



**JULY 31, 2017**  
**PRE ANNUAL MEETING EDITION**  
**A Publication of the**  
**Canobie Lake**  
**Protective Association**

***YOU ARE INVITED to our...***

***ANNUAL MEETING and SOCIAL***



**6:30 PM**

**Sunday August 13th**

**At the Searles School**

3 Chapel Road, Windham  
(35 Range Rd, next to Delahunty's)

Light adult beverages, snacks, and dessert will be served.

**NEW MEMBERS ARE WELCOME!!!**

If you haven't had a chance to send in your membership just come to the annual meeting to join.

**Annual Meeting Agenda:**

Social time

Betty Dunn will lead with a "meet and greet" fun way to get to know one another.

Dale Valyo will start the review the Association's activities of 2016-7. Dale, Betty, Bill, Steve, Dave, Jeff, Suzanne, Marian, and Ginny will report on different areas of activities.

There will be an election of officers and directors.

Door prizes will be given out throughout the meeting.

Presentation and discussion of "SAFE YIELD" and the CLPA Campaign to promote Safe Yield (485mg/yr)

**ELECTION INFORMATION:**

The candidates for election for 3 positions of 2 year terms are: Betty Dunn, Treasurer, Ginny Campiola, Secretary, and Tanya Donnelly, Director/Salem.



The other current board members (Dale Valvo, President, Bill Schroeder, Director, Windham, Jeff Boyer, Director, Salem, and Marian Johnson, Director, Windham) will all be serving out the 2<sup>nd</sup> of their 2 year terms.

According to the CLPA bylaws, any member who wishes to run for an office may do so by notifying the Board at least 15 days prior to the Annual Meeting. Write-in candidates and nominations at the time of the meeting are not permitted.

*Thank you to Dr. Suzanne Moore, CLPA Director from Salem.* In her short 2 years of serving as Director from Salem, Dr. Suzanne Moore has made many significant contributions. She has taken on the huge responsibility of “webmaster” and regularly updates and maintains our website. She has assisted with the VLAP sampling and Chloride sampling. She was instrumental in the development and design of the CLPA brochure. Thank you, Dr. Moore, for your commitment to protecting Canobie Lake.

## **4<sup>TH</sup> OF JULY PARADE**

THANKS TO THE MANY ENTHUSIASTIC PARTICIPANTS!!

The boat parade winners were:

**1<sup>st</sup> Prize** (and leader of next year's parade) went to:



*“Canobie Lake Bus” with Dave Silva and relatives and friends.*



*2<sup>nd</sup> Prize went to:*



*"2017 Pace Boat" with Mike And Alyssa Schoenfeld and friends*

*3<sup>rd</sup> Prize went to:*



*Kevin and Cindy Forrence and Family*



***Honorable Mention Prize went to:***



***The Matthews family and friends***

***Special recognition to:***

***Bill Schroeder for Captaining the “Committee Boat” with CLPA judges***

***Our spirited and dedicated judges, Odie and Heidi Odierna, and Marian Johnson.***

***Canobie Lake Park for participating in the boat parade***

***Scott Buttram, for the use of his dock to make our winner presentations and take pictures.***

***Dale Valvo and Suzanne Moore, for presenting the awards***

***Jay Johnson, for taking such fabulous pictures***

***Dave Silva for returning the 1<sup>st</sup> Prize money of \$100 as a donation to the CLPA!!!!***

***“BUBBLES”...we loved your enthusiasm and participation...hope you win next year!!!!***



***Committee Boat: Bill Schroeder and judges:  
Odie and Heidi Odierna and Marian Johnson***



***Awards presented by: Dale Valvo and  
Suzanne Moore***

***For more pictures...***

Visit our website: ([www.canobelake.org](http://www.canobelake.org)) and our Facebook page; Canobie Lake Protective Association  
If you are not already on Facebook, and do not want to “join” you can still look at what’s on our Facebook page.

Just click on this link: <https://www.facebook.com/CanobieLakeProtectiveAssociation>





**“Snapping Turtles** are the great, unsung heroes of New Hampshire’s water bodies”

*You can help protect our turtles!!!!*

*Please go to our website to read a wonderful article by Catherine Greenleaf,*

*“How to Help Wild Aquatic Turtles”.*

*It will give you a new appreciation for the many turtles we have in Canobie Lake and what you can/should do to protect them.*

*Hopefully, the CLPA or communities of Salem and Windham will be posting “Turtle X-ing” signs around Canobie.*



## **BOATING SAFETY** *Reminder*

We would like to remind all of our boating families that your boat needs to be equipped with all required safety items - including life preservers, fire extinguisher and a loud horn or Whistle.

