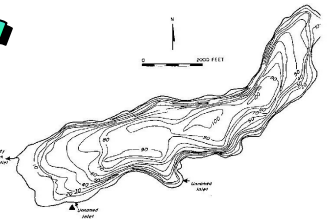




Summit Lake Community Association

Newsletter

Jan-Feb-March 2020



WHY WE LOVE THE LAKE

Winter at the lake provides a mixture of interesting sights and weather. January and the first part of February were exceptionally wet this year with near record rain rainfall. I believe we had 34 straight days of rain starting on New Years Day. In contrast, the remainder of February was more normal, with some cold weather, some rain, and some days of sunshine — unlike last year when we had record snowfall. The first half of March brought a mix of rain and sunshine as the days lengthened and temperatures warmed up, with the promise of spring finally arriving. It all adds to the beauty of living at the lake!

SLCA Upcoming Events

APRIL

04/04—LAKE ROAD CLEANUP 8:30 AM

04/11—EASTER EGG HUNT 10:00 AM

04/25—FISHERMANS BREAKFAST 6:00-11:00 AM

MAY

05/02—CINCO DE MAYO POTLUCK 6:30PM

Note: A full calendar of events for the year is shown on a later page of this newsletter.

A note from the Editor: If you have comments or suggested input to the newsletter, please contact me at summitlakenews@gmail.com. I'm always looking for decent photos to use in the newsletter!

Terry Brannberg



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The advertisers in this newsletter are interested in our community. Please give them your support.

If you are a business owner that provides services to residents in the Summit Lake area, there is always room to advertise in the SLCA Newsletter. The cost is \$100 per year. If you are

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SLCA 2020 OFFICERS and TRUSTEES

The following is the SLCA board elected for the 2020 calendar year.

President: Craig Edwards-craigipe@yahoo.com

Vice President: Bart Collins-bartc@holadayparks.com

Secretary: Joni Fuchs-summitlakeslca@gmail.com

Treasurer: Ronnie Collins-SLCATreasurer@gmail.com

Trustees (two-year terms): Dwayne Swenson, Debbie White, Duane Inglin,
Richelle Gonzales

Trustee (one-year term): Terry Brannberg

2020 MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

Annual memberships for 2020 are now due. The SLCA board asks you to remit your membership dues as soon as possible. Please keep in mind that without being a current member you are not able to vote on issues at the General Meetings. Also, you will not receive the Summit Lake Newsletter. SLCA has informative workshops and classes during the year and if you are a member you are automatically on the mailing list to keep informed on what's happening here at the lake. One of the biggest advantages is that you are able to rent our recently refurbished Clubhouse for only \$150 a day instead of the \$250 fee for nonmembers. See Page 5 for current membership list.

A 2019 Membership Form is provided on the last page of this newsletter.

SLCA Needs and Opportunities

There are several areas of current needs for volunteer support to the SLCA:

Sign maintenance — Monthly signups are needed for updating the two SLCA announcement signs. Contact Craig Edwards at craigipe@yahoo.com if willing to help.

Easter egg hunt — The Easter egg hunt is April 11. Contact Joni Fuchs at joni49_fuchs@yahoo.com if willing to help out.

Fisherman's breakfast — A sign-up sheet will be passed around for volunteers. Shifts will be in 2-hour increments. The breakfast date is Saturday, April 25th from 6:00AM to 11:00 AM. Contact Sheri Inglin if you are willing to help.

Annual road cleanup — The annual cleanup around the lake will be on April 4. Come to the clubhouse around 8:30 am - SLCA will provide coffee and doughnuts. Wear good footwear and bright clothing. Vests and garbage bags will be available for all.

Logo Items

Summit Lake logo items make great gifts. To see what's available and order yours, contact Joni Fuchs at (206) 406-1797 or email to:

summitlakeslca@gmail.com



Sweatshirts, hoodies, hats, visors, stadium blankets, t-shirts, bucket hats, and more!
Sweatshirts in a variety of colors just arrived! They go fast, so come get yours today.

**MUGS
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NOW IN STOCK!
Order a rain jacket with the Lake logo today



STADIUM BLANKETS

Online ordering will be available soon!



NEW!
Sticker Decals!
Show your Summit Lake Pride.
\$5 each.

Logo items are for sale in the clubhouse by appointment or you can order by phone. Contact your SLCA board at summitlakeslca@gmail.com.



Summit Lake Community Center



The Summit Lake Community Center is available to be rented for your events!

Amenities include a full kitchen loaded with several fridges, two stoves with ovens, tons of counter space, dishes, silverware, and more. A stage and music/sound system are available for live bands, Karaoke, family sing-a-longs, etc. Plenty of chairs and tables available for your use. Added bonuses include the large parking lot, grassy area, horseshoe pits, and two bathrooms.

Rental fee for members is \$150, and for non-members \$250.

For more information or to check availability, please submit your request via email to summitlakeslca@gmail.com.

