



KLA 2022 Events:

- **Cancelled - KLA July 9 AGM**
- **2022 Annual Fall Dinner & Charity Auction**
Saturday September 17th
Fernleigh Lodge
Happy hour @ 5:00 pm
Doors open for silent auction at 5:00 pm
Dinner served @ 6:00 pm
Tickets on sale now!

Please bring food and cash donations for the Land O' Lakes Foodbank

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July 9 AGM Cancelled!

Given the significant and continuing impact of the May 21 derecho storm on many of our members, the KLA Board made the decision to cancel our 2022 KLA Annual General Meeting. We are aware that many on the lake are still without full service and continue to deal with storm cleanup, rebuilding and repairing cottages, docks, dealing with insurance companies etc.

This was a difficult and disappointing decision to make as our Board had lined up a great agenda. It included a Love Your Lake (LYL) presentation highlighting our [Kashwakamak Lake Summary Report](#) to be followed by a Q&A. In addition, we had invited Kyle and Morgan Jenkin, the new owners of [Woodcrest Resort](#), to come out, meet their neighbours and update us on activities and plans. In addition, they had generously offered to sponsor the BBQ. Our hope is that 2023 will bring an opportunity for them to participate, and we believe that shoreline health will continue to be important for us all (especially after the derecho and high-water levels in June).

Save the date and stay tuned for our 2023 AGM!

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[#Kashwakamak](#)

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President's Corner - Sue MacGregor

What started out as a great season changed quickly for those affected by the May 21 derecho. Many of you are already aware that our family property in Mitchell Bay was greatly impacted – hence the delay in getting out this newsletter.

A great community

The good news is that we have all seen tremendous support in our local community – be it local contractors dropping other planned projects to help remove trees, fix storm damage, septic systems, hydro masts, the countless Hydro One workers who tirelessly worked to get the power lines restored, neighbours helping neighbours by cutting down trees, clearing roads, checking on properties, identifying lost and drifting items ... the list goes on. It's at times like these that I cherish our beautiful lake and our community.

Fall Dinner & Charity Auction is a go!

While we had to cancel the AGM, the good news is that we will be going ahead with our popular Fall Dinner and Charity Auction at Fernleigh Lodge on Saturday September 17. This year, all money raised, and food donations will be going to the Land O' Lakes Food Bank in Cloyne. Check out Mary Larson's report on page 10 for more details. And mark your calendars!

Questions? Contact Mary Larson, directorMary@kashwakamak.ca



Shoreline erosion and boat wake

As you are no doubt aware, the storm, and higher than normal lake levels in June contributed to significant shoreline damage and erosion. There are still many logs and other debris floating in the lake. We ask boaters to be respectful, slow down, stay 60' from the shoreline (where possible) and consider "no wake" speed, especially near the areas that were badly hit by the storm.

Canada Day Boat Parade

For those considering being part of the Canada Day Boat Parade, we thank you in advance for keeping this in mind and consider the shoreline and effects of boat wakes.

Volunteers make the difference

We have a great mix of people who volunteer to help out the KLA. I want to commend and thank our Board members for their dedication, thoughtfulness and attention to detail. We are a great team and have a lot of fun. We actually had an in-person meeting in early May which felt great!

Volunteering doesn't mean you have to join the board though. For many, it's taking on a task in an area of interest. A huge thank you goes out to the volunteers who give on an on-going basis: Debbi Leith, Advertising; Julie McShane, moderator [Lake Kashwakamak Facebook Group](#); Sandy and Bob Allin, along with Cathy and Doug Galt, who contribute to making the Annual Fall Dinner & Charity Auction a success! However, we can always use more help.

2 Volunteers Needed

I know that we're in immediate need for a couple of people to help with the set up for the silent and live auctions at the Fall Dinner.

Please contact Mary Larson, DirectorMary@kashwakamak.ca if you plan to attend and can help out.

Benefits of your KLA membership - FOCA

Did you know that your \$15/year KLA membership also means you are a member of [FOCA](#), the Federation of Ontario Cottagers' Associations? This means you also have access to many benefits, including a group insurance program called **Cottage First**.

A FOCA benefit: Cottage First!

CottageFirst: the first group program dedicated to cottagers, **exclusively available to FOCA members**. Get great coverage on your cottage, home, car & more. Contact Cade Associates Insurance Brokers: **1-844-CADE-1ST** or visit www.cottagefirst.com for a no obligation quote.

