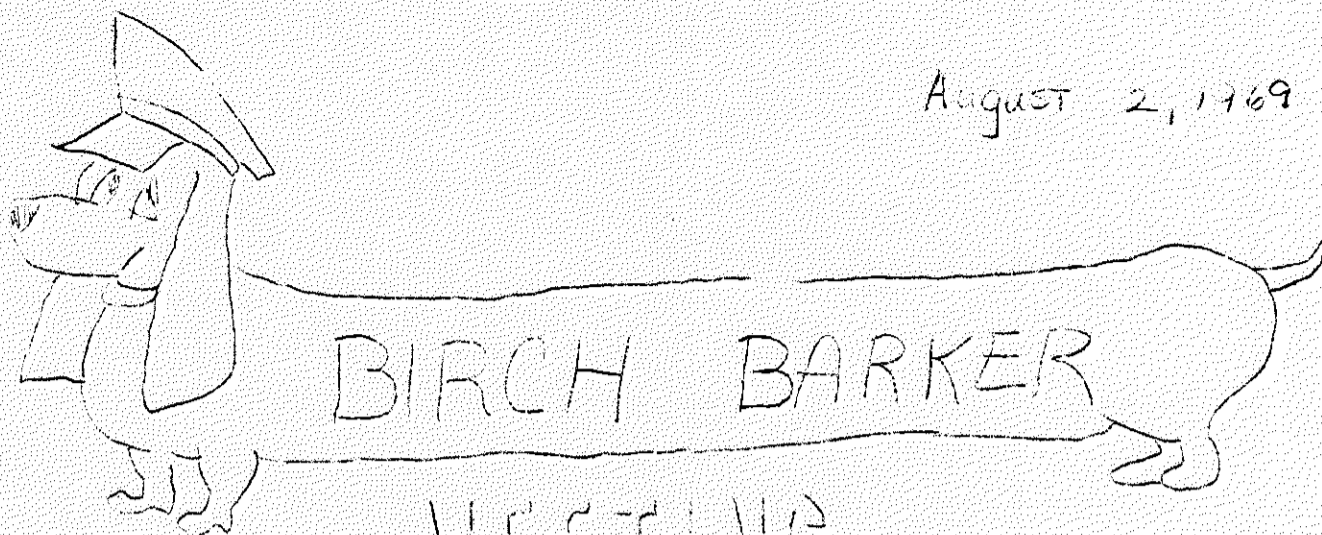


August 2, 1969



MEETING

The meeting was called to order at 4:45 PM by Commodore Cowen. Present were F. Fulmer, L. Myers, M. Eberhart, G. Stout, H. Howard, V. Spratt, R. Cowen, J. Troeger, and C. Decker.

Minutes of the June 14 meeting were read and approved.

The Treasurer's report was read and approved.

M. Eberhart reported for the Health and Safety Committee.

The Michigan Water Resources Commission has been contracted for assistance on the water pollution problem.

The lot to the West side of the clubhouse has been graded and the exhaust fans have been installed.

The annual dinner will be Pot Luck at our Clubhouse, August 17, 1969.

A copy of the By-Lays of the BLYC was requested by R. Cowen.

Discussion was held on the golf outing, successful Junior party, and annual boat parade.

The meeting was adjourned.

Next meeting will be August 23, 1969.

EVENTS

- August 3 Car Wash (1-4 p.m. Indiana Time)
- August 9 Boat Parade (3 p.m. Michigan time)
- Melon Mess (5 p.m. Michigan time)
- Ski Club Dance (6 pm Michigan time)
- August 15 Juniors Party (Ages 7-12) 6 PM Michigan Time)
- August 16 Ski Club Show (3 PM Michigan Time)
- Annual Dinner (5:30 PM Michigan Time)
- August 23 Rummage Sale (8 PM Michigan time)
- Directors Meeting (3 PM Michigan time)

CAR WASH

BRING YOUR CARS TO THE YACHT CLUB BEACH ---- OR ----- SKI CLUB MEMBERS WILL BE GOING DOOR TO DOOR PICKING UP CARS.

HAVE YOUR CARS CLEANED INSIDE AND OUT

Saturday, August 2

Sunday, August 3

\$1.50 per car

1 - 4 Indiana Time

SKI SHOW

Remember to watch the ski show put on the Birch Lake Ski Club before the Annual Dinner on August 16. Don't forget to watch for it at 4:00 PM Indiana Time.

DANCE

There's a dance put on by the ski club, August 9th from 9-12:30 Indiana time. Keep this date open.

ANNUAL DINNER

The Birch Lake Annual Dinner and dance will be held August 16 at the Yacht Club. A pot luck ... everyone welcome.

BRING A MAIN DISH AND A "GOODIE DISH" ACCORDING TO THE SIZE OF YOUR FAMILY.

Come early, dinner time is 6:30 - 8:30. Coffee will be furnished Pop is available. Bring your own table service.

A business meeting will be held at 9:00 with family festivities to follow.

PLAN TO COME AND ENJOY THE FUN!!

RUMMAGE SALE

Come on all you Birch Lakers. Let's dig into the corners and get out your castaways for our annual sale. Contact one of the following women for arrangement of pick-up or delivery on Wednesday, August 20.

Mildred Carpenter #12
 Bev Kruggel #388
 Trudy Claro #376
 Peg Cowen #354

Kitty Heckber #302R
 Shirley VanBuren #303R
 Bertha Myers #159

Sale starts at 9 a.m. (EST) Saturday, August 23. Don't miss this chance to pick up needed items for your cottage.

