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GLARA ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT

The GLARA AGM will be held at the Watch Lake Community Hall on Saturday, August 10th, 2002 from 10 A.M to 2 P.M.

We are aware that this date conflicts with the annual Gymkhana on the North side, however, we hope as many folks as possible will be able to join the GLARA meeting, even if you are unable to stay through the whole agenda. Our special guests this year will be the RCMP and Lori Frame, Health Inspector from the 100 Mile House office. Lori will make a presentation on proper septic system maintenance and update us on water testing programs that are ongoing in Watch and Green Lakes. We believe you will find this meeting interesting and informative, please join us if you possibly can.

HOSPITAL WORKERS LOSING JOBS

by Robin Rusaw

Nine 100 Mile and District General Hospital jobs will be eliminated by early July as a direct result of cuts to acute care. The Interior Health Authority (IHA) announced April 23 that 11 acute care beds will be cut from 100 Mile Hospital also effective early July. The nine positions, which will come out of acute care nursing, admitting, housekeeping and food services, tally up to five full-time equivalent positions.

SOUTH GREEN LAKE ROAD CRIME WATCH SIGN

You may have noticed the updated crime watch sign at the junction of the Bonaparte and South Green Lake Roads. Many thanks to Bob Craig, our area Director for the Crime Watch program for having the sign made and installed. GLARA paid for the sign upgrade as part of our community support commitment. Anyone interested in more information about the Rural Crime Watch program can obtain the details from Bob Craig. Break and enter episodes have been sporadic around the Watch/Green Lakes area, however constant vigilance is needed. Many local residents are

onstantly monitoring unusual activity in our area. The more people there are signed up to the Crime Watch program, the greater overall community awareness will be.

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PLEASURE CRAFT OPERATOR'S CARD

(See p 6 for who needs this) GLARA director Jack Wainwright is teaching this 8 hour Canadian Power and Sail Squadron course (\$60) in Burnaby on the following Saturdays: June 8, July 13, Aug 24, Sept 7, call Bev 604 520 1490 or Jack 604 434 328 or 250 456 2256 for details. **********

Our hard working efficient treasurer, Marie, emailed me the following clarification: Jack - I am sure you already were aware of mailing details on the newsletter but I will just let you know what I am up to. The labels are already on the envelopes and people who have let memberships expire are flagged with yellow. But because the newsletter is coming out after May 1, end of fiscal year, the people whose memberships expired with a date of May 2002 will still get a full newsletter and only those dated 2001 and earlier will get the first page only.

Are you still a paid-up member? Check your Newsletter's envelope. Your membership expiry date is noted. Fees are still a paltry \$10 per year with most folks paying \$30 for three FOUR years (new deal this year see Presidents report.)

Green Lake Area Ratepayers' MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION 7 RENEWAL FORM

name of membe	r applying (one per lot)	signature
legal description	of lot if known	fire number & street
full mailing add	ress (one newsletter per	membership)

fax available? e-mail address? is cheque enclosed? Make cheques payable to Green Lake Area Ratepayers Association. Fees are \$10 per year (most members are opting to pay \$30 for three 4 years) Receipts will not be mailed, but will be available for pick-up at any general meeting, or from the treasurer. Membership expiry date is noted on your newsletter mailing label. Mail to GLARA, site Q. Comp. 5, RR1, 70 Mile House BC, V0K 2K0

70 MILE TRANSFER STATION UPDATE

With the coming of spring (eventually!) the pressure on our refuse transfer station increases dramatically. We would like to congratulate permanent and parttime residents alike for their great cooperation by complying with the posted regulations. The improvements to signage accomplished last year have helped and our attendant has done a great job of maintaining the required standards. We remind everyone that obtaining a burning permit each spring is dependent upon the cleanliness of the wood material to be burned. If this refuse is contaminated with roofing, old carpet, drywall or other non-wood materials, it all must be removed before a burning permit will be issued. Please help us by ensuring you do not dump non-wood materials in the area marked "wood only". With your regular garbage it is a big help if all bags are tightly closed, and if very heavy, double bagged. Please close the container lids when you leave, this prevents bears and other "critters" from getting inside the containers which can result in all kinds of problems!

