



KLA 2021

- **KLA Membership Fees due January 15th, 2021**
Pay by **Interac or cheque**

Events

(COVID-19 dependent):

- **KLA AGM**
Saturday July 10th
Doors Open at 9:00 am
Program - 9:30-11:30 am
Northbrook Lions Hall
Free Barbecue to follow!
- **Annual Fall Dinner & Charity Auction**
September 18th, 6:00 pm
Fernleigh Lodge
Tickets on sale at the AGM!

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Gypsy Moths

There have been a lot of discussions and emails about Gypsy Moths and the benefits or not of organizing to aerially spray next year. The Kashwakamak Lake Association (KLA) believes that every property owner needs to make an individual choice as how best to proceed.

To assist you in this process here is a collation of some resources to help you make the best decision for your property.

1. The Federation of Ontario Cottage Association (FOCA)

We emailed all KLA members to let them know that as part of their KLA membership they also had access to FOCA's **July 30th on-line seminar, *Understanding the Gypsy Moth***. It was an overview about invasive gypsy moth: its life cycle, preferred habitats, forest implications of infestation, and treatment considerations. Here's a link to the **Q&A** document that summarizes the session: <https://foca.on.ca/wp-content/uploads/2017/04/QandA-Gypsy-Moth-FINAL-August2020.pdf>

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President's Corner - Gordon Hunter

Happy Fall everyone. The leaves are quickly changing and beginning to disappear from our landscape. Many docks are out and most boats have left the water for cozy winter hibernation. Just a reminder to throw a rope onto lighter watercraft left near the lake as water levels change.

Meetings

With COVID still active we scuppered plans for the 2020 AGM and formal in-person board meetings. The KLA board has continued to operate in the background. We held our meetings using the Zoom platform, email and phone to deal with situations as they arise. We continue to stay on top of NF council activities and look at things that can impact our membership. If you have any concerns or things you want us to look into, please forward your thoughts to me or one of the board members. We will see how the winter goes and decide in early 2021 if it is safe and wise to get face-to-face meetings back on schedule.

Gypsy Moths

The Gypsy Moth spray/no-spray situation remains somewhat divisive and the board has decided our best role is to act as a conduit for information to the membership as

best we can. There is plenty of information available in this newsletter, on our website, in discussions on our Facebook Group page and on the internet.

Rental Properties

There appears to be an increased number of cottages that are being used for rental income. This puts new pressure on the lake. Where cottages were being used in the past by the property owners and families, some have converted to income properties. For a neighbour who is in close proximity it can be a bother. Imagine having a constant change over of renters next door, all wanting to maximize their time on the lake? Perhaps rental owners could develop a list of etiquette that they could share with their clients, including proper disposal of garbage and recycling protocols. Encourage them to frequent local businesses and tourism features of our area. If they are reminded when they check-in, it might help all lake users enjoy a better experience.

Helping our Community

During this unprecedented time there is a considerable need for people less fortunate. The local food bank is no exception. Volunteers work tirelessly to help feed

needy families and can always use our support. If you have a little extra to share throughout the winter please consider a monetary donation (tax receipt available) to the food bank. The local Land O' Lakes Lions club (Northbrook) is loving your empty liquor and beer containers that you're dropping off at the dumps. They take away the hassle of dealing with them and put the hard-earned revenue towards the club's charitable work.

Keeping in touch

Let us hope our US based cottagers will be able to get back to their cottages in 2021. What a feeling that must be for them not being able to visit Kash. The social media KLA Facebook page has seen a large increase in users and activity. Special shout out to Sue MacGregor for all of her efforts in monitoring and keeping it a pleasure for everyone and welcome to Julie McShane, our newest volunteer who is helping her in this task.

I sincerely wish for you all to have a safe and healthy winter and look forward to welcoming you back to the lake in the spring.

Gordon Hunter

president@Kashwakamak.ca

Membership Report - Don Cory

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Fall of 2020 is here and the cottage season winds down except for the few who keep coming or live here in the winter. It was a different season this year as COVID-19 has gripped the world. Every time I went for a boat ride down the lake it was sad to see the cottages of our American friends closed and boarded up for an entire season. I hope that by the spring of next year we will be safely welcoming back everyone to the lake.

