



Tri Lakes Community Center Gazette

Removing docks and storing pontoons is a sure sign that autumn has begun and winter is right around the corner. The unique challenges of 2020 certainly did not put a stop to the necessary tasks in preparation of winter's arrival. In anticipation of what's to come, it is probably a good idea to find the scrapers, shovels and warm clothing. Hopefully, there will be just enough snow and suitable ice conditions to allow for the enjoyment of your favorite recreational activities.

On behalf of the board of directors and officers, I wish you good health, balance in your lives and much optimism. To members who travel south: have a safe trip, enjoy the warmer weather and see you in the spring.

Stay Safe & Happy Holidays!

Kathy

2021 Calendar of Events

The Coronavirus pandemic disrupted people's lives in a variety of ways including the TLCC. Most all events and fundraisers were cancelled which have not only posed financial issues, but created an environment that is not conducive to TLCC's mission. Nearly everyone really missed the annual activities and gatherings that have become a tradition and a way of life for the Tri Lakes community. Let's keep our emotional and mental wits about us and hope for a better 2021!

Initial plans are underway for the 2021 events. Please keep in mind that public health and safety is of the utmost importance to our community members. Therefore, any surge in COVID cases and state or county mandates will take priority when considering hosting or canceling events.

Tentative 2021 Calendar

56th Annual Fisharama	Sat. Feb. 6	Noon - 4:00 P.M.
Spring Ham Bingo	Thurs. March 25	6:30 - 8:30 P.M.
Spring TLCC Clean-Up	Sat. May 15	9:00 A.M. - Noon
Pancake Breakfast	Sun. May 30	9:00 A.M. - 1:00 P.M.
Sales Around the Lakes	Sat. June 19	8:00 A.M. - 1:00 P.M.
Turkey Potluck	Sat. June 26	4:00 P.M. - 6:30 P.M.
Fourth of July Events		Times to be announced
Golf Outing	Fri. July 2	
Road and Boat Parades	Sat. July 3	
Fireworks	Sat. July 3	
Canoe and Kayak Race	Sun. July 4	
Corn & Pork Roast	Sat. Aug. 21	4:00 - 6:30 P.M.
Soup Saturday	Sat. Sept. 25	Noon - 3:00 P.M.
Fall TLCC Clean-Up	Sat. Oct 16	9:00 - Noon
Trunk 'N Treat	Sun. Oct. 31	5:30 - 7:00 P.M.
Fall Turkey Bingo	Thurs. Nov. 18	6:30 - 8:30 P.M.

Club Meeting Dates:
@ 10 A.M.
Jan 9, Feb 13, March 13,
Apr 10, May 8

BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS

2019- 2021 Term – expires June 2021

Dan Corbin	(218)390-0748
Steve Noble	(715)399-2336
Judy Peterson	(218)590-7487
Rick Raymond	(218)391-4472

2020 - 2022 Term – expires June 2022

Amy Clarke	(715)919-4139
Theresa Plasch	(218)393-6248
Sandi Raymond	(218)391-8108
Terry Erickson	(218)391-2445

Officers

			<u>Term expires</u>
President	Kathy Lisdahl	(715) 399-8282	June 2022
Vice President	Dan O’Connell	(218)390-2357	June 2021
Secretary	Diane O’Connell	(715)817-1274	June 2021
Treasurer	Jay Hunger	(218) 390-0030	June 2022

SCHOLARSHIPS



The TLCC will be offering one post-secondary scholarship for members, their children or grandchildren. Members must be in good standing in the TLCC for a least one year prior to the date of application. A scholarship application is included in this newsletter and must be postmarked by March 15, 2021.



TRUNK 'N TREAT



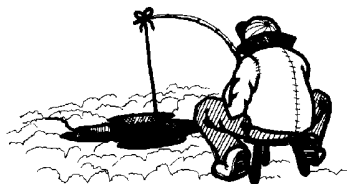
Seven families decorated their vehicles and handed treats to over 85 eager trick or treaters. Witches, ghosts, dancers, a dinosaur, a policeman and an old woman in curlers were sighted. The array of costumes was delightful. We weren't prepared for such an increase in the number of children participating and ran out of candy. We are sorry about that, but didn't know what to expect during the pandemic. We hope that as many children will come back next year!