I can attest personally about the great service and coverage we've had with Cade Associates. We switched over to them three years ago, and their response to us and others I know of, after the storm, has been tremendous! It's taken a huge strain off a very difficult situation. I encourage you to check this and other FOCA member benefits out!

As we head into the long weekend, and what looks like a very hot summer season, I wish you all fun. Take time to treasure our special lake and enjoy friends and family. Please don't hesitate to contact me, or any of our directors, if you have any issues or concerns.

Sue MacGregor

president@Kashwakamak.ca

Another great summer season at the cottage is underway. Though Covid is still with us, it is not as prevalent and people are returning to our more usual social routines. The issue facing us this year is the incredibly high cost of fuel which makes traveling to the cottage, as well as using the boat, a bit more of a budgetary consideration.

We currently have 354 members (332 Regular and 17 Associate) which is a decrease of 5 from the fall report. We are going to initiate a more coordinated membership drive this season with a goal to get our numbers up. I have always hoped to get the membership numbers up to 400+. Your help with this is always appreciated. If you have a new neighbour in the last year or two, please let them know about the association. Either direct them to me, or you give me their location, and I will drop by for a visit. Meeting new people on the lake has always been something I enjoy. If you have any questions about your membership, or anything else, feel free to contact me at, membership@kashwakamak.ca.

Membership options

The KLA has two types of memberships available:

Regular Members – Every 911 address is entitled to one regular membership with voting privileges. Additional family groups at the same address can join as associate members.

Associate Members – Associate members have all the benefits of the regular members, but do not get voting rights. This type of membership is great for properties where several families share the same cottage. This category of membership is also for people who stay at one of the campgrounds or lodges on the lake and want to be a part of the lake community. It's a great way to support the KLA and the Kashwakamak Lake community for only \$15.



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

I have been on the lake for over 50 years now. It never grows old to sit down on my dock and look out over the lake. We are all lucky to have this incredible place to spend some of our time. As always, if you see me going by in my red Mastercraft boat do not hesitate to wave me in. It's great to meet members and have discussion about the place we all enjoy so much.

Cheers, Don Cory

membership@kashwakamak.ca



Pam Patenaude Flynn

June 27 at 10:23 PM · 🌐



Anyone missing a paddle board? Found one in our bay.



Marion Martin

May 28 · 🌐

Beautiful sunset tonight!

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Treasurer's Report - Judy McIntyre

Summer is underway at Kashwakamak! It's always so wonderful to get back here after a winter away.

The unaudited December 31, 2021 financial statements are available on our website in the member section. We have two members who have volunteered to review the 2021 statements and the review will be shared when we meet at the AGM in 2023.

Paying with e-transfers

E-transfers continue to be a huge timesaver, so special thanks to those that send their membership dues that way.

Membership dues

There are still some unpaid 2021 membership dues, so 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.

Paying your dues through a road association

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.

Financials

At May 15, 2022 we had roughly \$9,500 in the bank. Debbi Leith once again took on the task of soliciting advertising for the newsletters. She has run another very successful ad campaign and by mid-May had raised over \$3,500. Thanks to Debbi for taking on this volunteer role once again, and making it hugely successful! Please be sure to note the various advertisers in our newsletter and remember to support our local businesses whenever you can!

Of the \$9,500 currently in the bank roughly \$4,000 is in reserve for lake sustainability initiatives. Prior to the end of 2022 we will be paying liability insurance of roughly \$2,000 and FOCA

membership dues of roughly \$1,600.

Working with the KLA board is a highlight of my year. We have a great group of like-minded people and we have a lot of fun! The board needs some new directors and volunteers and I encourage you to read further into this newsletter and ponder if there is any area of interest that you would like to help us with.

Stay safe and well and have a wonderful summer!

Judy McIntyre

treasurer@kashwakamak.ca

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**

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

Payee email address treasurer@kashwakamak.ca
No security password is required



2. Pay by cheque

Mail to: **Kashwakamak Lake Association (KLA)**
1715c Kashwakamak Lake Road
Arden ON K0H 1B0



US Members



For our US members please send your membership dues in Canadian dollars as our bank fees are high when we deposit US dollars into our account.
Thank you!

