

## Information for Property owners - particularly to owners who rent.

### Please love our lake and its residents.

- Invasive non-native weeds negatively impact lake health and recreational use.
- Last year we spent roughly \$25,000 on treatment of the lake to control those weeds and expect to spend the same on that effort this year, as it is an ongoing effort to keep the lake healthy.
- In order to minimize the impact of invasive weeds and to keep our lake as healthy as possible we need **everyone's** cooperation.
- All boats should be clean and checked for weeds before being put in the lake.
- To prevent shoreline erosion, keep speeds very low when leaving, or approaching a dock or going along the shore. Legal limit is 5 miles an hour within 100 feet of shore.
- No Wake Boats, **Please!** Our lake is not deep enough for them to operate without causing tremendous erosion. For more information:  
<https://www.lakeambassadors.ca/the-dangers-of-wake-boats-on-shallow-waters/>
- All individuals born on or after 5/1/96 are required to successfully complete an approved course in Boater's Safety to operate a motor boat or personal watercraft. **Beginning 1/1/25, ALL boat operators** regardless of age will be required to complete an approved boating safety course. For this year, the US Coast Guard approved About Boating Safely course will be offered at CLIA on June 1st. Details are in the 2024 Winter newsletter and on the Forms and Applications page on the CLIA website. An approved boating safety course can also be taken online. To find an approved course, please go to  
<https://parks.ny.gov/boating/boating-safety-class.aspx>
- Keep speeds at reasonable levels in consideration of other boaters around you, and to not create excessive wakes, which can damage shorelines.
- Be aware of other boats and water craft around you. The lake can get very crowded on weekends and holidays in particular.