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BBLCA Virtual Annual General Meeting Sunday, October 18, 2020

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President's Report

2020 will be a year no one will forget! The arrival of Covid19 in mid-March brought us to a standstill in bringing our members community events. We were able to get a few things in just before Covid19 arrived and a few more things during the staycation.

- **WATER:** Rich Corbin was kind enough to continue with E.coli testing this year. Phosphorus testing could not be done this year because the lab wouldn't process the tests due to COVID, but John Boyce was able to do Secchi depth testing (water clarity). You can see all of the results on our website. Thank you Rich & John for taking on this initiative.
- **COMMUNICATIONS:** Thanks to Nancy Boyce & Sue Flanagan for keeping our website and social media updated with the many changes that were occurring within our community as businesses reduced services and then increased them again. Our website, <https://www.bblca.ca> is a great resource where you can always find links to other organizations and everything you need to know.
- **SOCIAL EVENTS:** BBLCA usually provides many popular social events like the Regatta, Winter Carnival, Movie Night, etc. This year due to social distancing or quarantine we were forced to cancel most of these events with the exception of the Winter Carnival & Chili Cook-off which took place at Glenn and Kim's house. A special thank you goes to Kim and Glenn for all the support they have given the BBLCA over the years. They have been instrumental in making this organization what it is today. Unfortunately for all of us, they moved to New Brunswick this year. We wish them much happiness!
- Thank you to John & Nancy Boyce who hosted a full moon lake walk. Unfortunately we could not get all three in due to weather conditions. I was fortunate to participate and it was a memorable night and a great opportunity to meet new neighbours on the lake! Special Thanks to Pete Crawford for plowing a path for us for this event.
- We were successful in still having a few contests; our 500 Facebook Likes contest, Beaver Ice Melting contest and Build Your Own Boat contest. A special thanks to Ann Shier for donating one of her encaustic paintings for a prize.
- **MEMBERSHIP DUES:** As we have not participated in or provided a lot of programs this year, the board has decided there will be no BBLCA membership fees collected for 2020. If you prepaid for this year, you will be credited for an additional year!

Tabatha Dean

Treasurer Report

With minimal events and no membership fees collected there is very little difference between the BBLCA assets in 2019 and 2020. The one year pause has not impacted us to any real degree. Noting that our fiscal year ends in June so last year's regatta plus expenses show in the 2020 year column.

We have received a few new advertisers that are listed on our website. We encourage you to support companies that support us.

Angela Gill

2019/20 Year-End Financials follow

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General Operating Fund	2019/2020	2018/19	2017/18	2016/17
Beginning Balance	15,688.18	13,820.29	15,023.56	13,934.60
2017/18 Memberships			2,170.00	1,260.00
2018/19 Memberships		2,685.00	700.00	545.00
2019/20 Memberships		2,135.00	400.00	0.00
2020/21 Memberships		1,675.00		
2021/22 Memberships	1,202.32	715.00		
2022/23 Memberships	1,045.00			
2023/24 Memberships	90.00			
Raffles, Donations, Bank Directories	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,730.00	135.35
			0.00	0.00
Total	\$ 19,525.50 TOTAL	\$ 22,530.29 Total	\$ 20,023.56 Total	\$ 18,989.95 Total

Expenditures	2019/2020	2018/2019	2017/18	2016/17
FOCA Membership		545.00	608.50	573.50
FOCA on line fees			118.79	107.55
Website		159.98		
Website Domain		191.76	-35.00	156.76
AGM 2019	146.59	94.32		
Insurance 2019	1,058.27		1,048.68	2,097.36
Water Testing		350.00	325.00	300.00
Safety Signs			0.00	0.00
Directories			0.00	-1,910.00
Meetings, Postage,Supplies			563.16	61.92
Supplies 2019 (Chq)	147.14	19.11		
Donations		450.00	0.00	814.50
Recycle Bags Cleanup		14.67		
Spring BBQ			0.00	0.00
Regatta Shirts 2019	1,733.03	2,462.94		
Regatta Supplies 2019	686.83	606.95		

Regatta			932.06	-640.46
Movie Nite 2018		237.61	224.98	147.86
Paddleboard Seminar			737.00	-75.00
Land Between			-480.00	1,480.00
Welcome Baskets 2018		371.16		
Welcome Baskets		502.27	212.97	591.31
Sign Board			450.42	97.29
Turtle Crossing Signs		78.00	38.00	0.00
Photo Contest 2018		18.49	0.00	83.80
Hot Dog Cooker			659.29	0.00
Nature Walk		41.91	480.72	0.00
Facebook Contest		18.70	18.70	0.00
Winter Carnival - Chili	200.23	438.99	300.00	80.00
Prizes Various		220.00		
BCC Dinner Theatre & Dance				
Rock the Locks				
Sponsorship TY Cards-Choco	49.43	20.25		
Misc	1.50			
Total	\$ 4,023.02	\$ 6,842.11	\$ 6,203.27	\$ 3,966.39
Total BBLCA Assets	\$15,502.48	\$ 15,688.18	\$ 13,820.29	\$ 15,023.56

As of June 30, 2020

As of June 30, 2019

As of June 30, 2018

As of June 30, 2017

2019 AGM Minutes

Minutes for 2019 were included in their entirety. Please refer to the Minutes as posted to the Documents page on the BBLCA website.

