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WARRANT

2018 Annual Membership Meeting
Lake Arrowhead Community, Inc.
206 Old Portland Road, No. Waterboro, Maine
August 4, 2018 at 9:00 a.m.

In accordance with Article II, Sections 3 and 5 of the By-laws of Lake Arrowhead Community, Inc., the Board of Trustees hereby gives notice that the annual membership meeting of the Corporation will be held at Clubhouse 2, 206 Old Portland Road, No. Waterboro, Maine at 9:00 a.m. to conduct the business of the Corporation as stated in this Warrant.

Members of the Corporation are requested to be present to act on the business at hand.

Please note that ballots are due no later than 9:30 a.m. on the day of the meeting.

*The ballots must be returned in the special pre-addressed envelope provided for this purpose. **The pre-addressed envelope must be signed along with your name and lot number noted in the appropriate place on the back of the envelope.** Envelopes returned without this information will be declared invalid. Ballots sent through the mail must arrive on or before August 3, 2018, one business day before the meeting. Mailed ballots received after this date will be declared invalid.*

Your ballot envelope may also be placed in the ballot box located in the LAC office by August 3, 2018 or delivered to the Clerk in person at the ballot box no later than 9:30 a.m., August 4, 2018, the day of the meeting.

Action on Articles 3 through 8 will take place at the open portion of the meeting on August 4, 2018.

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| <i>Article 1</i> | Election of 3 trustees for a term of three (3) years. (Vote by secret ballot). |
| <i>Article 2</i> | Sale and/or Transfer of Association Owned Lots. (Vote by secret ballot). |
| <i>Article 3</i> | Approval of the minutes of the Annual Meeting held on August 5, 2017. |
| <i>Article 4</i> | Hear and accept Auditor's Report. |
| <i>Article 5</i> | Ratification of selection of public accountants for the Fiscal Year. |
| <i>Article 6</i> | Hear Officers and Committee Reports. |
| <i>Article 7</i> | Hear Member's concerns. |
| <i>Article 8</i> | Special Announcements. |
| <i>Article 9</i> | Adjournment. |

**LAKE ARROWHEAD COMMUNITY MEETING
2017 ANNUAL MEETING - AUGUST 5, 2017**

Present: President Dave Sanfason, Vice President Michael Fitzpatrick, Trustee Mary Singelais, Trustee Alan Martel, Trustee Robert Pomerleau, Trustee Philip Oreto, Trustee David DelloRusso, Trustee Steve Dawson, Scott Davis, Public Works Manager, Paul Carey, Security Officer, Jason LeBlanc, CPA.

Absent: Trustee George Fowler

Call to Order: The meeting was called to order at 9:00 a.m.

Based on the number of members present and the number of ballots cast, a quorum exists for the purposes of conducting the Annual Meeting.

President Sanfason welcomed everyone and stated that the membership will vote on all matters that come to the Board today. He introduced special guests Gladys Sanfason, Bill Juffre, Susan Sanfason, Larry Singelais, Joanne Fitzpatrick, Barbara Dawson, Carol Carey, Dave Robertson and John Festa.

Approval of the Minutes

MOTION: Trustee Singelais moved to accept the minutes of the Annual Meeting of August 6, 2016. Seconded by Trustee Fitzpatrick. **The motion passed unanimously.**

Presentation of Audit Report of FY 2017

Jason LeBlanc of Albin, Randall and Bennett presented the Audit Report for Fiscal Year ending April 30, 2017 and highlighted the following:

- Year was financially strong and ended with a cash surplus that allowed the Future Reserve to be fully funded at the statutory limit of \$500,000 and the cash balance is increased and improved overall.

MOTION: Trustee Oreto moved to accept the Auditor's Report for Fiscal Year ending 2017. Seconded by Trustee Dello Russo. **The motion passed unanimously.**

Appointment of the Corporation's Auditor

MOTION: Trustee Oreto moved to accept the firm of Albin, Randall and Bennett as the Corporation's Auditor. Seconded by Trustee Dello Russo. **The motion passed unanimously.**

Security Report

Paul Carey reported:

- So far it has been a good summer with no crime.
- Actively working with Deputy Sanborn on the ATV issues.
- Some parking problems at Love Lane and Bay Cove with non-members.

