



# CANDLEWOOD LAKE AUTHORITY

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## Minutes of Regular Meeting May 13, 2015

### Attending:

P. Schaer	Sherman
H. Berger	Sherman
G. Linkletter	Sherman
M. Toussaint	New Milford
J. Wodarski	New Milford
W. Lohan	Brookfield
C. Robinson	Danbury
J. Hodge	New Fairfield
B. Kemble	New Fairfield
J. Keating	New Fairfield

### Absent:

P. Eng	New Milford
J. Murphy	Brookfield
B. Brown	Brookfield
D. Rosemark	Danbury
E. Siergiej	Danbury

L. Marsicano, CLA Executive Director  
 F. Frattini, CLA Administrative Coordinator  
 M. Howarth, CLA Public Education Director

Recorder: M. Toussaint

Guests: S. Wodarski, New Milford

Phyllis Schaer, Chairman, called the regular meeting of the Candlewood Lake Authority to order at 7:39 P.M. at Brookfield Town Hall, Brookfield, CT. She welcomed the guest and the new delegate from New Fairfield, Jack Keating.

**Secretary's Report:** Howie Berger, Secretary, noted there he had no changes to the minutes of the March 11, 2015 regular meeting. *Mark Toussaint made a motion to accept the minutes of the March 11, 2015 regular meeting as written, seconded by Bill Lohan and voted with all in favor. Bill Lohan made a motion to accept the minutes of the April 16, 2015 special meeting as written, seconded by Bruce Kemble and voted with all in favor and Mark Toussaint abstaining. Minutes have been accepted as written.*

**Chairman's Report:** Mrs. Schaer thanked everyone, especially Larry Marsicano and Mark Howarth, who have done an incredible job applying for a diverse number of grants that have been approved. Also a thank you to our legislators, Senators Murphy and Blumenthal and Congressman Esty for fielding issues with FirstLight to increase funding to the CLA noting that working with the grant program is an uncertain scenario for budgeting purposes and hope to work with FirstLight to stabilize funding in the future. There was a Public Hearing/Information Meeting in Danbury regarding the Grass Carp and today was the last day to comment as the final step before the DEEP permit can be issued. Mrs. Schaer advised that she had prepared some facts

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sheets for the meeting and would forward electronic copies to the delegates to share with their communities and neighbors. She reported that the Finance Committee had met to review the finances to the end of the fiscal year and without any unforeseen expenses believe that the CLA will end the year in the positive. Last weekend there was a training day at Brookfield on the decontamination station for the pilot program that Brookfield is running at its Town Park. Mrs. Schaer and Mr. Marsicano are working on a training manual for boat inspections for invasive species. The MOA (between the CLA and DEEP) was approved by the delegates at the April 16<sup>th</sup> special meeting. Delegates are asked to schedule a ride-along with a CLAMP officer this year to have a first hand idea of what our Lake Patrol Officers do on the water. On a suggestion from Mayor Murphy of New Milford, Mrs. Schaer reported that she submitted a Grant Application to FirstLight for the funding of a floating Classroom similar to the one at Lake George – it will be not only for students but adult residents as well. Mrs. Schaer reported that from the meeting with the CEO's it was suggested that the CLA develop its budget earlier possibly in October (instead of November as it has been).

**Vice Chairman's Report:** Mark Toussaint reported that he would defer to the Public Awareness Committee report.

**Treasurer's Report:** Bill Lohan, Treasurer, reported that revenues are doing well and committees are about 83% spent thus far. *Mr. Lohan made a motion to approve the Treasurer's Report of Income and Expenses for the months ended March 31 and April 30, 2015 as presented, motion seconded by Joe Wodarski and voted with all in favor. Motion carried and Treasurer's Report of Income and Expenses for the months ended March 31 and April 30, 2015 has been filed for audit.*

Mr. Lohan reported that the Finance Committee had met and reviewed the Budget and a projection to the end of the fiscal year and it looks good that the Authority will end with a surplus of income over expenses of around 6 thousand dollars.

Mrs. Schaer advised that going forward the budget should include no surprises.