Have a great summer season and thanks again for helping us keep the 70 Mile Transfer Station open and functioning properly.

DONATIONS TO NORTH AND SOUTH GREEN LAKE VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENTS.

At our January 17, 2002 Directors meeting, a motion was tabled to make a one time cash donation to the 3 firehalls that serve the Watch/Green Lake Communities. GLARA has accumulated a comfortable bank balance through prudent financial management of membership dues, grants and donations. The eight directors present voted in favour of the motion resulting in GLARA sending \$800.00 to each of the firehalls on the Watch/North Green Lake side and \$1,000.00 to the South Green Lake Firehall. These donations were made on the understanding that the funds would be used expressly for the purchase of turnout gear or equipment that would contribute to the safety of our volunteer firefighters.

There is no doubt that our Volunteer Fire Departments make a major contribution to the safety and well being of our community. All of our firehalls enjoy underwriter's approval and this alone results in fire insurance savings ranging from 30 - 50% annually! GLARA's donation is, in part, recognition of the community's role in ensuring our volunteers are properly equipped when asked to answer a fire or medical emergency. Subsequent to the approval of these donations, our Director, Jack Wainwright raised a legitimate concern that all future cash

donations or requests for grants should come before the complete GLARA Board. As a result, in the future all such matters will be handled through a timely "Notice of Motion" to allow all members to prepare input and steps will be taken to ensure every Board Member is included. This process will ensure each request receives full consideration and, if deemed necessary, deferred to the next Annual General meeting for membership consideration.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

As I sit down at our computer to write this report snow continues to fall as this very cool spring continues. With our short growing season in the Green/Watch Lake area, our gardens need all the help from Mother Nature they can get. One can only hope it will come soon in the form of stable warm weather!

We hope all of our members and have enjoyed a good and healthy winter season. The winter here was quite nice, although the lakes were slow to freeze over, cooler temperatures later in the season resulted in plenty of ice. A healthy snowfall made for excellent snowmobiling and from all reports the Green Lake Snowmobile Club enjoyed a busy and very successful season.

Many of the full time residents in this area made the trek south in search of warmer temperatures. Gloria and I also joined the "parade" and met many of our local friends in Arizona and Southern California for a few games of golf and "Happy Hours". Now that most of us are once again at home it is time to address the many priorities that come with each new season. GLARA continues to be active in your community and in this newsletter we will attempt to update you as fully as possible on matters of interest. While GLARA'S membership remains healthy we encourage those of you who have not yet joined to do so this year. The broader our membership the better as we hear from more people about the divergent issues that concern them. In this newsletter you will note that we are extending a special offer for those folks who are joining GLARA for the first time or renewing their membership. It is already a real bargain however, this spring when you join for 3 years for a fee of \$30.00 you will get the 4th year FREE. So please, take a moment as you read this newsletter to fill out your membership form, write the cheque and become a part of the community voice that GLARA is.

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At the Annual General Meeting last August we asked for and received input from members regarding the extent of GLARA'S role as a voice for this community. Of course we are guided by our constitution, which

sures we stay focused on matters concerning the cost living. Things such as taxation, property values etc., the environment, including land, air and water and the general safety and well being of our residents. GLARA is not and does not attempt to be a "police force" for the community we serve. In fact, based on your input we have a policy that when issues or concerns are raised we will offer guidance and advice as to how the particular issue or concern can be handled, and usually try and refer people to the agency or office of the different levels of government who will handle each issue. All residents should know that we do not report infractions, perceived building code or septic field problems etc. GLARA's role is to act within our stated constitution to be a strong voice for this community. Together we have a stronger voice and we need all the members and voices we can get to help be heard as the new issues arise.

