

Wah-Wash-Kesh

Conservation Association

- JUNE 1995 NEWSLETTER -

MEMBERSHIP DUES

We are now collecting membership dues for 1995. Please recall that dues are \$20.00 per individual membership. Each member will receive one membership card for accounting purposes, and one voting privilege at the Annual Meeting.

Please detach and fill in the renewal form below and either mail it to Paul Thomson or place it in the WCA mail box in Bennett's store. (Cheques only please)

ISSUES AT THE ANNUAL MEETING

Anyone requesting space on the Annual Meeting Agenda is requested to give their name in writing to an Executive Member no later than July 16th. This will help us plan the information meeting and the Annual Meeting. Items for information only will be posted at the meetings for individuals to read, rather than be discussed during the meeting. We are attempting to manage the length of the meeting as this has been a concern of cottagers.

DUMP ISSUES

The contracts for the Lake's dumps have been granted. The operators will

be Bill Auld for the "Auld's" dump and Ed Bennett for the dump at Bennett's Bay. The corresponding fees are as follows:

Aulds:

- Per bag to a maximum of 8 bags - \$1.00
- Over 8 bags - \$15.00

Bennett's:

- Small bag/sorted - \$1.50
- Large bag/sorted - \$2.50
- Small bag/unsorted - \$4.00
- Large bag/unsorted - \$6.00

Each facility will dispose of other items such as tires and stoves etc. For information on these disposal fees, operating procedures, methods of payment, etc., please contact respective operator.

Additionally, residents with suggestions or concerns are requested to contact either contractor or Doug Renwick (MNR) at (705) 746-4201.

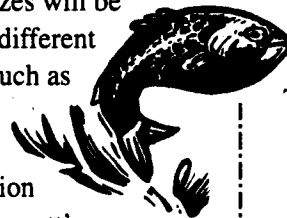
IN MEMORIUM

With regrets, we pass on the news of Art Waghorne's passing on the 16th of March after a heart operation.

The Waghorne cottage is located in the Indian Narrows. It is available for rent or purchase. For more information please see reverse.

CATCH N' KEEP FISHING DERBY

There will be a Fishing Derby over the August long weekend. Called the Catch N' Keep Derby, it is a chance for young and old to win prizes for their angling skills. There will be weigh in stations fitted with a Polaroid Camera for those Anglers who practice catch and release. Prizes will be awarded in different categories such as species and ages. Look for registration details at Bennett's Store, Hayward's Trading Post and at the dumps in July.



LAKE EVENTS CALENDAR

SEND US YOUR PICTURES!

We are still trying to organize some photographs of our lake. We are interested in any colour or black and white photos that show the uniqueness of our lake and surrounding area. Of particular interest will be photos that show the history &/or long-term use of Lake-Wah-Wash-Kesh. *Scenic, people and wildlife shots would be appreciated.*

Please send these photos with a brief caption to Paul
(continued on reverse)

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Thomson. *ALL PHOTOS WILL BE RETURNED.* As we appreciate the value of these photographs, if you do not feel comfortable sending your photographs through the mail, please contact Paul Thomson at (905) 637-6091 to arrange an alternative.

WATERCOLOUR SHOW & SALE

The WCA is pleased to sponsor a one man show of watercolours by Gary Dimmick. A collection of original paintings and limited edition prints of Wah-Wash-Kesh and the surrounding area will be on display and for sale. Gary Dimmick is an American artist and third generation cottager celebrating his

41st consecutive year of summers spent at Wah-Wash-Kesh. His long love of this region is reflected in his paintings and he has drawn on many classic views of the lake for inspiration. The works will be on display at Bennett's boathouse during a wine and cheese reception between 7 and 10pm on the evening of Friday, August 4th, and again on Saturday, August 5th, following the annual meeting (approx. noon), until 3pm. A portion of proceeds from the sales of paintings will benefit the WCA. All are welcome and encouraged to attend at any of the above mentioned show times.

FAX, FAX, FAX

The WCA needs a fax machine. Any cottager that is willing to donate one or has a connection for discounted equipment is asked to contact Paul Thomson.

FOR SALE OR RENT

A comfortable 2 bedroom cottage located in the Indian Narrows.

Weekly Rental: \$350.00

Season Rental: \$2800.00

Adjacent luxury cottage with television, dishwasher, microwave, etc. Sleeps 8-10 people.

Weekly Rental: \$750.00.

Total sale price for both, furnished, \$145,000. Telephone (519) 925-3151 for details.

1995 Social Events



• **Wiener Roast**
(Straub's Beach-4pm)
Saturday, July 15th

• **Information Meeting**
(Bennett's Boathouse-3pm)
Thursday, August 3rd

• **Watercolour Sale**
(Bennett's Boathouse)
Friday & Saturday,
August 4th & 5th

• **Fishing Derby**
August 3rd,
4th & 5th

• **Dock & Rock**
(Set-up day-10am)
Saturday, August 5th
(Sale day-9am)
Sunday, August 6th
(Rain Date)
Monday, August 7th

• **Annual Meeting**
(Bennett's Boathouse-10am)
Saturday, August 5th

• **Corn Roast**
(Straub's Beach)
Sunday, August 6th



Mark Your Calendar

Lewis & Jacquelyn Morgan's cottage (Lookout Point-in the north narrows of Deadman's Island) will be the site of a

DOCK'N ROCK PARTY

on the Civic Holiday Weekend 1995.

This is Lake Wah-Wash-Kesh's version of a garage/craft sale.

Please keep this in mind as you are doing cleaning around your house or the cottage. You will be requested to bring your donated items to Lookout Point on August 5th & the sale will be on **August 6th**, (rain date - August 7th).



In addition to the sale, there will be pancakes & sausages for sale at 9am on the day of the sale, followed by hot dogs for lunch. There will be space available for some new items & crafts, so interested cottagers continue crafting & collecting for the sale.

All items are to be donated to the WCA. Jacquelyn's goal is to raise \$1,000 in a day to go towards the Wah-Wash-Kesh Development Fund.

In addition to requests for sales items, we will need a committee of 20 people to help sort, set up & sell. Please put your name & phone number in the WCA mailbox in Bennett's store or send to Paul if you are interested in helping.