



# Land O' Lakes Fish & Game Club Newsletter



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## IMPORTANT CLUB INFORMATION

It is **Membership Renewal time!** Complete the renewal form on page 12 of this newsletter and mail it **TODAY** to retain your membership of the Land O' Lakes Fish & Game Club. Thus far membership renewals are down. We hope this is just a reflection of our change to an eNewsletter.

### Welcome to our new members!

Steve and Pat Bielke  
Rod and Debbie Brost  
Lucy Brundage and Gerald Rosenberg

### Incoming and Outgoing Board Members



The Land O' Lakes Fish & Game Club welcomes two new members to the Board of Directors. **Mike Brennand and Gary Ebert** were voted in at the July general membership meeting as Directors. The membership wishes to extend a warm thank you to outgoing board member **John Annin** for his dedication and commitment to the Club. Your time and talents have been instrumental in the success of the Club's programs. You will be missed.

### This is our second eNewsletter.

**Print It and Pin It!** The links in this eNewsletter are active. Snail Mailers, this newsletter is posted on our website, [www.fishandgameclub.org](http://www.fishandgameclub.org).

### New Committee Formed....

the Agonikak Trail Maintenance Committee. See article on page 5.

### 2013 CHRISTMAS DINNER DANCE & SOCIAL

by Karen Sattler

Start off this holiday season by gathering with Fish and Game members and their friends at Gateway Lodge on Friday, December 13<sup>th</sup> for our annual Christmas Dinner Dance & Social. A cash bar will open at 5:00 p.m., and dinner will be served at 6:30 p.m. DJ Wildfire will be returning to us providing *quiet dinner music* followed by music of our choice for listening and dancing.

**NEW dinner** selections this year: Raspberry Almond Chicken, Broiled Walleye or Prime Boneless Pork Chop with Apple Cranberry Sauce. The price is \$30 per person (includes tax and tip). This popular event will be limited to 98 people this year so make your reservations early. **Reservations need to be made by Saturday, November 23.** This event is open to the community, so invite your family and friends and begin your holiday season with us.

**A REGISTRATION FORM** can be found at the end of this newsletter on page 11.

### Save the date.....

**Photo Contest deadline, January 31, 2014.** More information and rules will be included in the January newsletter and on the website. Contact Dale Gunderson with questions, 715-547-3153.

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## HELP NEEDED.

*Volunteers Needed to Provide Snacks in 2014.* Light snacks are made available for members and guests who attend the general membership meetings. Volunteers are needed to provide these snacks for the six meetings (May thru October) in 2014. A sign-up sheet will be available at the October 8<sup>th</sup> meeting.

## QUARTER'S HIGHLIGHTS

### Strawberries and Wild Rice

*By Rose Backhaus*

This year's ice cream social and August Fish and Game Club meeting was held at Ely Memorial Church. Everyone enjoyed ice cream donated by Forest Lake Country Store.

Roger Labine from Lac Vieux Desert gave a very interesting and information presentation on wild rice harvesting. His presentation included the history of wild rice and what it means to Native Americans, the environmental issues facing the growth of wild rice and how wild rice is actually harvested.

Roger also mentioned that the Ottawa Visitor Center has a great video on Wild Rice Harvesting that can be viewed for those who want to learn more or were not able to attend the August meeting.

### Toumey Nursery and Fish Hatchery Tour

*By Lee Ryden*

Tucked away in the woods in Watersmeet, Michigan is a well kept secret.....J.W.Toumey Nursery. Twenty of us met our hostess, Christy Makuck, who educated us on just what happens in their neck of the woods. Christy explained the life cycle of a tree, from the beginning to the end. We visited the greenhouses where thousands and thousands of tree seedlings were growing. We went inside of a temperature controlled room where billions of seeds were stored and then into the fields to see the acres and acres of small trees ready for future plantings in forests all over the Midwest. Who would guess there was so

much science in the planting of one seed. This was an absolute enjoyable event.



Our next stop was just down the road from the nursery. We went to Watersmeet Fish Hatchery and Fish Farm. This private hatchery is owned by the Giannola Family. The public is invited to come and fish for trout from their ponds for a fee as well as providing the highest quality fresh water trout to stock waters in the Upper Peninsula of Michigan and Wisconsin. Dino gave us a quick history of how it all got started and then proceeded to show us the hatchery.

