Lost Lake Woods News

September 2014

Bob Terry Memorial Shoot Winners with Peg Terry
Leroy Mendyka—Skeet and Scott Parenteau—Trap
Congratulations!

Women's Invitational Celebrates Silver Anniversary

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Ladies Invitation Group Photo (below)

Celebrating Family, Fun and Faith at LLWC

Our family has been enjoying time at LLWC for almost 40 years, and gathering here to enjoy the 4th of July festivities is a long-standing family tradition. But this year we added another special occasion to the weekend. Our 14 year-old grandsons, Luke Manry and Jack Bobo, have been coming up to Lost Lake Woods since they were each 2 weeks old, and they enjoy so many things about this place, along with all their siblings and cousins.

During this time, they have been growing in their Christian faith and recently expressed their desire to be baptized together at Badger Lake. So on the evening of July 4th our family, along with a number of extended family members (which included our matriarch Arlene Gresham—now 91), gathered at a quiet area by the boat dock. Each of the boys' parents shared some thoughts and scriptures. Then Luke and Jack expressed their faith and trust in God before each of their dads baptized them. It was wonderful to add that event to our many special memories of this place. The evening ended with a prayer, many hugs and a beautiful sunset over the lake. We are so thankful for our family, our faith, and Lost Lake Woods Club!!

Mike and Sonia Gresham

Lost Lake Woods Club

September 2014

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WEEKLY EMAIL BLAST

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Five Lakes Grill

Hours through Labor Day:
Sunday—Thursday: 7am-2pm, 5pm-8pm
Friday & Saturday: 7am-2pm, 5pm-9pm

Memorial Day Weekend through Labor Day Weekend
Grill at the Turn on Golf Course
Saturdays 10am – 2pm*
Snacks Available at Badger Lake Pavilion
Saturdays 11am – 3pm*
WEATHER PERMITTING*

Beginning September 2nd
(after Labor Day Weekend):
Friday: 5pm-8pm
Saturday: 8am-1pm, 5pm-8pm
Sunday: 8am-1pm

Lost Lure Lounge

Open Fridays at 6pm*
Lost Lure Menu from 6pm-8pm
must be 21 after 9pm
***unless booked for special event**

NEW MEMBERS OF LOST LAKE WOODS CLUB

Byron and Bonnie Haymaker
Wixom, MI

Jeffrey and Penny Hutchison
EastTawas, MI

Michael and Pam Wakely
Chesterfield, MI

2014 Calendar

September

1	Labor Day
4-7	Alcona Arts Retreat
5	Promotions Meeting 8pm
6	Conservation Meeting 8am
8	House & Beach Meeting 1pm
9	Cabin Owners Meeting 3pm
9	Home vs. Home w/West Branch CC at WBCC-Golf
11	Home vs. Home w/West Branch CC at LLWC-Golf
13	Golf Meeting 8:30am
18	Future Planning Meeting 5:30pm
20	Board of Director's Meeting 8:30am
20-21	Liberty Hunt / Early Antlerless (see page 6)
27	Finance Meeting 9am

October

3	Promotions Meeting 8pm
4	Conservation Meeting 8pm
11	Wellness Program at the Lodge
13	House & Beach Meeting 1pm
14	Cabin Owners Meeting 3pm
16	Future Planning Meeting 5:30pm
18	Board of Director's Mtg & Annual Mtg 8:30am
25	Finance Meeting 9am
31	Halloween

November

7	Promotions Meeting 8pm
8	Board of Director's Meeting 8:30am
8	Conservation Meeting 1pm
10	House & Beach Meeting 1pm
11	Cabin Owners Meeting 3pm
15	Rifle Season Begins
27	Thanksgiving
28	Black Friday

December

1	Cyber Monday
5	Promotions Meeting 8pm
6	Conservation Meeting 8am
6	Finance Meeting—if necessary 9am
8	House & Beach Meeting 1pm
13	Board of Director's Mtg Reg & Org 8:30am
25	Christmas
31	New Year's Eve

Have you tagged your existing hunting blind?

Existing Blinds must be tagged no later than the end of the first weekend in September. See page 7 for details.

LOST LAKE WOODS DART LEAGUE

Fall 2014 Season

Organizational meeting and fun night:
6:30, Tuesday, September 2, 2014
Season starts 6:30, Tuesday, September 9
and will run for 10 to 14 weeks.
To sign up, attend the organizational meeting
or call Ben Synk @ 736-6155
to be assigned to a team,
or to be a substitute.

Gate Information:
Beginning September 2nd

Guests NOT Preauthorized that call the Office from the Gate May be Denied Club Access.

Please inform the Front Desk of Your Guests' Arrival/Departure Information And Advise your Guests, Contractors, Service Workers, Delivery Persons to to Call the Front Desk for Gate Entry

Or

Advise Them to Reach You at Your Directory Access Code Number when Visiting the Club

Additional gate cards/hockey puck RFID units are available for purchase for your guest's use or for rent (with deposit) for short term rentals at the Front Desk.

LABOR DAY WEEKEND

Saturday, 8/30

Top Gun Shoot-Skeet & Trap
8/31-9/1
Ends 8/31 @ 3pm

10am-12pm
Petting Zoo & Pony Rides
North Lawn

1pm
Youth Shoot
Rifle Range

2pm
Watermelon Eating Contest
Beach

3pm
Woofminster Dog Show
North Lawn
Sign Up Your Dog at Front Desk!
Two Divisions:
Best Costume,
Best Retrieving Skills

6pm
Labor Day Steak Fry——>
Badger Lake Pavilion
Advance Reservation Preferred
Adults: $17* Kids Under 10: $8*
+ tax & gratuity

8pm
Bingo!
Badger Lake Pavilion

Sunday, 8/31

9am
Poker Run
Meet in Lobby

1pm start, ends at 2:30pm
Scavenger Hunt—Lobby

3pm
Top Gun Shoot Ends

3pm—4:30pm
Ice Cream Social
Badger Lake Pavilion

Steak FRY

Enjoy a Grilled Steak with all the trimmings and beverages

Saturday, August 30th, 6pm
Badger Lake Pavilion—Cash Bar
Burgers & Brats a la Carte
Reservations Required by 8/24
Adults: $17* Kids Under 10: $8*
+ tax & gratuity

2014 EMPLOYEE CHRISTMAS FUND

Think about the club employees you may have seen this summer; serving your needs at the front desk, cutting lawns in the hot sun, dashing around the restaurant serving meals, cleaning the windows and floors. Despite the summer weather we have had lately, it is time again to begin to remind you about our annual 2014 Christmas Fund for LLWC employees!

This voluntary and confidential fund has continued with member donations for over 30 years. Each club employee receives a cash Christmas gift that is calculated from the total fund contributions using a formula that bases each gift on his or her current annual earnings and number of years of service.

We especially want to give this reminder to those members who may be leaving soon for the winter or just spending some time at the club. You will want to make your contributions early. The cut-off date for contributions to the 2013 Employee Christmas Fund is December 15, 2014.

Checks should be made payable to the EMPLOYEES CHRISTMAS FUND

You can: 1. Include your check in the envelope with your monthly dues payment;
2. Leave the check at the front desk at the Lodge;
3. Mail a check to me, the Administrator of the Fund:
Maureen French
4115 N Pheasant Road
Lincoln, MI 48742

If you have any questions, feel free to call me at (989) 335-4112.

Thank you for your continuing generosity!

Maureen French

Pheasant Hunts

Now Offering:

- European Tower and Field Hunts
- Flexible Group Sizes and Dates Available (7 Days a Week)
- Lodging / Meal / Kennel / Bird Cleaning Packages

Call for Details/Pricing: Ask for Anne 989-736-8197

or email: amilewski@lostlakewoodsclub.com

Congratulations and Best Wishes to Bonnie Carriveau on her retirement from Lost Lake Woods Club. Many of you have come to know Bonnie over the 30 years she has been with the Club. She was a third generation employee here at Lost Lake Woods Club where both her mother and her aunt worked here over the years. Bonnie began working at LLWC at the front desk on second shift before moving into the Accounts Receivable Department/Front Desk position. Bonnie has been a reliable and valuable asset to Lost Lake Woods Club, and an amazing resource for Lost Lake Woods Club.

