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The Summer of 2018 is Almost here!

2018 Annual KLID/KLHA Meeting Reminder

All property owners and members are invited to attend these important meetings to keep up to date, meet with neighbors and provide input to your Boards. Light refreshments will be available.

Place: Ideal Town Hall

Date: May 26, 2018

Time: KLID: 8-9 am KLHA 9-10 am

The **KLID meeting** agenda includes:

- Update on Eurasian watermilfoil and zebra mussels, and our efforts to control these and other Aquatic Invasive Species (AIS) on Kimble
- Treasurer's report
- 2019 budget and property tax assessment
- Board member elections



For meeting materials click this link: [KLID Materials](#)

The **KLHA meeting** will commence immediately after the KLID meeting. The Agenda includes:

- Jim Schultz, our resident AIS expert and AIS Committee chair will share a presentation he recently gave at a University of Minnesota conference that tells the story of our active AIS prevention efforts since 2003.
- We will have updates on our access monitoring program and coordination efforts with other lakes in our chain, including safe navigation of Kimball Creek and protecting upstream lakes from the spread of AIS.
- Treasurer's report
- Reports from KLHA committees (Social, Sunshine, Water Quality, Newsletter, Walleye Stocking, Water Clarity and Lake Apparel).
- Board member elections and a request for volunteers to form a Nominating Committee for future KLHA Board Members.

Annual Dues Requested

KLHA relies on your membership dues and voluntary donations, as well as your volunteer efforts, to support our many activities that make Kimble such a special community. Dues are due at the time of the annual meeting or before. If you haven't already, please complete your annual membership form so we have your correct contact information and send with a check payable to KLHA in the envelope you received in the annual meeting mailing. Alternatively, you can bring a check and your completed membership form to the annual meeting.

Ice Out (Finally) Party

Jeff and Sally Baumgartner hosted the annual Ice Out Party at their home on May 5. They scheduled the event before the ice really departed and were right on with the party timing when Maxine Knutson (official record keeper) declared the ice gone on May 1. This was not the latest the ice has went out - there have been three other times it occurred in May. A large crowd of people were able to celebrate the change of seasons at this fun event. It was good to see so many neighbors and new people after a very long and difficult winter.





Get Your Kimble Gear

Maxine Knutson will have her catalogs for Kimble Lake gear at the annual meeting with orders due no later than June 1st. In addition, she plans to place orders on July 28th and September 29th. Please make it easier on Maxine by getting your orders in by the deadlines.

June KLHA Activities

Ladies Luncheon: The first Ladies Luncheon of the summer will be at 12:15 PM on **Thursday June 7** at The Hungry Loon Café, 4464 Main St. Pequot Lakes. There will be three entrees to pick from. Please join us for this fun get together with your neighbor friends. If you plan to attend, **RSVP no later than June 2** to Barb Rowe at browe.kimball@gmail.com or simply reply to this email and it will go to Barb. RSVP is important, if you plan to attend, so we can make sure the restaurant has sufficient space, food and staff available.

Rummage sale: Like prior years, you can set up a table at Norway Ridge or at your house. If you plan to host a sale, please **contact Sally Baumgartner no later than June 2** at 320-420-3931 or sjbaum50@gmail.com so signs can be prepared. On sale day, **Saturday June 16**, signs will be put out to direct buyers to your house. This sale will also be advertised in local newspapers. This is a good time to clean out the things you no longer need or maybe you can find the perfect gem at one of the sales.

Kimble Coffee: We are so fortunate this year to have three families offer to host coffees allowing us to have one each month of the summer. The June Coffee will be at Dick and JoAnn Maas's on **Saturday June 23rd from 9 to 11**. This will be a good opportunity to join neighbors in an informal setting.

2018 Social Calenar

The full social calendar is available [\(Click to get a copy\)](#) and will be provided to attendees at the annual meetings May 26. The Social Committee is pleased to offer a few new events this year and hope you join in the summer fun. Please take the time to say thank you to your neighbors that have opened their homes to help make this a special community. If you are interested in hosting an event this year or next, please reach out to one of the Social Committee members.

We have heard from many that you would like to see the boat parade continue as an annual event. To increase participation, you are welcome to show your enthusiasm and patriotism through decorations, clothing, hats, music, flags, etc.; however, this is optional, and it will not be a contest. Immediately following the parade, an ice cream social and prize drawings will be held for parade participants. Please help us rejuvenate this annual event.

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OUR MISSION:

The Kimble Lake Homeowners Association is organized to encourage wise use and preservation of Kimble Lake to maintain the ecological balance that must exist between the lake and adjacent shore land. The association will work to keep this lake and its surrounding watershed in good condition. Further, the association will consider, recommend and endeavor, through responsible means, to bring about appropriate action by agencies of government and private individuals to realize effective management and preservation of the valuable resources of Kimble Lake and its adjacent shore land.

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The Kimble Lake Homeowners Association was formed in 2002. Membership costs \$25 per year, due at the time of the annual meeting. Join **today!** Simply download the [KLHA Membership Form](#) and send payment to:

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