***Wow....have you ever seen thousands of baby fry in a holding tank?***



Dino let us feed them and reach right in to touch them. Outside were good sized ponds with larger trout in the most purest, cleanest water we have ever seen. He also explained how he has to keep the local owls, King Fishers and eagles out of his ponds. What a glorious sun shiny day filled with so much beauty with new and old friends. It doesn't get any better than this.

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## UPCOMING OUTINGS CALENDAR

Oct. 18 Tour of the Wildlife Rehabilitation Center in Minocqua

Events will return to club members during the months of January - March 2014. Look for them in the January Fish and Game Club newsletter.

## 2013 EVENING PROGRAM & MEETING



The last meeting and program of the year occurs on Tuesday, October 8<sup>th</sup>. It will be held at Ely Memorial Church in Land O' Lakes. Light refreshments are available beginning at 6:30 p.m. Program begins at 7:00 p.m. A short business meeting follows. The public is welcome and there is no charge.

Oct. 8<sup>th</sup>

### **"Wisconsin's Northwoods - A Changing Landscape in Changing Times"**

Speakers are Tom Steele, a Senior Scientist and Superintendent at UW-Madison's Kemp Natural Resources Station in Woodruff and Tim Katz, Senior Scientist at the UW Center for Limnology at the Trout Lake Center in Boulder Junction.

## UPCOMING OUTINGS - The Inside Scoop

### **Tour Northwoods Wildlife Center**

*by Will Buergey*

The Outdoor Activity Committee will be hosting a tour of the Northwoods Wildlife Center in Minocqua on October 18. The Northwoods Wildlife Center provides wildlife with rescue, rehabilitation, and release services, as well as field assessments of injured wildlife.

The creation of the Northwoods Wildlife Center was the culmination of a dream of local veterinarian Doctor Rory Foster and his wife

Linda. The center was incorporated in 1979, and became a separate entity from Doctor Foster's veterinarian clinic, Foster-Smith Animal Hospital, when the founders decided to form a non-profit organization dedicated to helping injured wildlife.

Once enough money was raised, a wildlife hospital was built next to the Foster-Smith Animal Hospital, and on June 19, 1982 the Northwoods Wildlife Center was officially opened, becoming the first wildlife hospital in the Midwest. The center's goals are summed up in their Mission Statement: Working towards a Better Future for Wildlife through Rehabilitation, Education, and Research. The ultimate goal for any injured animal is to help them make their way home to the forests of the Northwoods following a successful rehabilitation.

Those attending the tour should meet at 8:30 to carpool from the Stateline parking lot with a departure time of 8:45 AM. The tour will begin at 10:00 and will last about an hour.

Please contact Karen or Bob Turnquist at [kmtturnquist@gmail.com](mailto:kmtturnquist@gmail.com) (906-544-2069) or Will Buergey at [buergeyw@alphacomm.net](mailto:buergeyw@alphacomm.net) to let us know if you plan to attend this event. Admission to the center is free, but donations are encouraged.

## COMMUNITY SERVICE NEWS

### **Michigan Road Cleanup (Hwy 2)**

By Team Ryden

A "Big Thank You" to the four people who came to our rescue for the Highway 2 clean up, They were Diana Mehlhop, Mary Congdon, Jim Claypool and a brand new member named Pat Bielke.

Our general consensus was there was very little trash on the road this year. Good sign, heh? Hope to see some new faces for the Spring Clean Up 2014.

Enjoy the coming of Fall.

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## Wisconsin Road Cleanup (Hwy B)

By Greg and Mary Jo Wenzel

Eleven Dedicated civic-minded volunteers mustered at the intersection of HWYs B & S at 10 am on 9/11/13. War was declared on roadside litter and the troops, armed with pick sticks and bags, cleared three miles of roadway of litter. The mission was accomplished in record time. I can declare that three miles of roadside collectively east, west and south of the intersection can now claim the reputation of "the pride of the north woods". The team of litter pickers was comprised of some regulars and some new volunteers as well. I thank each of them for their commitment to keeping our roadsides clean!