While she will be missed by all of us at Lost Lake Woods Club, she certainly deserves her retirement. Bonnie's hard work, diligence and dedication has greatly benefitted the Club, our members and guests over the years. While we are saddened to see Bonnie leave us, we are confident that she will find the same success and happiness in retirement that she experienced during her time here.

We wish Bonnie the best in her future endeavors. We hope that she keeps in touch, and visits often if she finds that she has the time. We hope she has a fun and fruitful retirement!

Members and Staff,

I would like to thank everyone for the gifts, and card and for attending my retirement party. The party was very nice. I would like to thank Laura Claire and staff for the delicious food. Thanks to Linda McMillan, Ron Lamrock and Lost Lake Woods Club for organizing the party. Thanks so very much for the beautiful clock. It looks so good on my living room wall.

Thanks again,

Bonnie Carriveau

Attention Hunters!

Check station at the Woods Gate will be open September 20-21. Please stop and check in your harvest

LIBERTY HUNT September 20-21, 2014

-Opportunity for youth 16 years of age or younger

-Hunters under 10 years of age must be licensed through the Mentored Youth Hunting Program

-Youth 10-16 years of age may use a deer, deer combo, or an antlerless deer license

-Bag limit for YOUTH is one antlerless or antlered deer

-Bag limit for Disabled veterans and individuals who qualify (see DNR regulations) for this hunt is one antlerless or antlered deer

-Club antler restrictions apply

-Hunter Orange is required, even for youth 14 or under using a bow or crossbow

EARLY ANTLERLESS HUNT September 20-21, 2014

-Opportunity to harvest an antlerless deer

-Bag limit is based on number of licenses available at time of purchase

HUNTING BLIND AND TAG INFORMATION

Archery Blinds may be erected in the woods beginning the first Saturday in August at 9am.

The following Lost Lake Woods Association Rules and Regulations were changed at the April 22, 2014 Board Meeting:

The date as to when deer hunting ground blinds must be tagged with a current year tag per the following rule revisions:

1. **Members must tag their existing blind by the end of the first weekend of September.**
2. **All remaining members wishing to build a new blind or tag an abandoned blind must do so by October 15 (Exception: new members approved at the October BOD meeting or at the discretion of the manager).**
3. **No tags will be issued after October 15 (Exception: new members approved at the October BOD meeting or at the discretion of the manager).**
4. **To receive a current year tag, the member must present a filled out GPS reporting form stating the GPS coordinates of their blind, a valid firearm deer license and photo identification (if asked) to staff in the lodge.**
5. **The coordinates should be in the following format:**
   N xx deg.XX.xxx min. W XXX deg. XX.xxx min.

EFFECTIVE SPRING OF 2015: TREESTAND REMOVAL DATE HAS BEEN REVISED TO MAY 1ST.

Campground Corner

As you read this, it will be almost the end of summer but NOT the end of camping season. That won't end until...who know when!

We are working on getting a few things done in the campground such as removing the old trees that are dead and replacing with new ones, the pavilion re-roofed as well as the playground and entrance looking more appealing as you drive in. Hopefully, some of these things will take place before the snow falls!

This has been one of the best seasons ever for camping and sure hope everyone enjoyed their year!

Please remember a couple of things as we close...please respect the bath house and others and pick up after you are done and also, remember that if you do anything to your site, make sure you read the rules and/or check with Management if you are unsure of anything!

Have a great Fall and Winter.

Greg Corley
Campground Chair

Celebration of Life Memorial Honoring Denny Bode

A Memorial Celebration honoring the life of Denny Bode will held be at the Bay City State Park September 28th, Denny's birthday.

Memorial celebration starts at 2:00pm fish fry and high speed beef dinner to follow.

All welcome that would like to celebrate Denny's life.

FUTURE PLANNING MEETING SCHEDULE 2014

Thursdays at 5:30pm
September 18
October 16
All Welcome to Attend

GOT GPS?

GEOCACHE AROUND THE CLUB NOW THROUGH LABOR DAY
We invite you to spend some time having fun finding 6 caches at Lost Lake Woods Club! Join us from Memorial Weekend to Labor Day Weekend in Lost Lake Woods Club Geocache Event!

GPS Coordinates will be available on the Lost Lake Woods Club Geocache Group Facebook page and are available at the front desk. Members of this Group can interact with each other and share tips, challenges and experiences during this event! But please, don't give away the location!

Cabin Owners Corner

The mission of the Cabin Owners Committee is to promote fellowship, initiate and support projects, and inspire and encourage volunteerism of the benefit of Lost Lake Club.

The Cabin Owners Committee has been busy with a number of projects in accordance with our mission statement. These projects would not be possible without the help of Lost Lake Woods members. On behalf of the Committee we would like to thank all the members that have help in making our goals in the mission statement possible. There is a lot of work to be done and we are looking forward for your continued support.

Look for our new float that will be in the Harrisville parade. The Promotions Committee and Cabin Owners Committee joined together to promote Lost Lake Woods to tourist and local resident at the annual Harrisville Art Festival. If you would like to join us in the parade please call one of the Committee members.

We still have directories available at the club house. The donation for the directory is $10.00. The directories are one of the Cabin Owners fund raisers to support the projects for the benefit of Lost Lake.

We would like to hear from you regarding any topic relating to the Cabin Owners. We would like your ideas regarding time and dates of meetings, suggestions for fund raisers and any projects that you would like to see at Lost Lake.

Jim Youngblood
Cabin Owners Committee

CABIN OWNERS MEETING SCHEDULE 2014
ALL WELCOME TO ATTEND!
Cabin Owners Committee meets on the following dates at 3:00 p.m. in the Lost Lure Lounge if it is available.
Sept. 9, Oct. 14, Nov. 11

Did You Know?

Did you know you can review your Member Account, see an up-to-date Calendar of Events, and even Pay Your Bill Online?

All this and more is available through LLWC's Secure Member Portal located on the Lost Lake Woods Club Website?

For more information and assistance, call Anne at the Lodge at 989-736-8197. We will need an email address to facilitate the process!

Women's Invitational

This year at the 25th LLW's Women's Golf Invitational that was held July 17th, 18th & 19th we celebrated our Silver Anniversary.

The event started Thursday night with tasty appetizers. We had 30 teams, which included 3 Guest-Guest teams this year . The chipping contest was held and Cindy Daniels was our winner with a chip-in and Sally Bonner came in second place. We would like to thank Terry Lancaster, Jim McCadie, Bill Worthley, John Schumacher and Tom Yim for running the contest. Everyone had a great time.

The weather was wonderful. We had two days with sunshine and a little breeze. The golf course was in excellent condition. After the Saturday round, a luncheon was held at the lodge in the Auditorium for the Awards Ceremony.

We would like to express our thanks to everyone who helped make this invitational a success. Especially to our Lost Lake Woods staff, Ron Lamrock, our Manager, and Jim Dennis, our Golf Professional. Also Joanne Harmon at the Golf Shop and Brian Holmes and his golf maintenance crew. Laura Claire, her kitchen staff and waitress staff did a wonderful job. The food was outstanding!

We also need to extend a huge thanks to all of our volunteers. Nancy Planck, Marge Synk, Florence Mischler and Sallie Morrow assisted with breakfast both days and coordinated all of the team pictures at the appropriate tables for our Saturday luncheon. The volunteers for Birdies, Chip in's, Skins, and the various extra events were handled by Iona Miles, Joan Pearson, Pat LeMarbe, Leslie McCadie, Vi Reichard and Cheryl Bates.

The volunteer rangers were Jack Kostka, Don Morgan, Jim Irwin and John Studt. Our scorers this year were Dick Miles and Bill Bonner. Ernie Delgado witnessed all the great shots on #7 for the Hit The Green and Terry Lancaster, Bob Bates and Norm Dierkes were our spotters for the Hole in One Contest. Without all of these volunteers and the help of our Hole Sponsors we could not have had a successful 3 day Invitational. The committee thanks all of you for your hard work in making this Invitational such a success!

