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President's Message

Hello Indian Lake!

It's hard to believe how quickly a year can fly by. By the time you read this message I will have been President for a year. I have always admired the past Presidents for the time, effort, energy and dedication they have given to this wonderful lake, however after experiencing all that comes with being President my admiration has hit an all-time high! Regarding my Officers, Executive Committee and all Trustees, I could not have made it a year without each of you. Thank you for all your volunteerism! To the Sub-Clubs, you make Indian Lake GREAT through your tireless efforts. To the membership, your desire to be a part of something that is more than a neighborhood and rather a community that comes together for good times as well as sad times, to lift each other up and lend a helping hand...I thank you for your commitment to the ILCC. This community is by far very unique. There is a bond here that some will often refer to as a cult of sorts. Well...we wear green a lot, we cheer each other on in just about every sport imaginable, we win many of those sports because we show up with spirit, we love to show up inside or outside for events and when you add it all up we have some haters. That's ok! Jealousy is the best form of flattery. If that's a cult...then...I guess...we are a cult.

September was a great month! We had another incredible Margaritaville! Mr. Lovejoy brought their A game. There were even some guest performances from Quarter Pound Jones and your very own Crier Editor... Alan Tecchio! All the performances rocked the mic and shook the deck! A great time was had by all. Thank you to all who helped out...Noelle, Jen, Joe, Bob, Trevor, Maryann, John, Tom, Dean, Anthony and Jerry. Special thanks to Laura and Paul for teaming up to put such a great event together!

Lastly, when you get this Crier, the Annual Meeting will be about a week away. The Board voted to move the meeting to 9/29 at 8 PM in an effort to be closer to our fiscal year end. Please join us at the clubhouse- We have a volume of reports to cover and I look forward to seeing everyone.

Thank you for the opportunity to serve as your President this year.

Mike Gavin, ILCC President



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By Johari Fuentes



Kids, we were talking about the children in our neighborhood.

With our town making it to #9 in NJ it is no surprise to us that we qualify as a great place to raise them. Now, why is that?

And why should you care if you no longer have them or never will?

For me, it is part of the package, the scenery... We have trees, we have a lake, we have free-range kids! They can still ride their bikes to their friends' houses, they can visit with them without their parents having to create calendars and complicated playdate schedules. We see the Carius' girls and June and Lucy at the Cassella household selling lemonade, boys at Highland Trail's secret stairs exchanging their Pokemon cards, the Brojan bros jamming outside and creating their own band (Quarter Pint Jones? - of course Johnny O'Boyle aka 'The Voice' came up with that) and who doesn't smile when you see them? The Parkins' kiddos fundraising for the local playground and of course, Mr. Sam Allen himself celebrating his birthday in style during the "Third Annual Cherokee Trail Block Party" a magical occurrence when cardboard becomes cool rides at an outside movie theater amongst friends and fireflies...

Kids playing outside! Doing kid things, and as an integral part of our community that celebrates together and helps each other. People meeting organically, what is the Kool-Aid? Margaritas? I wasn't present at the latest Margaritaville but I hear it was epic.

Thank you Laura Hoffman for another opportunity to celebrate (oh, and Happy Birthday to you!).

Next up is Halloween! And nothing says Indian Lake like adults and kids alike dressing up and having some fun. If you are lucky enough you'll get "Boo'd" by a neighbor. Save me some Twix, I will probably be the seaweed witch with natural black circles under my eyes! Or maybe I'll go as a goose. Scary!

These are some of our neighbors with birthdays in October: Some energetic and loyal Libras, others driven and strong Scorpios: Liam E. Schultheiss 8, Josh Gribbon 22, Adam Van Buskirk 19, Autumn Van Buskirk 17, Zachary Heinbockel, Niles Furlong 8, Kathy Doran, Bob Plucinsky, Elizabeth Souin, Connor Quincey, Ryan Tierney, Pete Fox, Tom Kennedy, Robert Plumb 16, Dave Hedden, Cosette Boulanger 18, Kristen King, Haley Parente 22, Max Haulkenhauser 18, Johnny and John Cisco, Mike Ambrosi, Tracey Murphy, Bobby Jones, Steven Jones, Caroline Meyer, Nicholas McDonald, Joann and Roy Schreiver, Rebecca McAteer 18, Laura Hoffman, Josh Covello, Jack Bertram 10, Adam VanBuskirk 20, Autumn VanBuskirk 18 and Bob Hennessey!

Send me your November birthdays or tell us about your favorite ILCC childhood memory: joharifuentes@gmail.com

See you around the neighborhood!

—jo

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Edward J. Hunt, of Indian Lake passed away peacefully on Monday, August 21, 2017 at the age of 92.

Born in the Hell's Kitchen section of Manhattan to the late James and Carrie Hunt, he was raised in North Bergen, NJ. Ed was a proud Navy Veteran who served our country in World War II. Ed was a parachute rigger during the war, responsible for the 'chutes used onboard Navy planes. After the war, he returned to work at Avon Knitting Mills and rose to be the plant manager at a time when textiles were one of New Jersey's main industries. As soon as he could, he purchased one of the first 35-mm cameras which began his lifelong passion for photography.