President's Report / Water Report

President Sanfason presented his report and noted the following:

- It was another extremely good year. In 2003, things were quite different with many problems ranging from a hazmat threat, dilapidated garage, clubhouse and playgrounds, poor roads as well as a suspected threat to our water system.
- Today our facilities are in great shape, we have paved three roads, the amenities have been improved and kept up, our staff is talented and caring and we have great activities for our members.

- Finances are right where we expect with our future reserves fully funded. We are working on a major water system upgrade including the purchase of some key land to protect our valuable resource for our future.

Treasurer's Report

President Sanfason reported on behalf of Trustee Fowler:

- We had a good year financially. We came out \$175,000 to the good due primarily to collections and some new housing starts.
- Since about 2003 we have only increased dues \$100.
- We've worked hard at getting control of inventory, collecting bad debt, writing off bad debt when appropriate while sending appropriate accounts to the collection agency.
- Lastly, we have finally eliminated the special assessment.

Lake Improvement Committee

Trustee Fitzpatrick presented the Lake Improvement Committee report and noted the following:

- DASH harvesters and CBI program are fully functional.
- The communications equipment purchased last year increased the budget then and this year we have discovered that some of that equipment fails quickly, thus we need to include costs for replacement parts. We also purchased a back-up pump to keep us running during our very short season.
- In an effort to increase membership and spread the word about LACC and what we do, Kathy Hart went to both towns offices to develop a mailing list of potential new members. This mailing effort has generated 34 new members to LACC.

Presentation of Voting Results - Article 1

Trustee Sanfason reported that there were four candidates running for election to three positions this year; Alan Martel, Steve Dawson and Michael Fitzpatrick received the most votes (133, 104 and 115 respectively), therefore, they have each been re-elected to a three-year term. Josiah Petrin did receive enough votes (77) to have first right to refuse an open seat, if one should become available due to an unexpected vacancy.

Road Committee

Trustee Martel presented the Road Committee report and noted the following:

- The winter of 2016-17 presented many challenges to the crew due to the number of storms we had, and they spent many hours keeping the roads clear and safe.
- In the Fall of 2016, we completed the third paving project – Keystone Drive and Victoria Lane – providing access to paved roads to approximately 600 homes in this area.

Equipment Committee

Trustee DelloRusso presented the Equipment Committee report and noted the following:

- The past year was busy requiring many equipment updates and repairs. Due to the experience of our crew we have been able to do most of our repairs in house minimizing costs.
- We have developed a dedicated equipment reserve in anticipation of needing to replace some of our fleet that is aging or has limited parts availability.

Real Estate Committee

Trustee Bob Pomerleau presented the Real Estate Committee report and noted the following:

- We are continuing the collection process on lots that are in arrears. This helps to lessen the burden on the community for non-paying properties while potentially acquiring lots to add to the community's green space.

- We continue to see new homes being built.
- This year the roof was replaced on Clubhouse 1 and the roof on Clubhouse 2 will be done within the next two years.

Parks and Receptions Committee

Trustee Singelais presented the Parks and Recreation Committee report and noted the following:

- Once again, we had our Annual Fourth of July Boat Parade with the following families taking home prizes: First place went to the Piela Family's "Sesame Street", Second place went to the Juffre Family's "Minions", Third place went to the Fultz Family's "Blast from the Past", Fourth place went to the Hart Family's "Willie Wonka" and Fifth place went to the Hazell/Lamson Family's "Loon Pontoon". Also getting recognized for honorable mention were the Krayenvenger Family's "Despicable Me", the Blankenship/Sanfason Family's "Emoji" and the Burnham Family's "Lake Aquarium" boat.
- The Fourth Annual LAC Tom Sotir Volunteer Service Award will be awarded to Judy Juffre. Judy is one of the founding members of the walking class, as well as the Garden Club that enhances our community with colorful flowers and beautiful landscaping. Congratulations Judy!
- This year the Garden Club is working on a shade garden at CH2, expanding the street garden at CH1 and continues to add planted flowers, shrubs and trees at the playground and mailbox areas. This year one of the local Girl Scout Troops provided some help while working on one of their badges.
- We had our Memorial Day Ice Cream Social and the Labor Day Ice Cream Social will be coming up shortly, the walking class is ongoing at CH1 and we will be hosting our Annual Pumpkin Carving and Wreath Making events again with our new event coordinator Beth Howard.

