

INDIAN LAKE SMOKE SIGNAL

OCTOBER 1995 INDIAN LAKE IMPROVEMENT ASSOCIATION

1995 Annual Indian Lake Picnic

The 1995 Annual Indian Lake Picnic was held at the French Estate again this year as always. But this year our dear friend and neighbor, Mildred French, was not with us. Mildred passed on to a better life earlier this year. We all enjoyed seeing her smiling face as she use to sit and listen to the entertainment or just chatted with her neighbors. Her presence will be greatly missed. The memory of Mildred French will always be in our hearts and on our minds. She was a Beautiful LADY!!

Everything went smooth this year except for the weather. It was HOT and Cloudy with thunder in the distance, but it never really rained on us.

The kids had a great time swimming, playing games, and eating ice cream, while the adults took in a few beverages and enjoyed a game of balloon toss.

Dan and Marlene Miller were the only couple who were COOL enough to wear a costume. They both looked very cute and took the prize for first place.

Kathy Zainey and Zelda Upton won the raffle baskets. Jessica Thomas and Christopher Brown won the balloon toss, while Dustin Van Treese was dancing around musical chairs and won.

Thanks to the hard work of the Indian Lake Civic Committee and the kindness of the French family year after year, we are able to meet and introduce our new neighbors while we enjoy laughing with old friends at the same time. I'm looking forward to next year's picnic. Anyone with cool theme ideas please call me.

Remember: Be nice to each other. If you can't say anything nice, Don't say anything at all! (That's what Thumper's mother always told him.)

God Bless and hope to see all of you at next years picnic.

Kathy Van Treese

DATES TO REMEMBER:

OCT. 21: HAYRIDE/WEINER ROAST
Watch for flyer soon
NOV. 13: CIVIC COMMITTEE MEETING
FLO PECK'S 10120 S. DRIVE
DEC. 9: PROGRESSIVE DINNER
????? WOULD YOU LIKE TO HOST ??????
DEC. 24: CHRISTMAS LUMINARIES

QUESTIONS? CALL...

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ACROSS THE FENCE



School time, School time, dear old golden rule time, no more sailing or swimming or pontooning time..... My! oh my! Where did the summer go? It just flew past so quickly. Some of our young folks graduated this past spring, and they are changing their sites of learning. Mike Benjamin is away at Vincennes University. His brother Jason is staying in the city at I.U.P.U.I., and Marcus Hoone is off to Purdue.

This retirement business, surely has it's down side, because we keep losing old friends out of the community.

This time of year starts all the extra curricular activities. Cub Scouts and Boy Scouts are a very important part of growing up for many boys. Jean and Phil Bly residents of the lake for 31 years were the local leaders of the Cubs and Scouts for many years. We are sad to say good-bye to Doc and Jean, but like several long time residents they have decided to retire and spend a lot of time in sunny Florida. It would be impossible to sum up all the time they have contributed to our community over the years. So we just say THANK YOU from our hearts, and may the Lord bless you real good.

Another couple that have worked for years on the lake are John and Loretta Miller. John used to work the old dredge we had year in and year out, Spring, Summer and Fall he was there. All three Miller boys grew up on the lake, and many times they helped their Dad on his projects for the community. We wish all that's best for Loretta and John and many happy years in Florida.

Russ and Sue Koehring have also taken themselves to retirement in Florida. Russ spent many years helping on the lake projects and the board of directors. Sue also made her contribution through the Women's Committee. We send them best wishes and kindest regards from Indian Lake.

Coming on board (that's navy lingo) at the former Bly residence are the Wallace crew. Mr. and Mrs. Wallace, David and Sherry are happy to find this special little area for their home. David is a native Californian, and Sherry hails from beautiful Tennessee. David is still in the U. S. Navy, and he is stationed at the Naval Reserve Center, Indianapolis. I don't know if Sherry has broken the news to her husband yet that two of his near neighbors are former British Navy personnel. From the great conversation that we had I know the ladies will be delighted to have her here. I had the privilege of meeting Isaiah when he came to play with our grandson and the local boys. Isaiah is ten and attends Forest Glen school. Miss Annalee is a big four and a half, and she is already attending preschool. She had to miss school the day they went to the pumpkin patch because she was sick. But, like most little ones, she was fine the next day. David and Sherry, the home you purchased has been a very happy home, and we hope it will be a very special place for your family for many years.

