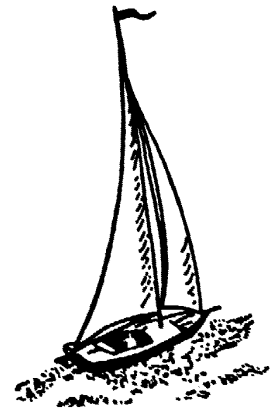


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February 12, 2015

Dear Fellow Member:

Reminder: By now you should have received the 2015 CLYC Data Sheet and Invoice in the mail. Use the Data Sheet to update your contact information, and to indicate your choices for Social Events, Racing, and Docking. Refer to the CLYC website if needed. Please return your Data Sheet as soon as possible and your Dues by March 31.

Membership: Mike and Sandra Sharkey have resigned from the club as they are moving out of the area. However, we are happy to announce the addition of 3 new member families: Samuel Barber, Christy Jacobs, and Kirby North Ancona. Please make them feel welcomed.

Environmental issue: We have recently learned that our lake is showing signs of Hybrid Eurasian Milfoil (HEWM) infestation covering some 20 acres. Since this invasive aquatic weed species can take over a lake in a very short time, efforts are underway to immediately assess and treat this problem, including seeking approval for a special assessment on lake front property owners to pay for the treatments. CLYC made a contribution to help with early organizational efforts. Some 20 lakes in Jackson County are already dealing with this issue. This problem is not new as Houghton Lake was treated successfully several years ago.

The Detroit Boat Show (Cobo) runs from February 14-22, 2015. This year the show includes a display targeting youth sailing, and there will be some sail boat dealer displays.

I am not rushing Winter, but the Dock Build Party is only 7 weeks away (Apr 4) and Docks Installation is 10 weeks away (Apr 25). Enjoy what's left of Winter and be careful.

All the Best!

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