SLCA 2020 CALENDAR

(Note: this is a preliminary schedule and is subject to change)

JANUARY

JAN.17TH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING 7:00

JANUARY 22ND PINOCHELE 7:00

FEBRUARY

FEB 12TH AND 26TH PINOCHLE 7:00

MARCH

MARCH 6TH GENERAL MEETING/POTLUCK 6:30

MARCH 11TH AND 25TH PINOCHELE 7:00

MARCH 21ST OPEN MIKE NIGHT 7:00

APRIL

APRIL 4TH LAKE CLEANUP 8:30-11 AM

APRIL 8TH AND 22ND PINOCHELE 7:00

APRIL 11TH EASTER EGG HUNT 10:00-11:00 AM

APRIL 25TH FISHERMANS BREAKFAST 6:00 -11:00 AM

MAY

MAY 2ND CINCO DE MAYO / POTLUCK 6:30

MAY 13TH AND 27TH PINOCHELE 7:00

JUNE

JUNE 5TH GENERAL MEETING / ICE CREAM SOCIAL 6:30

JULY

JULY 4TH BOAT PARADE 10:00 AM

AUGUST

AUGUST 8TH COMMUNITY GARAGE SALE 8 AM -4 PM

AUGUST 22ND SLCA PICNIC 5:00 -10:00

SEPTEMBER

SEPTEMBER 9TH AND 23RD PINOCHELE 7:00

OCTOBER

OCTOBER 2ND GENERAL MEETING / OKTOBERFEST 7:00

OCTOBER 7TH AND 21ST PINOCHELE 7:00

NOVEMBER

NOVEMBER 6TH GENERAL MEETING (ELECTONS) / POTLUCK 6:30

DECEMBER

DECEMBER 12TH SANTA VISIT 10:00-11:30 AM

CURRENT SLCA MEMBERSHIP LIST

| LAST NAME | FIRST NAME | LAST NAME | FIRST NAME | LAST NAME | FIRST NAME |
|------------------|----------------------------|-------------------|---------------------|-------------------|----------------------|
| Aahl | Steven | Hart | Kerry & Judy | Piccolotto | Dennis & Nancy |
| Agnelli | Jill | Hess | Bryan & Rose | Piercey | Gary |
| Bader | Terri & Dave | Hipp | John | Pierson / Hart | Jane / Celia |
| Barmuta | John & Becky | Hodgins / Larson | Vaughn / Tracy | Raedel | Larry & Holly |
| Barry | Steve | Holstein | Fred & Lynn | Ramstad, Wise | Debbie & Mark, Kathy |
| Bastin | Brad & Sharon | Horn | Ben & Joy | Reiling | Keith & Hallie |
| Blum | James & Kristan | Iannarone/Dishman | Nancy I and David D | Russell | Chris & Barbara |
| Bonjorni | Daniel | Japhet | Carl F. | Rust | David & Kathleen |
| Booth | Brian & Susan | Japhet | Don & Lisa | Salmon | Jay & Kris |
| Brannberg | Terry & Gerry | Japhet | Floyd | Sorenson-Borgmann | Steve / Carol |
| Brinton | John | Japhet | John & Sandy | Spacciante | Anthony & Leah |
| Buckholtz | Paul & Connie | Japhet | Wm. "Butch" & Diane | Spacciante | Joe & Marueen |
| Bush | Richard | Jenkins | Al & Shannie | Stewart | Bob & Merrily |
| Campbell | Kevin & Jill | Jenkins | W.K. "Bill" | Swenson | Judy & Dwayne |
| Cangelosi | Terry & Millie | Johnson | Renee & Eric | Thomasson | Lee |
| Cockrell | Brian & Brandi | Kaivo | Ken & Luva | Torgerson | Greg & Pam |
| Collins | Bart & Ronni | Karnas / Cole | Natalie / Jerry | Waldron | Katie & Chris |
| Collins | Bob & Glenda | Keiser | Bruce | Wallace | Stewart |
| Collins | Charlie & Jodi | Kirkwood | Dolores | Ward | Randy & Sundry |
| Edwards | Craig (Sandstrom, Cindy) | Leingang | Clarence | Wells | Randy & Aleta |
| Eide | Audrey B. | Lusier | Lorne & Jaquie | Wiegand | Paul & Jean |
| Espirito | Keith, Janet, Beth & Kevin | Maynard | Kirk & Lorrie | Wilson | Patrick & Jill |
| Filyaw | Michael & Susan | McDonald | Betty J. | Wright | Chuck & Tamie |
| Fjeld | Dave & Katrina | Melendez | Cesar | Wybenga | Thomas |
| Fuchs | Joni & Craig | Miltenerberger | Tony & Jania | Wyllie | Bryan & Rebecca |
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| Gustafson | Kiley & Voshte | Nole | Nancy | | |
| Haggerty | Dan & Sandi | Patterson | Michael & Janet | | |
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| Harkness-Lumsden | Cindy & EdnaLee | Payne | John & Mary Sue | | |

PLEASE NOTE: IF YOUR NAME IS NOT ON THIS LIST, YOU ARE NOT A REGISTERED MEMBER AND WILL NOT RECEIVE FUTURE ISSUES OF THIS NEWSLETTER UNLESS YOU PAY YOUR ANNUAL DUES. SEE LAST PAGE FOR MORE INFORMATION AND DUES FORM



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SLCA Annual Treasurers Report