The 2014 Invitational Committee:
Joette Baxter, Sue Boelter, Bonnie Lancaster, Leslie McCadie, Kathy Mead, Cindy Schumacher and Susan Worthley

2014 HOLE SPONSOR LIST

Every year we have local businesses that support the Women's Invitational. Through their donations and patronage of being hole sponsors, they show us their commitment to Lost Lake Woods Club and it's members. We as members, when in need of any goods or service should give our sponsors that same commitment.

We appreciate their support as they would appreciate ours! The following is a list of our hole sponsors for the 2014 season:

Joe & Sue Boelter
C & S Carriers, Inc.
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Connie's Café
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Pearson Group
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Shotmakers
Signs & Graphics by Delgado
Sports Unlimited
The Marketplace @ Alpena
The Mountain Bar & Grille
Weinkauf Plumbing & Heating, Inc.
Wilhite Insurance Agency

Thank you to all our sponsors for your contribution
to the Women's Invitational at Lost Lake Woods Club.

Special Donations for the 2014 Women's Invitational

Flowerland Designs of Alpena donated centerpieces for our Saturday Luncheon

Gift certificates from Coming Attractions

Aimee Arbour, Cosmetologist from The Sidelight Salon annex to The Figurehead Salon donated Paul Mitchell hair products, along with a shampoo, cut and style

Kathy Beebe donated 2 handmade lap quilts

Luke Studt, Mary Ann Bergin, Cindy Mackinder & Louise Haddad
donated a basket filled with Bath & Body Works lotions to pamper yourself

Joette Baxter, Sue Boelter, Bonnie Lancaster, Leslie McCadie, Kathy Mead, Cindy Schumacher, and Susan Worthley donated a basket filled with wine glasses, wine, puzzles, card games, popcorn, popcorn salt, and candy for a fun filled family game night.

The summer has been moving by swiftly and I had my first chance to play the golf course since May. For all the problems many other golf courses faced this past year, I viewed our course to be in great condition from a visual and playability standpoint. Many of our Membership should come to visit and play this great golf course and enjoy the many other amenities we have to offer. Remember, fall is just around the corner so start planning now.

On June 27th, 2014 Ken Fischer made his first hole in one on the par 3 17th hole by hitting a 5 iron. Ken shot a score of 77 for the day and has been playing golf for 42 years. On July 27th, 2014 Darlene Walker also made her first career hole in one on the par 3 7th hole by hitting 9 iron into the bottom of the cup. Darlene shot a score of 84 for the round and she has been playing golf for the past 56 years.

The Women's Invitational celebrated its 25th Anniversary this year with 27 Member-Guest teams and 3 Guest-Guest teams competing to be the Overall Invitational Champions. The event starting out on Thursday evening with Hors d'Oeuvres and a chipping contest located at the Golf Shop. The format was simple and fun playing a 2 person scramble on day one and on day 2 they played one best ball of two. At the completion of the tournament the following are the results:

First Flight

1st Place	Mary Fischer & Elizabeth Telfer	125
2nd Place	Darlene Walker & Marcie Walker	131
3rd Place	Lisa Hensel & Niki Kalisch	135

Second Flight

1st Place	Sally Bonner & Mary Sue O'Brien	127
2nd Place	Kathy Mead & Susan Judd	129
3rd Place	Cindy Daniels & Nancy Hiestand	130

Third Flight

1st Place	Susan Worthley & Sandra Yim	132
2nd Place	Peggy Carlin & Mary Jackson	136
3rd Place	Sue Weichel & Mickey Zurcher	137

2014 Women's Invitational Champions

Kay Pearson & Mary Jo Colonna 125

The women always seem to have a great time playing in this event. So mark the dates in your calendar for next year. If you are hesitant to participate due to your golfing ability, don't forget that is why you need a handicap, this allows us to pair you up with other participants of the same handicap or ability level.

Want a tee time?

Call the Golf Shop

989-736-8412

A few days later the Men's Senior Championship teed off playing 36 holes of stroke play using 100% handicap. This is called a low net competition. This event is divided into flights equally dependent on the age, where the rest of our events are divided equally by handicap. At the completion of the 2 day event the results are as follows:

First Flight	**55-67**	
1st Place	Jim Braden	135
T-2nd Place	Bill Gould	137
	Doug Ransdell	137
T-4th Place	Greg Laskowski	138
	Mark Uhazie	138
Second Flight	**68-71**	
1st Place	Joe Boelter	135
2nd Place	Jim Mead	135
3rd Place	Dave Fasbender	136
T-4th Place	Bob Bates	139
	Jim McCadie	139
Third Flight	**72-74**	
1st Place	Ed Hechlik	134
2nd Place	Ed Wisnewski	139
3rd Place	John Kallstrom	143
4th Place	John Studt	145
5th Place	Bob Beck	147
Fourth Flight	**75-85**	
1st Place	Dick Miles	134
2nd Place	Bob Thomas	135
3rd Place	Bill Stover	136
4th Place	Gary Reichard	139
5th Place	Earle Potts	140

2014 Men's Senior Champion

Vince Gagnier 131

It came down to the last 4 scorecards of the day to determine the winner. Dick Miles and Ed Hechlik thought for a brief time that they might be in a playoff until Vince came in with a 3 shot lead, as his score was the last to be posted, great job Vince. The Men also had a great time competing against one another. It always seems to be one of the most popular events of the year.

And finally, as in past years we had the Rally for the Cure outing where we had 64 players raising money for Breast Cancer Awareness. The participants played a scramble format using 15% of the teams combined handicap. This year the bragging rights go to the team of Ken & Mary Fischer and Ted & Nancy Trefzer who won the event. Thank you to everyone who donated money to the cause, we raised $1900.

Until the next issue, keep thinking of nice summer days & nights!

Jim Dennis, PGA

Manager's Minutes

July and the first part of August have been very busy at the Club. It's too early to see if business itself is up at any of the Club venues, but people seem to be "Up North" and enjoying the property anyway. This is despite the weather seeming to have turned against us a little lately too.

Staffing is going to dominate my minutes this month. We're losing two key people in September. Linda McMillan, our long time Controller is leaving for greener pastures in Alpena. I'm happy for Linda, my friend, because the job is an excellent opportunity for her, but sad for the Club (and myself) that we're losing such an experienced and valued employee. Our Executive Chef, Laura Claire, is the other employee that has submitted her resignation. She has agreed to stay on through the end of the season (September) and to handle some already planned special events for next year (weddings and anniversary parties etc.). She was only here for a short time, but brought years of experience and expertise to the position, that will be missed greatly. I want to thank them both for being so professional and providing us with as much notice as possible. Both ladies are staying longer than they needed to, to help us get through the busy season. I hope you will join me in wishing them both the best in the next chapters of their lives.

I've been asked to write to you regarding use of club facilities and adult beverages. There seems to be some concern that many members don't understand at least some portion of what our liquor license covers on the property. In short, members are more than welcome to consume alcohol at their own home, at food and beverage service points in the lodge, at the golf course (if purchased there), in rooms they've rented at the lodge or at campsites they've rented in the campground. Consumption at other club facilities, such as the various pavilions, is not authorized, unless the club has a bartender on duty. I understand that some members have taken their own alcohol to some of these venues, but this is not allowed per our license and liquor liability insurance policy. The best analogy that I've heard is comparing the club to Disney World. I think we all know we're welcome to buy our own and drink in our rooms at any Disney hotel, but if we want to consume in public, it has to be done at a venue that is authorized and sold/served by Disney employees. I know for my own part, this is not a grab at making extra liquor sales, but more of a compliance/protection from liability and/or fines issue. If I haven't made it clear, please contact me personally at your convenience and I'll do my best to help you understand.

In closing, please work on taking the time to get to know each other better and to be understanding and respectful of each other and the various points of view we all have. The world seems to be getting chippier every day and we don't need any of that at Lost Lake Woods. This place is a sanctuary for most of you. I hear it from you all the time, and it's what I like about working here. I know all of you as pretty great people. Whether you live here or just visit occasionally. Whether you hunt, fish, golf or ride horses. Trust me, you're good people and this club needs you to forge strong personal relationships! Lost Lake Woods is not just property up north, it's people, it's friends and it's family. Please continue to show some respect for each other and the property and it'll be even better! I grow weary of hearing how great this place used to be. It still is and it can be even better in the future, if WE make it that way! I'm about to finish my eighth year here and I still see so much untapped potential that it's exciting to think about! Thanks for having me for this long! I look forward to being here a lot longer.

