butler at butlerpauld@gmail.com



Canada Day Celebrations

The 2019 Canada Day Boat Parade will take place on Monday July 1st (rain or shine), departing at noon from the SOUTH end of the lake. A clearly designated boat will lead the boat parade around the lake. Everyone is welcome, regardless of boat size, and you are asked to decorate your boat suitably for Canada Day. You will be eligible for one of the three prizes to be awarded, to be judged by a distinguished panel of independent experts! No promises, but watch out for a possible flypast from the Snowbirds!

We are advised that Mike Avon (south end of the lake at Mike Avon's dock) will initiate a fireworks display to take place on Sunday June 30 at about 9:30 p.m. (dark). If you wish to observe same from the lake, please be careful and drive slowly when entering and leaving the viewing area. Rain date for this will be July 1.

Poker Run 2019

Join us for the annual Grand Lake Poker Run starting at 1:00pm on Saturday August 31, 2019 (rain date Sunday September 1, 2019). The first stop is **Helgason's dock located at 71 Portage** at the south-east end of the lake. For \$20 per hand of cards (max. 2 adults per hand) you will get your first card, sealed in an envelope, and a map of where to get the other 4 sealed cards at different docks around the lake. When you have all 5 cards, take your poker hand to the Goldberg cottage (formerly the Reynolds's cottage) at 347 Barrage where your 5 envelopes will be opened by the Dealer. . All cards must remain in their sealed envelopes ... no peeking! The BarBQ lunch (BYOB) will starting at 3:00pm. Cash prizes will be awarded to the best 3 hands and to the worst hand. Children under 17 eat free but lunch is also available for adults over 17 not participating in the poker hands at \$5 per person. All children 12 and under will receive gifts!

Contact Dave Helgason 613-614-1873 dave.classicrenovations@gmail.com or smlgoodwin@gmail.com

This is not a race or a gambling event! Come and join the fun!!! And meet fellow lakere!



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The ice went out of the lake, Spring 2019, between May 1-2. Three water samples were taken at each of the five test sites on May 19th; the test results were averaged. The results (mg./ml.) were: Culbute Basin - 9.0; North Basin – 11.0 ; South Basin – 11.0 ; Southeast Basin – 11.0, and Southwest Basin – 5.0 .We will test again for phosphorous in early July and September, and for fecal coliforms in early July and mid-August.

Perhaps most disconcerting is the constantly increasing spread of European milfoil. This is an invasive species which is difficult to control, but which is frequently assisted by careless human activity, most commonly, boat traffic through milfoil patches. This results in quantities of milfoil “cuttings” which are capable of drifting with currents, settling to the bottom in a new site, rooting, and spreading further in this new location. In another section of the newsletter you will read details of the activity of a dedicated group of resident volunteers who are tackling this issue head-on.

Interpretation

Phosphorous ~ while the results appear to indicate a slight decrease over last year, a review of past results does show that there have been previous peaks and valleys of equivalent magnitude. But behind occasional spikes, our 16 years of data show a clear upward trend year-over-year, which should be the focus and concern of us all.

Water clarity ~ while long-time residents often discuss the decrease in water clarity over many decades, the Secchi Disk results continue to be consistent with the classification OLIGOTROPHIC: “clear water with very low levels of phosphates, algae, and nutrients.” This spring the Secchi readings were less than 3 m., but this is consistent with the lake spring turnover. We will repeat readings in late June.

The Way Forward

The direct link between human activities on a lake and phosphate increase/water clarity decrease is irrefutable. Short of Draconian measures, which would be totally unrealistic and unsupportable, there is really no action that will halt or reverse the gradual degradation of the lake without complete buy-in and cooperation of all lake residents. Simply, water quality and environmental stewardship is, and will be, the responsibility of all of us.

The three most significant contributors to this degradation are shoreline erosion, chemical runoff, and careless operation of boats.