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 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 to **treasurer@kashwakamak.ca**
- * Mail us a cheque to Treasurer, KLA,
1715c Kashwakamak Lake Road, Arden ON, KoH 1Bo
- * Add a donation to your Annual Membership fee payment

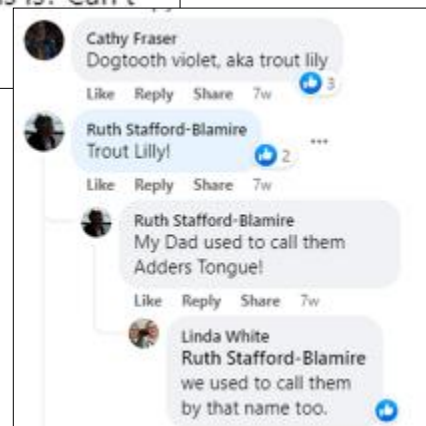


Did you know?

“The Kashwakamak Lake Association (KLA) acts to monitor the health of the lake and its ecosystems, monitor lake issues such as taxes, interface with Municipal Council, organize community events and keep all residents (seasonal and year-round) informed of important developments.

Areas of interest include the environment, water safety, public health, lake stewardship and member education. Issues on which we have lobbied include: market value assessment, lakefront purchase, proxy voting and municipal services.”

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Lake Steward's Report - Pete Johnson

The storm of May 21, 2022 will be remembered. To those who had structures, canopies and material damage my sympathies. To the best of my knowledge, no one on the lake was seriously hurt, which of course is the most important thing. Hats off to Hydro One for working tirelessly to re-establish our distribution network and restore power. I know some folks are still waiting for power along the south shore and other parts of the lake.

Ice off

Ice "on" this past season was December 11, 2021. The ice came "off" on April 15, 2022, which happened to be the same date as last year.

Invasive Species

I will be participating in invasive species sampling this season. We were one of 20 lakes selected based on various criteria. We will be sampling for the [spiny water flea](#) and the presence of [zebra mussels](#). I hope to have the results to post in the fall newsletter.

Forestry Activities

I have been in communication with Joel Martineau, Management Forester, Bancroft District, Regional Operations Division, Ministry of Northern Development, Mines, Natural Resources and Forestry (NDMNRF), regarding any planned forestry activities in the 2022 -2023 work schedule for the area surrounding Kashwakamak Lake. He was in touch with Margaret Halton, Company Forester with Mazinaw-Lanark Forest Inc. who re-

"The ice came 'off' on April 15, 2022 ... the same date as last year! "

ported,

"there is currently only one block in the Annual Work Schedule for 2022-2023 in the vicinity of Kashwakamak Lake which is bridging block 16_052. I've attached the Operations map for this area. The block is a small red pine plantation along the southern shore of Kash, at the junction Kashwakamak Lake Lane and Gull Lake Estates Lane. At this time, we do not have specific plans for this block."

Questions?

Joel Martineau, 613-212-2126
joel.martineau@ontario.ca
Mazinaw-Lanark Forest Inc.

Margaret Hatton
Phone 613-336-0816 ext.224
Email mhatton@mlfi.org or
Tim Wallen tim.wallen@frmg.ca
www.mlfi.org/

Hazard Marker Buoys

All the critical shoals were marked before the storm, some with temporary buoys which I'll attend to when the water gets warmer as my cold-water diving son is



no longer available. Please let me know if any are missing or need attention, please email me at lakesteward@kashwakamak.ca

Water flows and levels returning to normal

According to the MVCA's [Water Safety Statement](#) on June 27, 2022, "All upper lakes are slowly returning to normal conditions. Flows and levels along the Mississippi River have been steadily decreasing over the last week. Barring any significant rainfall, it is anticipated this trend will continue over the next week.

No flooding is expected; however, the watershed will be susceptible to large storm events over the next few weeks that may result in fluctuating water levels."

You can check water levels online here: [Water Levels - Mississippi Valley Conservation Authority \(mvc.on.ca\)](#)

For more information:
Jennifer North
Water Resources Technologist
613-253-0006 ext. 243
jnorth@mvc.on.ca – www.mvc.on.ca

With the high-water levels after the storm there still seems to be a lot of debris floating in the water. Stay safe and have a great summer.