It is my personal belief that the Green/Watch Lake area offers much of what people from the urban centers are looking for. Clean air, clean water, great scenery, plenty of outdoor activities and above all some genuine peace and quiet. As more people discover that all of these amenities are here, they will come in ever increasing numbers. As that happens our collective

ices must be heard if we are maintain, over the long m, the very things most of us came for in the first place. Make plans now to attend the GLARA AGM on August 10th at the Watch Lake Community Hall from 10:00 A.M. to 2:00 P.M. This year we will be serving free hot-dogs, juice and coffee after the meeting offering a great opportunity to meet and socialize with your friends and neighbours.

The best to you all, Dave Claxton

SOUTH GREEN LAKE - OFF SHORE SURVEYED BUT UNDEVELOPED LOTS

A number of south side residents have called to express concerns regarding the Provincial Governments plan for the large block of surveyed, but undeveloped lots between the snowmobile club house and the South Green Lake Firehall. To ensure we provide accurate information GLARA contacted the Ministry of Land, Air & Water Marketing Department in Prince George. They have been very helpful and have provided the following clarification.

The block of lots in question have all been doubled in size by removing the center line between each existing veyed lot. This reduces the number of sin this block to approximately 30 from in excess of 60. All of the larger lots were then professionally appraised and existing offshore landowners can be

assured that resultant lot values are in line with current market values for such properties. The Ministry of Land, Air & Water does not have any plans to aggressively market these lots. If they receive "expressions of interest" from private citizens and given the desired lot(s) pass TNRD requirements for septic and water, lots will be sold at current market value.

Senior representatives of the Land, Air & Water office in Prince George have also offered to meet soon here in our community with GLARA representatives to view, first hand, all areas of concern so they can be fully informed regarding all future land related issues in this area. This meeting should take place prior to the AGM on August 10th so we hope to have a further update then.

COWS—COWS—COWS by Gordon Labinsky
A meeting was held in February to try to find workable solutions to our long standing problem with cattle entering the S. Green Lake residential areas. Attending were: one person from Ministry of Forests (they issue the grazing leases on our local Crown Lands).; two ranchers representing the cattle company that holds the grazing leases in this area called the Tin Cup Range.; and two residents from S. Green Lake.

Several things were agreed to which hopefully will result in fewer problems with cattle this grazing season. (May 15-Oct 31). The ranchers have agreed that if the cattle are in the South Green Lake Community and Residential area they will respond to the call from our area representatives. The ranchers also volunteered to remove cattle that were repeat offenders and relocate them. A reporting system was agreed to whereby only three people from S. Green would call the rancher that owns the cattle.

PLEASE DO NOT PHONE THE RANCHERS yourself, but contact your representative if you see cattle within the S. Green Lake community and residential area. Report cattle seen between east end of S. Green road and

Sunset view Provincial Park to

Don Brown lot 1199, ph 250 456 7626 Report cattle seen between the Park and access #5 to Barry Roman lot 575, ph 250 456 2334

Report cattle seen west of access 5 to Point road to:

Not yet appointed, so call a GLARA director in that area to get the name when you need it.

When you call be prepared to report the day, time, location (lot #) and approximate number sighted.

Remember that all of BC is designated as open range and it is the land owners responsibility to fence unwanted critters out, and even impound and hold trespassing critters for redemption by the owners. This is why all cities etc. have impound facilities. If you do not want cattle on your property you must fence them out. Substandard fences are not recognized as legal for trespass by cattle. Get the details of a legal fence from Min. of Forests at 100 Mile House.

TIME TO GO FISHING

During our Directors Meeting May 7th we discussed including a fishing report for the Watch/Green Lake region in the GLARA Newsletter. I know that many of our members enjoy getting out on the local lakes. No doubt most of you have plenty of knowledge and deadly fish producing methods however, for those folks who might benefit from some local information we hope this helps. I do not profess to be an expert, I have however, been fishing since I was a "pup" and do spend many hours on the local lakes throughout the season. I fish with flies primarily because I had the good fortune during my youth to have a great mentor who introduced me to fly fishing long before it gained the popularity it has today. However, I support sport fishing in all of its forms given that folks read and comply with the regulations. That makes it fair for everyone and ensures there will be the same quality fishing available to the coming generations as we enjoy today. Here in the Southern Cariboo we have access to incredible fishing opportunities within short distances from home, so get out and take advantage of the scenery, peace and quiet and the thrill of a prime Kamloops trout charging through the water.