New members

We had quite a few new people sign up as regular members (property owners) this year, including a couple of new associate members. We currently stand at a total membership of **355**. If you meet someone new on the lake, please have them email me, membership@kashwakamak.ca and I will get them signed up as a member. Each new member is mailed our "New Member Pack-

age" which includes our Lake Sustainability Plan and other important information.

The KLA has two types of memberships available, each for only \$15/year:

- ◇ **Regular Members**
Every 911 address is entitled to one membership with voting privileges.
- ◇ **Associate Memberships**
Associate memberships have all the benefits of a regular membership but do not get voting privileges. This type of membership is great for properties where several families/generations use the same property. Also, this type of membership is also good for people who stay at one of the trailer parks or who return to one of the lodges every year. Associate membership is a great way to support the association, our lake community

and stay in touch with issues affecting the lake.



Let us know if you changed your email or mailing address!

Those that read the newsletter every year will know that I end with the same thought in every fall newsletter. The lake is a beautiful place to be in the winter. The snow, the ice on the lake and of course the scenery makes it a spectacular place. I agree it is a lot more work to be there in the winter but well worth the effort. So, come and enjoy a skate on the lake, a ski or just sit by the fire. You will not regret it.

Cheers,

Don Cory

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Treasurer's Report - Judy McIntyre

To say it was a different summer would be an understatement. The challenges we, your KLA board, and all cottagers faced was intense at times, but here we are in the fall and another season has passed. To our American cottagers who were unable to come north this summer, we missed you! It was great to see/hear from many of you on our Facebook page!

e-transfers

Thank you to everyone who chooses to pay their dues through e-transfer. Not surprisingly, e-transfer payments increased this year which I would assume is a result of COVID-19 and people moving to contactless payments. I am hopeful this will carry on in the future, as it is a huge timesaver!

Outstanding dues

Our membership collections are right in line with last year and

there are only a handful of members who owe their 2020 membership dues. If you are unsure of your account status please contact treasurer@kashwakamak.ca and I will be happy to let you know your current status. 2021 membership due invoices will be emailed in early January and as always, we appreciate your prompt payments.

Road Association Members

Just a reminder that cottagers who are members of the South Shore Road Association, Silver Mine Road Association and the Kashwakamak Cottage Association pay their KLA dues through their road associations and not directly to the KLA. As such, these members **won't be** receiving an email in January about membership dues.

Bank balance

Our bank balance at October 20 is roughly \$6,400. Included in that is approximately \$1,500 that's on reserve for lake sustainability projects. As well, we have received some membership dues for future years in the amount of \$630. As in the past, the Board of Directors has agreed to continue to maintain a \$2,000 balance minimum in the account.

Fundraising Volunteer Opportunity – Advertising

While it is not part of my Treasurer role, in the past I have taken on the responsibility of raising funds through newsletter and website advertising. In 2019 we were able to raise over \$3,000. As you know, in 2020 we decided to offer free advertising to 2019 advertisers as a way to assist our local businesses during the pandemic. We are hopeful that we will be able to resume fundraising through advertising in 2021. Because of fundraising, we have been able to keep your KLA membership dues at a minimal amount, so it is well worth the effort! I would love some help with this project, so if you are interested in volunteering some

KLA ADDRESS

All correspondence relating to the Treasurer or KLA should be addressed to:

***Kashwakamak Lake Association (KLA)
1715c Kashwakamak Lake Road
Arden, ON K0H 1B0***

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time to assist with the adverting/
fundraising please contact me at
treasurer@kashwakamak.ca. I have set
up a straight forward and simple con-
tact system which will be easy to pick
up and follow.

Stay safe and healthy through the win-
ter and let's remain hopeful that we
can return to some sense of normalcy
at our beautiful lake in 2021!

Judy McIntyre
treasurer@kashwakamak.ca

We appreciate your Donations to the KLA!

Did you know that every year the KLA receives unsolicited
donations? Some are even anonymous. Thank you to the
visitors at Fernleigh Lodge who generously donated **\$180**
this year! We appreciate the support from everyone who
loves the lake and is helping the KLA.

Interested in donating?



