

Big Lake Improvement Association
Meeting August 17, 2024

Social Time 8:30 – 9:00

Meeting called to order:

President: Chris Phillips - Present
Vice President: Tammy Mitchell - Present
Secretary /Treasurer: Nic Stevens - Present
Member: Rodney Hummer - Present
Member: Sherri Phillips - Present

Member: Ed Heitman - Present
Member: Duane Craig - Present
Member: Karrie Stover - Present
Member: Natalie Jackson - Present

Current Financials – Nic Stevens

Read Meeting Minutes from July – Nic Stevens

Old Business:

- Memberships – Currently 201 members 54 New – Nic Stevens
- Water Level/ Pump Project Update – Chris Phillips
 - New Pump ordered we were able to get the measurements – estimated delivery 8-10 weeks
 - Quote on concrete work being done by someone other than originally wanted. \$160,000 which is more than originally thought. We have a precast option but we don't have it back yet. Should be significantly less.
 - If new federal levees coming in, we'll need to do a flow through on our current pump.
- Events
 - Cardboard Boat Regatta – Sherri Phillips
 - Had 6 youth and 3 Adult
 - Received \$670.04 in donations
 - Oktoberfest 5th – Sherri Phillips/ Karrie Stover
 - Crafters/Flea Market – 11:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
 - Cornhole tournament/ Horseshoe tournament 11:00 sign up
 - Motion made to put in Horseshoe area – Chris second All board approved
 - Chili Cookoff
 - Live Band
 - Non-Affiliated BLIA Event
 - Big Lake Olympics today
 - Duck Hunt – September 7th – 1:00 p.m. Meet at Rod and Margee Clark (get address) Play three games to get a rubber duck. From 3 – 6 to find 100 5" rubber ducks across their chest. Check in at Derry's to see the winner.

New Business:

- Elections next month – will have 4 spaces available on the board – Chris Phillips
- State Park Information
 - Shore restoration will start in February
 - On the schedule new picnic area supposed to be ready by February.
- Tammy talked about trying a walk/run in the early Spring around Boy Scout Island
- Weekend before Halloween – October 26th
 - Pumpkin Carving Contest
 - Haunted House - Multiple Weekends

- Trunk or Treat
- Mound City News – Falls City – Will post flyers as well.
- Golf Tournament tentatively scheduled for June 21, 2025
- Speed signs are posted around the lake to help with speed issues.

Meeting Adjourned

Karrie motioned for meeting to adjourn

Chris Seconded