PLACE: Clubhouse NO CLOTHING THIS YEAR PLEASE!!

SKI CLUB

The Ski Club held its second meeting Sunday the 27th. Partly because of the bad weather, the club lost twenty dollars on their dance last Saturday and projects were discussed to regain this sum. A car wash was planned for Saturday and Sunday the 2nd and 3rd of August at the Yacht Club beach. A hayride on float boats was planned for the first and the date for the ski show was set for August 16. To top that day off, a dance is planned for the Juniors from 9 - 12:30 Indiana time on Augst 9. Committees were set up for these activities. The meeting was closed at 3:15.

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DIAMOND LAKE SNIPE REGATTA

Seven Birch Lake Snipes sailed in last weekends regatta. There were a total of 52 boats from all over the midwest competing for the top honors. Harry Levinson former 3 time National Champion won the regatta. Don Hite a strong contender for the last few years, was second. Gene Lemke, the snipe builder and fine sailor was third. Jeff Troeger from Birch Lake with Kevin Conran crewing was 4th and Bud Leonard of Diamond Lake was fifth. Other boats competing from Birch Lake were skippered by Tom Troeger, BJ Hague, Brian Hague, Tom Athanas, Craig Speck, and Wayne Milne.

JR. SNIPE REGATTA

Jeff Troeger and Kevin Conran have returned from the District III Jr. Snipe Regatta held this year at Peoria, Illinois. The IUY Yacht Club of Peoria is on the Illinois River where it is a very large body of water with barges and yachts all cruising together. As you remember, this regatta was held at Birch Lake last year with 33 boats. This year 25 boats competed with Frank Levinson 1st, Tom Townsend 2nd, and Tim Bingham 3rd, Jeff and Kevin 4th, and Tim Nichols 5th. All except Frank Levinson competed at Birch last year. We had many compliments again this year on our fine lake and we hope that maybe next year the regatta can be held close by so that more Birch Lake Junior Sailors can compete.

Mr. & Mrs. Wade Roberson of Mooresville, Ind. spent four days with the John Balls. We all enjoyed Wades barbecued chicken Sunday, also Dort's blueberry pie.

Bob Axelberg had John Geisler as his weekend guest after playing in the band, "The FIVEWAY" Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Perkins of Haven Hubbard Memorial Home in New Carlisle spent Wednesday with Dr. & Mrs. Lahr.

Mr. & Mrs. H. Weggand of Ft. Wayne were guests of the Joe Cranmers this week.

Mr. & Mrs. Thomas Blair of Aurora Illinois visited the Hillrings from Friday till Sunday.

Sören Johansen of Sweden was a guest of Ona Speck for a few days before his departre from New York City to home.

Mr. & Mrs. Steve Bodza entertained Sister Mary Rosalitta and Miss Mary Gllas both teachers of St. Andrew, the Apostle School in Calumet City Illinois. (Sisters of Mrs. Virginia Bodza)

Jane Cassman, of Lowell, Ind., was the guest of Cindy Gard at cottage 99. Jane enjoyed swimming and looking for shells in good old Birch. She is looking forward to comming back.

Sue Barter and children visita Wednesday at her parents Charlie Purdys.

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SUNFISH

| BOAT | SKIPPER | CREW | RACE WEEKS RACE | TOTAL RACES SAILING | TOTAL POINTS | POSITION AVERAGE | |
|-------|----------------------------------|------|-----------------|---------------------|--------------|------------------|----|
| 130 | Mike Machallock | | DNS | 7 | 98622 | 1393 | 4 |
| 14310 | Tom Troeger | | DNS | 6 | 8897 | 1543 | 1 |
| 14580 | Scott Troeger | | 2 | 9 | 10558 | 1241 | 8 |
| 14768 | Keith Claro | | 5 | 8 | 11440 | 1510 | 2 |
| 14962 | Rick Doolittle, Kurt Kruggle | | 9 | 8 | 9422 | 1258 | 7 |
| 17992 | Harlan | | 7 | 8 | 7559 | 1025 | 13 |
| 20909 | Steve Cowen | | DNF | 9 | 9714 | 1360 | 9 |
| 21381 | Bob King | | 4 | 7 | 6555 | 1106 | 14 |
| 21660 | Hay | | DNS | 6 | 4170 | 755 | 20 |
| 21923 | Bill Carpenter | | DNS | 7 | 9554 | 1435 | 3 |
| 22429 | Green, Knoop | | DNS | 4 | 3070 | 806 | 19 |
| 22898 | Mike Foote | | 6 | 8 | 10282 | 1365 | 5 |
| 24252 | Kevin Kruggel | | 3 | 9 | 11340 | 1350 | 6 |
| 25131 | Stewart Spratt | | DNS | 7 | 6860 | 1050 | 12 |
| 25165 | Charlie Echols | | DNS | 8 | 7116 | 970 | 16 |
| | Dan Axelberg | | DNS | 6 | 5303 | 844 | 17 |
| | Major O'Brien | | DNS | 5 | 4626 | 975 | 15 |
| 25075 | Bill Tunnecliff | | 7 | 9 | 9656 | 1163 | 10 |
| 22922 | Ken Kostanski, Charlie Kostanski | | 8 | 1 | 1089 | 1099 | 11 |
| | Osborne | | DNF | 1 | 900 | 910 | 18 |

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