### BOARD NEWS

#### Treasurer's Report

By Dale Sharpee



The Board has approved a budget that provides for \$2,925 to be spent during the 2013-2014 fiscal year. This is \$400 less than what was budgeted to be spent during the 2012-2013 fiscal year. The introduction of a website ([www.fishandgame.org](http://www.fishandgame.org)) means that less will have to be spent for printing and mailing the quarterly newsletter. The majority of the Club's operating expenses are for the general membership meetings, administrative expenses, member communication, maintenance and fuel for the groomer for the cross country ski trails, and the community photo contest. In recent years the Club has relied on your membership dues to provide a majority of the revenue to pay for these expenses. As of September 1<sup>st</sup>, membership dues totaling \$1,830 have been received. This is \$335 less than what had been received as of September 1, 2012. Thanks to those members who have renewed or new members that have joined, we are 62 % of the way towards meeting the goal for revenue from membership dues. If you have not paid your membership dues, **Membership Application Form** is included on **page 11** for your use in remitting your dues.

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## Trig's Community Support Program

by Dale Sharpee

When you shop at Trig's, write the Club's ID number, **44s**, on your receipt and deposit the receipt in the designated box at the Trig's store in Eagle River. The receipt can be deposited on the day of purchase or any day thereafter. The Club receives **1 %** of the total dollar amount accumulated from receipts with ID number **44s** noted on them. The funds that the Club receives from this program are one of the sources of revenue in the annual budget. \$991 has been received from Trig's during the last 7 years.

### 2013-14 Membership Renewals

by Mary Thomas

Through your generous support, the Fish and Game Club continues to provide quality monthly programs, outdoor activities, community service opportunities, and some social events. We continue to give educational grants and scholarships for our local schools and students. Your membership is VITAL to us. Dues continue to be as affordable as last year: \$10 per person, \$20 per family, and \$15 per business.

However, our numbers have seen a decline recently, falling to some of the lowest levels in years. Individual memberships stand at 172 and business members at 7. Please remember to renew today! An additional contribution toward the Education Fund is also greatly appreciated.

**The membership application form is on page 12 of this newsletter.**

### NATURE NOTES BY PETER DRING

#### **The weight of a bird's feathers and bones**

For most flying birds their feathers weigh more than their bones. Flying birds have hollow bones that are specially adapted to reduce weight and facilitate flight. For many birds, this means the weight of their feathers can be double the weight of their entire skeleton and as much as

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20% of their total body weight. For example, a bald eagle's skeleton may weigh only about 250 grams (0.55 lbs), while its feathers weigh more than twice as much, about 630 grams (1.4 lbs).

### **Northern Bogs**

The bog habitat on the sides of Northwoods roads are gradually becoming drier and being invaded by upland species like red maple and white pine. Eventually, these former wet bogs will probably look like the upland woods around them.

The dominant plant in a northern bog is sphagnum moss, which most people recognize as "peat moss." Sphagnum moss acts like a sponge, absorbing around 25 times its weight in water. The result is a ground surface that often rocks and quakes like a waterbed. Many bogs no longer roll and bounce when walked on, because it has dried out so much. It has become easy to make a compacted trail in a bog.

Sphagnum moss is a great insulator. Temperatures one foot down may be near freezing even in summer. [It is also a great home for the wild cranberry, which has ripening fruit at this time of year.]

## **COMMITTEE NEWS**

### **Agonikak Trail Maintenance Committee**

*by Jim Thomas*

Back in 2008 we identified the restoration of the Agonikak National Recreation Trail as a possible public service project for the Fish and Game Club. Once it became part of the trail system being developed by Wilderness Lakes Trails (WLT) in cooperation with the Town of Watersmeet and the U.S Forest Service, the Fish and Game Club involvement has become essential. Watersmeet agreed to be a sponsor so we could get a grant, but was not in a position to provide maintenance. The USFS agreed that they would be willing to enter into a maintenance agreement with WLT and the F&G Club similar to what we currently do with the ski/hiking trails.