SUMMIT LAKE COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION TREASURER'S ANNUAL REPORT FOR 2019

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|--------------|-----------------------|--------------------|
| | | |
| | Balance Forward from: | |
| | 12/31/2018 | \$12,587.86 |
| | | |
| | Deposits | \$27,348.16 |
| Acct# | Category | AMOUNT |
| 1000 | Dues | \$11,399.59 |
| 1100 | Hall Rental | \$ 1,800.00 |
| 1200 | Advertisers | \$ 600.00 |
| 1300 | Logo Items Sales | \$ 4,684.58 |
| 1400 | Open Mic Donations | \$ - |
| 1500 | Raffles | \$ 3,532.00 |
| 1600 | Fisherman's Breakfast | \$ 1,677.00 |
| 1700 | Donations | \$ 1,718.42 |
| 1800 | Events | \$ 361.00 |
| 1900 | Miscellaneous | \$ 1,575.57 |
| | | |
| | Disbursements | \$18,178.76 |
| Acct# | Category | Amount |
| 2000 | Capital Projects | \$ 4,454.57 |
| 2100 | Repair & Maintenance | \$ 2,719.78 |
| 2200 | Utilities | \$ 1,458.70 |
| 2300 | Insurance | \$ 1,721.00 |
| 2400 | Taxes & Fees | \$ 1,304.85 |
| 2500 | Special Events | \$ 2,610.05 |
| 2600 | Logo Items | \$ 2,863.30 |
| 2700 | Contracted Services | \$ - |
| 2800 | Supplies/Equipment | \$ 622.30 |
| 2900 | Miscellaneous | \$ 424.21 |
| | | \$18,178.76 |
| | Balance as of: | |
| | 12/31/2019 | \$21,757.26 |
| | Net Revenue | \$9,169.40 |

As of: 12/31/2019

This annual SLCA financial report was provided by Ronni Collins. The annual financial audit was completed and approved.

Thank you Ronni for the excellent job as SLCA Treasurer this past year.



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January General Membership Meeting Minutes

SLCA GENERAL MEETING MINUTES FRIDAY, JANUARY 17, 2019

Meeting was called to order at 7:05 by Craig Edwards. All Board Members were present except for Richelle Gonzales.

Pledge of Allegiance

Treasurers Report -Ronni Collins

- Recap of 2019 – see attached Report
- Treasurers Report were approved and accepted. Motions were made by Vaughn and Terry.

Minutes - Joni Fuchs

- Minutes were approved and accepted. Motion by Vaughn and Terry.

Old Business

Phase 1 -Four Acre project Update– Craig and Bart

- Paving will be done in the Spring when the weather is more suitable.
- Counters and Dishwasher are in the process of being installed. Two double sinks and their faucets were donated from Haloday -Parks. Thank you, Bart Collins.
- Painting Retouch will be done as soon as kitchen work is completed.
- Logging will start soon. Lumber prices are up. The Membership was asked to approve 8 loads coming out since we missed our chance from last year. The Board will look at the property after four loads and determine if we need to halt. The logger will burn all the brush piles. Terry Brannberg moved we do eight loads in 2020 and the second was made by Vaughn Hodgins. The diseased and dead trees will be put in a pile and offered to the Community for firewood. We will also notify the Community a time when they can remove native plants if they want to.

Hot Spot for Clubhouse- Dwayne Swenson

- Last night's meeting was the first time we have had internet at the Clubhouse. Dwayne Swenson has donated the equipment we need. The Internet bill will be paid year to Dwayne Swenson. The cost is \$30.00 a month. Thanks Dwayne Swenson.

New Business

Rental Increase for Hall

- Proposed Increase- It was suggested the cost for Rental from Members be raised to \$150. It will still remain \$250 to none Members. This will help offset the Internet costs.
- \$300 Returnable Damage Deposit will be required.
- Hall Rental Agreement is in the process of being updated.

Letters from Zabriski and Hart -On Stocking

- The Board decided to not get involved in this debate and leave it to the Community. Approximately 200 letters were received by WDFW. Over 200 letters were supporting the stocking. Duane is talking to WDFW to get some Jumbos planted this year.

Road Safety

- Brad Bastin has been working with the County and the Sheriffs office on this problem. Neither office will do anything without a formal request from the Commissioners. Brad has made this request and our issues will be studied. Thank you Brad for all your hard work on this issue.
- Craig Fuchs brought up the need for Pedestrians to also wear reflective clothing at night as they are so hard to see when dressed in dark clothing.
- \$4684.58 worth of Summit Lake Bling was sold in 2019.

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SLCA GENERAL MEETING MINUTES FRIDAY, JANUARY 17, 2019 (continued)**New Logo Design by Lisa Spomer**

- Membership was asked for their thoughts. It was determined they would like to have a fish added on the Logo. They would like Olympia WA. to be bigger and easier to read. hey also suggested adding a kayaker and Paddle Boarder. Most humorous suggestion was adding a "SPEED LIMIT SIGN!" It was asked if our current logo could be done in the design of a fish instead of an oval.
- Vaughn said it would be nice if the Summit Lake Bling included reflective safety wear for walkers and runners, and cyclists. Joni will address this in her next order
- A motion allowing \$4K to be allowed for purchase of replenishing the merchandise before the Fisherman's Breakfast was passed. We get better discounts when ordering in bulk instead of Special Orders throughout the year. \$4684.58 worth of Summit Lake Bling was sold in 2019.

Lake Water Level-

- The Hydraulic Permit for the placement of the Boards at the end of the Lake is up in April of 2020. Charlie Collins is still doing the placement of the Board. WDFW is monitoring the water level also.