Tom Sotir Volunteer Service Award

Trustee Singelais presented the Tom Sotir Volunteer Service Award to Judy Juffre for her many years of service including organizing and running the walking class as well as co-founding the Garden Club within Lake Arrowhead Community.

MEMBER CONCERNS:

Kate Howard, Lot A207: She knows former residents that now live in a different area of Limerick; when they come to visit her, they rave about the quality of the water and how much better it is than what they have now. They just can't get enough.

Bill Juffre, Lot 1670: Concerned with the future of the chipping program and potential brush fires. This year there was only three people that participated, and the fire department advised him it may not continue in the future.

Jean Burke, Lot 0098: Limerick doesn't do the chipping program? Why is that? Scott replied its run by the Waterboro Fire Department. He asked the Limerick Fire Department and they don't want to do it.

Larry Singelais, Lot 0130: Wants to thank the Board for the number of hours you all put in.

Announcements Bingo will start on August 26th. Doors open at 5:00 PM, game starts at 6:00 PM.

MOTION: Trustee Oreto moved to adjourn. Seconded by Trustee Martel. **The motion passed unanimously.**

Adjourned at 10:57 a.m.

Nanette Walton, Recording Secretary

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

I am pleased to report that 2018 has been another outstanding year for Lake Arrowhead Community! Our finances are in great shape. Our clubhouses have never been better. We have paved main arteries in our three most populated areas. We have fourteen beautiful public beaches. We have the plan in place to increase the volume of our pristine water to our storage tanks. We have dedicated capital improvement funds to finance our water, clubhouse and equipment upgrades. Our Future Reserve, or our rainy-day fund, is maxed out at \$500k. Flowers in gardens and baskets are blooming all over our community. Our Lake Arrowhead Conservation Council is running 10 Diver Assisted Suction Harvester (DASH) shifts per week, keeping our invasive aquatic milfoil under control. Our recreational activities have been standard setting! Housing starts are way up, and foreclosures are way down. LAC's relationships with the towns of Waterboro and Limerick have never been better.

None of these significant achievements would have come about without the talent, enthusiasm, and dedication of the following individuals:

1. The LAC Finance and Administration staff, Amy and Nanette.
2. Our outstanding Public Works Crew led by Scott Davis
3. Our Garden Club Volunteers, Judy, Carol, Sharon, Bill, Bonnie, Lou, Joanne, Bob, Gloria and Phyllis.
4. Our LACC Board and numerous fund-raising volunteers led by Mike Fitzpatrick.
5. Our Real Estate committee led by Rob Pomerleau.
6. Our Equipment Committee led by Dave DelloRusso.
7. Our Personnel Committee led by Phil Oreto.
8. Our Security Officer Paul Carey.
9. Our Road Committee and Election Committee led by Alan Martel.
10. Our Budget Officer, Treasurer George Fowler.
11. Our Election Committee Co-Chair and LACC Lead Boat Captain, Steve Dawson.
12. Our Recreation Committee led by Mary Singelais.

Someone once said that the world is personality driven. I am convinced that these outstanding individuals and a terrific, supportive membership make our lakeside community one of the best places to live and vacation anywhere. I thank you all for making my job as President so rewarding. Once again, I am proud to report that the state of Lake Arrowhead Community in 2018 is absolutely outstanding!

Dave Sanfason
President, LAC Board of Trustees

TREASURER'S REPORT

For our last Fiscal Year LAC had revenue of \$1,579,500. This is made up of your dues, building permits and other ways that we raise funds for the association. Even though this is a large number we ended up the year with a loss of only \$1,500. This means that we actually spent more than we brought in on maintenance, roads, etc. for the community. The fact that we only had a very small loss is an indication of how tightly your Board budgets what we spend. This compares to a loss of \$99,700 last year.

We are always conscious of what we are spending. We know that maintenance must be done on all of our infrastructure to keep it in good shape. We understand that the funds we are spending are not the Boards but belong to the entire community.

We are still dealing with the problem of a certain amount of dues that are not paid each year. If everyone paid their dues, we would be in much better shape. We continue with the policy of sending seriously delinquent accounts out for collection and as a last resort start foreclosure procedures in some cases.

