# GIFFORD LAKE GAZETTE

June 1997 Newsletter

It is hard to believe that another year has passed and that spring has finally reached us, I hope you all have a safe, wonderful summer here at Gifford Lake or where ever your travels take you.

The Trustees Meeting was held on May 31, 1997 at the Couturier's. Highlights of the meeting were;

- 1) Gypsy Moths No problem at this time
- 2) Septic Tanks Pump tanks every 2-4 years.
- 3) Barking Dogs STILL A PROBLEM
- 4) Brush piles in lake Maintain current ones, add no new ones.
- 5) Fish Approximately 265 trout were planted in mid May, along with flat head minnows.

Our picnic committee this year is Frank & Gerry Woronko and Jim Marton and family. Remember to give them all a big Thank You for all their hard work.

The ANNUAL PICNIC will be held on July 5, 1997 at 2:00 PM at Frank and Gerry Woronko's. Rain day is July 6, 1997, Sunday, same time and place. Please bring a passing dish for your family and guests, along with table service and chairs.

REMINDER \_\_\_\_\_your 1997 Association dues of \$15.00 per cabin may be paid to Ginger Frick, Rt.1, Box 1412, Baldwin, MI 49304 now or at the Annual Picnic.

HELP!!!!!!! I am still trying to update our mailing list and lake directory. Would you please fill out and return the stamped, addressed card to me ASAP. Thanks!!!

Hope to see you all at the picnic this year.

Sincerely,

Terry Couturier



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## **FALL 1997 NEWSLETTER**

Well here it is another summer come and gone, and fall is almost gone as well. Sorry about the delay in getting out the Newsletter.

The Annual Picnic in July was held at Woronko/Przybysz/Welscott beaches, and we had a good turnout. Once again the food was great and the chicken was prepared by Star Lake Inn. The picnic committee (Jim Marton and family and Frank and Gerry Woronko) did a fine job. Next year the Martons will be joined by Jim and Mary Hefferan on the picnic committee as the Woronko's leave. Thanks for the good work.

We have new officers this year as Dave Coultier and his wife's term has ended. The new President is Mary Ann Cieszkowski and the Secretary is her husband Jerry. The new Trustees are Pete Charnley/Brian Cast and Larry Doorn as Jack Lents and Jack Stegmier leave.

### FALL TRUSTEES MEETING

#### Old Business

- 1. Outstanding dues...Please mail your \$15.00 to Ginger Frick, RR#1. Baldwin, Mi 49304.
- 2. 911 Addresses were obtained and recorded along with Lake Plots of owners. A rough draft of the Lake Directory with Home Addresses and Lake address has been completed. Please inform either Mary Ann or Jerry Cieszkowski if there are any corrections to be made. Send these corrections in before Memorial Day weekend. The final Directory will be available at the 1998 Annual Picnic.
- 3. Dog problem, dogs running around without a leash, please try to be more considerate of others on the lake.

#### **New Business**

- 1. There is a NEW feature in the Gazette, a Want Ad section which will appear at the end of the Newsletter.
- 2. Anyone interested in the Aerial picture of Gifford Lake contact Jack Lents.
- 3. Keep in mind to clean out your Septic System every couple of years.
- 4. The Rainbow Trout that were planted seemed to be a real hit. Direct any suggestions to the Fish Committee (Bob Stegmier and Larry Doorn).
- 4. Reminder to ALL---State fishing Rules and Regulations do apply to Gifford Lake

## WANT ADS

Bob Redd has a sailboat For Sale.

1974 Sunfish with sails and mast rudder and center board for \$275.00 Call Bob Redd @ 616-676-1583 or write P.O. Box 256 Ada, Mi 49301

Bob Galovich is selling his House

2000 sqft. Log sided, 3 Bedroom, Loft, 1 1/2 bath, Great Room, Basement, Heated Garage, 8 Acres, 100 ft Lake Front, Appliances, Jacuzzi, Satellite. \$249,000. Call Bob & Mary Alice Galovich @ 616-898-3182

### **GIFFORD LAKE ASSOCIATION OFFICERS:**

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Mary Ann (Peaches) Cieszkowski

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Bob Redd

Picnic Com.

Jim and Cheryl Marton / Jim and Mary Heffaran

Fish Com

Bob Stegmier and Larry Doorn

Until next season have a nice Holiday season and a good and safe winter. See ya in the Spring Jerry Cieszkowski