To the end of his life, he told stories with great visual detail, recalling the horses and wagons on the New York streets of his childhood; the Hoovervilles he saw in Hudson County during the Depression; the Navy station in Brazil where he learned to speak Portuguese and ride horses; the changes in his industry as it closed down in New Jersey; his travels to Haiti, Europe and our National Parks; how to wait for just the right light to "shoot" a butterfly; and so many more.

He was a member of Denville American Legion Post #390, Past Commander (1957 - 1958) of Edward McDowell VFW Post #2648 of North Bergen, Indian Lake Community Club, past member of Morristown Photo Club, and founder and only life member of the Hub Camera Club of Mountain Lakes. For many years, Ed volunteered at St. Clare's Hospital in Denville. He was a phenomenal man, husband, father, grandfather, great-grandfather, and friend who will forever be treasured in our hearts and souls.

Predeceased by his beloved wife, Elsie in 2015 and his brothers, William "Bill", Walter, Robert, and Kenneth. Left to keep his legacy alive are his loving children, James Hunt and his wife Carolyn of Morristown and Diane Braybrook and her husband Ron of Belfast, ME; his cherished grandchildren, Jessica Hunt, Steven Braybrook and his wife Aimee, David Braybrook and his wife Lauren, and Adam Hunt and his wife Louisa; his adored great-grandchildren, Rhys, Rowan, and Maxwell Braybrook; his caring sister-in-law, Janet Hunt of Whitehouse Station; and many extended family and friends.

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We are making some changes to our membership process that will allow the club to better manage memberships earlier in our busiest season- summer.

Starting with the 2018-19 season, membership and upkeep will be due on May 1.

Moving the renewal date back one month will allow the volunteers who run our many subclubs, sports teams and swim lessons to better manage their own sign-ups, prepare for their seasons, and organize swim lessons.

To accommodate the earlier renewal date, we will open membership for 2018-19 on March 1.

You can pay by credit card or check starting on that date. You may also request a payment plan option by contacting ilccmembership@gmail.com

Please be aware that payments made more than 30 days late may be subject to a late charge.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact ILCC Membership Trustee
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Indian Lake Men's Club News



Hello Indian Lake,

Another Summer has come and gone. We ended it with our annual Men's Club vs Indian Lake softball game followed by our traditional picnic at the Clubhouse. Thanks to everyone who helped out and attended. It was a great way to end the Summer!

With the start of Fall comes the start of football of course! So don't forget to come on down to the Clubhouse for some Monday Night Football!! If you need another reason to stop down... Please remember that our Men's Club meetings are held the 1st Monday of every month at 8pm. We would love to have you stop by and check out what our organization is all about. It's a great group of guys and we strive to keep improving the great lake community we all live in. Please join us if you can.

Hope to see you then.

Chip Morris
ILCC Men's Club President

IT'S GREAT TO BE A MAN



Indian Lake Women's Club News



Another fun summer lake season has come and gone, with many memories to savor for years to come. As we pack away the warm weather gear, the Women's Club is busy planning and preparing for our upcoming fall events and fundraisers.

After suggesting and voting for our allocations at our annual business meeting, the Indian Lake Women's Club collectively made the decision to contribute our largest donation back to the community. With our allocations, we will be making purchases to help make more capital improvements, including more kayak racks and repairs, outdoor tables for the beach, dog decoys for the geese, wagon and receptacles for recycling, aerator for swim lanes, resin decking along swim lanes and a sizable donation towards the Clubhouse Renovation Savings Fund.

These donations would not be possible without our fundraisers throughout the year. Thank you to our many volunteers who make it happen, and to all of you who help make our events successful. Speaking of events, we have a number of fun events coming up, so please save the dates for: Trunk or Treat on October 28, Holiday Boutique on November 18 and family portraits on November 23-25. Check emails and our Facebook Page for times and updates.

Our annual Fall Social is slated for October 12 at 6pm, where we will welcome new and old friends for a festive fall-themed pot luck dinner. If you're a new resident or if you have been thinking of joining, the fall social is a great time to check out the Indian Lake Women's Club and meet new friends. Please check your email for dish sign ups or email Peg Giardina at pegpiz19@gmail.com for more details.

Your friends and co-presidents,

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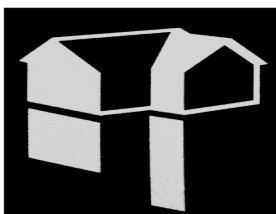
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1	2 8pm Men's Club Meeting	3	4	5	6 Hub Lakes Awards dinner	7
8	9 8pm Trustee Mtg	10	11	12 7:30pm Women's Club Meeting	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21 member private party
22	23	24	25	26	27 6pm Private Event	28 2pm Trunk or Treat
29	30	31	1 November	2	3	4



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