The three most effective countermeasures to which we can all contribute are:

- 1) **Maintain your shoreline in the most natural state possible.** Native vegetation does an effective job of retaining many of the products of surface run-off, particularly phosphates and nitrates, and offers some protection against shoreline erosion.
- 2) **WYW** ~ Watch your wake. There are still a few boaters who seem completely unaware of the serious impact of their wakes on the lake shoreline. The Grand Lake Association Boating Guidelines were not formulated as an attempt to restrict fun or use of the lake; rather, they were intended to acknowledge the large increase in lake population over the years and the need to try to balance the varying uses of the lake

with a minimal impact on its ecosystems. Wakes require time and distance to expend their energy, otherwise, the full impact of that energy will be absorbed by the shoreline directly. A wake that drives hard onto shore will drag sediment back into the shallow water, causing silt to cloud the water and gradually smother the bottom. The first 10 feet of lake bottom supports almost 90% of the aquatic life in the lake. It's not rocket science to extrapolate the importance of protecting that buffer zone. If you are within 100 feet of shore, you should be travelling dead slow, and producing no wake.

Try to avoid patches of weed. There is more than likely milfoil within the patch and if it is cut loose, it will continue its invasion of the lake.

- 3) Perhaps the easiest, **make “greener” decisions involve many household products** (we are a long way from a municipal drainage system with sewage treatment etc.)
FYI: Cleaning Kills: Phosphorus in detergents and shampoos end up in lake waters and many lakes in Canada are dead or dying. It is our responsibility to preserve our lake and encourage others to do so as well. Make sure ***ALL*** your cleaning products are phosphorous free, and that all water containing cleaning product residue gets filtered by your septic system. For example, if you operate a dishwasher, consider using an environmentally gentler brand of detergent.... same with laundry soaps. There are many other examples. Specialty shops now cater to this market niche. In most cases, the cost is comparable to “less-green” items.

GRAND LAKE NEWSLETTER SPRING 2019-MILFOIL UPDATE

Together we can beat the Milfoil Monster!

Last fall we told you about an invasive weed, Eurasian Milfoil, which has taken root in Grand Lake and about our efforts to contain it by installing green buoys around the lake. These green buoys mark the boundaries of the milfoil infestations, and we ask that you please respect them by going around them. We will soon have white buoys installed where even more caution is needed. These white buoys will have a sign on the top indicating that you should keep out of this area. Whether you are boating, canoeing, kayaking or swimming, please keep away from the milfoil! Any disturbance of this weed will break off pieces that can grow into a new plant.

We also wanted to let you know that over the winter we partnered with five other lakes – Dam, St.-Pierre, McGregor, McArthur and Bernard, on a coordinated milfoil information campaign. You will soon be receiving an infographic that describes this invasive weed, and gives you hints on how to stop its spread. We have included a magnet so that you can display this infographic on your fridge for your friends, family, and visitors to see. It is critical that you share this with anyone who uses your property. Also included is a letter and a map showing where the buoys are located. We will be delivering these packages to each cottage, in a biodegradable bag. Please keep an eye out for it!

We have a huge lake and with a little care we can all help stop the spread of this invasive species.

Stéphanie Milot of the Federation des Lacs de Val-des-Monts continues to serve as our contact for all technical milfoil-related questions. You can reach her at www.federationlacsvaldesmonts@gmail.com.



Attachment

**Notice of Intent to be a candidate for
the Board of Directors of the Grand Lake Association**

I, _____, hereby place my name in
nomination as a candidate for the Board of Directors of the Grand Lake
Association. I am enclosing an information sheet (*) about myself.

Signature _____
Date _____

I, _____ nominate

as a candidate for the Board of Directors of the Grand Lake Association.

I am enclosing an information sheet about the candidate. I confirm that I have
his/her agreement to submit his/her name as a candidate. I attach an
information sheet (*) about her/him.

Signature _____
Date _____

**time of residency on the lake/ areas of personal interest/ any area of expertise relevant to
issues impacting Grand Lake/ etc...*

Please mail before July 6, 2019 to Past President Dale Smith, 274 Ch du Lac Grand, Val-
des-Monts, Québec J8N 5J7 or email to dale@dalegsmith.ca.

Grand Lake Association/Association du lac Grand

219 chemin H.-Vipond, Val-des-Monts, QC J8N 5J5

Membership Form / Formulaire d'adhésion

Names/Noms : _____

Home Address/Adresse à la maison : Unchanged Please check ____ Inchangée : SVP cocher ____

New Address/Nouvelle adresse : _____

Cottage Address/Adresse du chalet : Unchanged : Please check ____ Inchangée : SVP cocher ____

New Address/Nouvelle adresse : _____

Telephone Numbers/Numéros de téléphone:

Unchanged : Please check : ____

Inchangé : SVP cocher : ____

New Numbers/Nouveaux numéros :

