



Lake Nottely Improvement Association, Inc.

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August 2008 Newsletter

PLAN TO ATTEND THE ANNUAL ISLAND PICNIC

Our Annual Picnic is scheduled for Saturday, August 16 at 3:00 PM on the island near Poteete Park. This is a time when we all get together for fun, food, and fellowship. We are planning activities that will test your wits against one another with prizes for the winners. Barbecued pork and chicken will be furnished by the Association, as well as drinks. Each family needs to bring chairs and a favorite covered dish. We have the Pavilion at Poteete Park reserved in the event of rain. If you aren't coming by boat and need transportation to the island, make arrangements ahead of time by calling A.G. Sherman at 706-745-1087. You can park at the Pavilion and someone can meet you. Monroe Tuttle (770-634-4336) can be reached on the island after 3 PM. This has always been a highlight of our year so please come join the fun!!

!!!!2008 Membership Dues!!!!

Check your mailing label to see if your dues are current. If not, please remit them to the **Lake Nottely Improvement Association, Inc. (LNIA); P.O. Box 2033; Blairsville, Georgia 30514**. Your membership and dues are critical to the LNIA since we rely 100% on them to help care for Lake Nottely and its surroundings. Many of our members have paid 2-3 years ahead, so let's keep up the pace and get your checks for \$15/year mailed right away. You are encouraged to solicit new members, both family and corporate sponsors, when the opportunity presents itself. The membership form is available on the website. If you have any questions, suggestions or concerns, please email us at membership@lakenottely.org.

Adopt-a-Highway Clean-Up

Monroe Tuttle's highway helpers (seven total) met at the Nottely Dam picnic area on July 19th for the scheduled road clean-up. They divided into two groups, with one group cleaning from mile marker 9 to marker 8 and the other group cleaned up from marker 9 to marker 10. Prior to this date, LNIA has covered only one mile, but with some extra help, we were able to cover two miles. After finishing the roadside, they met at the TVA Boat Landing and cleaned up there and at the two TVA Picnic Areas.

There was enough debris gathered to fill 28 trash bags. It was a productive and beautiful day with some good companionship as an added bonus. Thanks, Monroe.

MORE "VOLUNTEERISM"

Lake Nottely Improvement Association not only works to enhance the lake and its surroundings, but also gets involved in community events. We had many volunteers at the Blairsville Scottish Festival manning the Souvenir Tent. On Saturday, June 14th, our volunteers included Jan Boland, Glen Boland, Pat Baldwin, Sue Boris, Barry Varian, Lynn Varian, Lamar Franklin, and Monroe Tuttle. On Sunday, there was Miriam Sherman, A.G. Sherman, Denver Gammons, Mike Mekas, Gene Hodgson, and Artie Hodgson. Many thanks to all who volunteered their time and to A.G. Sherman for making sure there were enough people to cover the station.

There was another group of volunteers we want to thank for assisting the DNR in assembling fish attractors to be placed in Lake Nottely. Gathering on June 24th for this activity included A.G. Sherman, Jim Couch, Henry Dominick, Denver Gammons, Carolyn Veazey, and Bill Pave. We continue to be a strong and productive organization, so don't be afraid to join in at any time.

Corporate Sponsors

Please support them whenever possible!

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2008 LNIA Calendar

Listed below are the planned events for this calendar year for all LNIA members. Perspective members are also encouraged to take advantage of any of these events to join the LNIA. **Please check the website for updates.**

August

16th – 3:00 Island Picnic

September

6th – 10:00 State Road 325 clean-up

13th – 9:00 Lake Shore clean-up

October

15th – 7:00 Fall Educational Meeting – Brackett Room

Tentative plans for political forum

November

8th – 10:00 State Road 325 clean-up

Annual Meet and Greet

We had the biggest turn-out ever at the LNIA annual meeting and picnic. The main order of business was election of officers to complete the vacancies on the board. Following the business meeting, we all enjoyed fine food and fellowship. Thanks to Monroe and Polly Tuttle and Sue Boris for cooking all the hamburgers and hotdogs. The new line-up of board members is listed with telephone numbers in case you should ever need to contact any of them.

President – Jan Boland	706-745-2798
1 st VP – A.G. Sherman	706-745-1087
2 nd VP – Denver Gammons	706-745-9473
Secretary – Diane Dominick	706-835-2497
Treasurer – Barry Varian	706-745-8298
Membership Sec – Glen Boland	706-745-2798
Newsletter Editor – Sue Boris	706-835-3005
Publicity – Lynn Varian	706-745-8298

Board Members

Monroe Tuttle	770-634-4336
Harvey Cohen	706-745-7109
Debra Folmer	706-835-5926
Mike Mekas	706-781-3099
Henry Dominick	706-835-2497
Don Breslin (honorary)	706-745-5879
Charles Krick (ex-officio)	706-781-6793
Mitch Griggs (consulting)	UCDA
Lyndon Sidelinger (Webmaster)	LNIA Website

Coming Attractions

Get in gear to help with the next clean-ups scheduled for September. The road crew meets at the TVA picnic bench and the Lake clean-up meets at Poteete Park with doughnuts and coffee before and lunch after.

Tentative plans are in the works for the **FALL EDUCATION** meeting. We are hoping to have a town meeting format to offer each political candidate an opportunity to speak briefly to our organization and to members of the community interested in attending.

Visit us on the Web (www.lakenottely.org)

Stay informed! For current information on Lake Nottely, lake levels, LNIA Events, Membership Information, Events Calendar, email links and much more, visit our website!

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We continue to need volunteers for clean-ups and to help at picnic time. If you are available and willing to help in any way, please call Monroe Tuttle at 770-634-4336 for clean-up or Jan Boland at 706-745-2798 or email boland4768@alltel.net for other volunteer work

Newsletter – Sue Boris, Editor

If you have any suggestions, requests or comments for the LNIA Newsletter, please submit them via email to me at newsletter@lakenottely.org.