RUTH HOUSE COMMUNITY PROJECT



With the assistance of Raquel at 4 Corners Store, we were able to host three separate donation campaigns at 4 Corners Store for the Ruth House in Superior WI. The Ruth House is a Jesus based non-denominational ministry serving the people of our community. They provide assistance in a number of ways: Community meals, clothing, tutoring, showers, laundry, ministry and a warm shelter. Check them out on their facebook page. We are grateful to the generosity of community members who supported our efforts. Whether people made a monetary donation or contributed to the cause with food & personal care items or clothing, it was monumental to the Ruth House's mission. Thank you for providing so much for this worthwhile organization. TLCC would like to give Raquel a big “shout out” for her generous donations to these events and allowing us to stage our fundraisers at her store.



56th FISHARAMA FUNDRAISER

Saturday, February 6, 2021

Noon – 4:00 P.M.

The annual Fisharama FUNDRAISER will consist of both adult and children's divisions with the following fish categories:

*Pan Fish *Northern *Other Legal Fish

Adult division first place contestants will be awarded prizes and \$100.00 cash for the “longest LIVE fish” caught in each category. Children's division first place contestants will be awarded prizes and \$25.00 cash for the “longest LIVE fish” caught in each category. The fishing contest fee is \$5.00 for adults and \$3.00 for children under twelve years of age.

As in the past, food and beverages will be available for purchase. Annual raffle tickets will be sold. On the ice, drawings will be held every fifteen minutes starting at 12:15 P.M. Beginning at 4:30 the 50/50 raffle drawing and annual raffle ticket winners will be drawn, followed by the fishing contest winners.

TLCC volunteers will drill holes upon request for the contestants. In the event of adverse weather/ice conditions, the contest registration and prize drawings will take place at the boat landing on Amnicon Lake. In this case, there will be no parking available at the landing.

Masks must be worn when interacting with volunteers and social distancing is not possible. During the COVID – 19 pandemic, we will follow recommendations from the CDC.

The annual Fisharama FUNDRAISER is an event that people look forward to each February. The TLCC officers and board members wish all fishing contestants good luck. We hope to see everyone on the ice!

TLCC Annual Raffle

*****Please keep in mind: the cost of the raffle ticket is separate from any fishing contest fee.*****

The raffle prizes are: 1st Place - \$500 2nd Place - \$250 3rd Place - \$100

Raffle tickets can be purchased at the following local businesses: Amnicon Acres Campground, Amnicon Bar & Restaurant, 4 Corners Store, Dreamland Supper Club, Shortstop Bar and Kopper Kettle. The TLCC appreciates the help and support of these establishments.

If you are sticking close to home during these turbulent times you can also purchase raffle tickets by sending in \$2.00 each or \$5.00 for 3 tickets. Please include address mailing labels for each ticket purchased or provide a name and address to be entered on each ticket. Send to: TLCC 7872 S. County Rd A, Superior, WI 54880. Thanks for your support.



Please patronize the following businesses for their generous donations and support for our 2020 events

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|-------------------------|--------------------|---------------------------------|
| Art on the Planet | Erbert & Gerbert's | Rivord's Repair Center |
| Bait Box | 4 Corners Store | 7 West Taphouse |
| Campbell's Do It Center | Key Port Liquor | Shamrock Pizza |
| Champion's Lounge | Key Port Lounge | Shorty's Pizza and Smoked Meats |
| ChooChoo Bar and Grill | Kopper Kettle | Super One Foods |
| Dunbar's | Kwik Trip | Wine Beginnings |
| ECE | Northwest Outlet | |



THANK YOU FOR STEPPING UP

These unprecedented times created fewer than normal fundraising opportunities this year. Many people have stepped up with monetary donations, relinquished their building rental deposits and made contributions to our Go Fund Me Site (<https://www.gofundme.com/f/218ofxd32o>) to help TLCC meet it's financial goals for the year. A special thanks is extended to Gary and Jeanne Hughley and Jay Hunger for generating over \$2500.00 by donating a rare bottle of Kentucky Bourbon and handmade outdoor furniture to two novel fundraisers.

We appreciate all who have contributed and are grateful for everyone's support.



Interested in Renting the Community Center for a Special Event?

Located at 7872 S. County Rd. A.