Board of Directors

The list of current board members and the changes to take effect on Monday, October 26, 2020 were explained.

President: Tabatha Dean - Switching to Treasurer – acclaimed – will complete remaining 1 year term

Treasurer: Angela Gill - Stepping down

Social Director: Sue Flanagan - Switching to President – acclaimed for a 2 year term

Environment Director: Rich Corbin – acclaimed for a 2 year term

Secretary: Brenda Thomas - standing for remaining 1 year term

Director: vacant

Social Committee Director: vacant

Environmental Report

As stated above by Tabatha we were not able to do Phosphorus testing this summer. We were however able to continue to test for E.coli. Please see the results for 2020 below.

Additionally, we are looking for someone to investigate starry stonewort, an invasive species in some of our bays, especially in Catalina Bay.

Richard Corbin

Please note: Water testing information is presented on the Environment page of the BBLCA website.

Big Bald Lake E.coli Results 2020-2018

	Location	06-Jul	20-Jul	27-Jul	04-Aug	17-Aug	08-Sep	Average
2020	10. Saunders Bay	3	39	12	7	9	45	19.17
	1. Catalina Bay	4	36	20	5	6	2	12.17
	3. Jump Rock	4	24	56	9	14	6	18.83
	9. Big Bald Narrows	0	6	9	4	1	0	3.33
	12. Philrick Bay	0	3	2	3	2	0	1.67

	Location	02-Jul	22-Jul	29-Jul	06-Aug	12-Aug	03-Sep	Average
2019	10. Saunders Bay	0	3	4	14	6	2	5.80
	1. Catalina Bay	1	9	5	18	11	3	9.40
	3. Jump Rock	0	11	2	18	3	5	7.80
	9. Big Bald Narrows	0	4	2	1	2	0	1.80
	12. Philrick Bay	0	0	7	2	1	3	2.60

	Location	03-Jul	23-Jul	30-Jul	07-Aug	13-Aug	4-Sep	Average
2018	10. Saunders Bay	18	1	1	0	1	8	4.83
	1. Catalina Bay	35	5	2	5	2	1	8.33
	3. Jump Rock	1	3	1	0	2	3	1.67
	9. Big Bald Narrows	6	0	1	1	1	0	1.50
	12. Philrick Bay	0	2	0	1	2	0	0.83

Social Committee Report

As Tabatha pointed out above we canceled all events once the lockdown occurred in mid March. There were a few smaller socially distanced things going on this summer

- Weekday kayaking events, where different individuals meet up on the lake in their kayaks to gather together with each other safely. We also swam midway through.
- Philrick road and area clean up Thanksgiving weekend
- Witches Of Philrick will be out on Halloween, dressing up and walking around to our own amusement.
- Santa Claus Parade will be Friday January 1st this year, dress up your vehicle, come for a walk along Philrick and have hot chocolate back at the Flanagan's, details to follow to ensure we are Covid19 compliant
- As Kim and Glen have moved, we're wondering where that beaver of theirs has gone to. Go to our website and enter your guess. Random draw for a gift basket prize.
- Which of course leads us to our annual beaver ice melting contest.
- In lieu of the winter carnival we're coming up with a "Find It" Contest. You may have noticed us out on the lake taking pictures of things you will need to find on the lake between January 15 - February 15th. All correct answers will win a prize, one entry per household. Details will be sent out in early January.
- We produced a Nature Activity Colouring Book in the spring of 2018. We have now published the book to our website for you to print individual pages to entertain the kids at home. If you or your kids would like to draw a colouring page to add to ours please let us know.
- <https://bblca.ca/ColouringBook.html>
- We don't know what the summer of 2021 will bring us so we won't speculate on the regatta at this time, but we do have some great new ideas for the next one.
- Working on a @BigBaldLake.calm t-shirt that I hope to put forward in 2021 for you to place an order. If you have a design idea please put it forward.

And most importantly WE STILL NEED a Social Committee Director, please message Sue if you want more information. sue.bblca@gmail.com We are a great team who work well together but fresh ideas are always welcome so events don't get stale.

Sue Flanagan