There are **4** easy ways you can donate:

- * Fernleigh Lodge has a **KLA donation box in their office**
- * Send an **Interac** payment treasurer@kashwakamak.ca
- * Mail us a cheque to Treasurer, KLA,
1715c Kashwakamak Lake Road, Arden ON, K0H 1B0
- * Add a donation to your Annual Membership fee
payment



How to pay your KLA Membership Fees

There are 2 ways to pay your **\$15** annual KLA membership fee due
January 15th:

1. Pay by **Interac** 
How to pay your Association Dues through Interac:
Payee email address, treasurer@kashwakamak.ca
2. Pay by **cheque** 
Mail to: **Kashwakamak Lake Association (KLA)**
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Lake Steward's Report - Peter Johnson

Water Sampling

In early spring the MNR requested that no water samples be submitted due to issues with COVID-19. The sampling program was recently reinstated so samples were taken and submitted on October 19.

I can report that Sechi measurements taken this summer were typical with a range between 4 and 5 meters.

I do not believe the data has been downloaded from our lake temperature recorder for this summer yet but I've been monitoring lake temperature since 2002. Prior to this summer, the warmest water I'd recorded was 83 F in the middle of the lake by Brown's island. During this summer's heat wave I recorded 86 F by Brown's island and 88 F on the east and west end of the lake. Hopefully this isn't a trend.

Hazard Markers

A new marker was attached to the dead head in Whitefish Bay earlier this summer and another at the shoal near Mannerheim Lake access more recently. The diver's helmet in Simpson's Bay is off the shoal. I will be putting out a temporary marker until I can retrieve it next spring.

Kashwakamak Lake Dam Update

The MVCA got back to me with the results of the spring inspection of the dam. It turns out they only inspected the weir adjacent to the dam. They acknowledge that there is water flowing under the weir but it isn't a structural concern. A full inspection of the dam itself is scheduled for next fall at which

pair would be very temporary as today's concrete doesn't adhere very well to the 100 year old product. If replacement is required, it would be done after draw down using a cofferdam minimizing the impact on the cottagers and would take approximately 5 weeks. There was no discussion on cost for either option.

Did you know?

"A cofferdam, also called a coffer, is an enclosure built within, or in pairs across, a body of water to allow the enclosed area to be pumped out. This pumping creates a dry working environment so that the work can be carried out safely." Wikipedia



Have a safe winter and I hope you can make it to the cottage to enjoy the winter beauty of Kashwakamak Lake.

Pete

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time they will determine if the dam can be repaired or if it has to be replaced. They indicated that a re-



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2. Ministry of Natural Resources and Forestry (MNRF)

The KLA also reached out to the MNRF to specifically ask for a recommendation and this was the response we received: *“As per our phone conversation: Gypsy moth is an introduced pest, and as such is a regulated pest by the federal government under the mandate of the [Canadian Food Inspection Agency](#).*

Gypsy moth is widespread across Ontario and can be found south of a line from Sault Ste. Marie to Mattawa and is beyond the stage where it can be eradicated, and also beyond the stage where its population can be suppressed to keep it from reaching outbreak levels. Gypsy moth is expected to continue to have periodic population increases. In some years it will reach outbreak levels and cause defoliation, and with repeated years of attack may cause mortality. Outbreaks typically collapse within a few years from the combined effects of predators, parasites, starvation, and diseases such as the gypsy moth virus.

When outbreaks do occur, property owners, landowner groups, municipalities may wish to conduct spray programs or take other actions to keep the trees from being defoliated. The usual goal is to keep the trees alive and healthy until the natural controls can bring about the collapse of the outbreak.

The MNRF does not currently conduct control programs for gypsy moth but does undertake annual surveys to aerially map the defoliation caused by gypsy moth which can be useful information for those considering control actions on their lands. MNRF also provides scientific advice and guidance to landowners, municipalities, and others on gypsy moth biology, egg mass surveys, and control programs.”

MNRF website links with more information

<https://www.ontario.ca/page/managing-invasive-species-ontario>

<https://www.ontario.ca/page/invasive-species-ontario>

Gypsy Moth link: <https://www.eddmaps.org/ontario/species/subject.cfm?sub=165>

3. North Frontenac Township

The Township has some limited information on its website: “If you have inquiries regarding Gypsy Moths please contact the Invading Species Hotline: 1-800-563-7711 or info@invadingspecies.com or <http://www.invadingspecies.com/>

Based on Council Resolutions #183-20 and #225-20 (amending #183-20) Council does not permit spraying of Gypsy Moth on Township property. If you have inquiries about illegal or improper use of pesticides, please contact the Ministry of the Environment, Conservation and Parks at 1-866-663-8477 (24 hrs Public Reporting Hotline).” <https://www.northfrontenac.com/en/recreation-and-leisure/outdoor-safety.aspx>

4. Natural Solutions

There is also an abundance of “natural” solutions out there such as banding trees as we’ve seen discussed on our [Facebook Group page](#).

