

Tulaby Lake Association Newsletter

SPRING 2019

TULABY LAKE ASSOCIATION IS ON FACEBOOK! LIKE US!

Greetings from the Tulaby Lake Association

There are serious signs of Spring at Tulaby Lake! Hopefully the ice will be out this week or next and the weather will take a serious turn to warming up. We will soon be spending more time at our lake getting ready for summer and catching up with our lake neighbors. As always, we all are anxious to enjoy the lake and share that experience with our family and friends.

We want to thank those who have sent in their membership dues for 2019. If you know anyone who would like to become a member, please invite them to our next meeting or direct them to one of the board members. In researching the association's past, we discovered association bylaws written in 1967. Our association has existed over 50 years. Wow. We can be proud of our tradition of stewardship and feel confident the next generations will also be vigilant and committed to ensure lake quality. The Association has a fund of over \$2,000 dedicated to providing support to the lake and environment.

At our Spring meeting we will need input from our membership concerning priorities and practices in using those funds. Please attend and share your views.

Don't forget to like us on Facebook! This is a great place to connect. Folks have even put out questions about local news or ideas for seeking support to maintain their lake residents. Your participation with our Facebook page is greatly appreciated.

This year we were able to continue hosting an association website at www.tulabylakeassociation.org. Here we post local updates, a schedule of events, membership information, Director contact information, association bylaws, links to past newsletters and membership meeting minutes. It's easy to catch up and stay informed by visiting the website.

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We hope to see you all at the **Spring Meeting May 18th at noon at Fire Hall**. Read inside what topics will be discussed.

Have a great spring and summer!!

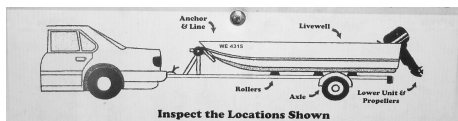
Kind Regards,
Tulaby Lake Association Board



Boat Parade 2018



HELP
STOP
AQUATIC
HITCHHIKERS



NOW IS THE TIME TO RENEW YOUR LAKE
ASSOCIATION MEMBERSHIP

Calendar of Events 2019

Sat. May 11: Season Opener

Walleye and Northern
Catch and Release ONLY Bass

Sat. May 18: Ditch Clean Up

10:00AM Fire Hall

Sat. May 18: Potluck & Membership Meeting

12:00PM Fire Hall

Potluck Lunch

Bring a dish to pass, a beverage, and your own tableware

Membership Meeting

Sat. May 25 : Season Opener

Large & Smallmouth Bass

Mon. May 27: Memorial Day

Thursday, July 4: Boat Parade

10:00AM Outlet Area

Sunday, Aug 4: Summer Picnic & Membership Meeting Tulaby Lake Landing

12:00PM

Pot-luck & Hotdogs

Bring a dish to pass & a beverage

Membership Meeting

Election of Directors

Mon. Sept. 2: Labor Day

Sat. Sept. 14: Ditch Clean Up

10:00AM Fire Hall

Calendar of Events Elbow and Tulaby Lakes Fire Department

Pancake Breakfast

Sunday, May 19, 2019 - **NEW DATE**

8:00AM - 12:00PM

Fire Hall

Pig Roast

Saturday, August 10, 2019

11:00AM - 2:00PM

Watch for signs!

Fire Hall

Pancake Breakfast

Labor Day Weekend

Sunday, Sept. 1, 2019

8:00AM - 12:00PM

Fire Hall

SPRING DITCH CLEAN UP, POTLUCK & MEETING SATURDAY, May 18, 2019



Twice a year we could use your help for about one hour to clean the ditches near Tulaby Lake.

Every clean up we have about 8 - 12 people making light work of picking up liter. Join an energetic group on for our spring ditch cleaning on **Saturday morning, May 18th, at the Elbow and Tulaby Lakes Firehall at 10AM.**

Wear comfortable shoes or boots. Wear gloves. Remember to spray your clothes to avoid ticks. Vests are provided.

Later join your lake neighbors for a potluck lunch at noon at the firehall. After the lunch the members present will have the spring association meeting.

Please bring your own tableware and drink plus bring a dish to pass. The spread at the potluck is pretty amazing!