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In May 2010, the F&G Club approved a three-way agreement with the USFS and WLT. We agreed to provide volunteers and the USFS and WLT will provide the equipment and financial support, all needed to maintain the trail.

At the F&G Board meeting in July, it was agreed that a Committee would be formed to provide volunteers for trail maintenance. It is envisioned that we would have two work parties each year to brush, roll and repair washed out areas. This is one more way we can strengthen our partnership with the Forest Service and add another public service to our list of contributions to the community and the environment.

I have agreed to chair this committee. This should be a fun committee as there are no meetings and a couple times a year you get out in the woods to work with friends and meet new people while serving the community. WLT has agreed to host a cookout after the work parties for fellow volunteers to socialize.

We had a good response to the club wide email, but the more volunteers the better. So please email me at [JNT5738@frontier.com](mailto:JNT5738@frontier.com) or call 715-547-3556 so we can put you on the list of potential volunteers.

### **Educational Grant Committee**

*by Kathleen Kuchevar*

The Club has received an informative article from Jessica Jung, Eagle River Second Grade Teacher. Her students would like to thank you for the grant money you provided to support their educational field trip to Watersmeet along with an afternoon of fishing fun at the school.

*On Monday June 3<sup>rd</sup> we took a trip to the Ottawa National Forest Visitor's Center where we learned all about the outdoors. The wonderful staff there took us on a nature walk, let us examine small things with neat magnifying glasses and showed us a cute video called Stranger in the Forest.*

*Then we went to the Watersmeet Fish Hatchery. We learned all about raising fish, got to feed them and try our hand at catching some, too.*

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*We spent the afternoon of Tuesday June 4<sup>th</sup> outside of the school with many fish related activities. We printed special T-shirts painting with fish images. A program through the DNR allows teachers to borrow fishing equipment and Mrs. Jung had some fish targets for casting practice. Mr. Rollie Alger, a water specialist, brought some water samples and taught us all about the important critters that live in the water. DNR warden Tim Price brought his boat and talked to us about safety on the water. Mr. Spets, our principal, taught us how to cast a fly rod.*

*Thanks again for providing funding for two special days.*

*Mrs. Jessica Jung, the Second Grade staff and students at ERES.*

### **Education Fund**

*by Jim Thomas*



Balance as of 9/16/13 is \$27,807.95.

The Fund's purpose is to support educational grants given to teachers for programs to foster the conservation of natural resources through the education of our young people. If you would like information on educational grants, the Club has a brochure describing the program. Donations made to this fund are only used for teacher grants or scholarships and are not used for general operating expenses. If you would like information about this fund, call Jim Thomas at 715-547-3556. If you would like to make a donation to this fund, send your check to Land O' Lakes Fish & Game Club, Education Fund, P.O. Box 516, Land O' Lakes, WI, 54540-0516.

### **Outdoor Activity Committee**

Outdoor events are scheduled by the Fish and Game Club's Outdoor Activity Committee. The current events are listed on page --- of this newsletter. Following input from club members the committee has been attempting to schedule a balanced mixture of educational trips and those that require a slight to moderate level of physical activity.

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The committee is always looking for new members to attend one of our planning meetings or to provide ideas for new adventures. If you would like to assist the committee, please contact Will Buergey at: [buergeyw@alphacomm.net](mailto:buergeyw@alphacomm.net).

As usual, there will be no scheduled Outdoor Activities in November or December, but we will plan winter events for January through March.

### **Scholarship Committee**

*By Ursula Charaf*

This is a note we received from Kenny Musial. Kenny won a \$2,000 scholarship in 2011 and received his last installment at the beginning of the spring 2013 semester.