We know this is not an easy decision and there will be differing views. Please take the time to do your own research and discuss it with you neighbours where necessary.

North Frontenac Liaison Report - Marilyn Boston

It's been another busy year of construction, renovations and new builds on Kashwakamak Lake. COVID-19 resulted in an increased number of people working remotely from the cottage – and many others visiting the lake to enjoy the outdoors outside of urban areas. Cottage “improvement” projects abounded keeping the local Building Suppliers positively challenged to meet the increased demands this summer.

Project Inquiries/Pre-Consultations with Township Planning

If you have a planning inquiry, a project you are considering, or would like to have a pre-consultation meeting with the North Frontenac Planning Staff to discuss a planning proposal, you are requested to submit a [Planning Inquiry Form](#). This form is designed to support streamlining moving your request forward and efficiently providing you with the information that you need to get your project done: <https://northfrontenac.formbuilder.ca/Planning-Inquiry-Form>

Electronic Participation – Township Committee of Adjustment

As with many areas of our new everyday life with COVID-19, the Township of North Frontenac Committee of Adjustment/Planning Advisory Committee Meetings are now being held using electronic participation.

If you want to provide input on a project that could impact you or want to understand more about applications around you, the attached link lays out how to participate in these regularly scheduled Zoom Meetings: <https://www.northfrontenac.com/en/township-services/resources/Documents/Planning/Public-Participation-Committee-of-Adjustment.pdf>

Township By-Laws - Being a Good Neighbour at the Lake

For those of you who are new to the lake, visitors and all the regulars – we thought that it would be useful to highlight two important Bylaws that support being a “Good Neighbour” at the lake.


New Noise Control By-Law

On June 19, 2020 the North Frontenac Township passed a new **Noise Control By-Law**:

“In order to respect the quiet solitude of the Township, no person shall make, cause or create noise as to be heard outside the property, including the nature of the neighbourhood and the use of adjoining properties, which is considered excessive and may cause a nuisance”

Where noise is defined as:

"**Noise**" means a sound that is likely to disturb any person, or that is likely to interfere with the reasonable use and enjoyment of a premises or residential property for example: loud music, loud parties, band practice, and loud pets.

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Some notable sections of the new By-law include; “The following activities shall be deemed to cause noise that is likely to be excessive:

- The operation of any electronic device or group of connected electronic devices incorporating one or more loudspeakers or other electromechanical transducers, and intended for the production , reproduction or amplification of sound;
- Shouting, yelling the sound from an instrument or radio, or loud parties between 11:00 pm and 7:00 am that is clearly audible at neighbouring premises or residential properties;
- The operation of any powered or non-powered tool for domestic purposes from 9:00 pm to 7:00 am daily.

Upon conviction of an offence under this By-law, the maximum fine for an individual is \$5,000.00 for a first conviction and a maximum of \$10,000.00 for every subsequent conviction.”

Full details of the new By-Law are provided in the attached link: <https://www.northfrontenac.com/en/township-services/resources/Documents/By-Laws/Noise-Control-By-law.pdf>

How Can I be a Good Neighbour?

- ⇒ Noise travels on the water. Make some time as appropriate, to stand at the edges of your property – take a quick canoe or kayak ride and listen and be aware of the sounds that you are making all around you. How far is the sound that you are making travelling? Is the sound travelling to your neighbour(s) property(s), across the channel or bay, down the shore? You may be surprised at what you can hear.
- ⇒ Take the time to read and be familiar with this new [By-Law](#).
- ⇒ Print off a copy of the Township’s Noise Control By-Law and have it available for reference for friends, family, visitors and short-term rentals.
- ⇒ Respect everyone’s right to quiet enjoyment of their property at the lake.

Outdoor Lighting By-Law

First some quick background on the Township’s Lighting Policy that you might not be aware of:

- ◆ On August 3, 2013 the Township of North Frontenac became the first municipality in Canada to receive Dark Sky Preserve status from the Royal Astronomical Society of Canada.
- ◆ North Frontenac has the darkest skies in southern Ontario, and it is the perfect place for star gazing. To ensure it remains that way, we all need to do our part to ensure that we are meeting the Dark Sky Lighting Policy.