Pete

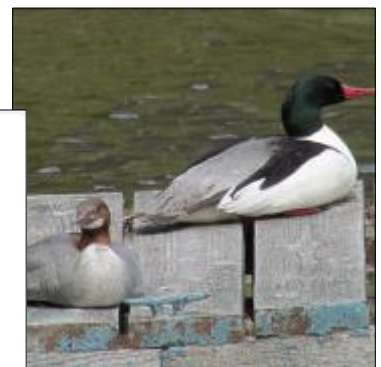
lakesteward@kashwakamak.ca



MJ McLachlin

May 8 · 🌐

I had to look these up as at first I thought it was a Loon because I have never seen a Merganser Duck. They were quite at home on the dock @ Kashwakamak Lakeside Cottages. They are a beautiful creature!!



North Frontenac Liaison Report - Marilyn Boston

Welcome back to the Lake! It has been a busy start to the year in North Frontenac with many initiatives on the go.

1. Update on Short Term Rentals

In May you received with your 2022 tax bill a copy of the initial work that the North Frontenac Council and the North Frontenac Lake Association has completed on Short Term Rentals. For your reference we have posted a copy of these [Short-Term Rental Guidelines \(STR\)](#) on the **News** section of our KLA website, www.kashwakamak.ca.

STR owner responsibilities include:

- ⇒ Provide your contact phone number to your immediate neighbours
- ⇒ Provide the guidelines to your renters and explain the importance of these guidelines to them
- ⇒ Communicate undesirable renters to other cottage owners who are renting out their cottage



The North Frontenac Lake Association Alliance (NFLAA) has requested that we reinforce these responsibilities, and where appropriate, register complaints with the Township. This is important as this data will be reviewed by the STR working committee and they need to hear from you about any issues.

Contact information to raise a concern:

Township **(613) 541-3213**

Or by email to CAO at cao@northfrontenac.ca

Further work via an established working group (that NFLAA is a part of) is underway to better define what North Frontenac's STR policies and practices should be go forward. Good learnings are being shared and gathered from other municipalities. Stay tuned for more on this subject as the working group develops their recommendations.

2. An example of a GOOD kind of Noisy Neighbour at the Lake

Many of the complaints that arise on the lake are regarding noise. The Township recently provided an update on North Frontenac Noise Bylaws.

In short, *"to respect the quiet and solitude of the Township, no person shall make, cause or create noise as to be heard outside their property...."*

Here's a link to read the [Noise Control By-Law](#).

Be an "active listener" to the noise you create – respect your all of your two legged, four legged and water born neighbours at the lake.



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3. Leave the City Lights in your rear-view mirror

FOCA recently published an excellent article on the proliferation of LED solar & white lights in Rural areas called [Light Pollution | FO-CA](#), which is well worth a read. We are privileged at Kash to be part a [Dark Sky Reserve](#). Leave the city lights in your rear-view mirror, turn off your outdoor lights and let everyone enjoy the dark skies at the cottage.



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4. Building and/or looking to make changes to your dock?



You'll find a one-page summary, [Guidelines to dock building](#), in the **News** section of our website, www.kashwakamak.ca which provides an overview of what you need to know when looking at building and/or making changes your dock. Thanks to Corey Klatt, North Frontenac Chief Administrative Officer for providing the content information. The Township requests that before building you reach out to the North Frontenac Building Inspector at cbo@northfrontenac.ca for guidance.



5. Frontenac Destination Development Plan

In April 2002, North Frontenac Council approved the *Frontenac Development Plan*. Details of the plan can be found at <https://engagefrontenac.ca/destinationplan>. A Destination Development Plan is a 5-10 year road map that aligns government, economic development, community and tourism priorities. It addresses the interactions between visitors, the industry that serves them, the community that hosts them, and the environment in order to deliver a more sustainable and equitable year-round local economy. Sue MacGregor, our KLA President represented the KLA and participated in one of the visioning sessions for the Destination Plan in the 2021.

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6. Vote for your Future – Register to vote in the North Frontenac Municipal Elections



The next Ontario municipal elections will be held on **Monday, October 24, 2022**. The term of office for elected representatives is December 1st, 2022 to November 30th, 2026 (a four-year term).

Who can vote?

Anyone can vote in a municipal election who, on the day of the election, is:

- ⇒ 18 years of age or older;
- ⇒ a Canadian citizen; and
- ⇒ ***either a resident of the municipality or a property owner or tenant***, or the spouse or same sex partner of an owner or tenant in the municipality, during a specified time just before the election.

Did you know?

In Ontario Municipal elections, you are entitled to vote where you own or rent property. Therefore (where applicable), you can plan to vote in the NORTH FRONTENAC riding **as well as** your permanent residence.