**Executive Director:** Mr. Marsicano advised that his reports for April and May are attached to these minutes and reviewed the items covered. He noted that he has had ongoing dialog with Michael Bednarczyk of Sen. Murphy's office and looks forward to working with him in the future. He also noted that the next Project CLEAR classroom day is Tuesday, May 19, 2015 and the field research week is the week of June 22 thru 26. Volunteers with boats are needed.

**Public Education Director:** Mark Howarth advised that his reports for April and May are attached to these minutes. He noted that he is working on the final items for the Clean Up, Spring Appeal and beginning to organize the Dragon Boat Race Day.

#### **Committee Reports:**

**Public Safety:** Joe Wodarski reported that the Committee had met and their main topic was the new radios, new rank structure and the delegate ride-along idea.

**Public Awareness:** Mr. Toussaint noted the appeal letter will be going out by the end of the month, sponsorships are doing well; the committee discussed some ideas for the Dragon Boat Race day such as a Trivia contest with an educational component. He noted that CLA will be at New Milford Village Fair Days again this year. The idea of having a raffle of a

kayak package sometime during the summer, PR around the stocking of the Carp, (i.e. a stocking party?) name a Carp, how to maximize a summer appeal, and benefits of the Carp on the control of invasives were also discussed.

**Equipment/Facilities:** In the absence of the Committee Chairman, Bruce Kemble reported that the new radios have been ordered and they are at the State Police for programming.

**Watershed Management Committee:** Howie Berger, Committee Chair noted that the CLA will have an online library/info center with over 50 documents of CLA – more on this next month. They are working on a way to use GIS technology so the volunteer testing can be uploaded via smart-phone as a way to collect and distribute information.

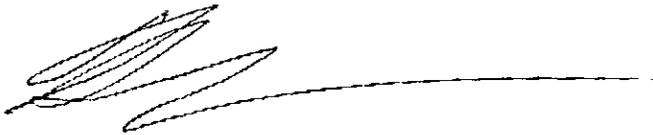
**Old Business/New Business:** None

**Any and All Business:**

With no further business to come before the Candlewood Lake Authority, *George Linkletter moved to adjourn, seconded by Bill Lohan.*

*Meeting adjourned at 8:37 P. M.*

Respectfully submitted,



Howie Berger, Secretary  
Frances Frattini, Administrative Coordinator

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*These minutes are not considered official until they have been approved at the next regularly scheduled meeting of the Candlewood Lake Authority.*



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## ***Executive Director's Report***

***May 11, 2015***

***Larry Marsicano***

*The following report summarizes Executive Director activities from April 6, 2015 to May 11, 2015*

### ***Town Funding and Misinformation on CLA***

On April 13<sup>th</sup> Phyllis Schaer, Howie Berger, Chris Robinson and I attended a discussion held by New Fairfield First Selectman Susan Chapman regarding our finances. All CEOs from the Candlewood towns were in attendance. Most of the towns were supportive of our budget and we plan to meet in the fall to see where things stand then.

During that meeting Mayor Murphy addressed the misinformation being circulated by one of her Town Councilmen that our 30 year database was somehow flawed and hence our funding from the town should be reduced. New Milford Councilman Paul Szymanski shared that at a budget deliberations in New Milford on March 16<sup>th</sup> (see my April report) after another Delegate from CLA but not from New Milford reached out to him. Mr. Szymanski shared the misinformation at the Republican Town Committee Meeting held April 6<sup>th</sup> in New Milford after our Chairman presented to the Committee.

Mayor Murphy then reached out to our office in an effort to contact Dr. Mark June-Wells who did the study on behalf of the five towns on our database last year so she could request from him some clarification. Dr. June-Wells did respond to the Mayor's request and in his comments stated the following:

*Basically, it is my opinion that those data collected by The Candlewood Lake Authority are of high quality. In fact, those data have afforded the five towns the information required to develop a management plan; they were sufficient and effective.*

New Milford Delegate and member of the RTC Joe Wodarski shared the comments of Dr. June-Wells with the RTC on their meeting on May 4<sup>th</sup>.

### ***Budget Process and Finances***

Four of the five municipalities have approved budgets for FY 15/16. In Danbury the budget for CLA that was approved was \$74,636; in New Fairfield \$57,338; in New Milford \$69,636 and in Sherman \$80,000. The referendum in Brookfield is on May 18, 2015 and there the proposed budget for CLA is \$84,636.

