

July 14, 2014 Edition

YOU ARE INVITED to our...

## ANNUAL MEETING and SOCIAL

6:30 PM, Sunday July 27, at the Searles School

3 Chapel Road, Windham

Please come and enjoy light adult beverages, snacks, and dessert with your neighbors and fellow CANOBIE LAKE PROTECTIVE ASSOCIATION members.

#### NEW MEMBERS ARE WELCOME!!!

If you haven't had a chance to send in your membership just come to the annual meeting to join. Passes to Canobie Lake Park will be available (while supply lasts) to go along with membership and donations.

The election of officers and directors will be held. The nominees for re-election to 2 year terms are: Bill Schroeder, president; Dale Valvo, director; Odie Odierna, director; and Peter Griffin, director. The other three current officers (Betty Dunn, treasurer; Ginny Campiola, secretary; and Dave Blake, director) will serve the second year of their 2 year terms. (According to the 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.)

#### MAP OF CANOBIE LAKE:

Find your house on the extra large map of Canobie Lake and mark it with a sticky arrow.

Come meet your lake neighbors and share fond memories.

All remaining Canobie Lake Passes will be used as door prizes.

# 4<sup>TH</sup> OF JULY WAS NOT A BEAUTIFUL DAY... BUT THE 5<sup>TH</sup> WAS!!!

Thank you to everyone who came out after our parade was postponed. (We hope you all received our email or visited the web site for notification of the postponement.) We didn't have as many participants but the enthusiasm and originality made our parade and celebration exceptional.

## The boat parade winners were:

1st Prize (and leader of next year's parade) went to:

"Noah's Ark" with Dave Silva and crew





2<sup>nd</sup> Prize went to: "Just Married" with the newly married, Mr. Mike and Mrs. Alyssa Schoenfeld





3<sup>rd</sup> Prize went to: "Marilyn Monroe" with Skip Peoples, Susan Peoples, and Eric and Penny





4th Prize went to: "Most Patriotic" with Kevin and Cindy Forrence and family





#### Special WELCOME & recognition to -

- 1. Our generous neighbor and friends at Canobie Lake Park for having the "Canobie Queen" join the parade. Especially welcomed was the patriotic music. It certainly made the parade even more festive.
  - 2. Our spirited and dedicated judges, Odie and Heidi Odierna.
  - 3. Scott Buttram for welcoming us to us his dock to make our winner presentations and take pictures.





FOR MORE PICTURES OF 4<sup>TH</sup> OF JULY BOAT PARADE:

Visit our website: (www.canobielake.org) for more pictures taken by Jay Johnson and Marian Westerberg.

Thanks Jay and Marian!

#### PROCLAMATION: June 20, 2014

On and Around Canobie Lake: Francis J. and Alberta C Baggett DAY (Please enjoy reading this proclamation written by Betty Dunn in honor of the Baggett's 60<sup>th</sup> anniversary.

We know that you will identify with these experiences because we all share the love of living on and around Canobie Lake. )

#### *A PROCLAMATION*

Whereas Frank and Alberta Baggett celebrate their 60<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary on June 20, 2014, and

Whereas Frank and Alberta have spent recent years living on the shore of Canobie Lake, and

Whereas Frank and Alberta have had the joy of seeing sunrises and sunset over Canobie's still waters, and have also watched Canobie's waves and turbulence during storm and wind, and

Whereas Frank and Alberta have listened to the call of the loons outside their window, and the honks of the geese overhead, and

Whereas Frank and Alberta have spent many hours with family and friends cruising Canobie's waters in the "Blest R We", and

Whereas Frank and Alberta have watched the many fishermen work Canobie's waters searching for the biggest bass ever, and in that process, caught many a tiny sunfish, and

Whereas Frank and Alberta have had the delight of listening to the Park's train whistle, and rides going clickety-clack, and people screaming in terror and/or delight as they hurtle around in rides, and

Whereas Frank and Alberta have enjoyed fireworks and ferris-wheel lights in the night skies over and on Canobie Lake, and

Whereas Frank and Alberta have been great neighbors to others along the shore of Canobie Lake,

Therefore, We, the Board of Directors of the Canobie Lake Protective Association

DECLARE
June 20, 2014
On and Around Canobie Lake:

Francis J. And Alberta C. Baggett DAY



Timothy Demers (Seacoast Field Biologist, Loon Preservation Committee (www.loon.org), Loon Center: (603) 476-5666 Cell: (702) 544-2025) visited Canobie Lake on 6/30/14 to check on our loons. Yes, he observed three loons and made these comments: "This rogue loon (the 3<sup>rd</sup> loon) might be affecting the pair there if it's been there a lot, but if they did not want that loon there they would drive it off. As to why some loons nested on time this year while others are so late is anyone's guess. I have seen a couple suitable nesting sites on the lake that might work so it's not as though there isn't anywhere for them to go. I doubt it's human disturbance because I've found loon nests on lakes and ponds where the boat traffic can be downright insulting, but all loons are different. If this pair wants to nest though, they better get to it. The window for allowing enough time for the chicks to grow and prepare for winter is rapidly closing."



### **Boating Safety**

We would like to remind all of our boating families to insure that your boat is registered and equiped with required items and that the driver be certified (for motors over 25 hp). Here are a couple other safety tips: When a boat is under way no one is permitted outside the protective railing on a pontoon boat. All boats, including canoes and kayaks, are required to display navigation lights between sunset and sunrise, and in periods of restricted visibility such as fog or heavy rain. Be aware that the official time is sunset and sunrise, not "when it really gets dark". Children under 6 MUST wear a life jacket at all times. It is strongly recommended that children of all ages wear their life jackets.

--- Please be careful and enjoy your boating on Canobie Lake ---

#### **Pictures of WEEDS Wanted**

The NH Department of Environmental Services encourages lake associations to have a volunteer Weed Watchers program. It's important for early detection of invasive weeds, if any, entering Canobie Lake. Our best chance of preventing spread is to catch it early. Photos and fact sheets regarding invasive species are available here:

des.nh.gov/organization/divisions/water/wmb/exoticspecies/categories/publications.htm

Please contact Bill Schroeder (wesCLPA@myfairpoint.net) if you would like to be trained to become our "weed watcher".

We had an official weed survey done in the fall. Please go to our web site to read the report and see the map of weeds.

If you see weeds that are of concern please take pictures of them and email the pictures to Amy Smagula at <a href="mailto:amy.smagula@des.nh.gov">amy.smagula@des.nh.gov</a> She will identify them for us!

#### Swimming is not allowed (by State Law) in Canobie Lake

Please help protect the quality of our water by practicing a no swim policy and encouraging others to abide by the State law.

Jet Skis are prohibited from use on Canobie Lake

Please help the public be aware of this regulation.



#### Are your trees healthy?

You may need to consult with an arborist. A list of certified arborists can be found on the following website: <a href="http://www.nharborists.org/nhaa-certified-arborists.php">http://www.nharborists.org/nhaa-certified-arborists.php</a>

#### Our Website: www.canobielake.org

You will find; breaking news, newsletters, pictures, maps, and many links to more information and organizations.

We welcome your comments and/or suggestions.



It's the <u>112th</u> 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 are the fireworks. DON'T MISS THEM. The fireworks displays are every Saturday night at 9:30 PM through Labor Day. For details visit: www.Canobie.com

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