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The [Outdoor Lighting By-Law](#) lays out many of the human and environmental benefits associated with managing light pollution:

How Can I be a Good Neighbour?

Here's a handy guideline and schematic to guide your outdoor lights placement and usage at the cottage:

- ⇒ Safely get out on the water and/or stand on your dock at dark and see how much light pollution you are creating for animals, aquatic life and mammals alike;
- ⇒ Take steps and make changes as appropriate so that you have "Good Shoreline Lighting" and overall lighting practices;
- ⇒ Turn off your outdoor lights at dark if not needed for safety to move about or alert an object;
- ⇒ Cover solar lights that do not have a timer and are not safety related; and,
- ⇒ If locking up your cottage for the winter – make sure that you have turned off all lights and covered any solar lights without timers.

Help preserve our Dark Skies – be a good neighbour! Full details of the Township Outdoor Lighting By-Law can be found in the attached link: <https://www.northfrontenac.com/en/township-services/resources/Documents/By-Laws/Outdoor-Lighting.pdf>

Marilyn Boston, NFLiaison@kashwakamak.ca

North Frontenac Township Contact Information

Not sure who to call, or where to go to find helpful information about local municipal services, bylaws and enforcement? Watch for a handy reference guide coming soon to the KLA website. In the meantime, here's the general contact information:

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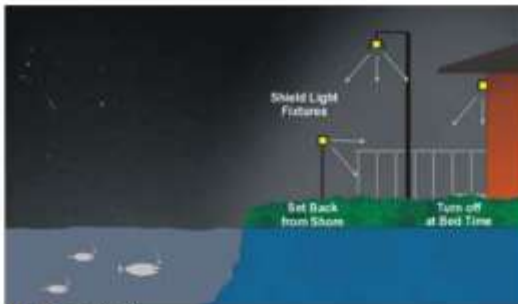
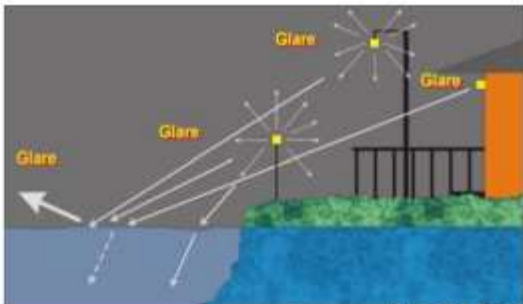
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The Bad and the Good of Shoreline Lighting



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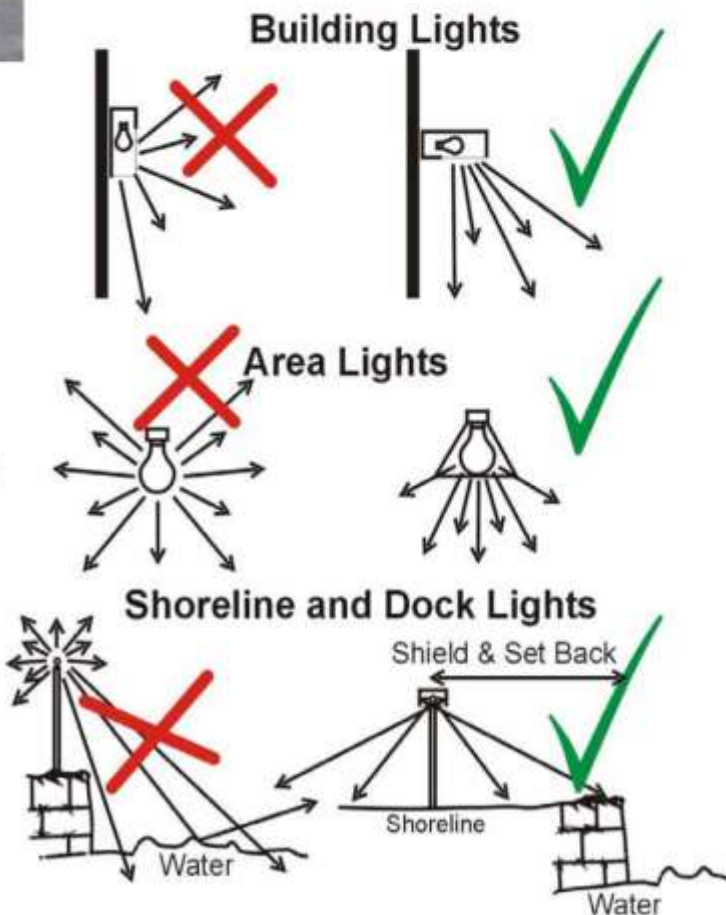
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Lake Sustainability Update

