# Conservation Association

- SPRING/SUMMER 1996 NEWSLETTER -

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# "Reminder" MEMBERSHIP DUES

Your Association fiscal year now runs from January 1st until December 31st. So your annual dues were due for 1996 on January 1st, 1996. Thanks to all 110 members who have already paid. If you have overlooked it so far please remit as soon as possible. Use the form in this newsletter and we will do our best to keep the cottage directory up to date! Please recall that dues are \$20.00 per individual membership. (Cheques only please)

#### **NEWSLETTER ITEMS**

If you have any news items that you would like to see included in the Newsletter, please send them along to Lesley Hugill at the address listed (see back). Births, deaths, momentous events - we want to hear about them!! We need to keep our newsletter newsy as well as informative.

Do you know anyone on the lake who has a) bought/built a cottage? b) sold their cottage?

Please help us keep our Directory up-to-date by sending these names to Wayne Lennox. Provide the name of the cottage. cottage number or approximate location. mailing address and phone number, if you know it.

#### **THANKS**

Thanks to Tim Abbott for providing the address labels, and to Beth Abbott for assisting with the mailing (it's a big job).

### ROADS BOARD MEETING

Just a reminder. If you can make it to the Roads Board Meeting on Thursday, September 12th, please come and support the Association's efforts to have the meeting date set for a time when the majority of taxpayers can be there.

SILENT AUCTION &
GOURMET
DINNER

In this mailing you will find information pertaining to two fund-raising events: a) the Silent Auction, and b) the Gourmet Dinner.
We hope

that you will participate in one or both of these events. They should be fun, and they will help us reduce our development fund debt. Much work has already gone into these events and we hope to realize a significant return. Thanks to those who have volunteered their services and items. Those working on these projects include Lynn Lennox. Diane Robertson, Joyce Pettigrew, Heidi Story, and Wayne Lennox.

The flyer for the Gourmet Dinner is, we believe, self explanatory. However, we wanted to clarify a few points regarding the Silent Auction. If you wish to participate in the auction, you may send your bidding form to Heidi Story (address provided on the form) by June 15th, OR you may enter a bid at the Wiener Roast, the Gourmet Dinner, or at the Annual General Meeting. Thanks to Joyce and Heidi who have graciously volunteered to provide snacks and refreshments at this year's AGM. At the AGM bidding will take place 1/2 hr before the meeting and 1-1/2hrs after the meeting. The auction will wrap up that day, and results decided.

# THE WASTE DISPOSAL SITES

In recent conversation with both Mr. Auld and Mr. Bennett, we learned that garbage can be disposed of at both sites this year. Bill tells us that he will continue as the Auld site operator for at least one more year; Ed Bennett says that while disposal privileges will still be available, there may be some changes in how waste is handled at his location.

## ENVIRONMENTAL PROJECTS

As part of an environmental initiative, the girls of Camp MIA-KON-DA are interested in undertaking beach and/or shoreline clean-up/restoration. If you have a project in mind, contact Catherine or George Ross at (415) 491-3894.

# LAKE

Saturday
July 13th
WIENER
ROAST



Saturday
August 3rd
ANNUAL
GENERAL
MEETING



Thursday
September 12th
ROADS
BOARD
MEETING

(continued on reverse)

#### WIENER & CORN ROASTS

Thanks to Ross Willett who has once again agreed to host and organize this summer's wiener and corn roasts.

The Wiener Roast is scheduled for Saturday, July 13th beginning at 4pm. The Corn Roast is slated for Saturday August 17th, from 2 to 4pm.

Both of these events will take place at the customary location: Straub's Beach.

Thanks to Nancy and Mike for their continued support and generous use of their beautiful beach. There is simply no better spot on the lake for these popular events.

#### **CONDOLENCES**

We were saddened to learn of the death of Gerry Keller of the south shore of the Big Lake (our condolences to June and children), and Bill Small of Harrison's Bay (our condolences to Muriel and family).

# ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING - AUGUST 3RD, 1996 -

The Annual General Meeting will be held on Saturday August 3rd, at 10am in Bennett's Boathouse (thanks again, as always to the Bennetts for providing a venue). Please make an effort to be there. There will be NO Information Meeting on the Thursday preceding the General Meeting as has been the practice in the past.

#### **MEMBERSHIP FEES**

The issue of membership fees will be discussed at this year's Annual General Meeting. Remember, that membership dues now cover the calendar year. Please get them in at your earliest convenience, (use the convenient tear-away section at the bottom of the Newsletter). We need your support. Each member will receive one membership card for accounting purposes, and one voting privilege at the Annual General Meeting, as well as copies of the **Development Committee Report** 

#### **STATEMENTS**

An interim financial statement will be provided at the Annual General Meeting to those who have remitted their dues by May 31st, 1996.

#### **AGENDA**

If you wish to have an item included on the agenda of the Annual General Meeting, it must be submitted *no later* than the end of June. Please forward to Duncan Robertson (address listed at right).

#### **ELECTIONS**

The Constitution requires that a **specific** number of designated officers stand for re-election each year (these will be announced at the AGM). If you have any thoughts serving, you might want to consider having your name advanced at that time.

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BUY, SELL, TRADE

and Financial statements.

A small classified section for the newsletter.

These small ads are for Association Members and they should be no more than

40 words (approx.). Anyone wishing to include information
should send it to: Lesley Hugill by October 1st, 1996
(1 month before the newsletter is printed).
Please remember to include your name and address or
telephone number with the ad so that you may easily
be contacted by prospective buyers/sellers.

Wanted: 9.9 hp outboard For Sale: Sailboard & 2 sails (\$200)

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