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SELL THOSE RAFFLE TICKETS!

It's a fundraiser and we need everyone out selling tickets to make it a success!

Drop off ticket money and any unused tickets to either R&K Marine or RLRD office Or mail to: RLLA – PO Box 103 Rushford, NY 14777 ********* Our Raffle is low cost thanks to the generous donations from: Julie & Scott Walter (R&K Marine) Bill Hart (Hart Jewelers, Wellsville)

Jeanne Elliott

Summer Newsletter — 2018

Our 60th Year

From the President & Board of Directors

elcome to the Summer of 2018! So far this year, the local weather has offered something for everyone. Now, as this newsletter is going to print, we are in for a super warm spell, so being at the lake is the best place to be - - for sure!

We mentioned in the Spring Newsletter that this year is all about raising funds for the 90 year old Caneadea Dam. The responses for the Anniversary Gala are encouraging, corporate sponsorships are generous and, because we reached out to many new businesses, we have happily received excellent participation.

What we need from each of you is to finalize selling your books of **Raffle Tickets** and get money turned in. Many tickets have been sold, but there are many, many more still in your hands that could make a huge difference in the money generated from the event. There are wonderful prizes to win, so get out there and make some sales!

It doesn't hurt to remind everyone once again why all of this is so important. Our dam-now 90 years old, is structurally sound, and will continue to provide a lake for us for years to come. However, there are mechanical parts that are worn or wearing



out. These items help the dam operators govern the lake level and protect the dam from damage in both high water events and during winter cold. Not surprisingly, the cost for these pieces and the expense of shipping and installing parts is rather high.

Raising money is a lot of work, but ultimately it keeps our tax assessment lower. As landowners, we are the stakeholders who need to keep everything in operating condition.

District Elections—Saturday, July 28th Noon—8:00 P.M.

Please make sure to get out and vote on District Election Day! All Lake District property owners are eligible to vote, but must register with the Recreation District prior to the election. Voter Registration forms are available at the RLRD office. At the time of print, Commissioner Bob Panter is the only registered candidate. His biography is posted on the RLLA website for you reference. Should additional candidates register, their bio will be posted as well. [www.rushfordlake.org]

Live Auction — Penn State Football Weekend!

- ~ FOR THE FUNDRAISER ~
- THANKSGIVING SATURDAY Nov. 24th, 2018
- TWO GAME TICKETS Penn State vs Maryland
- 2-NITE LODGING
- \$50 GIFT CARD FOR DINING
- RESERVED PARKING PASS
- Opening Bid: \$300.00



This is a donated item for the fundraiser! A live auction will be held on **Ebid.com** and continue into the night of the 90th Anniversary Gala.

Bidding is similar to ebay, so log on and make a bid for this excellent weekend package. (See page 2 for more)



Biding starts July 1st eBid.com Search "Caneadea"



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Penn State Football Weekend Auction on eBid.com

PROMO: Spend a weekend enjoying the sights, sounds and tastes of Happy Valley! Stay at the #1 Days Inn in the world, within walking distance of local shopping, cocktails, and dining. Experience the magic of being in Beaver Stadium watching the unrivaled Nittany Lions from the 45-yard line, and then indulge in a VIP meal at award-winning Gigi's Southern Table.

You'll receive a Welcome basket with Penn State favorites as well as tickets, lodging, parking pass and dining gift certificate.

Join the action on **eBid.com**. Log on and make a bid! <u>Search</u> <u>"Caneadea"</u> to find the auction.



Association Fireworks July 3rd

Sponsored by your generous donations... we have a show starting near 10 PM!

Thanks to the Vom Scheidt family for the use of their private lakefront, fireworks will be launched in Area A.

Remember to follow NYS and RLRD boating laws. Speed limit is 15 MPH (5 MPH if within 100 feet of shore, dock, pier, raft, float or anchored boat). After sunset you must illuminate a bright white light aft and a combined lantern in the forepart.

Things You Should Know...

90th Anniversary Gala–July 14th

- Tickets are still available through July 7th) —see RLLA website or your Area Director for details.
- Bring extra money for Raffles, Basket Auctions, Live Auction, etc.
- Get ready to eat, dance and party!
- Don't forget it's a BYOB event

Quilt on Display

The Quilt that is being raffled is on display at R&K Marina. Additional tickets can be purchased there as well. Thanks again to Jeanne Elliott for her work and talent.

Boat Launch Closed

Friday, July 13 at midnight – Sunday, July 15th at 9:00 AM so we can prepare and host the Dam Fundraiser.

RLRD Dam Awareness Meeting

July 7th 9:00 AM @ Rushford Firehall

The annual meeting where you can hear about what is happening with repairs and maintenance of the dam and other issues the District Commissions are dealing with.

Book Club

All welcome to participate. The Club meets the 3rd Tuesday of the month at 2:30 PM

at the Rushford Free Library.

The July monthly selection is <u>The Stars Are</u> <u>Fire</u>, by Anita Shreve.

Bottle & Can Drive - July 28th

Again this year volunteers have organized another Bottle Drive fundraiser that will see all proceeds going to the Caneadea Dam Fund.

New this year—they will be picking up by boat, so have your donation in bags and on your dock by 10:00 AM on Saturday. Otherwise, drop off contributions at the collection site at the Balcom Beach Boat Launch area.

Denim, Diamonds & The Dam

90th Anniversary Gala Celebration

<u>Things you can do to help!</u> Sell those Raffle Tickets Make Reservations for Gala before July 7th Deadline Offer to Volunteer Dress in a cheerful evening ensemble

~ Come and have fun together ~