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See you soon!

Ron Lamrock
General Manager

Planning a Special Event?

If you are planning a special event please contact
Laura Claire, Executive Chef
Call the Lodge at 989-736-8197 or email Laura directly at lclaire@lostlakewoodsclub.com

Thank You!

Ladies Casual Golf

2014 Season

Nine holes of just-for-fun golf. No handicaps used. Not competitive. No pressure.

You don't need to get your own tee times--- just show up and we will draw cards to form our foursomes.

We still need to be somewhat flexible this year (days of the week and times), but below you will find the schedule through the first two weeks of Sept. Please send me your email address and phone number so that I can keep you up-to-date on any schedule changes.

The following is a list of dates and times that Jim Dennis and I came up with for this season.

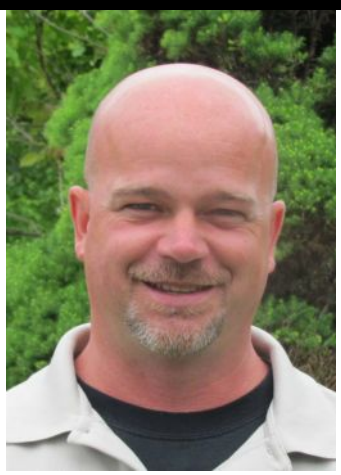
If you don't pay for season golf, you might want to check out the price of coupons.

Coupons purchased this year may also be used next year.
Because this is "casual, just for fun," no handicap needed golf, feel free to bring guests.

If you have questions, please call me, Judy Delgado, at 989.736.8372. (jdelgado2@charter.net)

Thursday	**September 4**	**10 a.m.**
Thursday	**September 11**	**9 a.m.**

Meet the Candidates



Bradley "Brad" Anderson

My name is Brad Anderson and I am running for our Board of Directors. I reside in Waterford, Michigan with my wife Tracy and our two young daughters, who are 10 and seven. I have been employed in the field of computer network engineering for almost 20 years. I personally have been affiliated with Lost Lake Woods Club for 12 years, but my wife Tracy is a fourth generation LLWC member.

My wife and are very involved with the elementary school our daughters attend. My wife is on the PTA Board, and I have run and coordinated many of the events our school presents to our families, such as our annual Carnival, Grilling Night and Easter Egg Hunt.

My wife and I own a cottage at LLWC and we love to golf, use the shooting ranges, archery ranges, the beach, riding stables, lakes, trails and the dining facilities. We enjoy the many amenities our club offers and that brings me to the reason I am running for the Board. As a father of two small children, I want these amenities to continue to be offered, as well as new ones, so my children will continue to enjoy our family vacations at LLWC. My network engineering experience will aid in another of my goals – better wireless coverage.

We have long-term goals of retiring to LLWC, so I not only see the many benefits of our club now, but in the future too. I feel it is important to have a wide range of individuals on our Board that represent the many different views of our club, one of mine being promoting family and family activities.

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James "Jim" Braden

My name is Jim Braden. I am a third generation member of Lost Lake woods and have been coming to the club all my life. I retired from AT&T in 2001 as an Operations Mgr. My wife, Bonnie, and I moved to LLWC in 2003.

I am currently on the Board of Directors and I serve as Secretary for the club. I've served on the Promotions Committee and the Golf Committee. I've worked on many volunteer projects around the club including the Tuesday golf work bee, Spaghetti Dinner, Rummage Sale, the 4th of July Parade and others. I also served on the board from 1996 to 1998

I participate in many activities at the club; Hunting, Boating, Golfing, Skeet & Trap, and LLWC Bowling & Darting Leagues. My wife and I support the clubs' many activities by our active participation whenever possible.

If reelected I will continue working to increase membership and usage of the club, and to keep the club financially sound. I am a strong proponent of the fact that all LLWC members need to be ambassadors for our club. Whenever called upon to make tough decisions, I always place what is best for our Club above all else.

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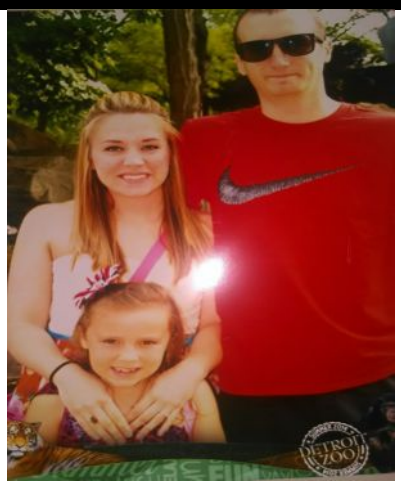
We have made some great improvements in the time I have been coming to the club, and I feel we can continue on that path to make our club even better than it is today, and I feel I can come to the table with some great ideas.



Robert "Rob" Clink

Hello, My name is Robert Clink and I am running for the board of directors. I live here at Lost Lake Woods Club with my fiancé (Leslie) and her daughter (Delylah). My fiancé and I are expecting our first child in January. We are excited to be expanding our family and continuing to raise our children in this community. We've been taking part in quite a few of the events held here such as, the junior golf camp, in which I've helped out with for the past 4 years. I am an avid golfer here at the club and I can be found on the course as much as my fiancé will let me. I also love archery and rifle hunting here at the club.

I believe if I am selected for the Board of Directors, I can bring new more youthful ideas to Lost Lake Woods Club. Lost Lake Woods is a very family oriented place and I would love to see generations and generations coming back to the club and enjoying this great community for years to come.

I am currently employed with the Alcona County Sheriff's Office as a Deputy Sheriff. I am a graduate of Alcona High School. After graduating I attended Alpena Community College where I received my associate degree in law enforcement. After completing college I attended an 18 week police academy at Kirtland Community College.

I am currently serving as Fire Captain for Alcona Township Fire Department (Lost Lake Woods Station) and also on the Lincoln Fire Department. I am currently certi-

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Meet the Candidates

Michael Hailer

I have decided to run for the Board of Directors because I enjoy our club and want to do all that I can to contribute to its great tradition. I believe I have the right skills, abilities and experience to help lead the club into the future. While we don't know what challenges we will face going forward, I am confident that we can and will continue to enjoy and maintain our fantastic club for many, many years to come.

My family has developed a great affinity for Lost Lake Woods Club over the years. In fact, my wife and I got engaged at Badger Lake in 1996! After enjoying the club for decades through my wife's family, who has been enjoying the club since the late 1970's, we purchased a lot a few years ago and became members. My children, Emily (13) and James (10) are now big fans of days at the beach, rides through the woods in our truck, our incredible junior golf program and the friends they see up at the lodge on each visit! As a family, we also have enjoyed many holiday celebrations at the club, including the 4th of July and New Year's Eve festivities. We have purchased a home in the subdivision and are in the processing of renovating it to eventually be a getaway that will hopefully stay in our family for many generations to come.

In business, I am currently the Director, Regulatory Compliance for The Auto Club Group (AAA), where I have worked since 2004. In this role, I lead several groups of compliance professionals and manage the regulatory compliance exposures for Auto-

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Ronald Metevier

Hello,

My name is Ron Metevier and I am running for the Board of Directors. Before moving to Lost Lake Woods Club I grew up in Flint Michigan where I attended Kearsley High School and Mott Community College.

In 1995 I was introduced to club, where after spending many weekends here and seeing how great this place is to raise a family, I bought a home and moved here full time and became a member in 2000. I have since raised my oldest son here who graduated from Alcona Public Schools, while attending Alcona High School he also worked at the Lost Lake Woods dining room as a cook. He has since gone on to graduate from Mid-Michigan Community College. I still have 3 children in my home, 2 of which go to Alcona Public Schools and one that attends Pied Piper Opportunity Center in Alpena.

Aside from just enjoying the beach or nice leisurely walk through the neighborhood nothing beats a drive through the woods whether in the summer or winter to me it is always beautiful out there. Put that on top of the fantastic golfing (I'm talking the golf course here…my golfing is usually far from beautiful) and fishing on top of everything else that the club offers, I cannot picture raising a family or living anywhere else.

