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A Message from LJIA President

Welcome to the LJIA Annual Meeting Newsletter

The 1st of July is the start of the LJIA new year. You can mail or bring your membership dues to the LJIA annual meeting. Your donations are vital for improvement of the health of Lake Jennie.

I'm looking for a resident or residents who would be interested in writing a column in our newsletter on happenings at the lake, any history of Lake Jennie, or other items of interest..

Please send email addresses to: lakejennieimprovement@gmail.com.

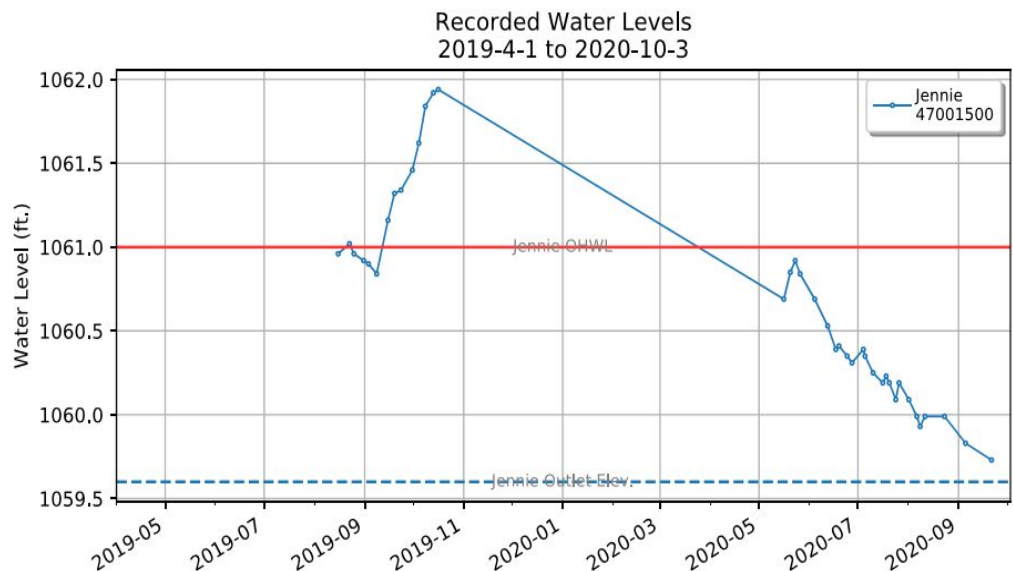
Randy Newman LJIA President

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Lake Jennie Annual Meeting

The Lake Jennie annual meeting is the end of the LJIA 2020– 2021 business year and start of 2021– 2022 business year. **Our calendar year runs July 1st to June 30th.** LJIA will be accepting new and renewal memberships and any donation over \$50 is much appreciated. At the annual meeting there will be election of board of directors with new directors welcome.

Lake Jennie Water Level Chart Supplied By Ryan Lovald



**Jim and Karen Meyer invite you to the
Lake Jennie Improvement Association Annual Meeting**

Saturday June 26, 2021

2-4 PM

71568 CSAH 18, Dassel

Bring your own beverage

Business meeting 2 PM

Guest speaker Dan McEwen Limnopro

Raffles, games of chance

Bring your family and friends



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TIPS FOR LAKEFRONT HOMEOWNERS

Clean lakes need healthy lakeshores and healthy lakeshores need you!

1. Wash your car or truck on the grass rather than the driveway to help filter containments. Use a small amount of no-phosphate detergent
2. Mow lawn tall, ideal height for healthy grass is 2.5-3 inches to filter run off and fertilize less to keep out pollutants.
3. Use zero-phosphorus fertilizer and any fertilizer spilled on sidewalks or roads should be immediately cleaned up by sweeping and removal. Do not let fertilizer wash into gutters or lawns.
4. Water your lawn (<1") after fertilizing, but do not allow water to run off into street or lakes.
5. Never apply fertilizer to frozen ground.
6. When mowing lawns do not direct clippings into the street, sidewalk, or lake.
7. Grass clippings, leaves, and other plant debris should be removed as soon as possible from street gutters, sidewalks, and driveways.
8. Grass clippings can be an effective way of recycling nutrients. Leaving clippings on the lawn provides nutrients for your lawn and greatly reduces the need for additional fertilizers.
9. For lakeshore owners, landscaping practices that force runoff to filter through the soil before entering the lake are suggested:
 - a. Leave a "buffer zone"- a strip of unmanaged grasses or natural vegetation to grow around the shoreline. This vegetation will help prevent soil erosion from the shore land and will also remove and retain some of the nutrients that would otherwise enter the lake.
 - b. Construct and maintain a modified berm along the shoreline. This is best described as a slight hump in the ground that runs near parallel to the shoreline. This rise in the ground will serve as an obstacle to the rapid and direct nutrient-rich runoff into the lake.
10. Remove pet waste regularly from your lawn. Pet waste should be disposed of with your garbage. Pet waste contains nutrients and pathogens that can contaminate surface water.
12. Direct rain gutters to lawn to soak in versus hard surfaces like driveways and sidewalks to reduce runoff.
13. Make sure your septic system is in compliance to prevent ground seepage into lake.
14. Use no- or low-phosphorus detergents and use soaps and other cleaning agents carefully-never allow them to wash into a lake, stream or wetland.

New Residents on Lake Jennie 2020 & 2021



Lee & Kerri Hoff with Grant & Briggs. New to Woodfield Addition. They are busy remodeling cabin.



Jim & Jan Stockman. New to Woodridge Beach Addition. Moved from Waverly and are busy landscaping.



