# HANCOCK LAKE ASSOCIATION MINUTES OF ANNUAL MEETING JUNE 13<sup>TH</sup>, 2009

The Annual Meeting of the Hancock Lake Association, Inc. was called to order by President, Dick Statton at 9:00 A.M. on June 13, 2009 at the Woodboro Town Hall. Officers present were Dick Statton, George Beltz, Bill Tischendorf, Gene Klawikowski, Pat Thostenson, Lou Mezei and Mike Powers.

The secretary read the minutes of the last meeting and the minutes were approved. He also reported that we now have 51 paid members. The treasure reported that we have \$2098.89 in our bank account.

#### **Old Business**

After the Dam inspection the town of Woodboro was to prepare a maintenance plan. Dick, Gene, and Bill went to a town meeting and volunteered to work with the DNR and create a maintenance plan and deliver it to the town board. We plan to follow up with the town board to insure it budgets some money for future maintenance.

#### **New Business**

Bill reported that the weed harvesting near the boat landing was successful, but there still are many invasive weeds there. He will again be harvesting them on some Saturday mornings. If anyone is interested in helping please contact Bill at 715-282-5843. He volunteered to train anyone interested in identifying and removing the weeds. Bill stated that the weeds by the dam seem to be controlled. But please watch for any other groups and report them to Bill. It was also noted that Oneida County has passed a law making it illegal to transport any weeds on a boat or trailer.

Mike Powers reported on the fisheries committee. Because of the new VHS disease discovered in Wisconsin, the cost of fish stocking is very expensive. Instead the committee would like to concentrate on improving habit by creating shore structure or the possibility of putting some fish cribs in the lake. They would like to start by working with the

DNR and put in two cribs this winter near the deep hole (15 to 21 feet deep).

### **New Business**

It was noted that after collecting the invasive weeds the boat is in real stinking mess. After some discussion a motion was made and seconded to buy an old pontoon boat and outfit it for harvesting the weeds. It was unanimously approved.

The nominations were made for treasurer, secretary, and 2 directors.

Mike Powers- treasurer

Gene Klawikowski-Secretary

Lou Mezei-Director.

Pat Thostenson-Director

Dolly Meeuwsen-Director

A motion was made, seconded and passed to adjourn the meeting. Gene Klawikowski Secretary

## Notes about the picnic

Fantastic weather, great food, prizes, and fellowship with about 45 people attending. Door prizes (picnic bench) won by Ken Kocher, (Hancock Lake painting on birch) won by Joann Skridla. Air plane ride drawing won by Margaret Rothlisberger. Guided fishing trip won by Ken Kocher.

Vote for the 2009 nominated officers of the Hancock Lake Association.
Treasurer Mike Powers yes no write in
Secretary Gene Klawikowski Yes no write in
Directors (vote for only two)
- Lou Mezei yes no write in
- Pat Thostenson yes no write in
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