



Minutes for the Quarterly Meeting held March 19, 2011

Present: Karl Frickelton, Dan Schleiter, Cindy Finn, Kyle Cassel, Mike Backus, Tim Podlin
Absent: Dennis Schad

Karl Frickelton, Chairman, called the meeting to order at 10:10 AM. A motion was made and seconded to approve the minutes of the Meeting held on October 23, 2010. Motion was approved unanimously.

The Lake Management Report was given by Mike Backus. Thirty eight (38) acres were treated for Eurasian Water Milfoil (EWM) in the spring of 2010 by Cason & Associates. In the fall 13.8 acres of EWM remained, but were more widely scattered. Final results monitoring the dilution rate of the chemical used to treat the milfoil have not yet been provided by the DNR after samples were taken and sent to Florida for analysis. Preliminary results were discussed. It was noted that the chemical treatment is not as effective in deeper water unless a higher concentration is used and is more effective after the lake has turned over in the spring (thermal stratification). It was suggested that that using liquid instead of granules to treat the lake. There will be an ongoing database and quality assessment with Mike Backus. The results of the special testing after the milfoil treatment last summer have come in. In general the chemical dispersed from granules diluted faster than expected. Within 12 hours it was diluted in the areas we treated and within 24 hours it was lake wide in a very weak amount. Our goal in past years was to give a concentrated application to the weed areas. The special testing shows this was not effective and will mean changes to the process for future years. Ice over on the lake took place on 12/10/2010 which was two days earlier than in 2009. At the coldest part of this past winter the ice was 20" thick in the deepest part of the lake. It was not all good solid ice however since we had so much snow cover which acts as insulation. We are in need of some 25 Christmas trees to be used for fish cribs for we have DNR approval to add these cribs to the lake as a means of protecting smaller fish. Call Mike Backus if anyone can get us these 5-8 foot trees (414-507-7211). The Sandhill Cranes returned to the area on March 3rd.

The Advisory Group Report was also presented by Mike Backus. Adding fish cribs to the lake is a priority for spring 2011. The DNR approved a 3 year permit. Trees will be weighted and sunk into 20-30 feet of water to provide critical habitat for the fingerlings stocked in the lake by the DNR. Signatures will need to be obtained by the property owners.

Dan Schleiter presented the Treasurer's Report.

Kyle Cassel reported on the County Lakes Association Meeting: The meeting in December of 2010 was canceled and he was unable to attend the meeting in February of 2011. There is a Lake Conference the first Saturday in May at the Adams County Community Center.

Tim Podlin reported on the website. People viewing the website has increased. DNR views the website helpful. He will email the 29 contacts the meeting minutes. He will post fish crib form on the website and an attempt will be made to collect emails at meetings and while collecting signatures for fish crib forms.

Clean Boats/Clean Waters Program: Patty Devine spoke on the Clean Boats/Clean Waters Program and the need for volunteers. The volunteers will wear the blue shirts to help identify that they are part of the program. The Clean Boats/Clean Water volunteer hours and surveys taken at the boat landing throughout the summer will be tabulated and reported.

Reminder: The 2010 Jordan Lake Watering Monitoring Summary and Boat Census was also submitted by Mike Backus and is available on the JLRPD website

A new way to get to meet others on the lake was suggested by Patty "FLOAT YOUR BOAT" Come on Saturday mornings at 9am at the shallow end of the lake on the east side. Start date will be determined at a later date.

Also an interesting fact: There are 5 weekends in July of 2011.

A motion was made and seconded to adjourn the meeting. Meeting was adjourned at 11:18 AM.

Respectfully submitted,
Cindy Finn, Secretary

Please join us for upcoming 2011 meetings held at the Boondocks on Jordan Lake at 10 AM.
June 4-----August 13-----October 22

There will be an attendance sheet distributed at the meetings: Please sign.
(All Jordan Lake District property owners are invited to participate in the Advisory Group who meets at 9 AM prior to the scheduled Board Meeting.)