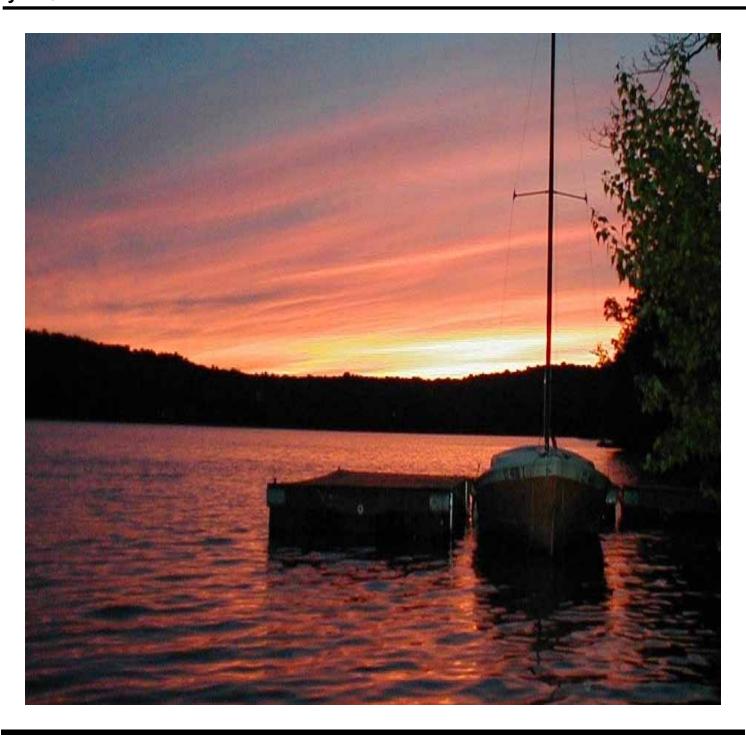
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Officers and Directors 2008

Official Meeting Notices

Andover Lake Property Owners Association (ALPOA)

ALMA

President: Art Wood	742.1231
Vice President: Gordon Stratton	742.6996
Secretary: John Benda	742.5606
Treasurer: Georgette Conrad	742.8805
Assistant Treasurer: Peter Klock	290-8972
Environmental Committee: Drew Hyatt	742.6863
Officer: Alan Westerberg	742.1678

Semi Annual Meeting Tuesday, June 24, 2008 at 7 PM

Annual Meeting

And

Wednesday, October 8, 2008 @ 7 PM Meetings held @ the Old Firehouse Andover, CT

ALPOA

President: Naida Arcenas	742.6583		
Vice President: Linda Derick	742.1284		
Secretary: Marty Paskoff	742.7757		
Treasurer: Lorraine Westerberg	742.1678		
Assistant Treasurer: Ed Dwyer	742.0128		
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Officer: Christian Zimmermann	742.0334		
Officer: Susan Bristol	742.0282		
Officer: Paul Botticello	742.7679		
Officer: Paul Carbonneau	742.7144		
Officer: Jennifer Nadeau	742.7203		

- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Roll Call of Officers
- 3. ALPOA's Secretary's Report
- 4. ALMA Treasurer's Report
- 5. ALPOA Treasurer's Report
- 6. ALMA Report
- 7. Presidents' Report
- 8. Committee Reports (Beach, Membership, Walkway Bridge, Newsletter)
- 9. Old Business
- 10. New Business
- 11. Adjournment

Contact Lorraine Westerberg (742.1678) for advertising in future Newsletters.

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Quick Drink Recipe for the Summer: Watermelon Lemonade

Ingredients:

1 ½ lbs sliced seedless watermelon, rind removed Zest of 1 lemon

3/4 cup freshly squeezed lemon juice

½ cup honey

1 ½ cups cold water

1 lemon, thinly sliced, for garnish

In a food processor, puree the watermelon until smooth.