Shoreline & Water Quality sub-committee - *Love Your Lake*

Kashwakamak Lake
Sustainability Plan



Following the 2016 membership approval of the [Kashwakamak Lake Sustainability Plan](#), actions are being taken to maintain and enhance the lake water quality and shoreline. Part of the action plan included shoreline tree and shrub planting in 2018 as part of the [Natural Edge Program](#). In 2020, the KLA began implementing another recommendation from the plan, the [Love Your Lake](#) Initiative, which assesses each shoreline property and makes voluntary recommendations for maintaining, enhancing or restoring the shoreline.

Under the direction of [Watersheds Canada](#), the *Love Your Lake* assessments were completed on our lake over 13 days in early July. We were very lucky to be able to get out on the water with COVID-19 physical distancing and safety measures in place. In all, over 670 properties were assessed on our lake!

Property owners will be contacted by Watersheds Canada in the spring and will have access to their personal waterfront assessments and recommendations on-line for free, or a printed copy for a small fee. These reports are confidential. An overview report, without identifying information, regarding the state of the lake in general will also be available. Watersheds Canada <<https://watersheds.ca>> has extensive information on ways and means to achieve shoreline improvements including the [Natural Edge Program](#).

Volunteers make it happen

Thanks to all the volunteers who provided:

- * Accommodation - Cathy and Doug Galt, Nigel Lester and Ellen Post, Peter and Ann Burbidge;
- * Boats & drivers - Cathy and Doug Galt, Ted Mobberley, Andrew Johnson, Mike Blamire, Kim and Brian Howson, Steve Prendergast.

Thanks also to Watersheds Canada staff Melissa Dakers and the assessor, Maggie Stevenson.

Peter Burbidge, peterbur@kingston.net

Flora & Fauna sub-committee - *Let's Get Tracking! Survey*

To date we've had a total of **153** survey submissions, with **43** submissions in 2020. Thank you to everyone who's taken the time to send in their sightings and pictures. Many of us returned to our summer homes early this year so there were lots of great sightings early in the spring.

Tracking sightings of animal and plant life is an important part of the implementation of the Kashwakamak Lake Sustainability Plan. Not only are we tracking beautiful creatures that we all enjoy seeing at the lake, we are tracking threatened or endangered species, as well as keeping an eye on species of special concern.

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Re-cap of 2020 Sightings



Blue heron - Jill Shannon,
July 3

Birds

As in the past, bird sightings were plentiful. The first documented loon sighting was on April 12th and the first documented hummingbird sighting was on May 16th. In addition, there were reports of hawks, loons, bufflehead ducks, owls, many pileated woodpeckers, a northern flicker woodpecker, herons, osprey and a rose breasted grosbeak. Once again, the bald eagle (special concern) had several sightings reported.



Juvenile bald eagle, Jamie Whaley , July 20

Mammals

For mammal sightings this year the clear winner for number of sightings was the otters. They were seen in as large a group as 5. There were several reports of minks and red fox. One of the red fox sightings reported a female with 5 pups! There were also deer sightings and in late March there was a report of a wolf walking across the ice on Mitchell Bay.



Red fox - Jamie Whaley, Sept. 4

Reptiles & Amphibians

Reptile and amphibian sightings included several snapping turtles (special concern), water snakes, and garter snakes, as well as a tree frog.



Baby snapping turtle - Sue Dube, Sept. 11

At this time we don't have an insect section on the survey but several people reported under the "other" category to share their sightings of a dobson fly, Luna moths and a pine beetle.

Remember—this [survey](#) is on-going from year-to-year, so please keep your submissions coming over the winter and into next year, and don't forget to **email your photos**, tracking@kashwakamak.ca. Thank you again to everyone who participated. We look forward to seeing more of your submissions and photos!

