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"Are we celebrating the start of the new year or having survived the old one?"

"New Year – Same Beautiful View" Photo: ILCC Member, Hilary Blatz

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President's Message

Hello ILCC Members,

I hope you all had a wonderful holiday season and a Happy New Year. Hopefully the new year, and the vaccine, return us to a more normal time and we can all be able to gather again as a community.

I would like to welcome our two newest Board members, Jen Taylor and Lauren Aitchison. Jen is our new Welcome Wagon trustee and Lauren will be handling Special Projects. We are excited to have both join us and I am sure they will be great additions to the Board.

January usually brings a chance for us to get out and ice skate on our beautiful lake, but I would like to remind everyone to do so safely. While the ice may look thick and safe, there is moving water under the ice which affects the thickness. Please make sure you skate with others and do not go out on the ice at night.

As you all know, we recently completed our lake lowering, and I hope everyone was able to complete the work they needed to do while the lake was down. We ended up leaving the lake lowered until the expiration of the permit to allow some extra time for everyone to get their work done. With the lake lowering comes the need to re-stock the lake with smaller fish that the bigger fish feed on, and this was completed in early December by adding 31,000 minnows and 30-40 trout to the lake. We will probably need to add some more minnows in the Spring as well, and if we do, we will make sure to let you all know. There is a donation form on the ILCC website, so if you feel inclined to make a donation toward the re-stocking, it would be greatly appreciated.

Finally, I would like to mention the passing of two long-time ILCC members. Pete Parente lived in Indian Lake for over 50 years with his wife Isabelle and their children, and I had the pleasure of being a neighbor of his for almost 20 years. Pete was a veteran of the Korean War and was very proud of his service to his country. Pete also volunteered for many fundraising and improvement projects throughout his time in the lake, and was a past member of the Bay & Lagoon committee. Hal Colburn lived in ILCC since 1976 with his wife Marggie and their children. Hal was an avid fisherman and could be found down at the clubhouse docks frequently fishing for bass. He was a member of the Morris County and Lackawanna County Bassmasters, and was Angler of the Year in 2010 & 2019. On behalf of the entire ILCC community, I would like to express our condolences to the Parente and Colburn families.

If you have an idea of how we can provide additional support for our members, or any ILCC resident, please do not hesitate to reach out to me by email at ilccbobcovello@gmail.com, or call me at 201-400-2784.
I look forward to seeing you all around the lake!

Sincerely, Bob Covello, ILCC President

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We are now entering the shortest month of the year. A transitional time, finding itself just after a month of reflection and New Year's resolutions. It is the last month of the meteorological winter in the northern hemisphere. So spring won't be far behind! But maybe, if we are lucky, we will be able to have the Indian Lake Ice Regatta this year. It has been a while since mother nature cooperated and gave us the ice conditions needed, so let's hope this is the year. We also get to look forward to Valentine's Day, warm soup on snowy days, and runny noses while playing outdoors. You have probably also noticed that it is Girl Scout cookie season. If you haven't gotten your orders in, there are plenty of girl scouts living in Indian Lake that would love to help you satisfy your cookie cravings. And on a final note, let us not forget President's day. Enjoy that long weekend.
It will be a while before the next one!

ILCC February Birthdays and Celebrations:

Happy Birthday to Eva Halkenhauser who turns 20 on the 15th, Katie Kraig, who is new to the lake, will turn 60 yrs young on the 27th, Caiden Scott turns 11 on the 12th, Bob Elko, the legendary "Voice of Indian Lake", celebrates his birthday on the 22nd, Casey Zimmermann will be 8 on the 24th, Ellen Halm will be 60 on the 2nd, Stephanie Lydon also celebrates a birthday on the 2nd, Michael Lockburner turns 7 on the 15th, Carly Hennessy turns 22 on the 12th, and Eden Mayer will be 9 on the 27th.
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Indian Lake Family Club News

While 2020 will go down as a year we'll never forget, we have high hopes that 2021 will be our time to make up for lost time. If this was the Pre-Covid era, we would be penciling in our event dates for the year. As we know, for now, we aren't having events or gatherings to adhere to social distancing restrictions and to keep the community safe. That said, we are making plans to possibly coordinate a virtual game night or something similar this winter. If we have enough interest, we've even thrown around the idea of doing a make and take crafty-type of virtual event, similar to what we did outdoors in the summer. At this time, we are wide open to ideas. Reach out if you're interested in leading a virtual activity!