*Dear Members of the Land O' Lakes Fish and Game Club,*

*Hello! I hope all is well! I finished up my second year of school in May and everything went very well! It was a very difficult semester because I was taking 17 credits plus I was working on a part-time job, but I found a way to get it done. The most interesting class that I took was my Natural Resources 250 class, which primarily focused on the relationships between the different disciplines of natural resources. We covered everything from fisheries to forestry to wildlife and everything in between.*

*As I have previously told you, I am very involved with the UWSP Fire Crew and I am very please to say that I was elected as the Fire Effects Officer for the 2013-14 school year! Only seven officers are elected per year out of 70-80 active member. The Fire Effects Officer has a primary duty of recording what ecosystem changes take place [after] wildfires and prescribed burns. [I will be collecting] a lot of plant data, so it will be a very fun and active position. This position will be a huge step forward in my career because [I will] meet and work with new people in the forestry and fire suppression aspect of natural resource management.*

*One other amazing opportunity that I had this spring [was] spending a few days working at the DNR Ranger station in Eagle River. I was there to help with fire suppression, but no fires occurred, so I*

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ended up painting Smokey the Bear signs. I am very thankful I had the opportunity to meet DNR employees and to learn how they got to be in the positions they are in.

For the remainder of this summer I will be staying at Treehaven in Tomahawk. While there, I will take a six-week course that is required for natural resource managers. This seven-credit course will give me hands-on experience working with professionals in the field. My plans for next summer are to hopefully go out to the western US and work on fire suppression. I know many fellow Fire Crew members currently working for the Forest Service and Fish and Wildlife, so I am hoping that next summer is my chance! I will continue to keep you updated on my progress and career path. Thank you again so much for all that you do!

Sincerely, Kenny Musial

### **Ski Trail Report is back!**

by Bob Turnquist

We are going to construct a Kiosk to display information in the Ski Trail Parking Lot on the East Duck Lake Road. Other than that, no changes are planned for the trail this year.

Fall is a really good time to walk the trails, so give it a try. If you are walking and find a limb or other debris on the trail, it would be great if you could remove it from the trail.

See you on the trails when the snow flies.

### **SIGHTINGS**

by Cheryl Pytlarz

*SIGHTINGS* is an eNewsletter column for members to share their animal sightings. Keep it in mind throughout the seasons and please don't be afraid to share!

### **A Thousand Bees, A Hundred Peppers**

This summer at Balsam Meadows my animal sightings were frequent and quite varied. We have a family of grouse that hang out in our woods and are rustled up every afternoon when we walk our dog Ty. Boy what a beautiful bird!

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Throughout the summer I have seen a couple dozen garden snakes in our yard and frogs hopping through my garden each day. Within the last week I have seen dozens of bear scat piles loaded with cherry seeds on bike trails, hiking trails and roads. Our lake eagle is roosting in our trees overlooking the lake and there are several eagle pairs on Albino Lake north of Sylvania. The deer and smallest fawns ever, for this time of year, are visiting our yard daily and drooling over my garden as they stare at it through my 7 foot fence.



But what has been most amazing this summer and continues as it wanes, are the bees. While last year was the year of the tomato, this year may be the year of the bee. Even where it's warmer the beekeepers are saying they have more honey than ever before.

Here at Balsam Meadows there are still thousands of bees, on every flower growing in my garden and yard, even after our first frost. These of course are not the honey bees that put honey on our grocery shelves, these are the native type and so many different types there are. Since I'm not a bee ID expert, I'll skip the species description, but what I can tell you is that I have never had so many peppers and eggplants in my life. Every plant is producing pounds and pounds of each. Even my tomato

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plants have pounds and pounds of tomatoes, but most will never ripen. The peppers, well it's time to make pepper salsa, pickled peppers, sweet pepper relish, stuffed peppers, peppered peppers and any other pepper dish that comes to my mind.



Winter rest is near!

## CLUB HISTORY NOTES

### **Club Wins Award**

*by Diana Mehlhop*

The year was 1969. The Club wins a prestigious award. Here's the announcement that printed in The Rhinelander, Wis. Daily News, Wednesday, April 30, 1969.

#### **Land O'Lakes Club to Receive Award May 3**

LAND o'Lakes - The Land o'Lakes Fish and Game Club will receive a President's Award of the National Wildlife Federation at the Wisconsin Wildlife Federation annual banquet May 3 in Stevens Point.

The 300-member conservation club in Vilas County received the award for a varied program of natural resources improvement, pollution control and public conservation activities. The award will be presented by Lester P. Voight, on behalf of the National Wildlife Federation and the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources. Award winners were announced by the federation Feb. 28 in Washington, D.C.