Fisherman's Breakfast- Duane Inglin

- Duane is working on a "Kids only Summit Lake Fishing Derby" for Opening Day. It will be for kids 14 and under. The \$5.00 Derby ticket will also get them a free breakfast on Opening Day at the Clubhouse.
- Dwayne Swenson and Duane Inglin are currently looking for prizes and donations.
- For people without a boat, there was a discussion about lake front owners sharing their dock for a few hours. Duane will be look into the feasibility of this idea more thoroughly.
- WDFW is on Board and supporting the promotion of this Derby.
- There will be a 5 fish limit.
- Licenses not requited under 14
- All kids required to have PFD's.
- Duane working on getting more Jumbos put in the late for Opening Day.
- If you are interested in volunteering to help with this Event please let SLCA or Duane Inglin know .

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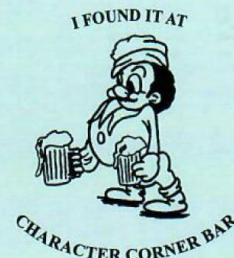
- Judy Swenson brought up the idea of the Ice Cream Social scheduled for the March Annual Meeting be swapped with the Potluck at the June Meeting. It was agreed to make the change.
- Vaughn Hodgins brought up the idea of streaming our General Meeting so maybe more people would stay connected and participate. We already have the means through our Facebook page so we are planning to try and stream the March General Meeting! Stay tuned and check in with the Face Book page for more information as the March Meeting gets closer!

Meeting was adjourned at 8:18.
Respectfully submitted,

Joni Fuchs
SLCA Secretary

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March General Membership Meeting Minutes

SLCA GENERAL MEETING MINUTES FRIDAY, MARCH 6, 2020

Welcome – Meeting was called to order at 7:15. Absent were Richelle Gonzales, Duane Inglin, Ronnie and Bart Collins.

Pledge of Allegiance

Treasurers Report -Ronni Collins

Recap of 2019 – see attached Report

2019 Audit has been conducted

Michael Patterson motioned to accept the Treasurers Report and the second was by Terry Brannberg. Treasurer's Report was approved and accepted.

Minutes - Joni Fuchs

Dwayne Swenson asked that the Internet price be changed from \$30 to \$20

Motion was made by Michael Patterson and second by Judy Swenson, Minutes were approved and accepted

Old Business

Phase 1 -Four Acre project Update– Craig

Logging will start within the next week

Paving is on hold until logging is finished

A letter will go to Community asking for anyone interested in firewood or taking some of the Native plants out before logging on the 4A parcel.

Road Safety Update-Brad Bastin

County has accumulated all the data on our road from 30 + years and will be putting out counters in the next two weeks

They are developing a report on the Lake Shore road.

They will provide a volunteer to come and address the Community once the data has been processed

Vaughn said it would be interesting if they can capture if speeds have increased on the road over time

Craig thank Brad for all his hard work on this issue.

Emergency Preparedness-Vaughn Hodgins, Duane Inglin, Kylie Gustafsen

We need a meeting to renew interest in the program

We will set a date for a meeting for Emergency Preparedness and if no interest it will be dropped. We will go with the names that have volunteered and try to make a plan from there.

Residents that have come together with their Team Captains and made a plan will be asked to share their success.

Residents do not seem to be aware that we could be shut off from all services and from access to town in the event of a catastrophic event.

Update on Emergency Telephone Tree -Kylie Gustafsen

1. Kylie was not able to attend but he passed on information to Joni

2. Program is called CALLMO and the costs are based on per text or call

3. One person would be in charge of getting the message recorded and then it would be sent out to all residents participating in the program,

4. It would be used for Emergencies only.

5. The hope is that all residents at the lake will participate.

Thank you, Vaughn and Kylie and Duane, for staying with this project.

Lake Boards –

Michael Patterson brought up the need to find out who is controlling the Boards at the end of the Lake

WDFW said they were controlling it

Charlie Collins is supposed to be doing it.

It is mandated from the Court which dates they are placed and removed and the Court Order expires in April

Craig will try and find out who is in charge.

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NEW BUSINESS**Upcoming Events**

March 11th and 25 Pinochle Night 6:30 Social /7:00PM Games start

March 21st 7:00 PM Tim's Open Mic Night hosted by Mike Neff

April 4th April Lake Cleanup Day- Debbie Martinelli Chair
Membership asked that time be set at 8:30-12:00 PM

April 11th 10:00 Easter Egg Hunt – Joni Fuchs Chair
Hunt will start promptly at 10:15
Last year kids arrived at 10:30 and everything was over. We had some very disappointed kids

Fisherman's Breakfast- Sheri Inglin/
Volunteers needed for two-hour shifts
Raffle Items needed- please contact Sheri or Joni and we will pick up items
Volunteers needed for Bake Sale that Day
1. Bake goods are dropped off at the Clubhouse on Friday night from 4-7
Please contact the SLCA by email if you are available to help. This is our major Fundraiser.

Summit Lake Float Lake Fair Parade – Joni Fuchs
If there is any interest from the Community, we will proceed with putting together a float.
SLCA 80th Birthday this year and it would be nice to celebrate it like they did in previous years by participating in Lake Fair

Flag Caretaker

We are looking for someone willing to put the flag at half-mast when required.
There is an app which notifies you
Joni Fuchs has been doing it for the last year and a half and we need someone to take over.
It needs to fly half mast about 5-6 times a year.

