



Mountain Lake Community Association Summer 2022 Newsletter

Upcoming Events

MLCA Annual Meeting:

Friday, August 19 at 7 pm at Mt Lake Fire house

Featuring presentations and discussions on water quality, aquatic plant management, strategic priorities, and other matters.

Community Day:

Saturday, September 24, 3-8 pm

[Rain date: Saturday, Oct 1, 3-8 pm]

Free family-friendly games and activities, plus food, drink & live music.

Learn about our lake and how to help keep it clean.

More info coming at Libertytownship.org

Fall Clean-ups:

Roadside Clean Up—Tamarack Rd - early October, stay tuned

Mountain Lake Litter-Free Campaign—*Find It, Bag It, Tag It*—ongoing

Leaf Collection?—TBD

Trunk or Treat

Sunday, October 30, 2-4 pm at the Lodge at Mountain Lake

Board of Trustees

Robert Ballou	President
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55th Annual Membership Meeting Set for Friday, August 19th

The 56th Annual Meeting of the Mountain Lake Community Association will be held on Friday, August 19 at 7 pm at the Mt Lake Firehouse.

The agenda will include presentations and discussion on water quality and aquatic plant/weed management, the election of new officers, and an open forum. Marty Kane, Chairman of the Lake Hopatcong Foundation, will be our guest speaker.



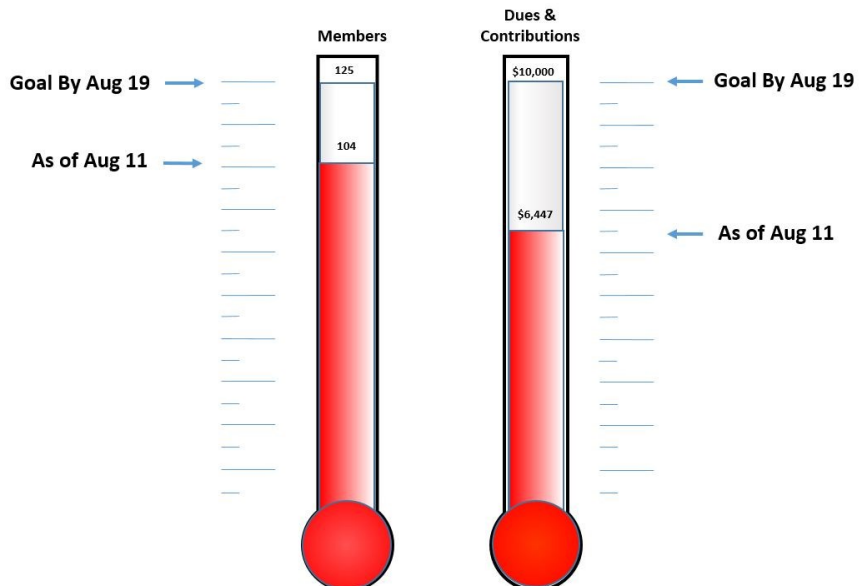
The meeting is open to the public. However, the Association's by-laws require that only members can vote and, in so doing, steer the Association forward in its mission to protect Mountain Lake. We encourage all members to attend, hear about the latest developments and plans, ask questions, and offer your thoughts and recommendations. If you are not yet a member, please join and attend; you can join in advance of, or at, the meeting.

It is awesome that the Lake Association, founded in 1967, is marking its 55th year as an organization. While we now conduct three membership meetings a year, our Annual Meeting is always the highlight of the year. Let's show our support for the lake by making this the best annual meeting ever!

We look forward to seeing everyone on the 19th!

2022 Membership and Fundraising Drive

Help us boost our membership and donations to protect our lake! Our goal is to raise \$10,000 and increase our membership to 125 members by our Annual Meeting on August 19th. Currently, we're about 80% of the way there for memberships, and 65% for dues and contributions. Support and collaboration are essential to achieving our goals, so let's all do our part!





Extending our Congratulations and Warm Welcome to Pete Hubert, Newly Appointed Chief of the Mountain Lake Fire Company

The Mountain Lake Fire Company, along with the Ladies Auxiliary, have long been valued partners with the Lake Association, collaborating with us on events and activities, kindly offering use of their facilities, offering letters of support for grant applications, and helping out in various other ways. The all-volunteer company has been a bedrock of our community since 1949, serving the residents of Liberty and White Townships with skill and dedication. We sat down with Pete Hubert, who was sworn in as Chief in January 2022, to learn more about him and the company he oversees.

What inspired you to become a firefighter?

My grandfather was and my uncle still is a volunteer fireman, but when you're 19 years old it's also the idea of doing the impossible, the adrenaline rush, and the possibility of doing crazy stuff like you see on tv. As I got older, serving the community and making new friends is really what it's all about. The Mt Lake Fire Company is a second family to me.

How long have you been a fire fighter?

28 years

What do you enjoy most about the lake and our community?

I truly enjoy being able to kayak, swim, fish at the lake and, when time permits, just walk around it. Most everyone you meet is friendly and conversations are always interesting and informative.

Is there anything new and exciting the community can expect from the Mountain Lake Fire Company?

First of all, the Fire Company is always seeking new members! With that being said, we are always trying to find new ways to fundraise while giving the community a place to go and enjoy. If anyone wants to see a list of events they can be found on our website www.72fire.com. Through out the year we hold a car show, comedy show, golf outing, breakfasts, and the Ladies Auxiliary holds events also, like the Easter Egg Hunt, Tricky Tray, and many other functions. If anyone ever sees one of the members down at the fire house please do not hesitate to stop in, say hello or even take a tour and see the trucks and equipment. Every Monday night we are at the fire house. First, Third and Fourth Monday are drill nights and Second Monday is our monthly meeting night. The Mt Lake Fire Company truly appreciates and thanks everyone for their support.

MT. LAKE COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION 2022 MEMBERSHIP REGISTRATION

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Or send form and use Paypal on our website.

Your \$30 annual membership donation helps to support the many activities and projects undertaken by the Lake Association. Those wishing to contribute more than the annual membership amount help to boost our effectiveness as an all-volunteer organization. A Lifetime Membership is available for a donation of \$1,000; this includes corporate funds matched in your name. MLCA is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization and all donations and memberships are tax deductible.

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