George Fowler
Treasurer, LAC Board of Trustees

WATER COMMITTEE REPORT

Members: Dave Robertson, Victor Wakefield, Scott Davis, Dave Sanfason

All our areas of operation: Roads, Clubhouses, Recreation, Real Estate, Finance, LACC are extremely important to Lake Arrowhead Community. Water, however, is the one area that cannot fail, even for an hour. Without it, we're out of business. Kipling, when writing about the British Army fighting in India wrote, "When it comes to slaughter, you'll do your work on water and you'll lick the blooming boots of him that's got it!" Lake Arrowhead is fortunate to have an endless supply of pristine water and a constantly improving infrastructure to provide it.

Several years ago, we hired the services of an engineering company to evaluate our water system and make recommendations for upgrades and improvements. They said we needed to install a 12" transmission main from our pumps to our Caribou storage tank. We have plenty of water they said, but our "straws" are too narrow with too many services off them. This year your LAC BOT approved the purchase of 27 acres of land from member Bob Hawes. Included in this purchase is a transmission corridor to run the new 12" transmission main from our well field through the OPR main to the Caribou storage tank. The follow-on phase will be the continuation of the 12" main across the lake to Leisure Lane and to the Caribou tank. The first of those 3 phases saw the upgrade of our #2 pump from 35 to 50 HP.

Additionally, this year our crew, led by Class 4 Water Operator Scott Davis, installed 1.6 miles of new HDPE 2" water main in Island Road, Edge Hill, and Deer Crossing in Limerick. This Spring, we installed new propane-powered generators at the L AC Water Office and Caribou Water Tank. Lake Arrowhead Community now has backup generator power at every major infrastructure site: our wells, our clubhouses, our storage tanks, our garage and our water office. Some of you may remember the ice storm of '97, when LAC lost power and water for over a week. With the generator backups we have recently finished installing, that kind of outage will never occur again. The improvements articulated above, coupled with the new alternate well head land will guarantee that Lake Arrowhead Community will continue to supply pristine water in adequate amounts for the foreseeable future!

Dave Sanfason
Water Committee Chair

LAKE IMPROVEMENT COMMITTEE

The LIC/LACC committee has been busy for 2018 running the seasonal removal of milfoil on Lake Arrowhead and inspecting boats at the Ledgemere boat ramp.

Variable Leaf Milfoil on Lake Arrowhead is a formidable adversary and we must remain vigilant in our efforts to continue combating this foe. Our strategic removal plans continue to be focused on the three feeds into the lake; the boating channels; LAC Beaches and accessible coves. I have heard some folks say why bother, you'll never get rid of the weed. Well, that's easy to say, but, without the efforts submitted by LACC, we would not be in the same place we are today. Our goal, with the current approved methods, is not to eradicate VLM but it is a management function just like grading and plowing the roads. VLM is not going to go away and neither are bumps in the road, but LACC works to minimize the impact on the lake. Hopefully, the increases in value of the waterfront properties on Lake Arrowhead not only reflect a stronger economy but also the efforts by LACC at managing the invasive plant.

Friday, 7/20, the DEP is scheduled to visit LACC for its annual review of our program. I will be able to report on the results of that visit at the Annual Meeting. Our past reviews have been extremely positive and encouraging which we hope to continue as we remain in compliance with the DEP and OSHA requirements.

Our DEP grant was renewed this year close to what we were approved for last year. As I mentioned before, some DASH Operations cannot afford the OSHA requirements, and this has left the DEP with some additional funds that a few of the organizations were able to benefit from. Eventually, that will not be there, and we will see a reduction in the DEP grant. This turns my subject to our Membership Drive....

Last year, LACC Trustee Kathy Hart took it as a personal challenge to increase LACC's membership. Kathy went to both Town Halls and looked at all the Tax Books and copied down all the names of folks living on the water in both towns surrounding our lake. Kathy sent a personal letter to each person explaining LACC and our need to be successful for the benefit of the lake. Her efforts generated a total of 34 new memberships for LACC last year. This year, Kathy renewed her efforts and I believe we are up an additional 11-12 member this year. Kathy and her husband John have also hosted some meet and greets at their home for new and existing members of LACC. One of which was a Whiskey Tasting afternoon. Believe me, everyone left happy that day!