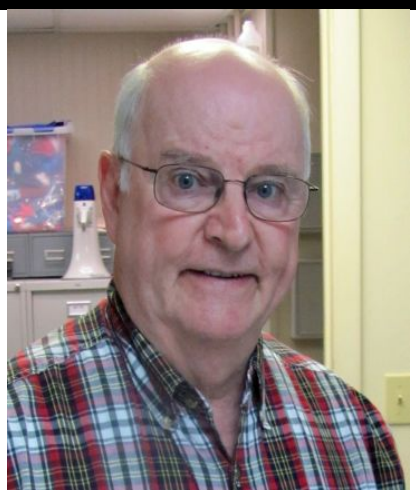
Exercise your right to vote!

Be sure to follow ballot instructions and return them before the polls close!

Contact a Director or the Manager's office if you have questions about any ballot item!

Remember, only members in good standing may vote!

Meet the Candidates



Richard Powe

My name is Richard Powe. I have been a lifelong patron of LLWC under my parent's membership and then my own. My wife, Linda, and I have lived in Clarkston, Michigan where I was a long time member of the Board of Directors of our residential area, Bitterbush Subdivision.

We moved to LLWC full time in September 2013. I am a licensed builder, and have been Home Inspector, self employed with our own company, Eagle Eye Inspection, Inc., since 2002. We sold our business in 2013. Prior to starting that business, I retired from Ford Power Products where I worked as a Trainer of Maintenance and Repair for Ford's industrial engines purchased by corporations worldwide. I also developed service and repair manuals in this capacity.

I am a veteran, honorably discharged from the US Army August 31, 1969 after serving in Korea as an M.P. I have two grown children and six grandchildren. I am a member of the American Legion, Post #254 in Mikado. My wife and I attend Lincoln United Methodist Church.

I would like to serve on the Board here at LLW to help in making decisions regarding the future of our club. I am attending meeting of each of the various committees to have a better understanding of how our club functions. I would like to represent the members and residents here and assist in the continued growth and development in the future for all concerned.

Sandra "Sandy" Ziaya

Hi, my name is Sandy Ziaya and I am happy to have been nominated to run for the board. For the past almost twenty years my husband and I have enjoyed raising our three children here. This place, our home away from home, has been the cornerstone for several first for my family: I shot my first buck here, my husband shot his first bear here, my son learned to swim here, my daughter learned to golf here, and my granddaughter caught her first fish here. We all developed a love for not only the nature here but also for the community. A community where people wave to one another, are always friendly to new faces, and are willing to help each other anyway they can. Two years ago my husband and I proudly became a permanent part of this community with our children included when they're not at school. My goal is to preserve this club as the wonderful place I know it to be for future generations to enjoy and experience as much as we have.

I realize this is a place for sound business principles to be used. I spent over twenty years working for Electronic Data Systems (EDS) in the corporate world. I have a broad experience in business having held positions in Quality Management, Contract Administration, Project Management and Customer Relations. In addition to EDS, I have worked in small businesses and am currently working part time on a cutting tool start-up venture. The most important lesson I learned in all my business experience is to keep the customer first and to do the best thing for their in-

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fied as a Firefighter and Medical First Responder. Being a police officer and firefighter I really enjoy helping the community as much as I can.

Mike Hailer—Continued from Column 1

Club Group's property and casualty insurance operations all 15 of its states of operation, including member AAA clubs in Michigan, Florida, Georgia, Illinois, Tennessee, Indiana, Minnesota, Wisconsin, Iowa, Nebraska and North Dakota, as well as joint insurance programs with other AAA clubs in several other states. Prior to joining the Auto Club Group, I worked at GMAC Insurance, now known as Ally Bank, where I started my career in property and casualty insurance in 1997.

My education includes a Juris Doctorate from the University of South Carolina School of Law, a Master of Business Administration from the University of Detroit -Mercy, and a Bachelor of Science in Business Administration from Bowling Green State University, as well as several insurance industry designations. I also currently serve on two insurance industry boards, the Insurance Regulatory Examiners Society Foundation Board of Directors and the Wolters Klewer Financial Services Insurance Compliance Solutions Strategic Advisory Board.

I thank you for your consideration.

Mike Hailer

Sandra Ziaya—Continued from Column 2

terest. It's about building relationships and recognizing each person is special. I believe we need to focus more on this at LLWC and less on building some attraction to get people to join. We need to promote the friendship and fun of the members along with the natural beauty of the lakes and woods. The members are the customers and we have to keep that in mind in all the decisions we make. In the years I have frequented the club the rules have become more complex and difficult to keep up with. We need to encourage personal responsibility and accountability. This membership is one big family, we have to work together and we cannot forget that, please support me.

GRAND PRIZE WINNERS

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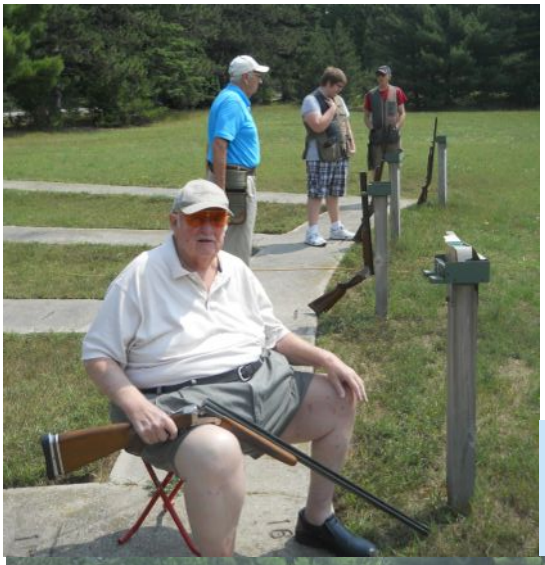

. Trapshooting: An American Tradition Handed Down from Generation to Generation.

Left: Ron Mida, Mr. Bonnar, Nathan Mills and Phil Planck
Lower Left: Ron Mida shooting seated with Grandson Nathan Mills in the background.
Lower Right: Ron Mida with his Grandson Nathan Mills in the background.

After a recent trip to Alaska, we received this photo and note from Bill and Kathy Lynch:

"Proudly sporting my LLWC gear on a recent trip to Yakutat Alaska. Best fishing in my life.

The halibut behind me were considered the small ones.

Sockeye salmon limits everyday, this country is a must see for any bucket list. "

Thanks, Bill and Kathy!

And remember to send in your photos to be posted in the Newsletter at

llwcnews@lostlakewoodsclub.com

Summer at the Rifle Range

You can count on Nick and Robert Kachman to be there for the Rifle Range. When not volunteering, they are pretty darn good shooters too.

Sue Hunter is learning about shooting a moving with help from Brian Hunter.

Alex Spina is tuning up for the Dixie Cup competition.

Running Deer Shoot—Memorial Weekend

We could not have asked for a more perfect day for the Running Deer shoot. Once again, Nick Kachman put on a clinic with the top score of 39. Robert Kachman paid attention in class and posted a 37. We were thankful that we had a number of new shooters of all skill levels.

The chairman really enjoyed the day because of many bright smiles and helping hands. Regular volunteers Robert Kachman, Nick Kachman, and John Downey, were joined by KC Kevwitch, John Hartley, Jim May, Tony Spina, and Alex Spina. Much needed adjustments to the pistol target were made along replacing many targets. Only a couple weeks before, Kurt Warning spent several hours helping replace most of the permanent targets and building numerous portable targets. It is good to see the range is well used.

The following is events that were held this year:

Fun Shoot – Saturday, July 5th @ 3:00
Practice for the Dixie cup or shoot for prizes. All ages welcome.

Lost Lake Cup/Dixie Cup Running Deer – Was held August 2nd

Above is Pam Smith who also competed in the Running Deer Shoot.

We had scoped rifles for the youth to shoot this event with.

During the Dixie Cup Final held later in the day, we had target shooting with open sights using NRA targets.