Set a mesh strainer over a bowl and pour the pureed watermelon through it. Stir the pulp to let as much liquid as possible drain into the bowl. Discard the pulp.

Pour the watermelon juice into a large pitcher and add the lemon zest. Set aside.

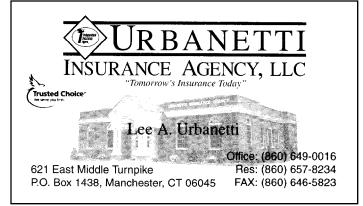
In a small bowl, whisk together the lemon juice and honey until honey dissolves. Stir this mixture into the watermelon juice, then stir in the water.

Cover and refrigerate until cold. Serve over ice and garnish with lemon slices. Serves 4.

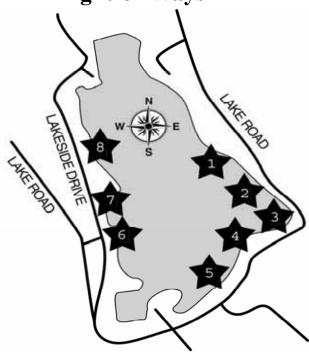
Recipe from Rozanne Gold in "The Oprah Magazine Cookbook"





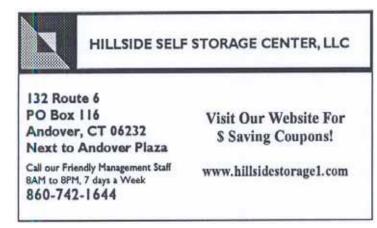


Right-of-Ways



- 1. Telephone pole #32 (between 418 & 416 Lake Road)
- 2. Between Andover Lake sign and pole #42
- 3. Across from 365 Lake Road
- 4. Next to 320 Lake Road
- 5. Next to 288 Lake Road
- 6. Across from Island Street
- 7. Across from pole #100 on Lakeside Drive
- 8. Next to 77/79 Lakeside Drive





Lakehouse of Environmental Distinction Award Application Deadline Extended

Want to be awarded for your love for Andover Lake? Many of you are already practicing good stewardship to the lake so the ALPOA, the Andover Lake Property Owner's Association would like to reconize you for your good efforts by receiving an award recognizing your good stewardship!

You will receive a handsome 6" diameter magnetic or sticker backed sign stating that you are "Proud to Be a Lakehouse of Environmental Distinction" to display. There is no charge to participate, so apply today! Applications will be accepted until a new deadline of July 1st.

If you choose to participate, you simply complete an application. You will be contacted for the best date and time for judging. Your property will be scored on the following practice. It is not necessary that you already do all of these practices to participate.

- Your lawn has healthy vegetation
- There are no signs of erosion on your property
- Your fertilizer use is minimized
- You have a vegetative buffer near the lake
- Your septic system is pumped by the suggested time period for the capacity of your house
- Your pesticide use is minimized
- If you have a compost bin, etc. present, refuse is stored with an adequate buffer from the lake (at least 50')
- If you have a compost bin, etc. present, water is diverted away from the pile
- You perform proper disposal of lawn refuse
- You conduct a soil test before using fertilizer
- You have allowed a test dye to be flushed through the system to check for lake contamination by your septic system
- You have erosion control structures around storm drains and erodible areas such as using grassy buffers, stone, riprap
 etc where your downspout extenders and gutters release water to prevent erosion
- You have gutters installed on your house
- You pick up animal feces near the lake area

This award is being sponsored by ALPOA, the Andover Lake Property Owner's Association. After the judging, you will receive a letter from LEAP, (Lake Environmental Awareness Program) outlining what you have done to be a good steward to the lake and or what you can do to help improve your practices and be eligible for an award in the future.

