

Winter Lakes Alliance
Meeting Minutes
August 13, 2022

Hi all, enclosed are the updates and meeting minutes from Saturday August 13, 2022

1. Meeting called to order at 10:00
2. Pledge of allegiance
3. Treasury report read by Jeff in Barb's absence
4. Secretary report
5. Old Business:

T-shirts both plain and embroidered are available for purchase

Signs at the Landings- volunteers to paint Black Dan's and new sign at Island Lake
(thanks to the volunteers who are doing both, will be done in the next couple of weeks)

Walleye stocking to be in late September or early October. Will post a message to all if you'd like to help! lots of fun!

Walleye stocking numbers for this year for WLA and DNR into our WLA lakes:

Lake Winter- 1500

Fish Trap- 500 plus 250 (extra donated)

Hunter - 500

DNR partnership numbers

Island - 1034

Barber- 1813

Blaisdell - 6821

Black Dan - 1379

All Walleyes are extended growth 7-9 inches

Stix and tree felling project. Thanks to Steve Beining for providing additional information on these projects. WLA is looking forward to this year working on the "tree felling project" This project is for some shoreline trees to be dropped in the lake at certain distancing on your property to aid in fish spawning and habitat. This project and tree felling must first be approved by Max Wolters, who has already given general approval and is waiting on individuals who are interested. Jeff Abrams (WLA vice-president) is taking

names of those interested individuals who want to participate. (Reach him and sign up at jeffreyabrams@me.com) please do this by Sept 1, 2022.

6.New Business:

Lake Loretta drawdown to begin August 29th. The DNR will have a special day to net out remaining fish to place into Lake Winter. I will let you know the date of this netting process and WLA volunteers will help on that day. More information after the next meeting

Loon Watch: looking for volunteers to monitor and count loons and chicks on their lakes. Check your DNR website for more information or to sign up.

Picnic to follow after the meeting at Doc Smith Park.

Tim Seidl on Shoreline management and zoning at the next meeting. See you there!

Next meeting will be on Sept. 10th at 10:00 at Winter Town Hall.