Action Pistol - August 2nd, 2014

Name	Time	Hits	Missed	Penalty Time	Aggregate	Handicap	Score
Center Fire - Iron Sight Division							
Mitch Smith (9 mm)	21.6	15	9	45	66.60	29.28	37.32
Station 1	6.3	6					
Station 2	4.8	3					
Station 3	4.0	4					
Station 4	6.5	2					
Dave Smith (9 mm)	16.8	10	14	70	86.80	45.44	41.36
Station 1	3.5	4					
Station 2	3.5	2					
Station 3	4.1	1					
Station 4	5.7	3					
Chris Bullinger (9 mm)	28.2	14	10	50	78.20	38.56	39.64
Station 1	6.4	2					
Station 2	8.3	5					
Station 3	6.7	4					
Station 4	6.8	3					
Kerry O'Tool (38 Spl Revolver)	40.6	19	5	25	65.60	28.48	37.12
Station 1	8.3	4					
Station 2	8.6	5					
Station 3	9.5	4					
Station 4	14.2	6					
Mitch Smith (9 mm)	17.4	15	9	45	62.40	25.92	36.48
Station 1	4.7	4					
Station 2	3.6	4					
Station 3	3.6	4					
Station 4	5.5	3					
Chris Bullinger (9 mm)	26.4	13	11	55	81.40	41.12	40.28
Station 1	6.1	2					
Station 2	7.6	3					
Station 3	6.3	4					
Station 4	6.4	4					
Dave Smith (9 mm)	16.6	19	5	25	41.60	9.28	32.32
Station 1	3.6	4					
Station 2	4.7	6					
Station 3	4.5	4					
Station 4	3.8	5					
John Nottingham (9 mm)	55.8	14	10	50	105.80	60.64	45.16
Station 1	15.1	6					
Station 2	15.9	3					
Station 3	12.7	2					
Station 4	12.1	3					
Mitch Smith (38 Spl Revolver)	29.4	18	6	30	59.40	23.52	35.88
Station 1	6.8	6					
Station 2	6.8	5					
Station 3	6.9	3					
Station 4	8.9	4					

Action Pistol - August 2nd, 2014

Name	Time	Hits	Missed	Penalty Time	Aggregate	Handicap	Score
Rim Fire - Iron Sight Division							
Kerry O'Tool (.22)	29.4	19	5	25	54.40	19.52	34.88
Station 1	6.9	4					
Station 2	6.6	5					
Station 3	7.6	5					
Station 4	8.3	5					

Above: Brock Corley (left) , winner of this year's Dixie Cup, shows off his shooting style. Natasha Smith (right) took 2nd Place.

Below: John Downey relaxes between shooters.

2014 Youth Group—Dixie Cup

Hunter & Bow Safety Class

The LLWC Hunter & Bow Safety Class was held on August 2nd & 3rd. We had 29 in attendance and all who participated in the class passed the written and field tests. Hunter Safety courses provide an opportunity to *give* back to the *hunting* culture and thereby conserve the hunting legacy for future generations. Congratulations participants for a job well done! Special thanks to volunteer Hunter Safety Instructors: Dale Willet, Richard Kurasz, Colleen Higgins, Anne Milewski , Bob Janes, Janet Randy Petrovich and our DNR Conservation Officer, Warren MacNeill.

Lost Lake Woods Club 5k Trail Run/5k Trail Fun Walk for FFA Alcona

The Lost Lake Woods Club 5k Trail Run/5k Trail Fun Walk for FFA Alcona was held on July 26th. We had nearly 50 runners and walkers at the event! Top 3 Women's Finishers were: Kathy Schroer, Shannon May-Spina and Mari Businski. Top 3 Men's Finishers were: Brian Wilson, Alex Stephenson and Jacob Rudowski. More pictures and race results may be found on LLWC's Facebook page. Special Thanks to: Greg Lewis and the Tecumseh Cross Country Team, Laura and Chris Claire, Lori Grush, Bob Janes, Laura Williams, Anne Milewski, Kyla Harmon and the Alcona FFA for volunteering their time in making this a successful event! Proceeds from this event will go to benefit Alcona County's FFA to help assist our county's young men and women!

President's POV (Point of View)

"Executive Session and Member Discipline"

The title of this column is the President's POV (Point of View). Every article I have written in the past has been my own words and opinion. Even though I am writing this article, the current Board of Directors has unanimously agreed with this opinion.

One of the duties of the Board of Directors (BoD) is to administer member discipline. And I am certain my fellow directors, both current and past share this same sentiment, it is the most difficult and least enjoyable responsibility we have as a Director and I personally dread that item on our agenda each month.

But, it is a responsibility we accept when our fellow members elect us, and I can tell you that every Director I have been associated with during my tenure on the Board takes this responsibility with the highest degree of seriousness and attention. Members that are brought to our meetings to discuss an issue are treated with the utmost respect and each is given as much time as they want to explain their actions. Because the member knows that what is said during the meeting will remain confidential the discussions are very open and frank. Both the member and the Directors are able to ask any question they want and everyone is given as much time as they need to express their thoughts and make their point.

And I know that the members deeply appreciate the confidentiality of the meeting and trust that whatever is discussed in these meetings will remain within that room.

Because every member of Lost Lake has a deep love for our association it is often a very emotional time for the member and it is sometimes very difficult emotionally to listen to their explanations. There is often deep embarrassment and most individuals are sincerely sorry and want to do whatever is needed to right the wrong and give every assurance it will not happen again.

The range of issues that are brought before the BoD have astounded me. Without going into detail, suffice it to say the Board has had to listen to an extremely varied range of issues that I would never have imagined, prior to becoming a Board member.

But unfortunately over the past several months there have been some club members that have demanded of the Board to know what happens in Executive Session regarding member discipline. They somehow believe that by shaming our fellow members with public pronouncements of member discipline it will somehow magically stop people from breaking the rules. If that were the case, any news article describing any crime in our country, would immediately keep anyone else from ever committing the same crime for fear of embarrassment. Go figure.

I personally believe the real reason people want to know what goes on is so they have something to feed their Facebook addictions and have fodder for destructive gossip.

I also believe this would be the quickest way for our club to lose members. I know people who have said they would leave the club before allowing themselves or their family to be publicly flogged purely for the enjoyment of others.

I have informed these members that our bylaws are clearly written on the subject and do not allow for discipline information to be divulged publicly except when a member is suspended from the club. Per the bylaws suspension are to be posted, and they are, on the bulletin board in the lodge. And I also believe that shaming and embarrassing our fellow members is not what Lost Lake does and adds absolutely nothing to the friendly atmosphere and camaraderie of the club.

For whatever reason some of these members believe this is my own personal policy I am imposing on the club and therefore I have been both publicly and privately, verbally and written, attacked. That's fine, I have no problem with that and have a very thick skin. And the barbs roll off like water on a duck. I could not care less.

I, along with the entire Board of Directors endorse the policy of confidentiality imposed by our bylaws, and we will defend it in any reasonably mature and intelligent discussion. But when some of the attacks have become uncontrolled and unreasonable, I just consider the source, smile, and refuse to expend any energy or engage in a shouting match of no value.

In hopes of stemming this issue after once again recently being raised, I contacted the club's counsel, Mr. David Cook, for a legal opinion on the issue. He in turn reviewed the club's bylaws and sent the BoD a letter confirming what I have been saying all along, what happens in Executive Session stays in Executive Session.

In part his opinion says:
"Therefore, if a member problem is heard at a closed session, the results of said session are not available to the general membership and must not be disclosed as part of the rules for the closed meeting. You are not able to discuss any of the issues heard at a closed meeting to anyone who was not present for the same."

He goes on to add:
"Therefore it is clear that the only rights that the general members would have to the results of discipline proceedings would be to those issues heard at an open meeting."

In addition, Ron Lamrock who has been involved in every Executive Session and member discipline hearing since coming to LLWC, says that every Board and Board President he has worked for (and there have been many), have adhered to the same policy.

I hope that this issue is put to rest for good. Too much valuable volunteer time and effort has been wasted on this issue and there is more important club business to attend to.

Thanks for listening and I'll talk with you next month.