First a word about the regulations for 2002. There are no major changes however, it is important to be aware of minor differences between area 3(Thompson-Nicola) and area 5 (Cariboo). The daily catch quota for trout in Region 3 is 6 however, in Region 5 it is 5. Also in both regions you are allowed only one fish daily over 50 cm. In Region 5 this year the daily catch quota for Lake Trout (or Lake Char) has been reduced to one fish. We encourage you to obtain a copy of the 2002-2003 Freshwater regulations and read them thoroughly before you set out. It could save you some major embarrassment later!

Before we discuss some local lakes and what works well for me just a quick word or two about methods. As I mentioned I'm into flyfishing but that does not mean that fishing with flies requires specialized gear. If you have a relatively lightweight spinning rod you can troll flies very successfully. If your reels are loaded with 8 or 10 pound test monofilament, simply tie in a 8 foot section of 6 pound test leader and then another 4 feet of 5 pound test leader. Clamp on one or two small split shot at least 8 feet ahead of your fly and troll "very slowly" with 60-70 feet of line out. You may have to add or remove split shot until you find the right depth. Before you tie on your fly check the regulations for the lake you are fishing regarding barbless hooks. If barbless hooks are required simply clamp down the barb with a pair of needle nose pliers. I have observed many trollers doing very well with assorted lake trolls used with worms, small flatfish or lures. The key as the weather warms up and water temperatures increase is to fish at the proper depth. Trout do seek out deeper water when the sun is high in

the sky and they also go deeper to find the right water temperature in mid-summer. So experiment a bit until you find the right depth.

If you have flyfishing gear and tend to troll rather than cast, be sure you have a full sinking line of type 3 or 4 density. I find these lines are a must especially during the warmer months when you must get down to the fish. Use a long leader, I usually use 12 foot tapered leaders followed by a further tippet section of 3 to 6 feet with a breaking strength of 4.5 to 5 pounds. I go down to 3 or 3.5 pound test in very clear water, and believe me, it does make a difference. Yes, you will lose a few fish if you try to horse them but you will get more hook-ups!

I won't go into the more technical casting techniques as they can be quite involved. For this article we will simply stick to basics for those folks who want to go out and troll around a local lake and enjoy some success.

WATCH LAKE: This very beautiful lake is a reliable producer of rainbow trout and is usually my first choice if I want to take young folks fishing. It is a rare day that we don't enjoy good action. This lake gets good numbers of fingerlings each year and survival rates are high plus the lake water is an ideal environment. The trout are active and very good eating, especially in the early part of the season.

I have found that Watch Lake trout will consistently take 4 or 5 popular fly patterns. However, the trout do go on and off the bite quite regularly, so don't be surprised if you're getting good action only to have it come to an abrupt end. Keep at it, usually it won't be long before the action again picks up. These are the fly patterns I have found to be most reliable. Doc Spratley in black, red and green. The smaller sizes seem best so be sure you have several of each colour in sizes 10 and 12. Size 8 also works. Halfbacks in sizes 10 and 12 are usually deadly. Try and select flies with a thinner body, I find the more bulky patterns are not as effective. Carey Special, in green and red, sizes 10 and 12. Damsel Fly nymph patterns with very thin bodies and in pale green, olive or yellow. Dragon fly nymphs (especially in late summer and fall) dark olive, green or deer hair natural is best. You will need size 8 and 10 in Dragonflies. Shrimp patterns work well but troll them slowly and stick to various shades of green in sizes 10 and 12.

