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WHERE DOES THE MONEY GO?



PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE:

I hope everyone enjoyed the summer, and took full advantage of all that our beautiful, healthy lake and beaches have to offer. Did anyone notice the new toys at Carrara's Beach? Moving right along, I would like to address the following:

- 1. Final LPID budget meeting** which will be held on Saturday September 12th 9:00 a.m. at town hall. It was encouraging to note that out of a community of almost 1,000 families, only 5 LPID residents attended the preliminary meeting, indicating that district property owners are obviously completely satisfied with how their tax dollars are being spent. I always attend these meetings for 2 very good reasons; #1. because I am a proud tax paying resident of Lake Peekskill, exercising my rights by being actively involved the decision making process that will directly affect my quality of life, and #2. I am President of your Lake Peekskill Civic Association.
- 2. The Lake Peekskill sign** on the corner of Morrissey Drive and Oscawana Lake Rd. will be replaced using funds allocated last year.
- 3. Vet's Monument.** I have sent Congressman John Hall's office estimates for restoration. He will seek grant money for this.
- 4. Fishing Off Lake Peekskill Bridge:** Fol-

lowing up on numerous complaints received about non L.P.I.D. residents fishing off our bridge. Next week I will be meeting with a representative from the DEC.

- 5. Lake report.** On August 19th our lake management consultant, Mr. Fred Lubnow of Princeton Hydro, spent 3 hours taking samples, including snails, and surveying the general condition of the lake. He will report his findings to me shortly. He recommends installation of an aerator system at Carraras beach. We already have half the necessary funds from last year's budget. Repairs to the hypolimnetic withdrawal system will happen soon. Mr. Lubnow will advise me on DEC permits. On the upside, his comments were that lake oxygen levels are fine, good clarity of 7mm, very little weeds and no need for more grass carp.
- 6. Currant lake testing** through CSLAP (CITIZENS STATEWIDE LAKE ASSESSMENT PROGRAM) and the NYDOH will continue through October. Kudos to volunteers Tony Campanini, Mark Wisniewski, and Patrick Gillease, for an exemplary job.
- 7. BULK PICK UP**— Route 1 - Monday September 14th and Route 2 - September 21st. Items put out after these dates **WILL NOT BE COLLECTED**; there will be only **ONE PICK UP PER HOUSEHOLD**. Allowable discards

include household items only. Articles not for pick up include TVs, computer monitors, building materials and automotive parts. These may be taken to the bulk drop off center at Town Hall on Saturday September 19th and Saturday October 17th. Between 9:00 and 11:45 a.m. Refrigerators, freezers, and air conditioners will not be picked up unless a \$25.00 fee to remove refrigerant is paid in advance to Town Hall. Please refer to your "2009 Garbage Schedule" for more detailed information, or call district clerk Judy Travis at 526-2160.

- 8. Leaf pick up:** Leaves placed curbside in biodegradable bags **ONLY**, will be collected October 1st through November 30th. Please remember that leaves, branches, lawn debris etc., thrown into the lake introduce harmful, destructive nutrients.
- 9. Primary day September 15.** LPID residents will now be voting at the Senior Center at the Town Park on Oscawana Lake Rd., not at the elementary school.
- 10. ELECTIONS:** The county will now use the new voting machines. Demonstrations will be available at Town Hall at 2:00 and 4:00 pm on September 30th. Or, seven minute video is also on the Putnam Valley website.

Ted Muniak, President



SUPERVISOR'S MESSAGE:

Well, Summer has come and gone. It starts with the kids getting off the school bus for the last day of the school year (but, really, it starts with Senior prom...)

Preparing for summer is similar to preparing for the new school year—only completely different: bathing suits, suntan lotion, loose fitting clothes, sunglasses, flip flops and sandals; the baseball glove and ball come out, too, as does that really nice Frisbee you bought last year... where did you put it?

Then July 4 rolls around and you realize summer has imposingly and most definitely taken over. This summer was a bit different in that there was a lot of rain and relatively cool weather; but the rest was the same: barbecues and get-togethers with friends and family; perhaps a vacation (mine was mostly rained out, but it was still fun); the sound of lawn mowers and the smell of freshly cut grass; robins waking up the world in the morning and the insects loudly talking to each other at night; toads singing loudly from an unnoticed nest; the wind swaying the leaves in the tall trees, skunks getting in the garbage—and the family dog getting skunked (it's worse when it's a cat, believe me). A few stubborn old red eyed box turtles—steadfastly and honorably refusing to give ground to development—occasionally crossing the lawn. Craning our necks at night to watch a satellite move across the sky—it's always exciting ("a satellite!"). Lightning storms; fishing with your children—or yourself—and the wonderful contemplation it can bring—until that rod bends way down and quite suddenly you are no longer fishing, you are *catching* a fish.

Breaking a good sweat during a jog in the woods; taking the time to watch an entire baseball game and really getting involved in the rhythms of the sport; watching the less experienced baseball teams will during the arduous march through August. Large breakfasts on days off and a feeling of bounty in this wonderful country of ours.

What's this? Ads for school supplies? Labor Day Weekend? School Buses? No—it's too soon. I don't want to go. I don't want to. Just a little bit more, please. Just one more week of summer—please... No?

Well, that's okay, the fall is gorgeous, too. And Halloween brings out the kids and Thanks- giving brings out the family. As kids today are fond of saying: *It's all good.*

Don't be a stranger, my door is always open. School is also open, so please drive carefully!

Bob Tandy, Putnam Valley Town Supervisor

• DATES TO REMEMBER •

- 9/12-Sat. **Final LPID Budget Meeting**— 9:00a.m. @ Town Hall
- 9/13-Sun. **Happy Grandparents Day!** - All Day @ United States of America
- 9/14-Mon. LPCA Regular Monthly Meeting - 8:00 pm @ LP Community Center
- 9/14-Mon. Bulk Pick Up; L.P.I.D. Route 1
- 9/15-Tue. Primary Day @ P.V. Town Park Senior Center for LPID residents
- 9/16-Wed. Town Board Regular Monthly Meeting; 7:00pm @ P.V. Town Hall
- 9/19-Sat. **★Rosh Hashanah★** Blessings, Joy, & Peace to All
- 9/19-Sat. Bulk Drop Off 9:00 to 11:45 a.m. @ Town Hall
- 9/21-Mon. Bulk Pick Up; L.P.I.D. Route 2
- 9/22-Tue. AUTUMN EQUINOX
- 9/28-Mon. **★ Yom Kippur**
- 9/30-Wed. New Voting Machine Demo & Instructions; 2:- 4:00pm @ Town Hall
- 10/3-Sat. **★ Sukkot**
- 10/4-Sun. P.V. Lions Club Community Festival; 1:- 6:00p.m. @ P.V. Town Park
- 10/12-Mon. Happy Columbus Day "Buona Festa A Tutti"

The Putnam Valley Lions Club will be hosting a COMMUNITY FESTIVAL fundraiser on Sunday Oct. 4th (rain or shine) from 1: to 6:pm At Town Park, with live music, food, games & fun for all.



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