The combined LAC/LACC Annual Golf tournament for 2018 is scheduled for Friday, August 24th. This has been a great fund raiser. If you are interested in golfing, please reach out to trustee Phil Oreto. Another event organized this year was the introduction of BINGO at Club 2. You have probably seen the reminders coming out from the office. This is a fun event for all LAC adults! Another fun thing for our families is the Annual Lake Arrowhead Prop Busters Fishing tournament. The proceeds from this event go directly to LACC for milfoil removal. The pen tournament is scheduled for Saturday, August 18th. For more information on this fundraiser, please reach out to Shannon Doyle. Thankfully, Limerick and Waterboro have given their support again this year. I hope you do as well. Please support the efforts that are keeping your lake a beautiful gem in southern Maine.

ALSO – please support LACC by purchasing a 50/50 raffle ticket available at the office!!

See you on the lake!

Mike Fitzpatrick
Lake Improvement, Chair and LACC, President

EQUIPMENT COMMITTEE

Every year we revisit our 1-3-5-year list of projects and revise it based on need and priority. In doing so this year, we agreed that we have done a great job at updating and replacing our current fleet to allow us to maintain this beautiful community of ours. However, we found a need for better infrastructure for our members.

As Scott Davis reviewed our current emergency operations, he reported that we had immediate need for improved power quality. An example of this is, the Caribou water booster station. We had an older 8kw generator and transfer switch servicing this location in times of a power outage. Unfortunately, the equipment installed at the site was not made for this commercial application as it is made more for residential use. As such, it struggles to support the booster station loads and has never operated properly creating water delivery issues when members need it most. We decided to do two things: First, buy a new, commercial rated generator for the Caribou location thereby ensuring uninterrupted reliable service to all members. Second, we then had the existing residential type generator relocated to Clubhouse 1 to support that location in time of emergency.

Now that they projects are complete, we hope to have a stronger infrastructure able to support our community if the need should arise. We will continue to update, repair and replace equipment while maintaining fiscal responsibility by competitively bidding all projects and choosing the right equipment for the right job.

David DelloRusso
Equipment Chair

REAL ESTATE COMMITTEE

The Real Estate Committee along with the Board of Trustees continues to acquire lots that were in arrears to the community. During this process it gives the community the opportunity to clear the books of bad debt and create additional green space /common land for the community.

We have asked the membership by way of a vote to approve the sale of several buildable lots within the community that we have acquired. These lots will be first offered to the abutters, then to the membership, if no abutter or member is interested in the lots then they will be open to the public to purchase. Prices will vary based on size and conditions of the lots. More information will become available after the 2018 Annual Meeting.

An aggressive collection process on delinquent accounts is in effect and continues to bring past due accounts up to date which lessens the burden upon the whole membership.

New Development: Growth within our community continues to grow with 11 new home permits applications over the past Fiscal Year and several into this next Fiscal Year. The additional membership will help by adding to the funding of the expenses of the community.

The Real Estate Committee has evaluated the structures within the community and has implemented a maintenance schedule for discrepancies found. At Clubhouse 2, a new 50-year roof has just been installed, along with a new vinyl ceiling installed in the pool room this past spring. We have plans to install a new ceiling at the pool at Clubhouse 1 during this year. It is important that we keep up with the preservation of these structures which continue to be a big asset to the community.

We are continuing to work with the Towns of Limerick and Waterboro to review and conform our building practices with the building standards put forth by the Towns.

The Real Estate Committee will continue with our initiative on the collection of past due accounts and will continue to find ways to reduce the financial burden on its membership.

For further information on the Real Estate Committee and other committees please attend our monthly meetings at Clubhouse 2 on the third Saturday of the Month at 8:30am. There will be no meeting on August 18,2018 due to the Annual Meeting of Saturday August 4, 2018.

I want to thank Amy and Nanette from the office of LAC for all their help and support throughout the year.

Robert M. Pomerleau
Real Estate Chair

LAKE ARROWHEAD COMMUNITY SCHOLARSHIP 2018

In 2018, Lake Arrowhead Community started offering an educational scholarship to a child, grandchild, step child, or step grandchild of a member of the community in good standing in the amount of \$1,000.00 to be used to promote their education in a secondary form of study. LAC received 16 submissions and after a thorough review and with the help of an independent group arrived with LAC's first award.

