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Boat Parade

Come and join the decorated and lighted boat parade on Saturday, June 26, 2010.

If you don't wish to light your boat – that's ok. **Decorate it!!!**

This year's theme: **“Your Imagination”**

Meeting point: Blairton Lighthouse

Start Time: 7:45 p.m., terminating at the firework's area.

NOTE: the fireworks won't start until the boat parade is completed.

Rules for participation:

You must enjoy yourself.

The huge crowds on shore will be encouraged to create hand-held signs with numbers from 1 to 5 so they can score your boat as you pass by.



Fireworks: June 26 / AGM: July 10

HELP NEEDED



Elinor White, CLWA Treasurer, discovered this strange "bird" at her feeder. After searching through her bird books she was unable to identify the creature.

Can you help her?



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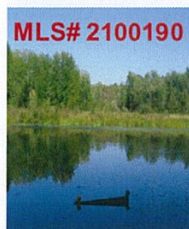
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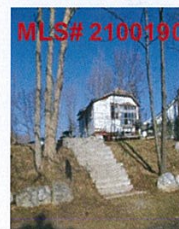
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Crowe Lake Matters!

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Norma's Words





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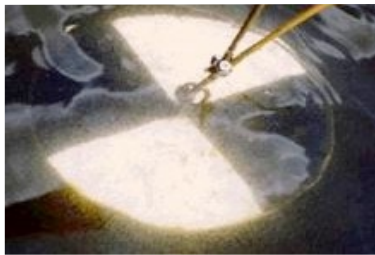
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C.L.W. A. Enters Year 13 of Lake Partner Program

Your Crowe Lake Waterway Association will once again be joining with the MOE to be a participant in the Lake Partner Program. The program uses volunteers to collect water samples that are analyzed for total phosphorous at the MOE's laboratory at the Dorset Environmental Science Centre. Precise analysis at this facility allows the observation of between-year differences in phosphorous concentrations in lakes across the province. Lakes on the Canadian Shield, this includes Crowe Lake, are sampled once per year at spring turnover in May and lakes that are off the Shield are sampled monthly to detect late-summer maximum concentrations in lakes where they may occur.

In addition to phosphorous monitoring, the Lake Partner Program volunteers make twice monthly water clarity observations using a Secchi Disc. Water



Secchi disk used to monitor water transparency

clarity observations assist with the early detection of problems that may occur even in the absence of any change in phosphorous concentrations. Impacts, such as climate change and invading species, may affect water clarity.

The Lake Partner Program contributes relevant Secchi data to The Great North American Dip-In, which collects water clarity data throughout North America during the first week in July. C.L.W.A. would like to thank Bill Neill and Bob Gapes for continuing this annual testing on our behalf.

(information for this article provided by F.O.C.A.)

**We need an email address
to insert here**

5th Annual Photo Contest

We want your photos of:

Crowe Lake/Crowe River/Beaver Creek

Photos may be submitted anytime with the closing date of Nov. 15, 2010.



Each photographer may submit a maximum of two photographs in each

of the following categories:-

- A The beauty of our waterway
- B Recreation on our waterway
- C Wildlife around our waterway

Please print the following information & tape it onto the back of each photo:

Name of photographer

Date taken

Location

Classification {A/B/C}

Crowe Lake **and** December contact information

Postal Address **and** email address

Phone No. - home **and** local

Please Note

All entries become the property of CLWA and will not be returned to the entrants. Winners will be announced in our newsletter and the photos may be submitted to local media for use in other publications.

Submitted by Gord Callan

This newsletter is produced by CLWA to keep its members informed about what the Executive has been doing, as well as other topics that may be of interest.

If you have news items, photos, etc. that would be of interest to the membership, please email: njcrofts@hotmail.com.

If you want to view the newsletter online, email us at the above address to have the newsletter sent to you.

Let's talk!

Boating Consideration

Here it is, not quite the end of April, and already there have been all sorts of boats on the waterway. It used to be that the big boat launch, dock installing week-end was May 24th. Boating has joined the ranks of those other sports that push the seasonal boundaries, like golf and motorcycling.

One thing that hasn't changed much is that the vast majority of boaters on the Crowe system are a considerate lot. As one who used to sail through the mouth of the river into the lake many times, I can tell you that the number of people who showed the least sign of impatience, over the many years, could be counted on one hand. On the whole, people boating are out there to enjoy themselves and do not have a state of mind that would harbour animosity towards others.

There is, however, a different type of inconsideration that is emerging with a few boaters. The average size of boats now has increased over the years. In the 60s, a water skiing boat would be about 14 ft. long, powered by a 40 HP motor. Not so much now. Boats that are over 20 ft. in length are more common now. With this longer hull and larger displacement comes much larger wakes.

A large boat that is travelling at a speed that does not allow it to plane, but lifts the bow far out of the water, will produce a wake that will cause damage. The property owners on the lake may not suffer as much as they have adapted their shorelines and docks to accommodate large waves that will occur on windy days. However the properties on the river and Beaver Creek can suffer. I have heard it suggested by a person, who lives on the creek, that it should be a "no wake" zone. Actually if a boat abides by the speed limit, there shouldn't be a problem. A large boat travelling at 10 km/h will not throw up a large wake.

I would like to think that all boaters either are considerate or would like to think that they are. When you are out in your boat, be aware of the waves that you are producing. If you are bowling over toddlers at the water's edge, or sweeping all the fishing gear off the dock that children are fishing from, adjust your speed to reduce the wake. Incidentally, I have seen both of those things happen in the river. I have also seen moored boats pounded against docks and shorelines. Take a moment to look back and see the size of your wake. It's just considerate.

Submitted by Lionel Bennett



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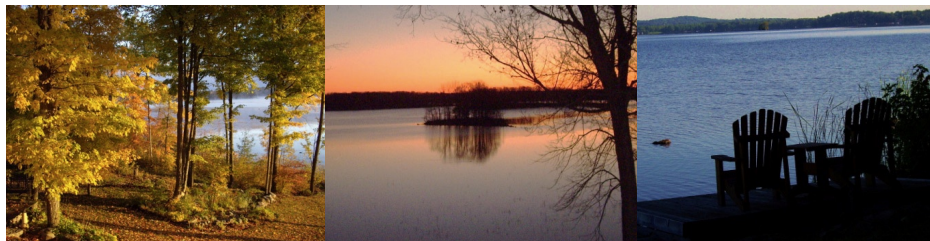
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As this is my last newsletter preparation, I'd like to thank the members of the Executive with whom I've served for the past 3 years.

Continued success as you work to protect our natural heritage.

Peter Marett