## Murray Lake Association

News from your president and secretary



from the desk of MLA President Cindy Covell and Secretary Dawn Emelander



Hi Everyone ~

Memorial Day Weekend is here and with warm weather temperatures ahead, the lake waters should warm up quickly. My hope is that I will be back to my daily swimming in the lake rather than at the gym pool. I am looking forward to the time on the lake for summer 2023 and I am sure that all Murray Lake residents feel the same way. It will be a busy weekend on the lake so let's all practice safety with whatever you choose to do for recreation and sports.



Membership Drive: During the month of June, the Murray Lake Association will be in full swing for the annual membership drive. Dues collection allows the association to donate towards events such as Don Dilly's fireworks, ice cream trucks, summer festival (annual picnic), Canfield Christmas Light Contest and goose removal. Being a member allows you to participate in all of the mentioned events and your support builds the lake community and brings out the best in all of us. I encourage all of you to pay your

dues during the June Membership Drive. The strength of our lake events depends on the support of all. Please submit dues payment to Murray Lake Association, c/o Lori Lincolnhol at 4205 Causeway, Lowell, MI. As an alternative to payment by cash or check, we are also accepting dues payments through PayPal. Please direct the payment to MLATreasurer4205@gmail.com and include your name and lake address in the comments. If using this alternative, we ask that you include an additional \$2 to cover the service fee if choosing to pay as good or services (total of \$27 remitted instead of \$25). Lowell, MI. You may also pay securely online using your credit or debit card via our website <a href="www.murraylakeassociation.com">www.murraylakeassociation.com</a>. Click on MORE in the upper right hand corner and follow the instructions.

- July 4th events Don Dilly Fireworks July 3, Kids' Parade and Ice Cream Trucks July 4.
- Summer Festival: Poker Run and Annual Picnic – July 22.
- Winter Festival: Chili Cook-off Event February 2024.



If you are interested in ordering merchandise and missed it the first time around, we have reopened the ordering process. T-Shirts as well as long sleeve shirts and sweatshirts are available. We order in bulk and when we

have enough orders to process we will notify you. We would like to process orders by June 20. Please visit our website at <a href="https://www.murraylakeassociation.com">www.murraylakeassociation.com</a>

s to the family of Richard

Our condolences to the family of Richard Wierckz, his wife, Sharon of 66 years; children, Pam and Tim VanDusen (also Murray Lake residents), Sue and Kevin Wagner, Rick Wierckz, and Laura and Deric Lembree. Richard has been a long time resident of Murray Lake.



Has your Trash Pick Up Increased?: Herrington's Waste Service is willing to give Murray Lake Residents a discount!

There is no senior discount and no discount if you pay for the year but if we can get 150 people to convert (we are accumulating people fast) we can get the price to \$15 per month. People starting now would be charged \$19 per month until we reached the goal of 150 people.

There is a Kent County surcharge. Last year it was \$1.68 they have no control over the added expense. Call 616-874-9115 if you are