Where can you vote?



FAQ: “My family owns a cottage on Kashwakamak Lake. Can I vote in North Frontenac?”

In order to qualify as a non-resident elector, you (or your spouse) must be the owner or tenant of the property. If a family member, who is not your spouse is the owner, even if you have use of the cottage, you would not qualify as a non-resident elector. If the cottage is owned by a trust, you would not qualify as a non-resident elector.

For further information on **how to register to vote** in North Frontenac please refer to <https://www.northfrontenac.com/en/township-services/elections.aspx#>.

The KLA encourages everyone to participate. You can make a difference at the lake – please register to vote! We will be providing further information on the candidates as the election time draws closer.

Have a safe, fun summer at the lake!

Marilyn Boston, NFLiaison@kashwakamak.ca

Fall Dinner/Live and Silent Auction/Raffle/ Food Bank donations

It is really happening! We are holding our Annual Fall Dinner at Fernleigh Lodge on **Saturday, September 17th, 2022**. A very, very Happy Hour will take place at 5:00 pm outdoors with dinner following at 6:00 pm. The doors will open at 5:00 pm so you can take a look at the silent and live auction items. We have waited 3 years and we want this dinner to be a great success.

We will have a **Live Auction** with Doug Galt returning to do his magic again and a silent auction running throughout the evening. There will be a **50/50 draw** and a door prize for a beautiful wall hanging donated by Cathy Galt (so save you ticket stub) and a **silent auction**. All monies raised will be donated to the **Land o' Lakes Food Bank** in Cloyne. In addition, we kindly ask for Food Bank donations of canned goods, pastas, jams, peanut butter etc. and that they be placed in the designated area upon arrival. The need is great and these will be delivered to the Food Bank.

Dinner at Fernleigh will be Melissa's famous Oven Fried Chicken (light or dark meat as requested). Gravy, mashed potatoes, 2 veggies and warm rolls. This will be preceded by their Caesar Salad and followed by a surprise Homemade Dessert. It could be Cheesecake, Carrot Cake, Fruit Crisp or Homemade Pie??? Wine glasses will be provided. Bring your own choice of refreshment.



Live Auction 2019

Tickets at \$40 can be purchased in advance via Interac, treasurer@kashwakamak.ca and picked up at the door. Please include how many tickets you are buying and each person's name in the memo section of the e-transfer so we can have your tickets ready for pick up at the door. Sandy and Bob Allin will also have printed tickets available if you wish to purchase in person and pick up before the dinner. Please contact Sandy at 613-336-2933 or Mary Larson at 613-336-8832, DirectorMary@kashwakamak.ca.

Volunteers needed

Are you planning to go to the dinner? If so, we are looking for two people to help us set up the Auction tables. Please contact me if you can help us out, DirectorMary@kashwakamak.ca

KLA's Lake Kashwakamak Facebook Group

facebook

We saw lots of activity in our [Facebook Group](#) over the winter and spring with wonderful photos, sharing recommendations and referring local businesses. Following the May 21 storm, there was great evidence of neighbours helping neighbours too!

Throughout this time, our membership continued to grow:

- October 2020 - **2,166**
- October 31, 2020 - **2,400**
- June 29, 2022 - **2,678**

It takes a lot of volunteer time, effort and ... patience to manage and moderate such a large group. Many thanks to Julie McShane and Judy McIntyre, who help in this growing effort.

Reminder: Here's the intent of the KLA's Kashwakamak Lake Facebook Group , "*This group is a place to share the Kashwakamak Lake community. When asked, our members told us they would like to see the following: Staying connected, Sharing photos, KLA Updates, Local business referrals, and Community events & asking questions.*"

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We encourage everyone who uses this page to also consider supporting the lake by joining the Association. 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 by emailing Don Cory at membership@kashwakamak.ca It's only \$15/year and with the numbers we have it could make a big difference to the lake. Enjoy the rest of the summer season and please continue to post your pictures of the lake for us all to enjoy! Here are some highlights from this past winter, spring and early summer.

Sue MacGregor, Administrator webeditor@kashwakamak.ca



The derecho - May 21, 2022



Sean Mella
May 23 · 🌐
A few pictures from Woodcrest Resort

Mike Shannon
May 27 · 🌐
Thanks Hydro guys. This is a tough day at the office.