Finance Committee met on May 6<sup>th</sup> to examine our current spending and budget levels. We also received a letter from Attorney Ted Backer that we could use, going forward, the funds restricted to education and science programs that was raised via the dinner / auction a number of years ago as long as it was used for education and research.

### ***FirstLight Funding***

Following some correspondence and discussions between Federal legislators, led by Sen. Chris Murphy, and the CEO of GDF Suez NA, FirstLight has decided to fund us \$50,000 dollars which will include those funds we received(ed) through their Housatonic River Fund Program (see *Grants* below). Currently FirstLight has funded a grant for \$10,000 dollars that went towards the new radios for the Patrol vessels. They also informed us that they were funding our request for our buoy program at \$10,754 and a \$2,500 sponsorship for this year's duel sponsorship (Clean Up and Dragon Boat).

### ***Grants***

Phyllis Schaer accepted a grant awarded the CLA by the Woman's Club of Danbury / New Fairfield for \$250 dollars to fund reprinting of one of our publications. Phyllis and staff also worked on completing and submitting two additional grant applications to the Housatonic River Fund Program discussed above.

### ***Satellite Imagery***

As noted in my April report, we received notice that the Meserve Grant application we submitted in the fall was awarded \$5,000 dollars. This was for additional satellite imagery and analyses. On April 17<sup>th</sup> I met with Nelson Malwitz of the Brookfield WPCA who is cost sharing on this project. We discussed conditions we wanted when determining dates to get the remote imagery. We found a number of dates of interest and have been in contact with Bluewater Satellite. We recently received a quote from Bluewater Satellite and have to discuss their pricing with Mr. Malwitz and Phyllis.

### ***AIS Initiatives***

We coordinated the information meeting held by the CT DEEP for the public regarding our application for the triploid grass carp. The meeting was held the night of Wednesday, April 29<sup>th</sup> in the WCSU Midtown Campus Science Building. The meeting was well attended and informative. Our thanks go to the CT DEEP and to WCSU for hosting the meeting. We received a second quote for the 3,868 triploid grass carp and delivery from another fish farm in Arkansas which was moderately higher than the first quote we received. We have prepared a purchase order and will submit our order to Keo Fish Farm once we receive our permit.

We are also working with Dr. Theodora Pinou and the CT DEEP Inland Fisheries Division to put together a study of the movement of the triploid grass carp using radio transmitters. We were informed some time ago that a local philanthropist was interested in funding a study that CLA and WCSU would plan and use students WCSU students for. Dr. Pinou and I have met several

times and continue to plan this. A meeting between Dr. Pinou, CT DEEP and me is tentatively scheduled for May 13<sup>th</sup>.

As noted in past reports, the First Selectman of Brookfield, Bill Tinsley, has been part of a group looking at measures to prevent introduction of zebra mussels in Candlewood Lake. From our trip to Lake George, we learned about the hot water / high pressure washer used there to decontaminate boats that are found to be carrying aquatic invasive species or are not CLEANed, DRAINed and DRYed. The Town of Brookfield bought the same unit being used at Lake George to pilot a Candlewood Boat Inspection and Decontamination Program.

In recent weeks we assisted in putting together a training program for Brookfield Park and Recreation staff on boat inspections and the use of the new equipment. We brought down from Lake George Justin Luyk who provided the training on Saturday, May 9<sup>th</sup>. The program ran from 9am to 1pm. The News-Times covered the training and their electronic version of the story and photographs can be seen at <http://www.newstimes.com/local/article/Brookfield-launches-boat-inspection-program-on-6253164.php>.

We have also had a number of communications regarding the CO2 study with Praxair and Stephen Bull who is the Director of the Greater Danbury Chamber of Commerce. One of Mr. Bull's newest board members is Kelcey Hoyt who is the Investor Relations Director for Praxair. We received a spot sales agreement and proposal from Praxair and hope to be discussing it with Ms. Hoyt in the near future. The report on zebra mussel monitoring in 2014 should be completed very soon.

