

# Columbian Droplet

A Drop of News with the Dues  
June 2024 SPECIAL EDITION  
Lake Columbia Property Owners Association

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## 5-YEAR SPECIAL ASSESSMENT

**The 5-Year Special Assessment passed with an overwhelming majority of 75%.  
Thank you to our members for your support and "Investing in Our Future"!**

Included in this mailing is the initial \$225 payment of a 5-Yr Special Assessment. The remaining 4 payments will be conveniently combined with your annual membership dues invoices for the years 2025-2028.

**Thank you to all the Volunteers on the Board and Committees for all your hard work! The future of our lake and community is bright!**

### BOARD MEMBERS AND OFFICERS

Tom Crampton	<b>President</b> , Royal Shores, re-elected
Ron Puczkowski	<b>Vice President</b> , Sherwood Shores & Hill n Shore
Tom Hitz	<b>Treasurer</b> , Riviera Shores, re-elected
John Minar	<b>Secretary</b> , Grand Pointe, Blakely Shores
Cory Borgeson	Cambridge, Fletcher, Imperial, Bay View lots 1-36 Shores
Chris Bowman	Holiday I Shores
Tim Burns	Holiday II Shores
Rich Miller	Southern Shores, newly elected
Chris Wholehan	Bay View Shores

### 4th of JULY OFFICE HOURS

The Office will be **closed Thursday, July 4 and Friday, July 5.**

Leading up to the holiday, our office will be open during the following days and hours. If you require any business or need decals &/or ramp keys before the holiday please visit the office, call, or email. After-hours pick-up arrangements can be made. Current vehicle and watercraft registrations must be submitted to receive decals &/or a key.

**Mon., July 1, 9 - 5**

**Tue., July 2, 9 - 5 extended hours**

**Wed., July 3, 9 - 5**

**Fireworks show Saturday, July 6 at dusk from the Island.**



**Have a Safe and Fun Holiday weekend!!!**

### TRASH SERVICE INFORMATION

Our association pays LRS for trash collection on a monthly per home/lot basis. If you plan to be away for a month or more, please notify the LCPOA Office in advance so we can suspend trash service during that time. This simple step helps our association reduce our trash expense. All other matters are handled directly through LRS by calling 517-536-4900 ext. 13159.

LRS does not accept items such as construction materials, wood, paint, or other non-household trash. Call LRS for more details.

Starting in October, trash will be collected once a week on Mondays.

**Note:** Due to Labor Day, Monday 9/2 pick-up will be moved to Tue. 9/3 and Friday pick-up will be moved to Sat. 9/7.

### OTHER INFORMATION

- Thank you to the LC Activities and Volunteers for the Summer Kick-off party! A special shout out to Karen Kiss, Deb Peltier, Terry Bajorek.
- Thank you to Darla Cover, Gail Durham, volunteers and vendors for a great Craft Show!
- Keep an eye out for our Columbian Splashes, Facebook, and the Website Calendar for weekend food trucks and other activities!
- Pending; Movie Night at Castlewood Park: Friday, August 16, dusk. Volunteer help needed to make this activity happen. Please contact the office if you can volunteer for this night-time activity.
- Join us on ZOOM for monthly board meetings if you cannot attend in person. Meeting details will be sent in a Columbian Splash and posted on Facebook.
- Lakeside members, please remove Timberchar bags from the water by October 1 per EGLE requirements.

### LAKE COLUMBIA APPAREL & MERCHANDISE

Starting Monday, July 1, Lake Columbia apparel and accessories from Great Lakes Designs will be available for purchase in the office. The items for sale include t-shirts, sweatshirts, hats, tumblers, tote bags, coasters, stickers and more. **Plus, Great Lakes Designs will donate 10% of proceeds to our programs supporting activities, fireworks, and fish stocking!**

Embroidered shirts, sweatshirts, and hats will be added to the merchandise selection in the future.



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# ANNUAL PICNIC



**Date: Saturday, August 17**

**Time: 1:00p—5:00p**

**Place: Castlewood Park**

The Office is excited to announce our annual picnic! Join us for an afternoon of community and family connection. We're thrilled to bring members together for a day of Fun, Food, Music, Games, Apparel, Laughter, and More! Great time for everyone from little to tall!

**Adult and teen Fun: Cornhole - 2 sets, Tug-a-War Rope Raffle for Lake Columbia Merchandise!**

**Kids Goodie Fun Bag while quantities last (12 & under)**

**Kona Ice (available for purchase)!**



**Great Lakes Designs, selling LCPOA merchandise!**

Dave's Dogs will cater the FOOD for our picnic.

**1 Complimentary Member Meal Ticket =**

Choice of Pulled Pork Sandwich, Sausage, or Hot Dog

Choice of Coleslaw or Mac n Cheese

Choice of Drink (water or pop) and Chips

**Up to 4 complimentary tickets per household.**

**Additional member &/or guest tickets are \$5.**

Tickets are **NOW** available at the office.

Tickets will be available for pick-up

**until Friday, Aug. 16.**

**DJ & MUSIC**



**JUST FOR KIDS**

Foam Machine 2-4 

Inflatable Double Slide



Kids Cornhole

Wet Sponge Ring Toss

Goodie Fun Bag



# ANNUAL PICNIC INFORMATION WHEN YOU RECEIVE YOUR TICKETS



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Additional member &/or tickets \$5 each.

**\* Kids Goodie Fun Bag:** 12 and under

**\* LC Merchandise Raffle:** 5 Drawings at 4:45pm

**Print Name and Phone number** on the back of all tickets.

Do not have to be present to win.

**Lost tickets cannot be replaced &/or refunded.**