The new family at the former Miller residence are Greg Arvin and Nancy Hauck. We met Greg and Nancy and young Zachary enjoying swimming at North side beach. Greg is a contractor, and he and Nancy are working away like beavers. They have turned several smaller rooms into one large area with a marvelous view. Young Zachary Hauck is 10, and he is a student at Forest Glen. Zachary Arvin is 16, and he is attending Lawrence North High School. Dear Greg and Nancy, the Millers had 3 sons. Now you have bought their home, and you have two sons. We sincerely hope that both Zacharys will come to know every nook and cranny of our lake area. It is a magical place for children and young folks to grow up.

A home that is very visible by its location was the former Koehring home. We all see it regularly as we drive around the lake. This past few weeks we have watched the neat wood fencing going up around the yard. The enclosed area is going to be the special property of Zoya, a large Dalmatian. Of course Rob and Kathy Field and their daughters, Erin who is ten, and Sarah who just turned three on September 17th are the rest of Zoya's family. Rob and Kathy and the girls attend the 91st Christian Church. We will have to introduce them to other members of their congregation who reside on the lake.

Dick Lyke has decided to retire, but what a way to go. He had an operation on his heel and he will have to be immobile for several weeks. Then he will be on crutches for an extended period of time. Goodness grief, Dick, couldn't you have thought of a happier way to start retirement. Maybe we should buy you a skateboard to get around a little faster. Best wishes for a speedy recovery.

Until next time,
Maureen



NEW ARRIVALS :

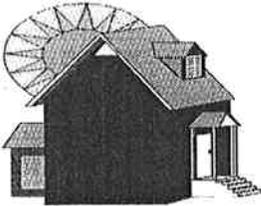
MARLOW LYNN RUMREICH WAS BORN ON MEMORIAL DAY (MAY 29TH) TO MARK AND LORI RUMREICH. SHE WEIGHED 7LBS. 2 OZ. AND WAS 22" LONG. MOTHER AND DAUGHTER ARE BOTH DOING VERY WELL, AND MARLOW IS JUST STARTING TO THINK ABOUT SLEEPING THROUGH THE NIGHT.

AMY AND RICK NELSON ARE ALSO PROUD PARENTS OF A NEW LITTLE ANGEL NAMED GABRIELLE MARIE. GABRIELLE WAS BORN A GRAND 8.5 LBS ON SEPTEMBER 5TH. WHAT A LUCKY GIRL, SHE HAS A BIG SISTER ELIZABETH AND A BIG BROTHER NATHAN.

Indian Lake Civic Committee

by Kate Eaton

The Indian Lake Civic Committee recently completed three improvement projects. One was the final installation of the floating dock. Thanks to Rodney Davis for the great craftsmanship. The dock has been enjoyed by many children throughout the summer. The most recent additions were the tennis backboard and horseshoe pits at the north side park. This nice work was done by Kevin Zainey. Thanks Kevin! Many thanks to Suzy McDaniel for coordinating the bid process and serving as the key contact for these projects.



Would you share your home with us?

Anyone interested in hosting a part of the progressive dinner, please call, Kathy Van Treese 823-6690, Kate Eaton 823-5108, or Suzy McDaniel 823-3862. We need at least 3 Host Homes, Appetizer- Main Course - Dessert .

Cost \$6 per Couple - \$3 Single We Provide Meat, Paper Goods, Set Ups

B.Y.O.B. And a Dish To Share

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5th ANNUAL BOB NICHOLAS MEMORIAL BASS TOURNAMENT

by Fred Zainey

After a half hour delay, because of rain and lightning, The 5th Annual Bob Nicholas Bass Tournament got under way. The sky cleared and made way for a beautiful day of fishing for 19 anglers. A total of 22 keeper fish were caught.

First place went to Kevin Augsburger with five fish weighing 8.4 lbs.. Kevin also caught the "BIG FISH" of the tournament at 2.6 lbs.. First place was worth \$62.50 and the BIG FISH was worth \$60.00. Kevin also received a nice plaque for First Place.

Bud Nelson, who was last year's Champion, places second with four fish weighing 7.4 lbs.. He received a plaque and \$32.50 for his efforts.

Third place went to Pat Conner with three fish weighing 4.5 lbs.. He received a plaque and \$25.00 for his efforts. Pat's wife Diane fished with him, marking the FIRST women's entry the tournament has seen. Rumor has it that she had a big fish on and Pat, while trying to land it, let it get away. She still managed to weigh one fish at 1.7lbs.

Thanks to all who attended and hope to see you next year.