Lake Arrowhead Community is proud to award this scholarship to Kelley Wescott, Daughter of Scott and Kristen Wescott of Limerick, Maine. Kelley Wescott is currently enrolled at York County Community College with continued studies in Behavioral Health. Below is a copy of Miss Wescott's Essay on what Lake Arrowhead means to her:

My Home

When you look up the word home in the dictionary it is simply defined as where you might live. Some will argue and say home is where the heart is, meaning as long as you have your family you're home. Which I tend to agree with, However, living in Lake Arrowhead really does make you feel at home. I quite honestly can't imagine living anywhere else. These back roads have truly made me into the person I am today. I have taken part in many community events including bingo nights, ice cream socials, wreath making, and pumpkin carving. It brought my family closer in a whole new light. We just got to be goofy and have fun with one another! Not to mention the clubhouses, which has brought endless fun in the sun moments into our lives. It has truly been a treasure living in LAC because it has given me many opportunities within the community. Lake Arrowhead is more than a lake and long dirt roads, it is a community of people who grow together, support each other and have fun doing it! To me the Lake Arrowhead Community is my home, where I feel at home, and where I love to be. Even though LAC has long dirt roads that can lead to nowhere, they will always take me home. What does Lake Arrowhead mean to me you ask, It Means I am Home.

For further information on the Lake Arrowhead Scholarship please visit the LAC Community web site.

Robert Pomerleau
Scholarship Chair

PARKS AND RECREATION COMMITTEE

Summer is in full swing at Lake Arrowhead! It's great to see so many members enjoying the season with family and friends. Boating, kayaking, tennis and pickleball, along with great bass fishing are a few of the activities to enjoy all summer long up the lake.

The 4th of July was a spectacular week of fireworks, cookouts, and family gatherings. The weather was hot and sunny, and there was a wonderful turnout for the Boat Parade with over two dozen boats and many onlookers from all over the lake. Hope you were able to be there and share in the festivities! I want to extend a big thank you to all the families who participated and helped to make the parade a big success and a whole lot of fun!

You can see all the great pictures from the parade at lacinc.org. Thanks to LAC member and Event Coordinator, Beth Howard, for her fantastic photos!

Boat Parade: First Place: The Hart family for their action packed 'Super Heroes' boat. Kathy Hart shared their family story with me about their amazing boat. "Every year we throw out ideas for the parade, and last year the children wanted to be Super Heroes. So, the planning began...we design the boat before we put it in the water in the spring. This year Debbie McLaughlin was Queen Hippolyta, the Mother of Wonder Woman, ageless and immortal. The role of Batman was played expertly by Kyle McLaughlin, who in our family is the celebrity socialite. Robin was played by Christine O'Brien, because men really shouldn't wear tights. Superman was John Hart Sr. who was also born on another planet. The role of Thor was John Hart, Jr., who has been a lightning bolt in his mother's side for 45 years. Megan Hart was Captain America, who really does need Super Soldier Serum. The Incredible Hulk played by Rick Robitaille, he enjoyed his chance to be a raging savage. Our miniature Super Heroes were Lily McLaughlin who is definitely a real SuperGirl. Ella and Sophia McLaughlin are our true Wonder Women. Reagan Hart was Spidegirl with her sister Brynn as BatGirl. Our littlest hero was Maxwell Hart as Superman. The children have so much fun on Lake Arrowhead, the parade is the highlight of their vacation." This year's parade was recorded via drone by Mitchell Lentine of Danvers to be released soon. Congratulations John and Kathy Hart and family for winning the 2018 LAC Boat Parade. They received a \$50 gift card to Lakeside Market.

Second Place: Went to Bill and Judy Juffre and family. Their twist on the board game Monopoly became LACopoly with hand drawn game cards with street names from LAC all around the pontoon boat. Judy sent me their family story. "The three generations of Juffre's have always enjoyed days at the lake and nights around the kitchen table typically accompanied by a board game or two. Monopoly was always a good staple. We decided to combine the streets and places of Lake Arrowhead with the Parker Brothers classic. The concept was thought up by the three Juffre brothers - Jay, Gary, and Ralph. Beginning Sunday, the entire family worked together to hand draw and make each board space with Gary doing most of the fine detailing. Railroads became clubhouses, waterworks became dams, free parking became free milfoil. Each street was pulled from the streets of Lake Arrowhead. The oldest brother, Al, played the monopoly man up front and Denise, Kyra, Ralphie, Madie, Allie, Emma and Tyler held the life size game pieces and dice. Judy & Bill Juffre provided the boat." Congratulations to Bill and Judy Juffre and family! They received a \$30 gift card to Lakeside Market.