Here are a couple of other safety tips:

- When a boat is under way no one is permitted outside the protective railing. We have seen children riding outside the railing on the bow of pontoon boats, and shudder to think what might happen if they fell off.
- All boats, including canoes and kayaks, must display navigation lights between sunset and sunrise. We have seen some near collisions with unlighted canoes, particularly on fireworks nights.
- The official time for lights is sunset, not "when it gets really dark".
- Drinking and driving (BUI) is not permitted. You can lose your auto drivers license.
- Children 12 years of age or younger **MUST** wear a life jacket at all times. It is strongly recommended that children of all ages wear their life jackets. Check with your Boating organizations (i.e. Boat US) for communities that have "Children's Loaner Vest Programs"
- Safe Boater Education Certificate On Board is required for boats with motors larger than 25HP  
--- Please be careful and enjoy your boating on Canobie Lake ---

## Weed Watching Update

The Canobie Lake Weed Watching team is in full swing, continuing to conduct surveys each month from May until the end of September. The good news is that so far, there have been no surprises of invasive, alien aquatic weeds in our lake.

August is the time when the real spurt in aquatic weed growth begins. You should be seeing dense growths of Pond Weed nearly everywhere in a band around the lake in water from 3 to 12 feet deep from bottom to surface. Thick patches of Pond Weed look ominous but are entirely normal, much to the disdain of anglers who prefer to use treble hooks to catch bass.

Our team of watchers can't be everywhere all the time so if you see something unusual, be it strange plant or fish, in the lake please give Steve Bortone a shout at [steve.bortone@gmail.com](mailto:steve.bortone@gmail.com) and the Weed Watcher team will check it out.



Photo taken of Pond Weed taken last year along the north west shore of Canobie Lake

## [Our Website: www.canobielake.org](http://www.canobielake.org)

There, you will find: breaking news, newsletters, pictures, maps, and many links to the Brochure, more information, and organizations. We welcome your comments and/or suggestions. Thanks, again, to Dr. Suzanne Moore for maintaining our website.

## [We are also on \*\*FACEBOOK:\*\*](#) [Canobie Lake Protective Association](#)

Please visit us on FACEBOOK for pictures, updates, and comments.  
Thank you to Betty Dunn and Tanya Donnelly for leading the effort to develop our Facebook page.





It's the 115th season of fun at Canobie Lake Park. Our neighbor and generous friend, Canobie Lake Park is open and featuring over 86 rides, games and attractions. There's something for every member of the family at Canobie.

Especially enjoyable and of interest to all of the Canobie Lake residents is the fireworks. **DON'T MISS THEM.** The fireworks displays are every Saturday night at 9:15+/- PM through Labor Day. For details visit: [www.Canobie.com](http://www.Canobie.com)

## Canobie Lake Protective Association

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in the State of N.H.

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## ----- 2017 MEMBERSHIP DRIVE -----

*We are pleased to announce that, to date, we have 113 members and almost all of the passes have been used!!! We are especially thrilled to welcome 12 members who have joined for the first time. Our membership is strong and so is our treasury. Thank you to the many members who added an extra donation in their membership check. Your association is gaining strength in its position to protect our lake as never before. We remain vigilant in doing just that and welcome your continued support.*

***If you haven't already become a Member for 2017 please join today....***

**To join:** Complete the form below and send with your tax-deductible check of \$25 (or more)  
payable to: **Canobie Lake Protective Assoc.**

**Mail to: Ginny Campiola, 51 West Shore Rd, Windham, NH 03087**

**Member Name(s):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_ **City** \_\_\_\_\_ **State** \_\_\_\_\_ **Zip** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email Address:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Tele** \_\_\_\_\_

Donation Type: \_\_\_\_\_ New Member \_\_\_\_\_ Renewal \_\_\_\_\_ General Donation

Total Membership (\$25 @) \_\_\_\_\_ Total Donation \_\_\_\_\_ Amount Enclosed: \_\_\_\_\_

For further information, please call Ginny Campiola at (603) 490 3733

***Welcome and Thank You!!!!***