Web Master

Michael Patterson has said he will maintain our Website starting in June
Thank you, Michael,

Fun Ideas for after Meetings-Craig

Craig asked if anyone would be interested in dance lessons at the Clubhouse possibly after a meeting or on a weekend. Let us know if you are interested and/or you are willing to teach some dance moves to Summitarians!

Cooking Classes -Tracey Larsen

Tracey and possibly her brother would be willing to teach a cooking Class at the Clubhouse
Costs of class would be food cost divided among participants
Eric Larsen, Tracey's brother, classically trained also, (instrumental in the behind the scenes Fisherman's breakfast for years) possibly would co-host
Please let us know if you are interested by replying to this email

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SUMMIT LAKE COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION TREASURER'S REPORT

As of: 2/29/2020

Balance Forward from:

1/31/2020 \$22,881.51

Deposits \$840.00**Deposits Detail**

| Acct# | Category | Amount | Acct# | Description | Amount |
|-------|-----------------------|-----------|-------|------------------|-----------|
| 1000 | Dues | \$ 840.00 | 1000 | Dues (14 Renewa | \$ 840.00 |
| 1100 | Hall Rental | | | | |
| 1200 | Advertisers | | | | |
| 1300 | Logo Items Sales | | | | |
| 1400 | vacant | | | | |
| 1500 | Raffles | | | | |
| 1600 | Fisherman's Breakfast | | | | |
| 1700 | Donations | | | | |
| 1800 | Special Events | | | | |
| 1900 | Miscellaneous | | | | |

Disbursements \$294.13**Disbursements Detail**

| Acct# | Category | Amount | Acct# | Description | Amount |
|-------|----------------------|-----------|-------|------------------|-----------|
| 2000 | Capital Projects | \$ 176.13 | 2000 | Ferguson:Plumbin | \$ 176.13 |
| 2100 | Repair & Maintenance | | | | |
| 2200 | Utilities | | | | |
| 2300 | Insurance | | | | |
| 2400 | Taxes & Fees | | | | |
| 2500 | Special Events | | | | |
| 2600 | Logo Items | | | | |
| 2700 | Contracted Services | | | | |
| 2800 | Supplies/Equipment | | | | |
| 2900 | Miscellaneous | \$ 118.00 | 2900 | USPO PO Box Ann | \$ 118.00 |

Balance as of:

2/29/2020 \$23,427.38

2/28/2019 \$16,072.95

Net Change \$7,354.43**Remarks**# **Memberships to Date***

9 Complimentary Memberships

3 Paid for 2021

81 Paid for 2020

113 Unrenewed from 2019

71 Unrenewed from 2018-2014

*Memberships could represent more than one person



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SLCA President's Report

Hello Summitarians. We're off and running this year. With the help of Bart Collins, Terry Brannberg, and Dwayne Swensen we managed to remodel the kitchen in the clubhouse. A big shout out to Bart and Holaday Parks for the sinks and faucets (donated) as well as installing all of it. It's looking pretty sharp down at the clubhouse now. The new countertops are pretty sweet.

We are starting the logging very shortly which will bring in some revenue to do our paving of the parking lot and you will soon see a pickleball court, and also a basketball court (for which Mike Patterson's is donating the backboard and hoop, yea Mike, and Dwayne Swensen the pole, yea Dwayne) on this newly paved lot.

So lots of good stuff coming this year as this board and community members are doing something special we Summit Lakers haven't had in a while. We get er done.

Kinda reminds me of the old stories of the Japhets and how this all started some 80 years ago. We just need to get the dances going again.....we got pinochle rolling again.....

I would like to give a shout out to Joni and Craig Fuchs for making a difference on the board and in the community for us. If you all didn't know it, Joni's and Craig's hard work is behind a lot of the events and fun for us all at the clubhouse.

Also to Ronni and Bart Collins for serving on the board, Ronni has been a godsend for taking on the treasurer spot and keeping the coins counted. And Bart has been a dynamo on getting the logging done and spearheading the remodel.

And you gotta love Dwayne Swensen who has quietly been donating and participating in the remodel and serving on the board, marking a difference in our community.

And the guy who keeps me in line, Terry Brannberg who makes our newsletter and stepped up to be on the board this year and whose help was huge with the remodel. What a guy. With out him my Robert's rules of orders always goes out the window.

And my thanks to the rest of the board for stepping up to serve in a world that is getting harder and harder to find people that do.

I'm very grateful to the community for being behind us as we hope to leave a legacy for those that follow us that all will be proud of, so come to the functions enjoy your community

Again this year, we are working hard for you.

Craig Edwards
President and head cheese whiz

We are currently looking for Volunteers for the following Events!