#### ***MOA with CT DEEP***

We received confirmation from four of the five municipalities that they had reviewed and had no issues with the MOA we developed with the CT DEEP for delegation of boating law enforcement which include the supervision by the CT DEEP over the Lake Patrol. After the Special CLA meeting where the board approved execution of the agreement, we continued to have a dialog with the New Fairfield Selectman Kim Hanson who believed the towns should be the entity signing off on renewals of the MOA. Selectman Hanson and I discuss some possible language changes and said I would propose them to our Chairman and Chairs of Public Safety. We also discussed the possible changes with the CT DEEP. Based on those discussions it was decided that we would not try to change the MOA any further. Town ordinances delegate to its Delegates the responsibility of collaborating with the CT DEEP on public safety on the lake as provided for in the State Statutes.

#### ***JOHN MARSICANO MEMORIAL CANDLEWOOD LAKE CLEAN UP***

The John Marsicano Memorial Candlewood Lake Clean Up is scheduled for Saturday, May 16 with a raindate of Sunday, May 17<sup>th</sup>. Lunch will be at the New Fairfield Town Park.

#### ***Other***

I am meeting with the New Fairfield Senior's Environment Corp on Tuesday, May, 12<sup>th</sup> at 9:30am.



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***April 6, 2015***

***Larry Marsicano***

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### ***Budget Process***

We attended and presented at the Brookfield Board of Finance meeting on March 11, 2015. Since then we have learned that the BOF have supported the CLA's full request as recommended by the Brookfield Board of Selectmen.

We learned the New Milford Town Council had decreased the recommendation of Mayor Murphy and later learned of disconcerting comments by members of the New Milford Town Council on March 16, 2015. The following is from NEW MILFORD TOWN COUNCIL MARCH 16, 2015 BUDGET DELIBERATIONS MINUTES:

*Mrs. Lundgren asked why the Candlewood Lake Authority was cut when it was already losing Federal dollars. She was told the reduction is due to redundancies in their budget. They are welcome to come back again if they need more funding to obtain a supplemental appropriation.*

*Mrs. Lundgren then noted that First Light is hitting them hard. Mr. Szymanski stated a delegate of the CWLA from another town reached out to him (he does not know if this is public knowledge) and told him some unsettling information based on factual information. This person was a huge advocate of the CWLA. He agrees with the cut at this time. (Underline added for emphasis.)*

*Ms. Francis noted that the other towns of the five are also making cuts. She felt the towns should get together with the CWLA and take a look at their plans and determine how they could maintain a long range plan.*

*Mrs. Lundgren stated that several other towns have given monies back due to the fact that the proposal from First Light has come to up. She felt New Milford should not be cutting their funding as it sets a bad precedent.*

*Mayor Murphy stated that as of this day, the towns, Federal representatives, and First Light are discussing the proposal (which is a grant program) to discuss a better compromise. The towns are deciding upon what to do that would not negatively impact*

*the lake. She noted that in reference to the cut, other towns have also agreed that if the CWLA needs to come back for additional funding, it can do so. She felt it would have been a little nicer if it had been postponed a little bit but all parties are talking.*

*Mr. Wargo stated he agreed with Mary Jane but liked that the CWLA could come back.*

On Wednesday night, April 1, 2014 Phyllis Schaer, Joe Wodarski and I attended the New Milford Board of Finance Public Hearing. Phyllis and Joe both spoke on behalf of the CLA's budget request. Mayor Murphy who is ex-officio on the BOF also spoke in favor of increasing the recommendation of the Town Council. In the Friday, April 6, 2015 electronic edition the News-Times it reports that at that meeting... *Murphy asked finance board members to add \$10,000 back into the budget proposal to go toward CLA funding by the town.*

On Thursday, March 26, 2015 we learned that the recommendation for our budget in Sherman had been lowered to approximately \$64,000 dollars. On Tuesday night, March 31, 2015 all of the Sherman Delegates of the CLA spoke at the public hearing on the budget held by the Board of Selectmen. Phyllis, Howie and a number of others in attendance spoke in support of restoring the full amount of our request. The BOS changed the recommendation to that amount (\$74,636) plus added an additional \$10 thousand to offset some of the shortfall created by FirstLight's decision to reduce its support to \$10,000 dollars.

#### ***AIS Initiatives***

On March 23, 2015 we met with Brookfield First Selectman Bill Tinsley, Director of Park and Recreation Dennis Depinto, and others to discuss planning for the volunteer inspection decontamination program we are collaborating on. We have also had discussions with leaders from the Lake George Park Commission and have received approval of our request to have senior staff working on their inspection / decontamination program travel down to Brookfield to provide a daylong workshop to the Brookfield Park and Recreation Staff working at Caddigan.