Houses on Lake Rd., Lakeside Dr., Lakeview Dr., Sunset Lane, Island St., West St. Extension, West St., Erdoni Rd., Rose Lane, Woodside Lane, Brown Dr., Rockledge Dr., Mathieson Dr. and Basoula Rd. and School Rd. in Andover, Connecticut are eligible to apply. If you are interested, simply write the contact person, address, and phone number and email of the contact person and mail it or email it to kayakin@sbcglobal.net with LEAP (Lake Environmental Awareness Program) in the subject or mail to LEAP, 4 Lakeside Dr., Andover, CT 06232.



Check out www.andoverlake.com: ALPOA's website is continuously updated and always provides the latest information on activities and policies. Many of the questions the Board typically gets are answered there, and in a more timely manner than any Newsletter could do.

We would like to point out a recently added section: there is now a bulletin board that gives the opportunity to ALPOA members to advertise freely regarding Lake related items, like kayaks for sale, fishing equipment to give away (or sell) or lost docks (yes, it happens!).









BLEACH YOUR BOATS AND WATER TOYS, PLEASE!

When you take your canoe, kayak, water floats, etc..., to another lake or beach, be sure to bleach them well before putting them back into Andover Lake. Bleaching is the only way to ensure that weeds, bacteria and other contaminants will be removed from these items and not infect beautiful, CLEAN, Andover Lake.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter!





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Summer Gardening Tips

By the Lake Environmental Awareness Program



Summer is a time filled with wildflowers and roses, forget-me-nots and sunflowers. If you are planning on some new plantings this summer, you should be prepared to water them daily since it is not recommended to plant after May 31 due to the lack of sufficient rainfall. Before planting, it is best to perform a soil test. Directions are available on the University of Connecticut's website http://www.soiltest.uconn.edu/. It is relatively inexpensive, just \$8 per test. Directions on how to test are online, you should take several representative samples from the area you plan to plant. You will receive recommendations on what type and how much fertilizer and lime to use in just a few days. You should fertilize and lime prior to planting, if it is needed. By soil testing you can save money and time by knowing exactly what your plants need. You should do this for grass as well.

Some plants require a more acidic soil. Avoid applying limestone to these plants. They include azaleas and rhododendrons. Ever wonder why your blue hydrangea is more of a pink color? That is because the soil is not acidic enough. Simply putting coffee grounds around the base of the plant will help to make it more acidic, and is environmentally friendly as well. Other organic natural fertilizers include compost or manure and inorganic fertilizers include wood ashes and granite dust. Nutrients are released more slowly from natural organic materials than from most chemical fertilizers. This makes the nutrients available to the plant for a longer time and they are less likely to be lost from the soil. Enjoy your flowers of summer!



Around the Lake: Hummingbirds

By Jenifer Nadeau



I have been delighted to have many ruby-throated hummingbirds visiting my feeders so far this spring. I have planted many flowers and purchased hanging baskets with the hummingbirds in mind. I have a simple hanging geranium, and a fuschia that the hummingbirds enjoy visiting. Some of their favorite flowers include trumpet or coral honeysuckle, bee balm (be aware that it can be invasive so you should be prepared to divide it every two or three years to keep it under control), an annual vine called cardinal climber, and salvias. Columbine is also attractive to hummingbirds. One of my personal favorites, the lupine, is also extremely attractive to hummingbirds and has a pleasant scent. It always reminds me of trips to Maine in June.

Consider hanging a hummingbird feeder in your backyard. It should be bright in color, red is always a good option, and the hummingbirds will be attracted to it. I can highly recommend the Best-1 Hummingbird feeder, which is from Texas. I have had hummingbirds visit up to 10 times per day or more on this feeder. It is no longer necessary to purchase hummingbird feed with red dye in it, in fact this may even be harmful to the hummingbirds. There are many commercial preparations on the market (again I use Best-1), or you can make your own. The problem with making your own is that you will need to replace it more quickly because there will be no preservatives in it as with commercial products. Recipe: Use one part white cane sugar to four parts water. It's not necessary to boil the water except to speed up mixing, since the microorganisms that cause fermentation are transported to the feeder on hummingbird bills. Store the unused portion in the refrigerator for up to 2 weeks. Be sure to clean and replace the liquid at least weekly, some commercial feeds call for cleaning twice a week. It is good to get a bee guard to prevent bees from getting in the fluid. Happy hummingbird hunting!