- Someone willing to lower the flag to half mast when required. Interested? Email SLCA !
- Hosts for Cinco de Mayo and Oktoberfest this year! SLCA has all the decorations for each Event and we will get Volunteers to help decorate but we need a Host for each Event !!
- Someone to teach dancing preferably after a General Meeting ! There is a financial incentive!
- Volunteers to work 2 hour shifts for the Fishermans Breakfast! It's a fun Event and our biggest Fund Raiser for the year! This will be our 80 th Fishermans Breakfast so come on out and help!
- Items to be donated for the Fishermans Breakfast Raffles . Please call Joni if you have something to donate and we will pick it up!
- Lake Fair Float — Summit Lake - 80 years Strong! That's the theme if we have a float in the Lake Fair parade like they used to do in years past! If there is any interest please email us or contact Joni Fuchs !
- Our SLCA picnic this year will be celebrating the 80 years since SLCA was formed! We need Volunteers for the following:
 - ◊ Setting up the Beer Garden and getting Volunteers to work it!
 - ◊ Organizing the Kids games
 - ◊ Organizing the Adult games (We will bring back some of the "old timers" events from years ago!)



Community Center Upgrades

INTERIOR UPGRADES

New countertops and sinks were installed, and a **DISH-WASHER** has been added in the kitchen. Thanks to Holiday-Parks, Inc for donations of sinks and faucets, and Craig Edwards, Bart Collins, and Terry Brannberg for the installation work. This pretty well completes the interior upgrades to the clubhouse.

A number of old photos of Summit Lake residents and activities have been received by the SLCA. Many of these have been framed and thanks to Joni Fuchs, are now displayed in the Clubhouse. If you have any more interesting pictures, email your digital pictures to sumitlakeslca@gmail.com, or contact Joni at that email address if you have paper or slide photos that can be duplicated and returned.



EXTERIOR UPGRADES

Phase 1 of selective logging on the SLCA property is proceeding to provide better use of the property and generate project funds. SLCA vice president, Bart Collins, is heading up this effort and this is expected to be accomplished within the next few weeks.

Upgrades to the parking lot are still in the works. A contract for asphalt surfacing the portion of the parking lot closest to the clubhouse has been established, which will improve parking and eliminate the constant mud holes in the parking lot near the clubhouse door. It will also provide a smooth surface for a basketball and pickleball court, and other game uses. This is expected to be installed soon after the Phase 1 logging is completed.





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Summit Lake Emergency Preparedness

The Emergency Preparedness committee is being co-chaired by Vaughn Hodgins and Kylie Gustafson with support from our EP professional, Duane Inglin. We need a meeting. A date will be set for a meeting to attempt to renew interest in the Emergency Preparedness program. Residents that have come together with their Team Captains and made a plan will be asked to share their success. If little or no new interest is developed, the committee will go with the names that have volunteered previously and try to make a plan from there. Residents do not seem to be aware that we could be shut off from all services and from access to town in the event of a catastrophic event.

Kylie Gustafson has obtained some information regarding an Emergency Telephone Tree. The program is called CALLMO and the costs are based on per text or call. One person would be in charge of getting the message recorded and then it would be sent out to all residents participating in the program. It would be used for Emergencies only.

Emergency Kit Basics

- Two-week supply of bottled water
- Vacuum bottle to keep drinks hot
- Flashlight with extra batteries
- Dry firewood, kindling and paper
- Candles, holders and matches
- Extra blankets or sleeping bags
- Battery-powered radio with fresh batteries
- One-week supply of non-perishable food
- Manual (non-electric) can opener
- Windup or battery-operated clock
- One-week supply of baby formula, diapers, etc., if applicable
- Also be sure you have a neighbor or someone close by that you can team up with for help.

Remember to wash your hands or use sanitizer regularly, and to cover your mouth if you cough or sneeze to contain the spread of the Coronavirus and other flu strains during this season. Keep yourself and others healthy!

Lake Road Cleanup

Please Join Us for the annual Summit Lake Clean- Up Day , April 4, 2020

Deb Martinelli is in charge of this year's cleanup around the lake. She reports the following in preparation for this annual community effort:

Spring has sprung and its time to spruce up our Summit Lake roadsides. The start time will be 8:30 AM, but come when you can. The SLCA will have garbage bags, grabbers and safety vests on loan from Thurston County available for your use. Please wear safety vests if you have them or brightly colored clothing, long pants (because grasses could be high in some areas), latex or work gloves, and comfortable hard soled walking/hiking shoes.

We also want to give a special "shout out" to the walkers in our community who clean-up the roadsides throughout the year by picking up trash as they enjoy the fresh air and get some great exercise .

Every little bit helps!

As usual, we will meet at the Community Center at 8:30 AM and each participant or family will select or be assigned a section of the lake road to patrol and clean up litter and trash. Some morning refreshments will be provided at the Center. There will be a pickup truck going around to collect trash bags of litter, and any larger pieces of trash that are found. It usually takes about 1-2 hours depending on the area being serviced. Your participation will be appreciated by all the lake residents.

