

## MAY 2023 NEWSLETTER



### FOUND THIS ON THE WEB



Wishing tight lines  
to those in the Bass Derby!

### NEW FLAG POLE FOR YACHT CLUB ISLAND!

Mr. Tom Cooper has procured a 50-foot tall, aluminum flag pole. Now the necessary hardware, halyard, pulleys, rope, weights and lighting need to be obtained and installed onto the pole. Wonder Lake Fire Chief, Mike Weber has assured us that he will have the necessary volunteers to help transport the pole to Yacht Club Island and assist in removing the old flag pole and install the new. The goal is to have the pole in place in time for this year's Independence Day events, July

2nd – 4th. Big thank you to Tom Cooper, now we need to raise some funds to buy a huge flag! If you would like to help support this effort, please send a check to WLYC, 5104 W. Lake Shore Dr., WL 60097.

### PATRIOTIC COMMITTEE

Beginning May 13th and every Saturday through June 17th there will be volunteers on the street corner on both sides of the lake collecting for the Fireworks. We need 8 volunteers each Saturday to collect from 9 to 11am and 11 to 1pm. Please consider helping. Contact gallo22223@aol.com.

### BOAT DECALS

Get in early and avoid the lines! ...and the tickets!

#### Summer Office Hours:

Tuesday – Thursday 10am – 2pm

Friday – 3pm – 7pm

Saturday – 9am to 2pm

### WL SPORTSMAN CLUB

On April 23, 20 Club members visited all of the subdivisions on both sides of the lake to do their annual Spring Cleanup. The Club has found that the beaches are generally cleaner than they were the year

before. Keep up the good work for the rest of the summer and thank you WLSC.

## **A NOTE FROM THE SKI TEAM!**

The Wonder Lake Water Ski Show Team will commence its sixty-eighth season this Memorial Day Weekend on Sunday, May 28, at 4:00 pm, Center Beach. Who are we? We are an amateur water ski team that started back in 1955 when seven teenagers thought of a way to legitimize skiing every day during the summer! Fast forward sixty-eight years, and the Wonder Lake Water Ski Show Team is a six-time national championship winner that competes in regional and national tournaments and performs free ski shows most Fridays at Center Beach beginning at 7:00 pm.

The team practices several days a week at the north end of the lake. With more than 100 team members, ranging in age from five to sixty-five, we are proud to represent Wonder Lake and McHenry County. Please join us at Center Beach this summer to watch a show or at our practice site. For more information, please visit our website, <https://wonderlakeskiteam.org/>



Thank you to all of our Wonder Lake family, friends, and fans for your support. Let's get on the water!

## **MEADOWS OF WEST BAY UPDATE:**

Construction continues on the park and launch ramp with the goal of having it open and operational this summer.

## **BUOYS INCOMING!**

The Yacht Club will be putting the buoys out on May 21<sup>st</sup>. Thank you to the WLYC!

## **OTHER UPCOMING EVENTS**

### **Bass Derby:**

May 7<sup>th</sup>

Raffle to follow at the Grub and Pub! You could win one of 12 different butcher bags or 2 pistols!

### **Car Show:**

Wonder Lake Car Show / Park & Chill

Season Opener 5/21 12:00pm

Food, Music, and the BADDEST motor vehicles in the area! Trophy to BEST car in show by Public/Spectator vote!

### **Business Expo:**

Wonder Lake Community Club is hosting a small business expo at the MPOA office on 5/21 from 12:00-3:00 during the car show. If you are a small business and would like to rent a table for \$25 each to showcase and sell your wares, please email [wonderlakecc@gmail.com](mailto:wonderlakecc@gmail.com) for more information.

### **Golf Outing:**

WLCC will be hosting this year's golf outing on September 22<sup>nd</sup>. Please email [wonderlakecc@gmail.com](mailto:wonderlakecc@gmail.com) for more information.