Picture from www.naturesartworks.com

ANNOUNCEMENTS & ARTICLES OF INTEREST

YOU'RE INVITED TO THE ANNUAL ALPOA MEMBERSHIP BEACH GATHERING

Saturday, August 16 from 4:00 PM – 8:00 PM at the Beach

4-6 PM Games for the Young At Heart with Prizes! Including:

- Washer Tosser
- Scavenger Hunt Around the Lake
- Survivor Hunt for the Idol on the Island Everyone Gets a Prize!
- Boat Parade and Hunt for Turtles Tour Decorate your Boat and Come Along
- Kayak Obstacle Race Using Natural Features of the Lake: Prizes for Fastest in Category: Under 13, Teen, 20-55, 55+, Kayak, Single Canoe, Two Man Canoe,



Family Canoe 5-7 PM Music and Food (Raindate: Sunday, August 17)

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RSVP required by <u>August 11.</u> Contact Linda Derick or 742.1284 or <u>willin@comcast.net</u>

Bring a dish to share!

BEACH RULES & HOURS

The beach will be open beginning **May 26th through Labor Day**, weather permitting. Beach hours will be weekends only from Memorial Day until the last day High School is in session and daily from 10 AM—8 PM thereafter. The last two weeks of August, the beach will close @ 7 PM. Please visit our website @ www.andoverlake.com for more information on Beach Rules, announcements and updates on activities.

SECURITY INFORMATION

Will Parks, ALPOA Security 655.4407

Please remember that you may visit the beach ONLY when it is OPEN. Any other time is considered TREASPASSING and will be treated as such.









2008/2009 Membership Listing as of June 8, 2008

Acabchuk	915	Caruson	903	Free	832	Kolb	454
Anderson	849	Celio	907	Frick	928	Корр	920
Asmuth	730	Christensen	573	Froehle	344	Kuzmickas	338
Auger	564	Clark	515	Furey	817	Kwasnicki	587
Auglis	763	Coffin	16	Gagne	32	LaFleur	785
Ayer	265	Coleman	925	Gallnot	446	Lagasse	316
Bain	420	Colonna	921	Gaudino	213	Lagasse	254
Ballard	548	Conrad	97	Genden	791	Lanagan	411
Baver	580	Conte	827	Giannelli	771	Landerfin	361
Bazzani	108	Corl	492	Gile	917	Landry	929
Beattie	895	Coughlan	789	Golemba	757	Lapierreq	918
Bednarz	809	Coulombe	178	Gostanian	616	Leger	168
Beebe	263	Crompton	543	Goulet	833	LeMasurier	908
Belanger	1	Cruess	852	Graves	905	Lenkiewicz	75
Belmont	770	Cudahy	498	Gray	228	Leuschner	859
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Berry	531	Daddazio	735	Haddock	835	Lindley	662
Berry	624	Daly	76	Hadley	869	Litwinko	115
Biagi	813	D'Amaddio	868	Hallisey	401	LoBianco	233
Bisi	821	D'Amour	484	Hangland	766	Loomis	315
Blanchard	880	D'Anzi	256	Hansen	902	Luntta	552
Boardman	826	Davis	739	Harlow	329	Macht	872
Boehler	825	Denizkurt	756	Hatem-King	601	Mager	884
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O'Brien	121	Stolzenbach	157		
Osborne	842	Stone	249		
Parks	490	Stratton	130		
Pasay	781	Suchon	830		
Paskoff	819	Suzuki	744		
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Perez	784	Swokla	547		
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Schilling	353	Westerberg	268		
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