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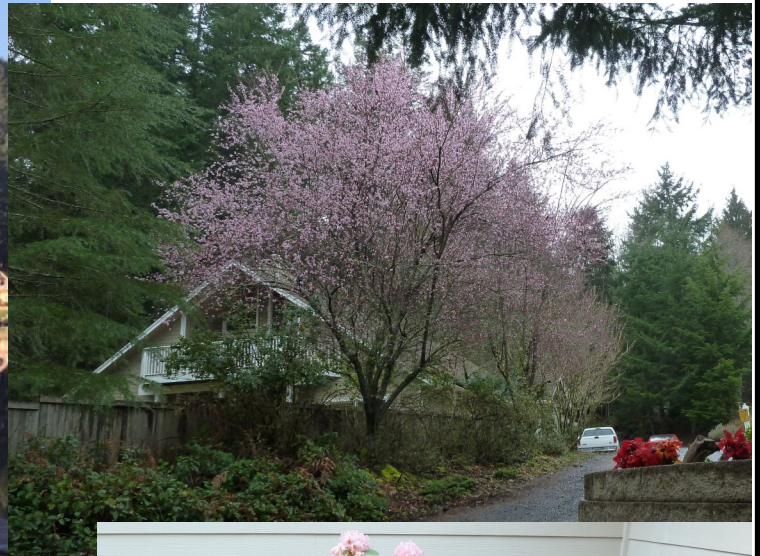
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Lake Life

Note: The intent of this section of the newsletter is to provide interesting pictures of things and activities around Summit Lake. If you have inputs of items that would be of interest to other residents, please submit them to : summitlakenews@gmail.com

WINTER'S END AT SUMMIT LAKE

This was a relatively mild winter season at Summit Lake. The heavy January and February rains and wind caused some minor flooding with some falling branches and trees, but little to no snow. Power outages did not significantly affect lake residents as it did last year. But winter appears to be coming to an end and spring is on its way with its warmer temperatures and the color and beauty of blossoming trees and spring flowers. Daffodils and early blooming Rhododendrons are already showing their colors to remind us that spring is coming. That doesn't mean that we won't get some more storms or possibly even snow, but the days are getting visibly longer and warmer. Enjoy the peace and joy of the coming of spring.



LAKE LIFE

FISHERMANS BREAKFAST



Whether you are a fisherman or not, don't pass up the Fishermans breakfast at the Community Center on April 25th. It is always a fun time with gathering of the community for good food, bake sale, raffle prizes, and lots of bragging about who caught the most or largest fish of

the day. Sherri Englin and Tracey Larson will be co-hosting the event again this year, and the food will be awesome as always. This is the primary fund raiser of the year for the SLCA, so come and support your community.



LAKEFAIR FLOAT

We are looking for Volunteers willing to help put together a float for Lake Fair in July ! SLCA is 80 years old this year and we should celebrate our birthday! Summit Lake used to always have a float in the parade and it might be fun to do it again, but in order to do it we have to have volunteers.

Let us know if you are interested please!

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Although this was a Christmas parade float, it is a concept that may be adaptable for Lakefair.

LAKE LIFE



PINOCHLE

Pinochle is going strong! Every other Wednesday night! Social starts at 6:30 and play starts at 7:00! We play single deck, double deck and if not enough people to fill a table there is cards, Dominos, dice and Cribbage!



OPEN MIKE NIGHT AT THE CLUBHOUSE

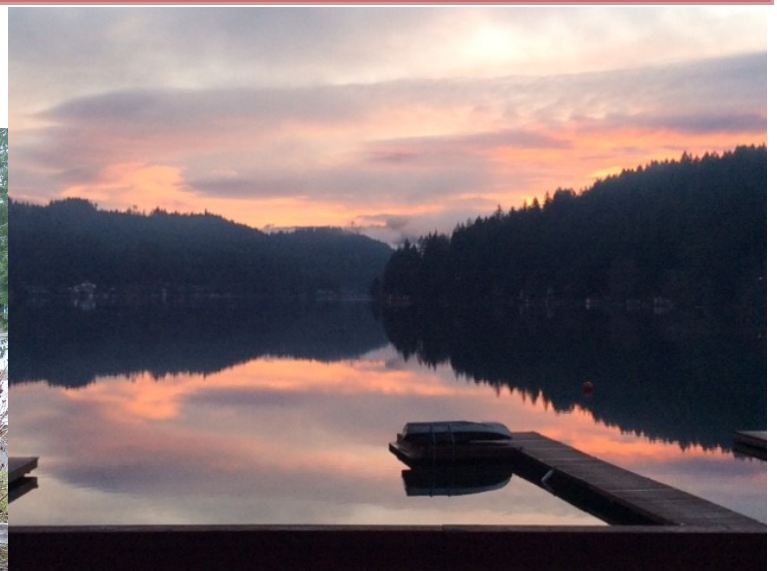
There will be an open mike night at the clubhouse on Saturday, March 21.

This will be hosted by Mike Neff and his band in honor of Tim Nole.

Come and join the fun—bring an instrument if you want to play with the band.

COOKING CLASSES

Tracey Larsen has consented to put on a cooking class or two at the Community Center if there is enough interest! If you don't know Tracey, her food experience is renown! As a past owner of a restaurant, and also our "go to" for years for the Fishermans Breakfast, she is a great one to instruct this class. This is your chance to change up your boring everyday menus and create something new! Cost to be determined by the cost of food! We need 10-12 Summitarians interested. Please contact summitlakeslca@gmail.com if interested!