"The Land o'Lakes area, in addition to being rich in wildlife, forests and extraordinary natural waterways, is a prime resort and winter sports area," commented club president A. A. Gerhard. "This makes it a magnificent demonstration area for true multiple-use conservation, the concept on which the future of America's natural resources ultimately depends."

The club has been active in planting natural foods for water fowl and upland game in its area, and has a permanent program of

biologically effective supplemental feeding for wintering white-tail deer. It expects to move rapidly into further habitat preservation and development work.

Fish cribs to shelter growing fish in several clear water lakes, and a club project to improve spawning grounds in a prominent Vilas County creek (Helen Creek) are viewed as important contributions to improved fishing. In these projects the club works with the help of the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources.

"Water pollution threatens not only the wilderness but habitat for man himself. Our club's involvement in analyzing and preventing pollution in the sport fishing waters of Vilas County and adjoining areas is one of its most vital concerns," commented Gerhard.

The club has cooperated with the Department of Natural Resources and the state of Michigan in investigating and correcting pollution problems in the Cisco Chain, a large chain of lakes lying on the Wisconsin-Michigan border. The club has provided both materials and manpower for this work.

Members of the club are active in statewide conservation work. Oscar Holtan, second vice-president, is a member of the board of directors of the Wisconsin Wildlife Federation; William Ruth, a club member, serves on the board of the Wisconsin Wildlife Federation and is a roving delegate to the National Wildlife Federation. At the county conservation hearing, held March 24 in Eagle River, Matt Lee, a club member, was elected principal delegate for Vilas County to the Wisconsin Conservation Congress. Lee had previously served as an alternate delegate to that body.

Representatives of the club at the May 3 banquet where the President's award will be presented will be President Gerhard, Curt Sparks, a past president and founding member of the club, both of Land o'Lakes, and the Rev. David Backus of Conover. Sparks is permanent chairman of the club's deer feeding program, one of its most significant projects.

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## OUTINGS STORIES

### **Moonlight Canoe/Kayack Outing**

by Lee Ryden



Mother Nature gave us a fabulous night for a moonlight boat ride on July 21 st 2013. Thirteen of us gathered together in one pontoon, seven kayaks and one canoe. We left Thousand Island Lake public access around 8:15pm and headed for the island at Record Lake. Once it got dark and the moon shone like a huge white pearl in the sky, it became magical. The waters were still, warm and perfect for paddling. One got the feeling of being in another world of peacefulness and quiet. Several made the comment of feeling like Hiawatha. It was a beautiful night with good friends in a very special place. We will definitely do this again next year.

### **Fall Color Hike**

by Judy Challed

#### **Rx: For A Day Made In Heaven**

Take one tablet every 4 hours to ensure sun and warm weather.

Mix well with spectacular Northern Wisconsin fall colors.

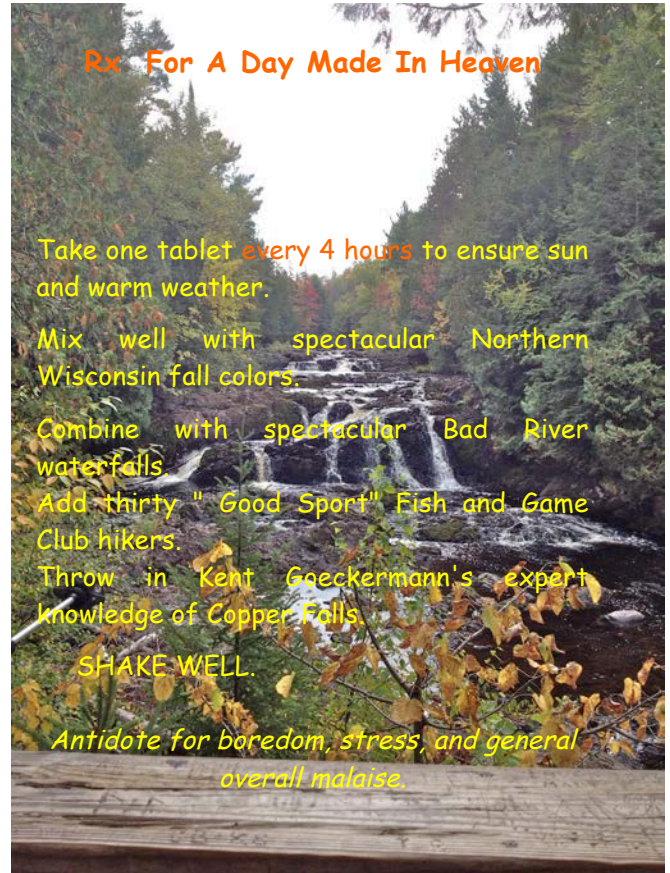
Combine with spectacular Bad River waterfalls.