#### ***FirstLight's Nuisance Species Monitoring Meeting***

As reported in last month's report, the Technical Committee of Nuisance Plant Monitoring Plan met on February 25, 2015. One of the topics of discussion not addressed in the technical reports we received at the meeting was the unilateral decision by FirstLight to move the cut off temperature for pumping to Candlewood Lake from 50 °F to 59 °F. The 50 °F threshold was from the literature we had reviewed and reported on as part of the Zebra Mussel Task Force.

On Wednesday, April 1, 2015 we learned that FirstLight had submitted their report to FERC from that meeting which included minutes from the meeting that we or other stakeholders never received. From those minutes:

*R. Laudenat addressed a question raised by several attendees with regards to river water temperatures and FirstLight's voluntary restriction on pumping at the Rocky River Station. FirstLight had initially stated that 50 F degrees was the suggested threshold to restrict the use of the pumps in the spring. FirstLight collected further*

research and, based upon those findings, has raised that voluntary threshold up to 59 degrees. This internal procedure is evaluated bi-annually by FirstLight on a scale from 50 to 54 to 59 F degrees to begin and cease the voluntary restriction on pumping at the station.

P. Schaer, taking into consideration her research, has concluded that zebra mussels begin spawning at 7.2-11 C. 45-51 F.

R. White agreed with P. Schaer and provided a summary of her research that agreed with P. Schaer's suggestions.

L. Marsicano asked for any backup reports or evidence that supports FirstLight's conclusions.

P. Arrestad stated that there is a paper prepared by Ethan that should be released to all Stakeholders.

R. Laudenat explained that FirstLight has a draft paper which is still being reviewed and continues to assess its voluntary restrictions on pumping on a bi-annual basis. FirstLight restricts resuming pumping in Fall for 2 weeks after the river falls below 59 F degrees. The conditions that define the restriction in the Spring for ceasing pumping for the Summer would take place at or about the time this consultation is complete during the Spring freshet.

Later in the minutes...

B. Wood reminded stakeholders that the 30 day written consultation ends on March 26, 2015 and if stakeholders supply no comments in writing then FirstLight assumes they agree with the proposals and reports content and will file the minutes and reports on March 31, 2015. (Underline added for emphasis.)

From the coverletter from Richard Laudenat to FERC:

FirstLight provided copies of both of the draft reports entitled "Monitoring Report Invasive Aquatic Plants, Candlewood Lake, Lake Lillinonah, Lake Zoar, 2014" and "2014 Zebra Mussel (*Dreissena polymorpha*) Early Detection Project in the Housatonic River and Candlewood Lake: Falls Village, Bulls Bridge, and Rocky River Hydroelectric Projects" to stakeholders at the 2014 annual meeting. FirstLight received no stakeholder comments within the 30 day comment period from February 25 to March 26, 2015 on either of the reports. Therefore, as explained at the meeting, FirstLight considers no written response to represent the stakeholders' approval of the draft reports as supplied. (Underlined for emphasis.) The agenda, minutes of the 2014 Nuisance Species Monitoring Plan meeting and the respective reports are attached.

*Several small edits were made to the Invasive Aquatic Plant report based upon stakeholder comments received at the meeting.*

Based on this, FERC believes CLA and CT DEEP are in agreement with FirstLight Power regarding their decision to move the temperature from 50 to 59 °F, which is not the case.

### **Grants**

Upon learning of the reduction of funding level by FirstLight and their creation of a competitive Housatonic River Grant Program, Phyllis directed me to make an application to this program for the funding necessary to purchase the radios. We also received a pledge from a member of the community for 50% of the costs of the radios. The resulting request from FirstLight was for \$10,000 dollars. On Wednesday, April 1, 2015 we received notification from FirstLight that our application was approved.

On Thursday, April 2, 2015 we received notice from the Meserve Memorial Fund that our grant application was funded \$5,000 dollars. The grant was for funds for a calibration cube for the blue-green algae sensor on our monitoring equipment and for additional satellite imagery from Bluewater Satellite.