The Tri Lakes Community Center is available to rent for your special event

Rental Rates are as follows:

Free to members who have paid this year's dues

\$25.00 for non-members

A \$100.00 refundable deposit is required for members and non-members

Please contact Kathy if interested. (715) 399-8282

The Gazette is Green



To help save the environment and to keep costs down, the Gazette is going green. All members that have provided an email address will be sent an electronic copy rather than a hard copy. If you would like to continue receiving a hard copy, simply respond to the email to have your name removed or use the "contact us" form on our website.

Support our

Local Fire Departments



Town of Summit

Fire Chief - Tony Blank - (715) 493-9844

Ass't Chief – Willy Silvernale - (218) 391-8685

Town of Oakland

Fire Chief - John Melcher - (218) 428-6520

Asst. Chief–Stan Dzikonski – (715) 817-0035

Meetings:

2nd Wednesday Town Hall @ 6pm

1st Monday business meeting @ 7pm

Training – 3rd Wed. @ station 1 @ 6:00

Training 2nd Monday @ 7 pm

Volunteers are always needed. Feel free to attend a meeting.

**2021
TRI LAKES COMMUNITY CENTER
MEMBERSHIP**

Name _____

Spouse/significant other/other name _____

Mailing Address: Where you wish newsletters and postcards to be mailed. Please add your summer and winter addresses if applicable, also include the months. If you do not receive mail at an address, please do not list it.

Phone number _____ Cell _____

If you would like to receive the newsletters and TLCC notices electronically, please provide us with your email address.

Email address: _____

Dues for the year are **\$15.00**. Please submit dues by **March 15**. This deadline coincides with our annual scholarship deadline. Membership expires December 31st. A membership/calendar of events postcard will be sent to all paid members.

Please return forms and dues to: Tri Lakes Community Center
7872 South County Road A
Superior, WI 54880

Checks should be made payable to *Tri Lakes Community Center*.

Thank you for supporting the Tri Lakes Community Center. Membership dues help with utilities, building maintenance and with donations to other charitable organizations.

Due to loss of funding resulting from the COVID-19 pandemic, additional donations are welcomed and appreciated.

Thank you!

TRI LAKES COMMUNITY CENTER

For Tri Lakes Community Center use only:	
Paid <u>\$ 15.00</u>	Additional Donation _____
Raffle Tickets: Number _____ Amount enclosed: _____	
Date _____	
Check # _____	Cash _____
Membership card _____	

Interested in Volunteering in 2021?

Please indicate your preferences below by circling an event and/or committee that you would be interested in. Thank you!

Fisharama
Sales Around the Lakes
Trunk 'N Treat
Pancake Breakfast

Spring and Fall Bingo
4th of July Events
Soup Saturday

Spring & Fall Clean Up Day
Corn and Pork Roast
Turkey Potluck

Standing Committees:

*Buildings and Grounds

*PR/Social Media

*The Gazette Newsletter

* Fundraising

Tri Lakes Community Center 2021 Scholarship Application

The Tri Lakes Community Center is offering 1—\$500 post-secondary scholarships for our members, their children or grandchildren. (They have to be a member in good standing of TLCC for at least one year prior to the date of application)

This scholarship is available for the following:

- a high school student graduating from anywhere, going to any post-secondary institution.
- a student currently attending a post-secondary institution or an adult wishing to further their post-secondary education

Please fill out the accompanying application. Be sure to provide all requested materials.

Last _____ First _____ MI _____ Phone # _____
(please print)

Name of TLCC member and relationship

_____ Relationship _____ (you must be a
TLCC member or a child or grandchild of a TLCC member)

Name the high school you are graduating from if applicable:

Name of post-secondary institution you are planning to attend

Program or degree you plan to seek:

Attach a 1 page or less essay explaining why you should be awarded this scholarship. Include your GPA (2.0 or higher) if applicable, involvement at your school and in the community and what efforts you have made to prepare for your post-secondary education.

Signature of your Guidance Counselor indicating you are eligible to graduate and have at least a 2.0 GPA (if applicable).

The scholarship application must be postmarked by March 15. Please mail this application and supporting essay to:

Tri Lakes Community Center
Attn: Scholarship Committee
7872 S. Cty Rd. A
Superior WI. 54880