*Ditch Cleaning
2018*



Spring Meeting Topics of Discussion

Treasurer's Report

Boat Parade - Grand Marshall

Secretary's Report

Lake Quality Fund - fund has been started with over \$2,000 to be used to support lake quality. **Membership input is very much needed to determine the priorities for these funds.**

Fish stocking - current donations to the DNR and the Waubun Sportsmen Club

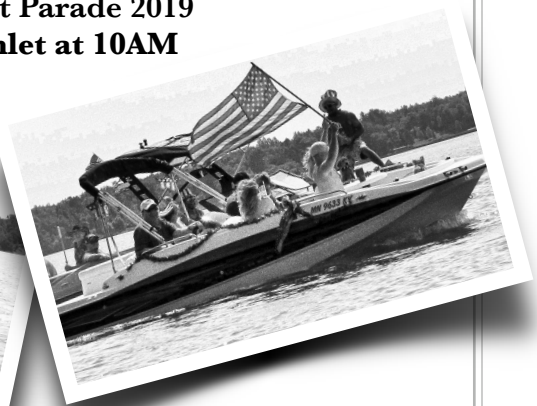
Shelter Project - final details of the abandonment of the project

Engaging the community - discussion on increasing membership participation and recruiting individuals to serve on the board of directors

Contributions - association's process for managing contributions to the shelter project

Other New Business -

4th of July Boat Parade 2019 Meet in the inlet at 10AM



Board of Directors

Association Board Member Roster
The following is a list of Tulaby Lake
Association Board members and their
contact information.

Bryan Vidden - Acting President
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Pat Adams - Secretary
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Scott Skauge - Director
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Ray Thorkildson - Director
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Cathy Wambach - Director
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Brian Ciak - Director
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Board member Terms Ending in 2019:

Ray Thorkildson
Scott VanDam
Brian Ciak

Board member Terms Ending in 2020:

Scott Skauge
Pat Adams
Bryan Vidden

Board member Terms Ending in 2021:

Danny Pinske
John Oncken
Cathy Wambach

NEW 2019 Directory

The new directory is at the printer and will be available this Spring.

Since the 2013 directory was published there has been a significant number of lake properties transferred to the next generation or sold. At one time there was nearly 10 percent of the properties on Tulaby in the process of being sold. To avoid creating a directory that wasn't complete we decided to delay a new publication. Now, however, there seems to be fewer properties for sale and our directory will be mostly complete.

Several **lake residents helped by walking door to door to collect information** from new residents. Thank you very much for those efforts!

We also want to say **thank you to Scott Beaton** for offering to print our 2019 Directory for no cost. This is an incredible gift and it is greatly appreciated.

New and updated information can be emailed to Pat Adams at tulabylakeassociation@gmail.com.



THANK YOU FOR YOUR MEMBERSHIP TO THE TULABY LAKE ASSOCIATION

Your membership dues are needed more than ever to continue lake water testing and monitoring, support and promote lake quality and lake stewardship, maintain partnerships with local and state organizations, and provide information to our membership and lake residents!

Please send your annual 2019 membership **dues of \$25** to:

Tulaby Lake Association, Danny Pinske Treasurer
38150 Tulaby Lake Drive, Waubun, MN 56589

Please update all the information. Include an email address!!

Please notify Pat Adams of any address changes or neighbor changes so the directory and mailing information remains current and correct. You can email her at tulabylakeassociation@gmail.com or by sending information to Pat Adams, 25572 Gramford Avenue N, Wyoming, MN 55092



**STOP AQUATIC
HITCHHIKERS!**

Prevent the transport of nuisance species.
Clean all recreational equipment.
www.ProtectYourWater.net

**Pull all the plugs. Clean off aquatic plants.
Drain water from bilge, live-wells, bait
containers. Dry for 7 days or decontaminate.**
-Mahnomon County Soil & Water Conservation District



**SUMMER 2019
NORTHERN PIKE
Regulation Reminder**

A new regulation that began in 2018 has a new limit of ten northern per day. However, only two northern can be greater than 26 inches and all northern between 22 and 26 inches must be immediately released. **The DNR will be enforcing this regulation.**

The purpose of the regulation is to reduce the harvest of the larger breeding females and to increase the harvest of smaller northern to control stunted growth in a lakes population of northern.

More information is available at www.dnr.state.mn.us.



REQUEST FOR TULABY LAKE HISTORY

Each year included in the Spring Newsletter we have tried to offer interesting information about the history and people of Tulaby Lake. **I am looking for contributions to this effort.**

We know that the lake has changed considerably over time and we would like to capture those stories of the people, events and life on Tulaby Lake before those stories are gone forever. **I am asking you to consider contacting me, the lake association secretary, to meet and share your information.** I have a portable scanner for scanning old photos and can work to enhance and edit those photos. These stories and the photos can be included in future newsletters and recorded for future generations to also enjoy.



Please contact me at tulabylakeassociation@gmail.com or call me at 651.269.6070. I will be around a great deal this summer both during the week and weekends.

If you know people who I should contact, please let me know. If you have ideas for me to investigate, please make those suggestions. If you know books or other documents that are available for me to research, please alert me to those.

CORRECTION: In the Spring 2018 newsletter it was stated the Tulaby Lake Association was accomplishing such things as "keeping the gravel roads maintained." This statement is not correct. The Becker County Eagle View Township and Mahnomon County Elbow Lake Township maintain the gravel roads around Tulaby Lake.