### **Project CLEAR**

On Wednesday, April 1, 2015 the first Project CLEAR day was held at the Indian Rock Nature Preserve in Bristol, CT. I participated and began training the Plankton Research Group on the types of work they will do during the last week of June.

### **State of Our Lake**

I prepared for and presented at the State of Our Lake event held on March 21, 2015. The event was well planned, well attended, and well received. Mark Howarth, Mark Toussaint, Phyllis and Public Outreach should be commended for their efforts.



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**May 13, 2015**  
**Public Education**  
**Mark Howarth**

## **2015 Candlewood Lake Clean Up:**

We are busy at work on preparing for the Clean Up coming May 16<sup>th</sup>.

We have designed the new t-shirts for 2015 and are working on the finishing touches for the sponsors on the back and those shirts are going to be printed up later this week.

We have been sending out numerous communications to get more volunteers for the Clean Up including:

- Email
- Facebook
- Citizen News Article

## **Spring Appeal:**

We are working on a new spring electronic appeal to improve our annual fundraising levels. Currently we are working on messaging of the appeal and we plan to have it out to coincide with the unofficial kickoff to summer.

## **Preparation for 2015 Dragon Boat Races:**

Things are moving along for the 2015 races. We are constantly working on getting more teams involved for this year, with a goal of selling out at 21 teams. We have racers from teams that have raced with us in the past who are helping us try to secure new interest from potential new teams and they have been doing a great job spreading the word and drawing new interest.

We are continuing to market the event through various electronic communications to reach as wide of an audience as possible, including the 2015 race video:  
<https://vimeo.com/125942862>

In addition we are working on improving the event for 2015 on a number of fronts, including entertainment and other things the event can offer to make it a better experience for all those in attendance.

### **2015 Sponsors:**

We are continuing to work on securing additional sponsors for the season. We have reached out to our past sponsors and have been and will continue to work on finding new sponsors.

### **April eNewsletter:**

We have sent out several communications to our email list, including an April electronic newsletter. Topics included:

- Clean Up Announcement and Registration
- Sponsor Request
- Project CLEAR 2015 including volunteer request
- Marine Patrol Radio Upgrade
- State of Our Lake Recap
- Soil Testing Day Announcement
- Candlewood Fireworks Announcement

You can read the newsletter here: <http://www.icontact-archive.com/HJfY9l0NQYSQqba7q97DvjwmS0D-L0mB?w=4>



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April 8, 2014<sup>5</sup>  
Public Education  
Mark Howarth

## State of our Lake:

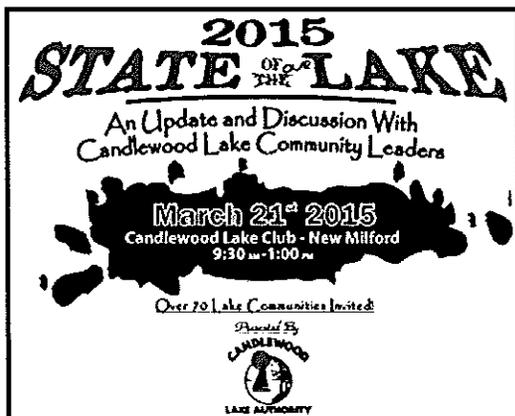
On Saturday, March 21<sup>st</sup> at the Candlewood Lake Club in New Milford, we held the 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual State of Our Lake.

We had around 70 people in attendance despite the snowfall that welcomed everyone that morning. We understand that a number of those who registered and had hoped to attend could not because of the weather.

To all those who did make it, the event was highly interactive with a lot of back and forth discussion between the presenters and the audience. Many good questions were asked and a lot of good information was passed among all those in attendance.

We also sold some of our Candlewood merchandise and we were successful in doing some fundraising that day. Thank you to Howie and Linda for manning the CLA sales table.

We sent attendees an online survey to get their feedback and have so far received 28 responses which we can use to improve future events.



### Computer Repairs:

Fran's PC crashed and needed to be rebuilt from scratch. We no longer have a tech-support contract for issues like this, so we had to do this in-house, which required us to figure it out as we went along, but fortunately we were successful in the end.

It wasn't an easy task but it was a team effort and special thanks to Howie and Fran for their help in restoring her PC and all of the programs and files so that we could get her PC back in working order.