Add thirty " Good Sport" Fish and Game Club hikers.

Throw in Kent Goeckermann's expert knowledge of Copper Falls.

**SHAKE WELL.**

*Antidote for boredom, stress, and general overall malaise.*



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### **CLUB BOARD MEMBERS**

Please note that there are new officers and directors for the Fish and Game Club 2013-14 year listed here.

President	(duties shared by Board members)	
Vice-President	Karen Sattler	715-547-1142
Secretary	Rita Kickert	715-547-6972
Treasurer	Dale Sharpee	906-544-2463
Directors	Mike Brennand	906-544-2366
	Will Buergey	906-544-2673
	Gary Ebert	906-358-4246
	Sudy Wattson	906-544-2461

**DON'T FORGET THE CLUB'S EMAIL ADDRESS!!!**

*fishandgameclub@frontier.com*

We send out periodic e-mail reminders about meetings, activities and outings that are going on within the Club.

If you would like to be added to the distribution list, send your request to Mary Thomas at  
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## Reservation Form for Christmas Dinner Dance

The annual **Fish Game Club Christmas Dinner Dance** will be held on **December 13<sup>th</sup>** at the **Gateway Lodge Restaurant**. This event is open to the community so be sure to invite friends, family and neighbors. **Reservations will be limited to 95 persons.**

The cost will be \$30.00 per person which snacks, salad, your dinner entrée, potato, vegetable, dessert, coffee, tax, gratuity and entertainment.

The evening will begin with a cash bar at 5:00 p.m., snacks and Christmas Carols at 5:30 p.m., followed by dinner at 6:30 p.m. After dinner, **Wildfire** will be performing for your listening and dancing enjoyment!

Please fill out this form and enclose a check for the appropriate amount made payable to the Land O' Lakes Fish and Game Club. **Reservations need to be made by November 23rd.** Your check will be your reservation.

Please indicate your choice of entrée: **Boneless Chicken Breast with Raspberry Sauce & Toasted Almonds, Broiled Walleye with lemon & tartar sauce, or Prime breaded Boneless Pork Chop with Apple Cranberry Sauce**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Entrée: \_\_\_\_\_ Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Entrée:  
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Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Entrée: \_\_\_\_\_ Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Entrée:  
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Please indicate if you have a table preference and we will try to accommodate your request \_\_\_\_\_  
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**Include a phone number should a question arise:**  
\_\_\_\_\_

Mail with remittance to: Chris & Gary Ebert, N3691 Sylvan Isle Dr., Watersmeet, MI 49969

# 2013-2014 Fish & Game Club Membership Application Form

(Membership year starts on July 1<sup>st</sup> and ends on June 30<sup>th</sup>)

MEMBERSHIP DUES: \$10 per person, \$20 per family and \$15 per business

Membership Payment: \$\_\_\_\_\_ + Education Fund Contribution: \$\_\_\_\_\_ = \$\_\_\_\_\_

Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

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Summer Address:

Winter Address (if different):

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Street (PO Box)

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Street (PO Box)

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City, State, Zip

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City, State, Zip

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## Email Address(es)

The club is using email addresses more and more. We notify members about outings and events and now we will notify you when our eNewsletter has been posted on the Club website.

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Summer E-mail Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
Winter E-mail Address

**CHECK this box if you want to continue receiving the newsletter by USPS.** The Board encourages members to NOT check this box, to save resources and club funds.

**Make check payable to the Land O' Lakes Fish & Game Club and mail with remittance to:**  
Mary Thomas, 5738 S. Black Oak Lk. Rd., Land O' Lakes, WI 54540