Jim May
President, LLWC Board of Directors
MJLMII@AOL.COM

LOST LAKE WOODS ASSOCIATION
Board of Director's – Regular Meeting Agenda – APPROVED
Saturday, June 21, 2014

1. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
2. OPEN FORUM
3. CALL TO ORDER
   ROLL CALL: Jim May, Norma Christopherson, Jim Braden, John Bishop, Joel Blohm, Joe Boelter, Rene Feys and Tammy Hurt-Mendyka. Jim Youngblood-Absent Excused.
4. AMENDMENTS TO THE AGENDA
5. APPROVAL OF MINUTES - Regular Meeting – April 12, 2014
   Jim May made the motion to accept the minutes from the April 12, 2014 Board of Director's Meeting as submitted. Joel Blohm supported. Eight approved, one absent-excused.
6. OLD BUSINESS
   a. Property Maintenance Guidelines*
   b. BAR – Subdivision & Grounds - Weber Request* - Board is awaiting information to be provided by Mr. Weber
7. NEW BUSINESS
   a. New Applicant Readings – Jim Braden reported that all applicants were unanimously approved.
      i. James Padovano – Blohm
      ii. Jason Rychel (Angela) - Braden
      iii. Emily Mason (Kevin) – Bishop
      iv. Douglas Schmidt (Carolyn) – May
      v. Byron Haymaker (Bonnie) – Youngblood
      vi. Michael Wakely (Pamela) – Christopherson
      vii. Rene Wilson – Braden
      viii. Jeffrey Hutchison (Penny) – Braden
      ix. Robert Welch Jr. (Anne Marie) – Feys

   b. Communications
      i. Correspondence – Bob Demeulenaere/CC
      ii. Committee Minutes/Reports
         1. Cabin Owners – 5/13/2014 – Quorum had not been achieved. Funds will be made available for the Promotions Committee for a joint 4th of July Float for LLWC and Labor Day Parade in Harrisville to provide advertising for the Club to the Community.
         2. Conservation – 04/05 & 5/3/2014 – Megan LeMarbe requested that her contract not be renewed as she will be retiring from the position. Megan has actively been seeking inquiries of interest and will forward 5-6 letters of interest from biologists to Ed Thomson and the Board for review. Conservation will look for pheasant hunt for Youth and Women Only Hunt this fall. Some field discussion, timber bid requests.
         3. Finance & Audit – 04/26/2014—The Committee heard a detailed report from the auditors (Marie and Jacque) and received the highest level of confidence. Copies of the audit were distributed to the members of the Board of Directors. Heard a report from Rich Duntly, our investment manager on our investments to date and received mineral fund performance forecasts against actual. Also reviewed was the timber fund performance forecast against actual. Everything looks good budget wise in both areas with no significant issues. It was reported that the Board decided not to build the Multiple Use Storage Facility which will add $85,000 to the capital. The Board also changed the maintenance are $15 per year rather than $15 per month. There was a discussion about paintball where the Promotions Committee would like open up the capital budget for paintball but it was determined through past practices that the request should go through the normal budget process for 2015 but is subject to Board discussion. Trash disposal costs vs user fees and options available was also discussed as it has become quite an expense for the Association. The continual loss of membership impact on the budget was also discussed.
         4. Golf – 4/19 & 5/10/2014 – John Bishop reported that winter kill was on fairways and greens, but Brian Holmes has done a fine job in getting the course in shape. The snow has left on 5/2 and the course is now in full play. 94 teams played in the Men's Invitational and everyone seemed Blue Tees Champions were: 1st: Brian Bovee and Chuck Bovee, 2nd: Bob Beck and partner, Blamer, 3rd: Guest/Guest Boudreau and Armstrong (Boudreau has applied for membership). White tees: 1st: Gordon Bennet and Theys 2nd: Jake Lissot and Hot meier Tied for 2nd : Joe Boelter and Haymaker 5th: Joel Blohm and Ron Lamrock, 6th: Guest Guest Olson/Gladrick. There was a hole in one by Rob West on #12, his 4th hole in one. On June 25 we will host a GAM Scramble. Six teams will compete and two teams will qualify. Sue Boelter will institute SWOT with the Golf Committee where they will process the Golf Committee's Strengths, Weaknesses, Opportunities and Threats and present to the Future Planning Committee for their five year plan.
         5. House & Beach – 4/14 & 5/12/2014 Ron Lamrock reported that there is a BAR for a Raft at the BEACH To be presented later in this meeting, Slip and Side is finishing up in installation. Sand and peastone mix was spread 100' width and 8' into the water (with approval from the DEQ) to aid beach goers to walk into the beach and water.
         6. Promotions – 03 & 05/2014 – Joe Boelter reported that a BAR for Paintball will be presented later. They have been working on a float in conjunction with the Cabin Owners that will be in our 4th of July Parade as well as in Harrisville. There will be a Regatta on 4th of July. Volunteers are needed. Promotions developed a landing page for visitors to show visitors all the amenities for LLWC. The Kentucky Derby party was scratched for 2014 due to lack of timely sign ups. The event will be presented again next year.

   c. BARS
      i. Conservation – Fields – Jim May made the motion

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that the Board of Directors restore the fields and openings duties back to the method of operation April 1, 2014 as described in the document that accompanies this request titled "Intro to the Conservation Committee" under field point people. This document was in place prior to January 2011. One approved, six opposed, one absent/excused. **Motion Failed**.

ii. Finance & Audit Committee – Investment Policy Change – Norma Christopherson made the motion to amend the current Comerica Bank Investment Directive as follows: "The assigned Comerica Investment Strategist is required to follow the Lost Lake Woods Club Investment Policy Statement (IPS) originally adopted February 25, 2012 and as amended. Additionally, LLWC prohibits the sale of securities prior to maturity whereas LLWC would incur a cumulative total loss on individual bond sales great than $5,000 over the course of one month without first obtaining prior consent of an officer of the board, unless the Comerica investment strategist knows of a potential credit rating risk that may result in an issuer being downgraded below the LLWC IPS policy threshold." Jim May supported. Eight approved, one absent/excused. **Motion passed**.

iii. Future Planning – Survey – Joe Boelter made the motion for the Board to approved the inclusion of a short survey from the Future Planning Committee in the July dues mailing to be returned with the member's dues. Tammy Hurt-Mendyka supported. Eight approved, one absent/excused. **Motion passed**.

iv. Golf – New Defibrillator – John Bishop made the motion for the Board to approve the request for a defibrillator (AED) to be installed at the Golf House for emergency service. Joel Blohm supported. Eight approved, one absent/excused. **Motion passed**.

v. House & Beach – New Raft for Badger Lake Beach—Ron Lamrock made the motion that the Board of Directors authorize Staff to purchase the raft selected by House and Beach and install it at the Badger Lake Beach for an amount not to exceed $1,500. Jim Braden supported. Seven approved, one opposed, one absent/excused. **Motion passed**.

vi. Nominations – 2014 Board of Directors—Tammy Hurt -Mendyka made the motion that the Board of Directors accept the Nominating Committee's recommendation of the following Nominees for the 2015 Board of Directors: Robert (Rob) Clink, Sandra (Sandy) Ziaya, James (Jim) Braden, Ronald Metevier, Donald Green, Michael Hailer, Marie Knight, Richard Powe and Bradley Anderson.

vii. Promotions – Paintball – Joe Boelter made the motion that the Board approve the expenditure of $2,500 by the Promotions Committee to establish Paintball as a sports recreational activity at LLWC. Jim May supported. Jim Youngblood indicated that this activity creates an insurance issue which would necessitate a $1,500 rider on our current policy. Joe Boelter amended the motion to include the insurance rider. Roll call vote: Rene Feys – no; Tammy Hurt-Mendyka – yes; Joe Boelter – yes; John Bishop – yes; Jim May – no; Joel Blohm – no; Jim Braden – no; Norma Christopherson – no. Three approve, five oppose, one absent/excused. **Motion failed.**

d. Committee Applications –

Howard & Broman– Finance & Audit – One opening for the Finance & Audit Committee. Jim Braden read that as a result of the ballot process, Matt Howard received seven votes, John Broman received one vote. Matt Howard is now on the Finance & Audit Committee.