### 2015 Sponsors and the 2015 Dragon Boat Races:

We have designed our 2015 Dual Sponsor Materials, and finalized the new Dragon Boat Posters and marketing materials, and are currently awaiting repairs to our printer so that we can print these in-house and send them out. We expect the parts and repairs to be done in the next couple of days and plan to print and send our materials out soon after.

We are very happy to have a number of early-season volunteers helping out this year to try and improve our success in generating sponsors as well as increasing our team count at the races, and improving the overall event.





The Candlewood Lake Authority is dedicated to the protection and preservation of Candlewood Lake and its environmental, recreational, public safety and scenic values.

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Your support through the sponsorship of these great events will directly benefit the Lake and help us to improve, preserve and protect Candlewood for future generations to enjoy as we do today.

## Sponsor Form

Company \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Street)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(City) (State) (Zip)

Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsor Level (check one)

- Platinum - \$2,500
- Gold - \$1,000
- Silver - \$500
- Bronze - \$250

*Sponsor benefits listed on back!*

Checks: Mail form and check to - Candlewood Lake Authority, PO Box 37, Sherman, CT 06784

Credit Card Payments: Please visit our website [www.CandlewoodLakeAuthority.org](http://www.CandlewoodLakeAuthority.org) and click on the sponsor button to sponsor online.

Enter http://www.cla.org. It is also available. Please contact the CLA at 860-354-6928 or [clainfo@earthlink.net](mailto:clainfo@earthlink.net).

Donations to the Candlewood Lake Authority are tax deductible to the fullest extent allowed by law.

Sponsor TWO great events, with just ONE convenient donation!

With your single sponsorship, you get the great benefits listed for both events at the indicated sponsor levels on the chart below.

	Platinum	Gold	Silver	Bronze
<b>Candlewood Lake Clean Up</b>				
Company Logo on Event T-Shirts	*	*	*	*
Company Name on Event T-Shirts	*	*	*	*
Company Logo on Event Banner	*	*	*	*
Company Name on Event Banner	*	*	*	*
Logo, Link and Sponsor Level on Event Website	*	*	*	*
Name, Link and Sponsor Level on Event Website	*	*	*	*
Logo and Sponsor Level in Event e-Newsletter	*	*	*	*
Name and Sponsor Level in Event e-Newsletter	*	*	*	*
Event Side Show Recognition	*	*	*	*
<b>Candlewood Lake Dragon Boat Race</b>				
Company Logo on Event T-Shirts	*	*	*	*
Company Name on Event T-Shirts	*	*	*	*
Company Logo on Event Banner	*	*	*	*
Company Logo on Event Poster	*	*	*	*
Discount on Dragon Boat Team Race Entry	50%	25%		
Logo, Link and Sponsor Level on Event Website	*	*	*	*
Name, Link and Sponsor Level on Event Website	*	*	*	*
Logo and Sponsor Level in Event e-Newsletter	*	*	*	*
Name and Sponsor Level in Event e-Newsletter	*	*	*	*
Company Logo on Event Signage	*	*	*	*
Company Logo on Race Results Board	*	*	*	*
Opportunity to Provide Company Banner at Event	*	*	*	*
Recognition as Event Sponsor by Event MC	*	*	*	*
Event Side Show Recognition	*	*	*	*

Platinum level sponsorship includes premium logo size and placement on all indicated items.

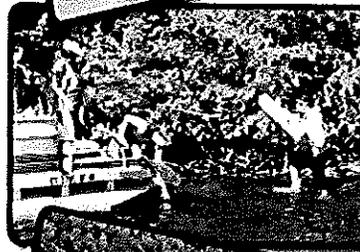
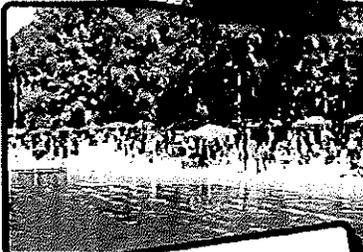
Join the Candlewood Lake Authority in Preserving & Protecting Candlewood Lake  
Become an event sponsor today...



2015  
SPONSORSHIP  
OPPORTUNITIES

# TWO GREAT CANDLEWOOD LAKE EVENTS

...one convenient sponsorship



CandlewoodLakeAuthority.org  
ALGUMENT 107  
Lynn Chamberlain - Team Captain



