

Lake Kanasatka Watershed Association

Spring 2009 Newsletter

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Another year, another newsletter! I'm writing this while the lake is still frozen, so planning for our summer meetings is leading me into daydreams about swimming, canoeing, hearing the loons, hiking Red Hill We have changed our newsletter format to reduce printing costs, but I invite you to check out our web site. The site has a lot of relevant information such as previous meeting minutes, photos from around the lake, and the most recent water quality report can be downloaded. The report tells us that water quality in the lake remained high in 2007, but at times exhibits short-term periods of greener and less clear water, reaching concentrations that are capable of supporting short-term

algal blooms. What can you do to minimize nutrient run off that affects the quality of our lake? Encourage shoreline vegetation. Limit fertilizer application. Avoid raking leaf litter and grass clippings into the lake. Maintain your septic system. Try to minimize impervious surfaces on your land and maintain areas with trees and tall vegetation. Don't feed the ducks!

This year is election year for the officers, so if you would like to be a member of the nominating committee or would like to volunteer for one of the positions, please let us know!

Looking forward to seeing you this summer,

Antonia von Gottberg, President

**Annual Meeting:
Moultonborough Town Library
Saturday, July 11
9:00 am Socializing, 9:30 am Meeting**

**August Picnic:
TBD at Annual Meeting**

TEAR OFF

Please Help Us Keep Our Records Up To Date:

Name: _____

Email: _____

Physical Lake Property Address & Phone:

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Mailing Address: (for Newsletter mailed in April)

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Bring to July Meeting or

Mail to: Lake Kanasatka Watershed Association
P.O. Box 774
Center Harbor, NH 03226

**Check out our Website:
www.kanasatka.org**

Annual Dues:

\$25.00

TREASURER'S REPORT

Two years ago, 2006, we made an appeal to everyone on our mailing list that we were not bringing in enough dues to cover our expenses. What a response we received! In 2006 we received dues from 31 families. In 2008, we received dues from 81 families. This will allow our water quality testing program to continue as well as our donations to the Loon Preservation Committee, the Lakes Region Conservation Trust, the New Hampshire Lakes Association and the Squam Lake Association. Thanks for your support.

Doug Whitley, Treasurer

Cash Flow Statement 7/1/2007 to 6/30/2008

Beginning Balance		\$1,998.14
Income:		
	Dues	\$1,920.00
	Apparel	\$30.00
	Interest	\$1.00
	Total Income:	\$1,951.00
Expenses:		
	Donations	\$800.00
	Meetings	\$116.50
	Newsletter	\$174.99
	P.O. Box & Postage	\$158.73
	Total Expenses	\$1,250.22
Net Increase(Decrease) for the Year		\$700.78
	Petty Cash	\$100.00
Ending Balance:		\$2,798.92

THE ANNUAL LAKE KANASATKA 4th of JULY BOAT PARADE

Let's bring out as many Kanasatka families as possible to collectively celebrate the 4th, enjoy the day and have some fun. The more boats the better (more fun), decorations are optional and not really that important. Emphasis is on participation and having a great day.

DATE: Saturday, July 4th, 2009 at 2:00 pm (rain or shine)

PLACE: Line up at Animal Island or Cheer from the Shore

ALL ENTRIES WELCOME – Canoes to Motorboats, Party boats to Sailboats.

Don't forget we have Lake Kanasatka HATS and FLEECE VESTS for sale!!!
They can be purchased at the annual meeting or contact Doug Whitley 603-253-3017

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