8. REPORTS

a. Treasurer's Report - Norma Christopherson reported on the financial aspect of Lost Lake Woods Association. She indicated that there are currently 1,033 members (1,034 last month up two members, but loss of three).

b. Manager's Report - Ron Lamrock reported on the construction of the new gate and described the issues related to the gate and gate cards. He indicated that he wanted to discuss different options available with the gate cards. Every card and every 'hockey puck' RFID has a unique number attached to it and can be turned on and off. Members receive two gate cards with membership, each additional gate card is available for $19, 'hockey pucks' RFID gate opener $45.

i. There is the possibility that the gate cards could be used for purchase of goods/services/materials at the Club. The problem may be that members leave the card in their car, but wanted Board input before any implementation. The gate card could be used as a "credit card" against the member account. No real support at this time for this use, may be revisited at a later date.

ii. Motion to change rule in Rules and Regulations. Jim May made the motion that a $15 refund will be given upon surrender of the 'hockey puck' RFID gate opener. Jim May amended his motion to include the verbiage to include that the unit is functioning upon surrender at any time as long as the technology is still in use. Joel Blohm supported. Eight approved, one absent excused. **Motion carried**.

iii. Tammy Hurt-Mendyka made a motion to allow members who purchased a gate opener in the last year that they are able to turn it in for a $15 rebate. No support, Motion died.

iv. Jim Braden made a motion to allow members who purchased the previous gate opener in the past six months to receive ½ the cost paid toward the new 'hockey puck' RFID gate opener. John Bishop supported. Jim Braden amended the motion to include refund with receipt or ability to verify purchase. No support, motion taken from the table.

v. We have the ability to make cards available for guests/service workers that could be purchased by the member and made available to their guest/service worker. The cards are reprogrammable once returned. These cards would be under the membership of the person

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who make them available to their guest/service worker.

vi. This is information for discussion at a later date. The gate ingress will become more secure where members will need to call the office with guests/service workers names and dates they are expected at the Club. If this information is not supplied to the front office, then these guests/services workers will be turned away if they call the office and the information is not supplied to the front desk. The date that these firmer controls will take effect will be published in the Newsletter, email blasts and posted in the lobby and at the desk so that members are made aware in advance.

vii. Working on contrast of gate display so it is more easily read—especially during the day when it has been extremely difficult to read.

viii. Gate sensors are being adjusted so that a current issue where the gate arm stayed in the upright position if someone entered the gate too quickly for the sensor to read properly.

ix. Some modifications may be required to the gate configuration as long nosed vehicles experience difficulties in accessing the gate card reader.

x. Tammy Hurt-Mendyka requested that a second phone number option to be available so an alternate phone number will be available to guests at gate to contact the member to get access to the Club.

xi. Gate progress is on budget, may be over due to within $2k.

xii. Some modifications may be required Overhead LLWC sign reconstruction was unplanned. The old sign was taken down during construction and it was in poor condition and is currently being reworked for replacement.

- Geocache Scavenger Hunt is in use. There are six caches that have been planted on Club grounds that members can access at their leisure. Coordinates are available at the front desk. There are ticks out there, so be aware and prepare appropriately.
- Self-Guided Woods Tour is available for check out at the front desk. A thank you to Megan LeMarbe is extended for her hard work and coordination for this edition of the Woods Tour Guidebook.
- Linda McMillan has been working with the IRS during their audit. They have been at the location for three days. A couple of issues are being examined: i. mineral deductions on taxes may be a possible issue for "reasonableness" which may increase taxes. ii. W2 reporting – continued field work with their Detroit office where we may not receive information for the next month or so. LLWC will not be granting the IRS any extension that they requested for examination of our information.
- We are switching credit card company used with Clubsoft which is new technology. It is PCI compliant (additional security for LLWC) and offers additional significant cost savings.
- Phone system changes are in the works from Frontier to Charter. Charter is not yet 100% as our fax and credit card machine. We recently had been down to only one line at the Club and had to bring on security for the gate monitoring. Charter will be paying for the costs incurred for security during the time the phone lines were down and for the four hours where their representative were
- Old Golf Shop demolition: The DEQ permit has been issued for air quality/asbestos issues, an engineering firm inspected the facility which was submitted to licensed state demolition contractors. The bids submitted to LLWC for asbestos removal were actually higher than the budget for the demolition of the building which was budgeted for $6k. Lowest bid was $6,900 so far. Once the asbestos is removed, our crew can do some of the work so the overall bid may be reduced. Once the asbestos is removed we will obtain a demolition permit for the tear down. Overall costs will be higher overall around $15. Jim May made a motion to authorize the demolition and removal of the old golf building not to exceed $15k. Joel Blohm supported. Eight approved, one absent/excused. **Motion carried**.
- Men's invitational went well. Congratulations to the Men's Invitational Committee and they raised a little over $1,200 for Wounded Warrior.
- Thanks to all who participated in the Mike Anderson Benefit.
- GAM Scramble
- July 4th
- Bonnie Carriveau will be retiring and she agreed to stay on through July 4th activities. We will be holding a party on Wednesday, July 9th at 3pm to honor her 30 years' service and dedication. Her replacement, Jen Weichel, is a former employee of LLWC and appears to be a capable and good fit for the position.
- LLWC was awarded about $6500 in grant money for deer grant. Scott Grush/Conservation Committee did the lion's share of the work and LLWC submitted an application to the state. Trees will be planted: crab apples, apples, hawthorns. They will be fenced and protected. This grant will help the wildlife at the club. The grant does require a match of about $2k to get the $6.5k. Joel Blohm made a motion to amend budget by $2k to accommodate the $6.5k grant awarded by the State of Michigan. Jim May supported. Eight approved, **Motion carried.**
- Timber bids have been received. The references check out for the best bid for the timber company. Jim May made the motion to allow the secretary to sign the contracts. Joel Blohm supported. Eight approved, one absent/excused. **Motion carried**.

c. President's Report - Jim May did not present a report as Ron Lamrock covered subject matter that Jim May intended to cover.

9. DISCUSSION

10. ANNOUNCEMENT OF EXECUTIVE SESSION

11. ADJOURN

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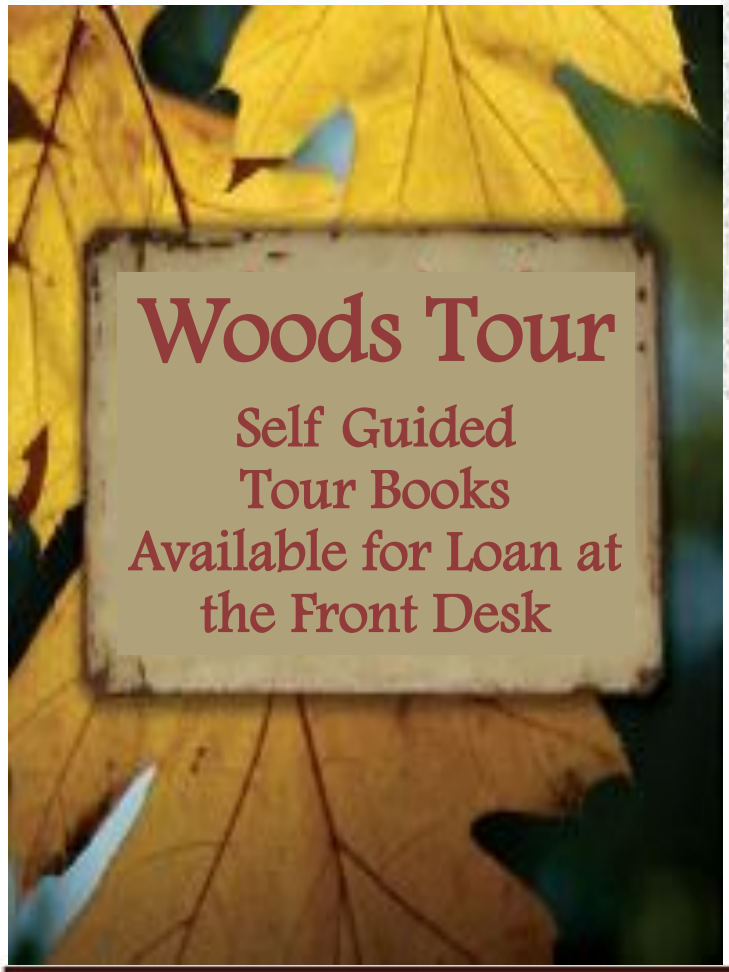

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