

## Goose Lake Chain of Lakes Association 2016 Membership Form

The annual membership fee of \$25.00 is per household.

**Make check payable to:** Goose Lake Association

Mail Form and payment to: Donna Nieman 44811 Bending Ave. Harris, MN 55032-3834

Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Lake Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address (if different): \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address : \_\_\_\_\_

*Please check box if you do NOT live on the lake and are an associate member (supporter of the chain of lakes)*

*being an Associate member you are kept informed on lake updates and happenings. Your annual membership helps in protecting the quality of the lake and it's water shed.*

Neighborhood (Please Circle): Northern Pines, Cambridge Estates, Hilding Beach, Rolling Shores, Duford Shores, Tschida's Shores, The Narrows, Oxbow, Mandall, Sterling Hills, Holiday Shores

Goose Lake Association  
44811 Bending Ave.  
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## Goose Lake Association Fall Newsletter - 2016

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### Association Board Members

#### President

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#### Vice President

James Thill  
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Judi Churchward  
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#### Treasurer

Donna Nieman  
651-674-7165

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#### Web Design

Open position

#### Area Representatives

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*Rick Klick 320-358-3025*

##### **Hilding Beach**

*Jim Kubitschek 651-674-5883*

##### **Mandall and Holiday Shores**

*Diane Farrell 651-674-8626*

##### **Sterling Hills**

*Wendi Bigelbach  
651-674-7481*

##### **Cambridge Lake Estates and Oxbow Lake**

*Jay Olson 763-689-4453*

##### **Rolling Shores**

*Fern Vescio 763-689-6964*

##### **Duford Shores and Goose Lake Narrows**

*Joe Schwaab 320-358-3504*

##### **Tschida's Goose Lake Shores**

*Marco Schisano  
320-358-3323*

## Fall Lake Association Meeting

**Saturday September 10  
10:00am**

**Fish Lake Township Hall**

Pot Luck Lunch after the meeting

### **On the Agenda.....**

- Guest Speaker; Topic - Chisago County Parks and Water Trails
- Association Treasurers Report
- Gambling Treasurers Report
- Gambling News
- New paid positions
- Old Business
- New Business
  - Northern Water Milfoil ID'd in North Goose
- Volunteer Opportunities for Lake Association
- Recap of the Fairs
- Weed spraying
- Set next meeting date and time
- **Fall elections of President and Treasurer**

Thanks for being part of the Lake Association and taking an active interest in making our lakes and community an enjoyable place to live! Hope to see you at the meeting.

### Things to Know:

The Lake Association holds monthly meetings on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of every month at 7pm. (Except for the spring meeting in May and the Fall meeting September). They are held at the Fish Lake Township Hall

Lake Associations website  
[www.gooselakemn.com](http://www.gooselakemn.com)

If you have any suggestions for the website or would like to help with the design, we would love your input. Please contact Sara Heck at 651-674-6206 or [sheck@gooselakemn.com](mailto:sheck@gooselakemn.com)

### What is the purpose of a Lake Association?

To maintain and enhance the quality of recreational and residential enjoyment by working to identify lake issues that affect all who live on, near or use the Goose chain of lakes. The lake association is a non-profit organization dedicated to enhancing, preserving and protecting the quality of the lake and its watershed. We need you!! You can be as active in the association as you desire. From your support of the yearly membership fee of \$25 or using your talents to help with various needs. It is all needed and appreciated by all who live on or near the lake and those who visit the lake.

Thank You!!

## Supporters of the our Lake Association



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## What exactly is

## Northern Watermilfoil (*Myriophyllum exalbescens*)?



**Location:** Grows entirely underwater in depths from 1 to 20 feet.

**Description:** Dark-green, feathery leaves are grouped in fours around a hollow stem that is usually buff- or pinkish-colored; leaves are comprised of 5 to 10 pairs of leaflets.

**Hints to identify:** Northern watermilfoil is often mistaken for coontail or Eurasian watermilfoil, but it does not branch at the surface as much as Eurasian watermilfoil does; northern typically has half as many leaflet pairs as Eurasian has; northern leaves are rigid when removed from the water, but Eurasian leaves are limp when out of water. The northern species also forms winter buds (groups of small, dark, brittle leaves) in late fall and winter, but the Eurasian variety does not.

**Importance of plant:** Provides cover for fish and invertebrates; supports insects and other small animals eaten by fish; waterfowl occasionally eat the fruit and foliage.

**Management strategy:** When control is absolutely necessary, hand-pulling, raking, or cutting can be effective in small infestations. Collect and dispose of all fragments----they can regenerate into new plants. Treatment with aquatic herbicides can be effective.

Thanks to everyone who was able to help out at both fairs. We are hoping that next year they will not be on the same weekend so more volunteers can be used.

REMINDER: BINGO AT SPORTS PAGE TUESDAYS AT 7!

### From the Kitchen:

#### Easy Caprice Salad with our without Avocado

- 1 container of cherry tomato's cut into halves or fourths
- 1 carton of fresh mozzarella cheese pearls cut into small pieces
- 1/3 cup Basil julienned
- 2 tablespoon fresh Parsley
- ¼ cup lemon juice
- ¼ cup olive oil
- Cut Avocado (if preferred)
- Salt and pepper to taste

Combine tomatoes, mozzarella basil and parsley. Set aside.

Whisk lemon juice, oil, salt and pepper. Pour over tomato mixture. Toss to coat.

Cover and refrigerate for 1 hour before serving.

Just before serving, stir in chopped avocado.