Greg Schryer
May 21 · 🌐
Take cover. Maybe 2:30 or 3:00...



Brawnwin McKelvey
May 28 · 🌐
Drove up to check on the cottage today and all I can say is WOW!
No damage to our cottage or our immediate neighbors (other than a tree on their deck)
We are one of the first cottages on Silvermine lane(south kash road.). Paths down to cottages were both completely blocked by downed trees. Hydro lines also had trees still on them.
I did speak to the AMAZING! Hydro crews that are working tirelessly to get everyone back up to let them know and they called out to the forestry guys right away to make sure it was noted. Thank you and stay safe everyone.

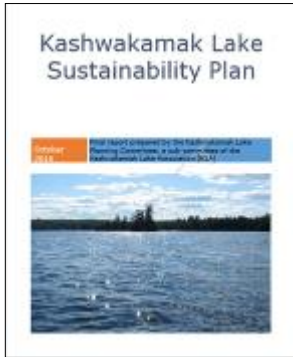
Sue MacGregor
May 28 .. 🌐
A sight for sore eyes! I was able to find someone to replace The hydro pole that we're responsible for. Huge shout out to Callahan Electric for the same day response and to Clancy Electric for the referral and for slotting us in for electrical work on Monday!!! Now all we need is the secondary pole replaced by Hydro One and power restored to the main line and we'll have power ready to go at cottage #3 😊

John Lourenco
May 24 · 🌐
I am thankful that everyone for the most part, had only "minor" injuries that I heard of on the lake. This has been a travesty. Thank you to all my neighbors and the lake community. I met more of you this weekend than my whole first summer on the lake. Not in the circumstances that I hoped for, but thankful that you are all "ok". It was surreal having a 120 foot tree fall 15 feet in front of me. Mother nature reminds us once in a while that we are guests and not permanent residents. Thank you to Karen and Paul for the use of your generator for our Keurig....we got a lot more work done with coffee in us!! A small win. I had 7 or 8 trees of 80 feet or more come down....20+ smaller ones...and none hit the cottage or an out building...so thankful. Wires through my property (Kash road near municipal turn) still up, but tension wires down, and service to cottage has trees on it, with tension line anchor ripped out of the roof. That evening as we ate bbq on the deck, thankful to A) be alive, and B) everyone we know on the lake was ok, mother nature apologized with another stunning sunset. NOTE: be aware all that there is still alot of branches hung up, and a lot of "leaners", be careful, look up before you choose a path, be safe, and god bless.



Lake Sustainability Implementation Update

Lake Sustainability Plan – it's time for a review!



It's hard to believe, but it's been over 5 years since the [Kashwakamak Lake Sustainability Plan](#) was approved by KLA members in 2017. Good practice is to do a review every 5 years. We will be convening a new committee this fall and looking for people to help us assess what we've accomplished (as outlined in the plan's recommendations), and where to go in the future. We'll do a call out, but if you're interested, please email me, president@kashwakamak.ca and I'll be in touch.

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

Thanks to everyone who is reporting their sightings of animal and plant life on our lake. It 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.

This survey is an on-going one, so please keep the submissions coming over the summer and email your photos to tracking@kashwakamak.ca. Thank you to everyone who participated. We'll do a recap in the fall newsletter. We look forward to seeing more of your submissions and photos!

Get started here: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/KLATracking>

Shoreline & Water Quality - *Love Your Lake*

2022 is turning out to be a year for many cottage owners to take another look at their own shoreline assessment reports and determine what needs to be done. There's lot of great information and resources too.



Accessing your property's 2020 Shoreline Assessment



Every property owner on the lake received an email from LYL in April 2021 with an option to download a PDF of their personal Shoreline report or purchase a printed copy.

Can't find your report?

Please contact:

Melissa Dakers (she/her)

Habitat and Stewardship Program Manager

Watersheds Canada

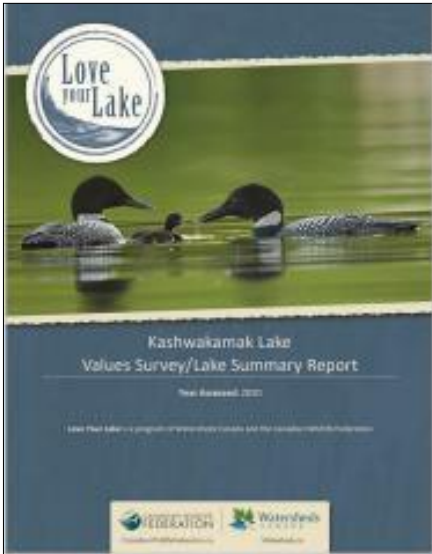
115-40 Sunset Blvd, Perth, ON K7H 2Y4

O: 613-264-1244 , dakers@watersheds.ca , watersheds.ca

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Did you know?