Third Place: Lynne Hawkes and family members took third place for their 'Rubber Ducky' themed boat. Enjoying the day on board were nieces Renee O'Brien and Nicole Metivier, along with nephews Dan,

Evan, and Owen O'Brien, and granddaughter Lydia Hawkes. Lynne said their inspiration came from Ernie and the Sesame Street song rubber ducky. Congratulations Hawkes family! They received a \$20 gift card to Lakeside Market.

Fourth place: The \$10 prize went to Cathy Musto and the Fultz family. Their 'Toy Box' theme was very creative and whimsical. "The Fultz family was inspired to do a toy box theme after the closing of Toys R Us. Each person chose their favorite toy to dress up as. Our mom dressed up as Raggedy Anne, her favorite childhood toy. We enjoy this lake tradition and are happy so many others participate as well." Congratulations to the Musto and Fultz family!

Fifth place: The \$10 prize went to the 'Alice on Lake Arrowhead' themed boat by the Crabb-Burnham family. Family member Pamala emailed me their story. "Alice on Lake Arrowhead was inspired by the children. They wanted a theme that would thoroughly include Lake Arrowhead in it. We all chose a character from the story. I feel by getting into the character and making Lake Arrowhead important to the theme helped us to be winners. Mad Hatter-Dale Burnham, Red Queen-Pamala Crabb-Burnham, White Rabbit -Cara Crabb-Burnham, Alice- Maddie Burnham, Tweedledee- Dash Ogborn, Tweedledum -Caleb Burnham, Card Soldier- Corbin Burnham, Card Soldier- Lauren Burnham, Chesire Cat- Darren Burnham. We love being on Lake Arrowhead and the 4th of July Boat Parade is something we look forward to participating in with everyone else on the lake. Lake Arrowhead is a great place to share with our family and friends." Congratulations to Pamala Crabb-Burnham and family. Great Job!

Honorable Mention: Chris and Jo Bottger celebrated their First Fourth of July since becoming U.S. citizens last year. Chris and his wife Jo have two children, Rianna (14) and Rylan (9). They have been in the U.S. for 18 years now and became U.S. citizens last summer. Chris was born in the Netherlands and Jo was born in England. They enjoy boating on the lake in their Yamaha Fishing Sport Hybrid model jet boat, which is perfect for Lake Arrowhead, as they can fish in the really shallow areas but still cruise and pull skis and tubes. This year, to celebrate, the boat was decked in red, white and blue. Thanks Chris for sharing your wonderful family story with me. Congratulations to the Bottger family!

Chrissy and Scott Sanfason were enjoying the parade with their family. They had a fun pink flamingo theme.

Rolly and Deb Mousseau had a birthday theme for Deb's mom, Blanche Furness, on board their boat. Blanche was turning a very young 90 on July 5th and especially enjoyed the Boat Parade and all the Happy Birthday decorations.

Also enjoying the Boat Parade were Dave and Sue Sanfason, along with their daughter Julie Jarosz and Dave's mother, Gladys. The family was celebrating Gladys' 98th birthday! Happy Fourth of July birthday Gladys!

Other parade goers included Bob and Debbie Pomerleau and family, Ryan and Sheila Blankenship with son Johnny, Phil and Amy Oreto and family, the Wescott family, George and Sharyn Fowler, and many more LAC members and friends.

Special thanks to Scott Davis and the LAC Crew, for getting Tower Beach in tip top shape for the Annual Boat Parade festivities. The beach area was beautiful and full of spectators enjoying the day.

The 5th Annual LAC Tom Sotir Volunteer Service Award: I'm very pleased to announce that LAC member, Kathy Hart, is the 2018 LAC Tom Sotir Volunteer Service Award recipient. Kathy and John

Hart have been enjoying the lake for 20 years now. They love to entertain and socialize with their family, friends, and neighbors outside by the tiki hut bar that John built. The whole family enjoys fishing around the lake. Kathy feels that volunteering is a great way to meet people on the lake and that's something she finds so rewarding.