Home/Maison : _____

Office/Bureau : _____

Cottage/Chalet : _____

E-Mail/Courriel : _____

Please send all correspondence by email / Veuillez faire parvenir toute correspondance par courriel

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I accept to having my name, address and telephone number appear in the next Grand Lake Directory:

Please check: ____

J'accepte que mon nom, adresse et numéro de téléphone soient inclus dans le répertoire du lac Grand :

Cocher svp : ____

Language Preference / Langue préférée :

English /Anglais ☐

French/Français ☐

Membership (June 1st 2019 to May 31st 2020) / Adhésion (1er juin 2019 au 31 mai 2020)

Membership & Winter Patrol : before July 13th AGM \$75 () after July 13th \$80 ()

Adhésion & patrouille d' hiver : avant le 13 juillet 75 \$ () après le 13 juillet 80 \$ ()

Contact name, telephone number and address for winter patrol:

Nom, numéro de téléphone et adresse pour la patrouille d'hiver : _____

OR/OU

Membership Only : before July 13th AGM \$25 () after July 13th AGM \$30 ()

Adhésion seulement : avant le 13 juillet AGA 25 \$ () après le 13 juillet AGA 30 \$ ()

Please make cheque payable to **Grand Lake Association /**

Veuillez faire le chèque à l'ordre de : **l'Association du lac Grand**

If you prefer, you can e-transfer funds to rosfrith@outlook.com

Si vous préférez, vous pouvez effectuer un transfert bancaire à rosfrith@outlook.com



Grand Lake Annual Golf Tournament July 26, 2019

The annual golf tournament represents a long-standing Grand Lake tradition (26th year) for old and new cottagers and their friends, started by Brian Reynolds. Each year seems to generate new participants, as well as most of the “regulars”, and a good time is had by all. Once again we will play and dine at the nearby Edelweiss Golf Club, a venue that has served our needs well for many recent years. We are hoping to have at least 60 golfers again this year, the minimum number required for a shotgun start. A shotgun start works very well, providing more social time with our fellow cottagers and guests since all golfers finish at virtually the same time. The shotgun start will be at 1:00pm and dinner will follow at 7:00pm. Register early to assure a spot. Invite your family and friends for a full day of friendship, fun and golf!

Date: Friday July 26, 2019 – Registration starts at 11:30 am, 1 pm shot gun start

Where: Edelweiss Gold Club - 465 Chemin Edelweiss, Wakefield, QC J0X 3G0 (819) 459-2331

Golf and dinner: If paid by July 1 - \$85 per person (includes your wine raffle contribution), \$90 thereafter (includes shared power cart and Tee Package!)

Dinner only: Paid by July 1 \$43 (includes your wine raffle contribution), \$48 thereafter

Format: 4 person best ball, great for beginners and experienced golfers alike

Prizes: There will be door prizes and traditional trophies and gifts awarded the low scoring team, best putter, longest drive (senior men, men and women) and closest to the pin (men and women).

Wine Raffle: This year the Committee will buy and bring for each participant (golf and dinner or dinner only) a bottle of store-bought wine of at least \$15 value to provide the wines for the wine raffle-which raises the funds required to make the tournament function. Raffles will be held for various lots of the wine throughout the evening.

Registration: Register your foursome or register individually and we will team you up with appropriate fellow Grand Lakers or their guests.

Register by email – contact Dale Smith at dale@dalegsmith.ca (514-891-9805) (fax -514-908-9677) or Siobhan Devlin at devlinsiobhan@gmail.com or dave.classicrenovations@gmail.com.

See you on the links! Please register early – it is essential to allow the volunteers to plan properly.

Register Now

Player 1 _____

Player 2 _____

Player 3 _____

Player 4 _____

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You can pay by e-transfer to dale@dalegsmith.ca or by cheque to Dale Smith

SPECIAL FUNDRAISING EVENT 2019

A friend of Peter Kearns, who visited Peter and Grand Lake last summer, was able to capture some amazing photographs of our Grand Lake loons. Denis is a world-class nature photographer ; you can see his works at www.denisdanheisernatureimages.com. He has graciously donated two very high resolution photographs to our Association which we intend to raffle to our members (and family/visitors) over the summer. There will be two prizes drawn, each for one of the two framed photos below, which will be displayed at the AGM on July 13. Ticket sales end and the prizes will be drawn at the last event of the year-our Poker Run on Labour Day weekend.