You can access the overall Love Your Lake [Kashwakamak Lake Values Survey and Lake Summary Report](#) on the [Lake Sustainability](#) page on our website, or click on the report cover.

Watch your wake - Be #WakeAware

In 2022 FOCA launched a campaign [Be #WakeAware](#). Here are some highlights:

How you can Be #WakeAware

- ⇒ Be aware of the size of your wake during displacement, transition & planing speeds
- ⇒ Position your passengers through-out the boat to reduce time spent in transition speed
- ⇒ Look behind you to minimize the impact of your wake on shorelines, docks or structures
- ⇒ Reduce your speed to less than 10 km/h 30m from shore, boats, docks and swimmers
- ⇒ Water-ski, tube, surf & wake-board 200 meters away from all shorelines
- ⇒ Consider the size of the wake produced when purchasing a new boat

This [YouTube video](#) is also a great way to learn more about how to be #WakeAware

It is excellent advice for us all. Please check it out!

Boating etiquette—Understanding the impact of a boat wake

The KLA's Sustainability page on our website also has a great 2 page flyer on boating etiquette, (it is also sent to new members in our welcome package). It includes great information on boat wakes. Please check it out, and download and print it for others to see and learn about:

Click to see it here: [Boating etiquette](#)



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The following events are taking place at the North Frontenac Star Gazing Pad located at 5816 Road 506 between Fernleigh and Plevna. For additional details and updates, please check the events calendar at www.northfrontenac.com.

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Contact the Manager of Community Development for more information.
recreation@northfrontenac.ca 613-479-2231 x233

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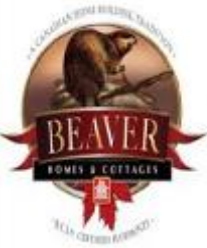


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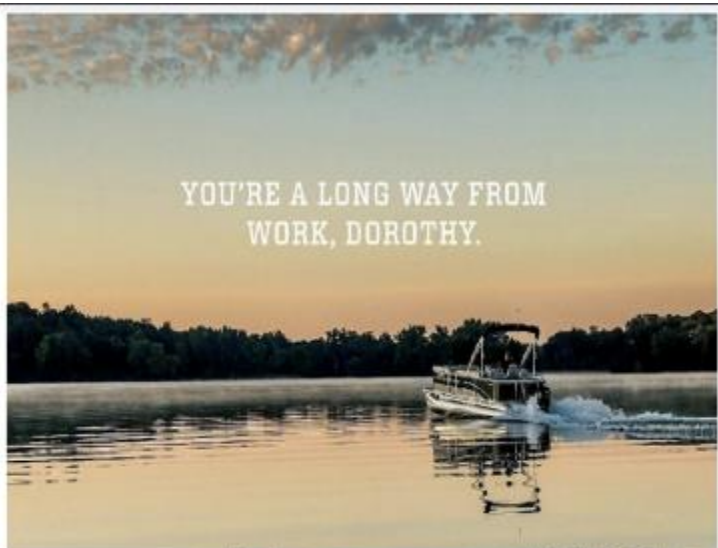
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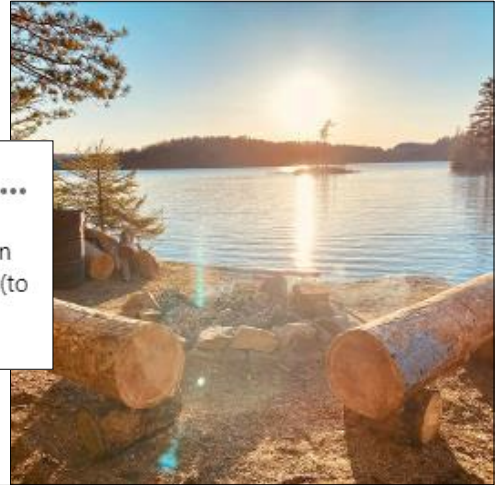
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Melanie Mills

April 17 · 🌐

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