

# CHIP CHAT

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Big Chip Lake Assoc

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## Big Chip Annual Meeting - Saturday, June 20, 1998 at 10:00 A.M. - Brandon School Gym

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### Free Confidential Water Testing Booth -

The Minnesota Department of Agriculture will conduct free (anonymous if you prefer) water testing for nitrate. Please refer to the enclosed flyer for specific instructions and information. Testing will be made available to Big Chip Lake Association members before the general public.

### DNR BOOTH -

Minnesota DNR will have a very knowledgeable Fisheries Biologist available to discuss current fish populations on our lake. The individual has spent a number of years studying Big Chip and has first hand fishing experience on our lake as well.

An Aquatic Vegetation Specialist will be present to show milfoil samples including the dreaded Eurasian milfoil and discuss aquatic vegetation and habitat.

### Trash Drop Off - Brandon School

Two 40 foot dumpsters will be provided by Douglas County Land and Resource Management. Appliances and tires along with general household trash items will be accepted. **NO BATTERIES.**

Lets use this opportunity to beautify our lake.

### Door Prize

A door prize will be given away to a paid member (dues are only \$10.00 and can be paid at the door to be eligible). The following lake members have paid as of June 3rd:

- Adam, James and Sharon
- Anderson, Roy and Florence
- Andert, Tom and Linda
- Aufenkamp, Paul and Sheryl
- Baker, Rita
- Barron, Richard and Marie
- Beattie, Bob and Cheryl
- Bednarz, David and Mary
- Bedor, Ernest and Mary
- Cashman, James and Carol
- Chapman, Jeffrey
- Chapman, Jerry and Janice
- Esala, Ken and Jan
- Field, Brian and Nancy
- Fogg, John and Virginia
- Gillespie, D. and Jean
- Hodorff, Daniel and Audrey
- Johnson, Charles and Patricia
- Johnson, Margaret
- Lanners, Ray and Evelyn
- Larson, Danny and Becky
- Lund, Dennis and Cheryl
- Maack, Paul and Mary Lou
- Matejka, Glenn and Doris
- Matter, John and Carolyn
- Matton, D. and Ione
- McKay, Myrtle
- McLeod, Thomas and Barb
- Olson, Arthur and Louise
- Peterson, Mr. & Mrs. Maynard
- Ploeger, Merritt and Jean
- Schjei, Mary
- Scott, Terry
- Serba, Gene and Joan
- Starke, Frank and Lou

#### *Chip Chat*

Board of Directors

- Terry Scott (834-5125)*
- Cheryl Beattie (834-4427)*
- Marilyn Tisserand (834-2100)*
- Paul Evavold (834-3275)*
- Lon Burgess (834-4539)*
- Don Peterson (524-2011)*
- Carol Cashman (834-2811)*
- Evie Lanners (524-2360)*

Steinwand, Elroy and Janet  
Stender, Michael and Shirley  
Strom, Clifford and Viola  
Swanson, Allan and Betty  
Thompson, Steven and Mary  
Tisserand, Marilyn  
Tripp, David and Gladys  
Wittsack, Herman and Vera

### Land and Resource Mngmnt. Booth

Marilyn Bayerl from Douglas County Land and Resource Management can answer your questions concerning lake shore uses including building, ripsapping, fertilizing, etc. Additionally, information on lake shore landscaping, including native species will be available.

### Chippewa River Watershed Booth

A representative of the Chippewa River Council will explain efforts underway to study our watershed (water from Big Chip is a point of origin source). Learn how our stewardship ties into the watershed and the Minnesota and eventually the Mississippi River.

## RENEWAL OF AND/OR MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

FOR

### BIG CHIP LAKE ASSOCIATION

Name (first, last) \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Local Address \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Lake Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Please submit this form with Association Dues of \$10.00 to: Big Chip Lake Assoc.  
Box 457, Brandon, MN 56315. Your support is appreciated.