Though it was a few months ago, I wanted to send my heartfelt thanks to the Mens' Club for spearheading the Gazebo Christmas Tree this year. The Tree Lighting was one of our very first events, and it grew into an impromptu sing along the following year. Sadly, there was no way to make it happen this year, but we loved seeing it lit up nonetheless. For us, that tree was a steadfast reminder that on our darkest days, there will still be light to guide the way.

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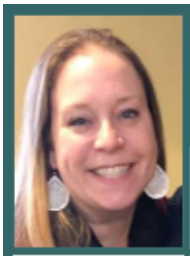

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Indian Lake Men's Club News

Greetings!

I hope everyone had a great holiday season and a safe New Year. I think I speak for a large majority (everyone) when I say we were ready to put 2020 behind us!

Before we get into 2021, let's briefly rewind to early December. The Men's Club held our annual Christmas Tree sale and the turnout was excellent, even with the cold, soggy weather. Trees flew off the lot at a record pace on Friday night (in the rain!), and we were sold out by early Sunday morning. I want to thank Chip Morris, his family, and the countless Men's Club members for a top notch job with the setup, decorations, unloading, loading, sales pitches and clean up. We'll do it all again in a few short months! Although we were unable to hold our beloved Breakfast with Santa event this year, there was still plenty of holiday spirit to go around in the lake.

Now on to 2021...we kickoff with our February meeting on Monday, 2/1 at 8pm. Due to the cold weather, we will hold the February and March meetings via Zoom, so check your emails for the link and dial-in number. We hope to resume outdoor meetings in April as the warmer weather rolls in.

New to the lake? Old to the lake? Give back to your community and join the ILCC Men's Club! Contact us at: indianlakemensclub@gmail.com

Be well and see you around the lake!

Rob Zuffi, Men's Club President

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Indian Lake Women's Club News

Happy New Year and Happy Valentine's Day!

Despite the state of states, we still managed to have a few fundraisers running during the holidays: The Holiday Wreath Sale Fundraiser – chaired by Terri-Lee Paradise & Joanne O'Leary, the 2021 ILCC Calendar Fundraiser – chaired by Heather Kemp and Linda Lash and the ILCC Gear Fundraiser – chaired by Sue Sammond. Our hats are tipped to these ladies who worked very creatively to make these fundraisers happen and to be so successful!

Also, in early December, one of our new club members Lauren Pannucci saw a need to help our community by putting together a wonderful Food Drive to be sponsored by our club. Lauren organized the food items to be collected that were to be given to people in need and Joanne O'Leary jumped in to help out. A huge thank you goes out to both ladies, our community and the Indian Lake Bistro for the generous outpouring of food donations that made this event a huge success. Over 400 pounds of food were donated to the Interfaith Food Pantry. Another reminder as to why Indian Lake is such a wonderful community to be a part of!

Next up we have a couple of upcoming event reminders. We have slated the Spring Yard Sale for Saturday, April 24, 2021. We are looking for someone to Chair this event to coordinate all of the details. Please contact Joanne at joanneoleary@mac.com to let her know if you're able to help. Also, due to the clubhouse restrictions still in place we've rescheduled our BUNCO event to Sunday, May 2, 2021 where we hope to incorporate the outdoors as part of our event and more details will follow as we get closer to that date. Our next Zoom Women's Club meeting will be held on Thursday, February 11, 2021 at 7:30pm.

Warm Regards from your Indian Lake Women's Club Co-Presidents,

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Our Condolences

Sadly, long time ILCC member
Harold "Hal" Colburn
passed away on January 1, 2021.
An avid fisherman, Hal spent many 'a day at the clubhouse during his 40 years at Indian Lake.

Indian Lake will certainly miss
Peter "Pete" Parente,
who passed on December 1, 2020.
Involved in fundraising and property improvement projects, Pete was also a past member of the Bay & Lagoon Committee.

February 2021 Calendar of Events:

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
31	1 8pm Men's Club Meeting	2	3	4	5	6
7	8 7:30pm Trustee Meeting	9	10	11 7:30pm Women's Club meeting	12	13
14 Happy Valentine's Day!	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
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