Kathy joined the Board of Lake Arrowhead Conservation Council (LACC) and has been very active in their membership drives. She spearheaded an effort to send LAC members an introductory letter about the organization, which lead to several new memberships for LACC.

LACC runs the program for harvesting and removing milfoil from the lake. Milfoil is a highly invasive aquatic plant that would badly impact the lake if left unchecked. LACC counts on money raised from members, fundraisers, and grants to keep the program up and running all summer long. It is a separate 501C (3) tax exempt organization with its own volunteer Board of Trustees. All donations to LACC are tax deductible. LACC is a member of the statewide Congress of Lake Associations in Maine (COLA). The LACC organization plays a very important role in maintaining and improving the quality of the lake.

Kathy also organized several LACC yard sales to raise money and awareness for LACC. Kathy is a driving force for LACC and committed to volunteering for this very worthwhile cause. To join LACC or for more information, please contact Kathy at kathleenhart49@gmail.com.

Congratulations Kathy and thank you so very much for all your efforts!

LAC Garden Club News: As well as maintaining the existing gardens and flower barrels, the Garden Club has been busy planting a new garden plot as you enter Old Portland Rd. from New Dam Rd. on the right-hand side. It's a perfect spot for members and guests to see as you come down the road to Clubhouse 2. Also, by Clubhouse 2 is the beautiful Cottage Garden established three years ago by the Garden Club Members. There are phlox and azaleas and a variety of plants and trees that make the garden another beautiful spot to enjoy around the community.

Thanks to LAC members Brian and Rebecca Bonner. They donated red mulch to the Garden Club and helped put it around the plants by the entrance to Old Portland Rd. Nice work and great community spirit!

Have you seen the new outdoor bench by Clubhouse 1? The beautiful two-person cement bench was donated by LAC Member Phyllis Boucher. Phyllis has been volunteering on the Garden Club since it started. She is an avid gardener and knew Clubhouse 1 was a perfect spot to have a place to sit and admire the landscaping around the grounds of the clubhouse. Thank you so much Phyllis!

Thanks to members Judy Juffre, Carol Carey, Bonnie Defeo, Phyllis Boucher, Joanne Beaupre, Lou Defeo, Bill Juffre, Anne Hodgkins, Pat Murphy, and Sharyn Fowler.

I'd like to extend a very special thank you to all the volunteer Garden Club Members from the entire Board of Trustees. We truly appreciate your efforts and the beautiful landscapes you have made for our community.

2018 Events and Activities around Lake Arrowhead: An Ice Cream Social was held over Memorial Day weekend, on Sun, May 27th. The event was free and open to all members and guests. Over 150 members and guests came to Clubhouse 2 and enjoyed yummy ice cream and treats. Please go to www.lacinc.org and click on Pictures to see photos of the event. Thanks to LAC Event Coordinator, Beth Howard, for hosting this wonderful family event for our community.

There is an ongoing indoor Walking Fitness Class at Clubhouse 1. The class is free to LAC members. Please go to www.lacinc.org to view the flyer for more details. This popular video class has been ongoing year-round for six years now. I'd like to extend a big thank you to LAC members Judy Juffre and Debbie Broderick for volunteering to host the class.

Clubhouse News: Did you know we have a total of five tennis courts, three basketball courts, and two pickleball courts throughout Lake Arrowhead? All have been completely refurbished and open to all members and their guests. Great job Scott Davis and crew!

Upcoming events: LAC is planning on having an Ice Cream Social around Labor Day, a Pumpkin Carving Event in Oct., and a Wreath Decorating Event the end of Nov. Please watch our website for more details. The office will send an email out to LAC members ahead of upcoming events, to let everyone know the dates and times of each event. Please call the office if you need to be added to the email notification list, so you can keep informed about future LAC activities.

Thanks too, to Amy and Nanette in the office for all their help throughout the year getting the info out to our members for all the events and activities.

Do you have an idea for a future event at LAC, or would you be interested in hosting an exercise class at Club 1? Email me, Mary Singelais, at msingelais@comcast.net and let me know what your suggestion might be.

Enjoy the summer.

Mary Singelais
Parks and Rec Chair