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Photo provided by Ronni Collins

Worm Moon

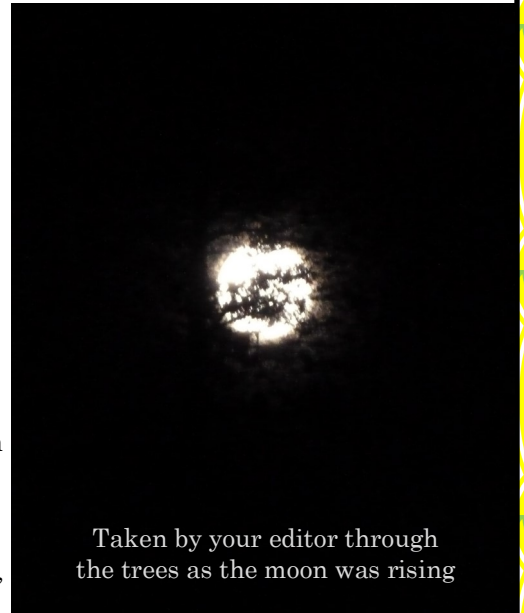
This full moon seen on March 10 is one of the closest approaches of the moon this year, and is called the "Worm Moon".

As the temperature begins to warm and the ground begins to thaw, earthworm casts appear, heralding the return of the robins, thus the origin of March's full moon, named the Full Worm Moon.

The more northern Native American tribes knew this Moon as the full Crow Moon, when the cawing of crows signaled the end of winter.

It was also referred to as the Full Crust Moon, because the snow cover becomes crusted from falling by day and freezing at night.

The Full Sap Moon marking the time of sapping maple trees is another variation. To the settlers, it was also known as the Lenten Moon, and was considered to be the last full Moon of winter. (FarmersAlmanac.com)



Taken by your editor through the trees as the moon was rising



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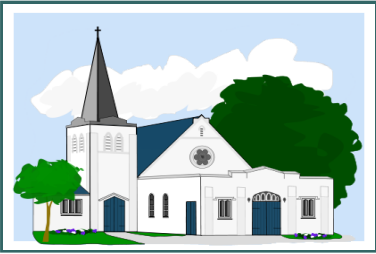
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Are you looking for a local place to worship, or feel the need for some spiritual guidance? Do you know that there is a church at Summit Lake? Although not affiliated with SLCA, the Summit Lake Community Church is located on property adjacent to the Summit Lake Community Center on Fellowship Lane off of Summit Lake Road.

Lost and Found

NOTE: If you have something lost or found that you would like to post in the newsletter, please email the information to “summitlakenews@gmail.com”.

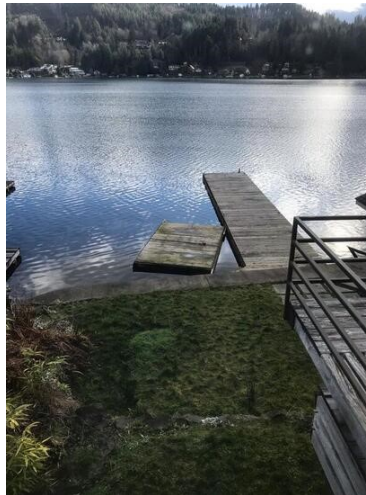
LOST

FOUND

We would like to thank whoever was kind enough to lasso the SeaDoo gone adrift and return it to the lift. We cannot thank you enough!!!

Mark and Debbie Ramstad

This has been a year of drifting equipment on the lake during the winter storms. The pictures below are of floating docks reported found by two separate individuals, although it appears it may be the same unit found two different places. If you are missing a floating dock, please notify the editor at summitlakenews@gmail.com, or Joni Fuchs at summitlakeslca@gmail.com.



Keep a watchful eye out for mail and package thieves!

Unfortunately, everything is not always happy and pleasant here at the lake. Several instances of mail theft have been noted, with raided mail being dumped along the road after being searched for money, checks, or other valuable content.

Also, theft of delivered packages have been reported around the lake, with the thief following the delivery trucks. In one instance, a red SUV was noted in association with a package theft in the 1600 block, but no license number noted. Please be vigilant while driving or walking around the lake, and if you see something suspicious, report it to the Sheriff's office.

The non-emergency number for the Sheriff's office is 360-786-5500

What Is The SLCA?

The Summit Lake Community Association is just that (a Community Association)! It is a non-profit volunteer based organization in existence for the betterment of the community. That includes but is not limited to social events so that we can interact and get to know one another, events that improve the community such as the lake road clean-up, emergency preparedness team, and water quality team, as well as a group that can organize for communication and issues that affect our community. The SLCA is not a HOA (Home Owners Association), nor does it police issues between neighbors, it will, however, bring up common issues at times for awareness purposes (such as water quality information).

The cost to join the SLCA is just \$60.00 per year. If you know of any neighbors that are not members (maybe new neighbors), please tell them about the organization, and maybe print out and hand them a copy of the newsletter. Thank you!!

IF YOU ARE NOT A CURRENT MEMBER AND WANT TO JOIN, OR WANT TO RENEW YOUR MEMBERSHIP FOR THE COMING YEAR, PLEASE SEE THE MEMBERSHIP FORM BELOW.

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SLCA MEMBERSHIP FORM FOR 2020

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The SLCA publishes a Member Directory for use by the members ONLY. Can we publish your:

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SLCA needs volunteers to help with our events. Please check the events for which you can help out:

☐ Easter Egg Hunt

☐ Fisherman's Breakfast

☐ Annual Picnic

☐ Reader Board Posts

☐ Lake Clean Up

☐ Cinco De Mayo Party

☐ Oktoberfest

☐ Community Garage Sale

☐ 4th of July Boat Parade

☐ Emergency Preparedness Team

☐ SANTA VISIT

☐ Christmas Lights Boat Parade