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ALL THE NEWS IN, ON AND AROUND THE LAKE.

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## COMMODORE'S COMMENTS

Well here we are again, another Monday Morning recap of the weekend, they sure do fly by. The weather was hot and sunny just like we like it.

We have alot of events coming up next week. Don't forget Saturday, July 29th is the Cocktail Party at 5:30 (IN) at the BLYC. It will be given in appreciation of old and new members and to recognize Mike Machalleck for his outstanding performance as Treasurer of the BLYC. Linda Rasmussen is going to fill the new position and we all know she will do a super job as our new Treasurer.

August 1st at 11:30 (IN) is the Ladies Luncheon at the BLYC. This is always a fun event to attend. It will be catered by Bonnie and Clydes, they always do a good job.

Friday, August 4th is the Men's Golf Outing at 11:00am (IN) at Park Shores. Men come on out and join the festivities. Please contact Tim Steffen, Mike Machalleck, Buzz Rasmussen or Al Cover. Well that's it for the activities of this week coming up.

I would also like to express to the John Erwin family that all of our prayers are with them.

Have a great weekend and be safe and courteous.

God Bless.

Linda Curtis  
Commorodre 1995

## 1995 COMING EVENTS

JULY 29	Director's Meeting - 9:00am - BLYC
JULY 29	Cocktail Party - 5:30 - BLYC
JULY 31	Aerobics resume (MWF) - 9:00 - BLYC
AUGUST 1	Ladies Luncheon - 11:30 - BLYC
AUGUST 4	Men's Golf Outing
AUGUST 12	Corn and Sausage Roast - 5:30 - BLYC
AUGUST 26	Fall Dinner - 6:30 - BLYC

NOTICE: THE CASS COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT IS REQUESTING ALL BOATS STAY OFF THE LAKE SATURDAY, THEY ARE PLANNING AN INTENSIVE SEARCH OF THE LAKE.

THE REST OF THE TIME THEY ARE REQUESTING IF YOU MUST BOAT, PLEASE STAY ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF THE LAKE, WELL AWAY FROM THEIR MARKERS. APPARENTLY MARKERS HAVE BEEN DISTURBED BY BOATS/WAVES.

**THE DRINKALL COTTAGE** on the East Side saw lots of excitement as the whole family was up on the 16th of July and thru the week as Tom and Shirley Drinkall celebrated their 40th Wedding Anniversary on July 15th with a surprise party, including family and friends, at the Queen Anne Inn in South Bend with a continuation on the 16th with the family at Birch Lake. Present at the Lake were Mike and Cas (Daughter) Wediler with Sons Brian and Derek of Elkhart, Claude and Pam (Daughter) Alexander of Panama City Beach, Florida and Tim Drinkall (Son) of Vienna, Austria. Everyone had a terrific time and the weather was perfect. It's not often that everyone is here at the sametime which made this extra special. Our family has been at Birch Lake since 1925 when the lot was purchased by Owen Gorsuch. It has been loved and enjoyed for all these years and is now seeing the 5th generation.

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**SAILING NEWS:** Light winds greeted our racing sailors last Sunday and after receiving permission from the Sheriff's Department one race was sailed. Dave Troeger held on to a slight lead in the MC race to finish just ahead of Don Harman, Harold Cranmer and George Iams.

In a very tight Sunfish race that had the lead changing several times between the three boats, Scott Troeger held off Dave Olson and Tom Howard for the win. Great sailing Dave. Now come the hard part. Crossing the finish line first.

Season Standings

Sunfish	Points	MC	Points
1. Tom Howard	1591	1. Harold Cranmer	1603
2. Scott Troeger	1561	2. Dave/Earl Troeger	1533
3. Rick Harman	1470	3. Tom Troeger/George Iams	1516
4. Mike Machalleck	1467	4. Don Harman	1515
5. Dave Olson	1410	5. Dick Green	1382
6. Bob King	1354	6. Bruce Harlan	1327
7. John Gableman	1353	7. Vic Jones	1282

MORE RACING THIS SUNDAY

**FOR SALE** - Viking Deck Boat \$2800 - 277-6996 or 2633

**JUST A REMINDER** - Member appreciation Cocktail Party Saturday, July 29 - 5:30 to 7:30 at the Yackt Club. Meet with your neighbor and friends for cocktails and munchies hosted by your Officers and Directors. See You there.

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As a resident, please inform guests and renters of this rule. Also inform guests and renters of the Michigan laws governing boating.

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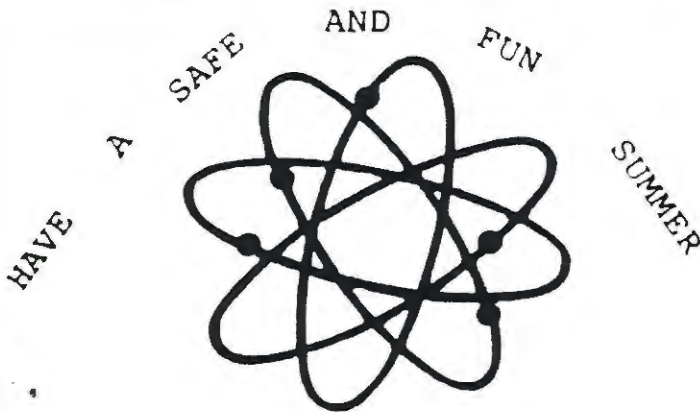
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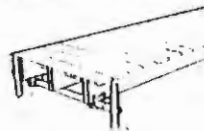
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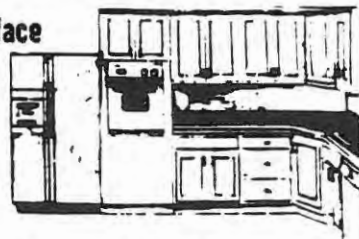
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