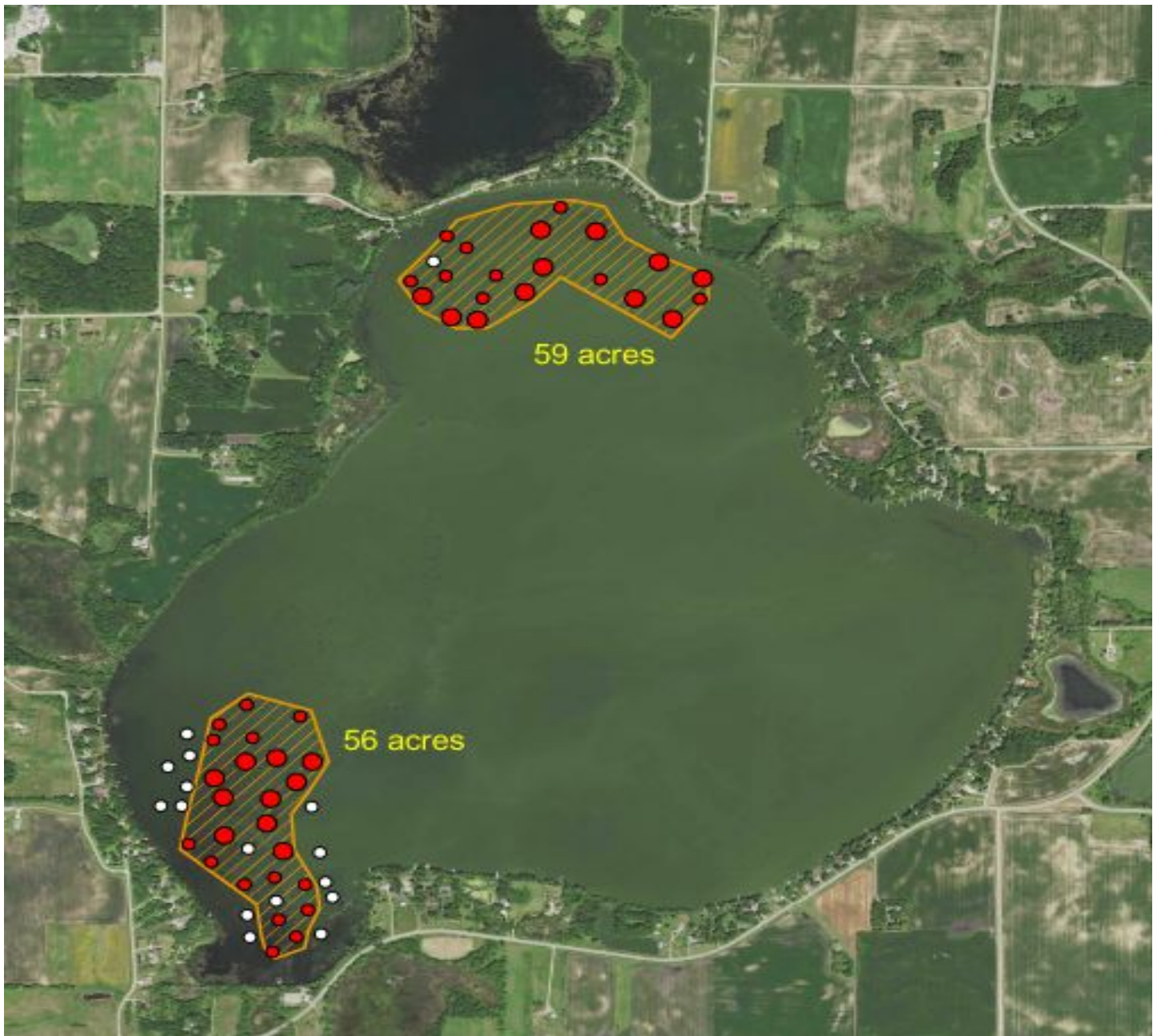
Noe and Julie Arteaga. Children not pictured Jack & Gus. New to Handa Addition. They are really enjoying the beautiful sunsets. The neighbors have been very welcoming.



Mike and Brenda Kotila. New to Woodridge Beach Addition. After over 20 years on the south side of the lake, Mike and Brenda recently moved and are now enjoying Lake Jennie from the north side at 71327 183rd Street.

2021 Curly-Leaf Pondweed Treatment Areas

LJIA looked into using Diquat Aquatic Herbicide instead of Aquathol for the 2021 lake treatment season. Since we have been getting Walleye yearlings instead of fry for stocking purposes we could use the low cost Diquat. The savings resulted in treating 115 acres instead of 25 acres. The red dots are active Curly-Leaf Pondweed. White dots no Curly-Leaf Pondweed



4th of July Boat Parade

Boat Parade will on Saturday, July 3rd at 2 PM with backup date Sunday, July 4th. Prizes will be awarded for: Best Patriotic Boat, Most Original Dock, and Most Original Boat. LJIA would like everyone to participate in the boat parade even if you do not decorate your boat. The starting point for the parade will be at the South boat access. Randy Nass is in charge and will he will lead parade.

Membership Goal 90% for July 2021 – June 2022

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The suggested donation for annual dues is \$50. Other suggested donation packages include:

- \$50
- \$100
- \$500

Authorize e-mail for LJIA purposes. E-mail will not be for other purposes.

We are a 501c3, your contribution MAY be tax deductible.

You can pay online with PayPal at Lakejennie.com or Mail membership donation. Dues run from July 1st to June 30th.



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