Let's Get Tracking! <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/KLATracking>

KLA's Facebook Group -

facebook

Once again our Facebook Group membership has grown exponentially, **253** new members since May for a total of **2,166**! Julie McShane, a KLA member, recently volunteered to help moderate our group. Thank you Julie! We encourage everyone who uses this page to also consider supporting the lake by joining the association. So if you know someone in the group who is a visitor, a renter or has a trailer on the lake, please reach out and ask them to join as an Associate Member. It's only \$15/year and with the numbers we have it could make a big difference to the lake. Here are few of our favourites posts!

Membership Growth

May-19	1595
Oct-19	1738
May-20	1913
Oct-20	2166

Sue MacGregor, Administrator webeditor@kashwakamak.ca

Here are some of the Top posts in the last 60 days that reached over 1,400 people each!



Gary Frank - September 30 Personal best for me in the bass depot tonight. 50 cm. Wish we had the scale in the boat.



Bon Mac is with Jay Slu - October 10
Sunset last night on Kash

Marion Martin - October 22 at
4:12 PM The sounds of silence

Sue MacGregor - October 12
Happy Thanksgiving from my cottage to yours. It's been a very different cottage season in the pandemic overall, so I've treasured the times I've been able to come up ... Here's to us all staying safe and healthy over the coming months so we can all be back here in 2021!



Diane Wheatley, September 27 Perfect fall camping weekend at Kash. Man, I love this lake!



Julie McShane -
September 26
Another beautiful September sunset tonight. Makes it really hard to think about closing up.

Brock Parker -
October 19 ·
Each season always has awesome views here. Next up, winter!



You've shared lots of play time on the [Lake Kashwakamak Facebook page](#). We've grown to **2,166 members!** Join the conversation. Share your photos! Stay connected! Here's to fall 2020 and spring 2021! Stay safe and healthy everyone!



Photo: Aleisha Macdonald - June 25



Happy Canada Day!

Photo: Judith Evendon - July 1

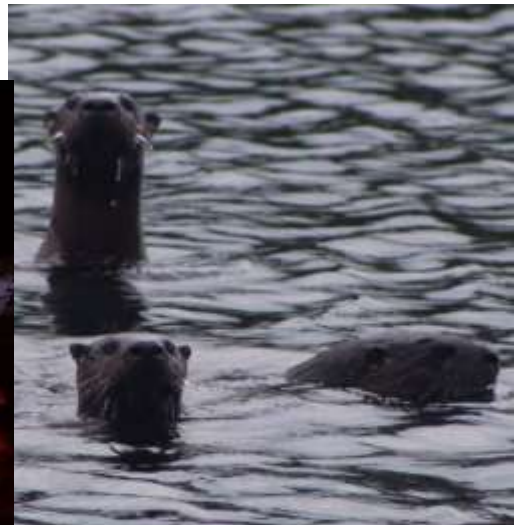


Welcome summer at Kash!
Photo: Joanne Fisher - July 15



Photo: Maggie Beattie - July

Photo: Diane Wheatley - Sept. 27



Otters Photo: Connor O'Reilly -Sept. 2



Photo: Marion Martin - June 16

Thanks again for the amazing pie Fernleigh Lodge. Who doesn't like lake side pie! We are all smiles per mile!

Photo: Brock Parker - July 14





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Lot's of mushroom photos!



Wow! Mushrooms Galore! Photo: Gary Blair - Sept. 11



That's how umbrellas were invented! Photo: Millie Napolitano King - Sept. 13



Photo: Michelle Knapper - Sept. 15



Fungi Galore! Photo: Edward Grant - Sept. 14

Muskrat in Whitefish Bay Photo: Garth Johnson - August 16



Photo: Maggie Beattie - Sept. 3



Photo: Travis Tyers, Sept. 11



Photo: Brock Parker - Oct. 19



Photo: Liz Hall - August 24



Mama & baby Photo: Jamie Whaley Smith - Sept. 12

Loon Photo: Gary Blair - Sept 28



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Last ride of the season! Photo: Carl
Beaudry - October 16

KLA Constitution

During the past year the Board worked on updating the KLA constitution to better reflect the needs of our members and to clarify our role, obligations, and limitations. The first draft was shared with members over the summer and discussed at the KLA September Board meeting.

The final draft of the revised constitution will be voted on by the Board at our meeting in November and posted on the association website shortly thereafter. It will then be presented to the Members in time for voting on adoption at the Annual General Meeting in 2021.

Bert Martin,
directorBert@kashwakamak.ca

Winter Dump Hours are in effect as of October 1st!

Check [here](#) for more details!

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