Within this group of flies you will usually find the answer for the Watch Lake trout. These trout are not large, average length will be 12-16 inches however, every once in a while you will hook a larger fish. I have landed several well over 3 pounds.

GREEN LAKE:

Green Lake has a reputation for being a tough lake to fish and it is, certainly in my experience. However, there is a good population of trout and some are very large. It takes some knowledge and above all,

rsistence to be successful. Because the water is very car, the larger fish in particular, are very wary. Therefore you need very long leaders, the lightest you can get away with and still hang on to these "rockets" should you hook one. My only experience has been by fishing with flies so that is what I will share with you. Just be prepared to put in the time, if you do, the eventual hook-up will more than compensate for the hours put in!

First you must use a fast sinking fly line with a type 4sink rate. I find that Green Lake trout stay deep most of the time and only these fast sinking lines will get down where they hang out. In fact, after late June and though July and August I find it hard to reach the fish at all as they seek out deeper water as temperatures rise and boat traffic builds. However, during May and June and again in the fall Green Lake fish can be taken on flies. These are well fed trout as Green Lake contains a large population of fresh water shrimp. These shrimp provide the primary food source and give the trout that nice salmon red flesh color. There are other seasonal insects that populate the lake, especially May Flies during the month of June and there is a heavy "water boatman" hatch in the spring and fall. Mixed among these hatches are the usual Dragon Flies, Damsel Flies

! Leeches. Before we discuss the fly patterns to use we need to discuss leaders. Be sure you use very long leaders, I suggest at least a regular 12-foot tapered leader with a tip strength of 7 pounds. To that add 4 feet of 6-pound leader followed by 4 feet of 5-pound leader. While it is true you may lose a "Walter" with such a light tippet, at least you will get a hook-up. I find using heavy leaders just does not work in this lake.

FLY PATTERNS: I have found that a few flies work well given you use the terminal gear mentioned and that you "fish slowly". If you troll go as slow as possible and then even slower. If you are fly casting make sure your fly gets down to the bottom and make the slowest retrieve possible. So here are some flies that work for me.

- Halfbacks: For Green Lake use sizes 8 and 10 and if you can find them buy flies with a long shank, with as thin a body as you can find. If you can find this fly with a brass bead head, that also works at certain times.
- Carey Specials: Use these old reliables in the larger sizes, 6 and 8 in brown, green and olive.

Damsel Flies Nymphs:Usually will work in June. If you are in Lone Butte, stop in and see Rolf Kirmse at Lone Butte Sporting Goods. His Damsel Fly pattern is a good producer and an excellent imitation of the natural.

- Leeches: Use larger sizes, long shank size 6, 8 and
 Black Marabou, Maroon Marabou and Olive Marabou are all worth a try.
- Woolly Buggers: Use size 6 and 8 in black and olive.

I could fill several more pages discussing other area lakes however, there is neither time nor space. We hope the forgoing information will be helpful to you this season.

Good Luck and tight lines. Dave Claxton

GREEN/WATCH LAKE WATER QUALITY

GLARA has been in contact with the Interior Health Authority regarding the status of testing of our lake water. The Public Health Officer has advised that ongoing testing done by their office has not caused concern. Currently they test water in the Provincial Parks, Forestry Site Accesses and private camp grounds. At no time have these tests produced results that exceed the recreational water guideline of 200 fecal coliform/100 ml. This season testing will be expanded to ensure a broader range of samples are tested.

Lori Frame, C.P.H.I (c) Public Health Inspector will be attending the GLARA AGM and will make a brief presentation on proper septic maintenance, plus answer your questions.

OL' YARDLEY graces our signs to tourists.
Ol'Yardley was a name that we stuck on a 36"(yard long) 17lb Rainbow that was caught a few years ago by Brian Rusaw in the 83 Mile spawning trap, stripped of eggs and released back into Green Lake. Ol' Yardley is probably still lurking down there. Let us know if you catch her. By Jack Wainwright

YER EDITOR RETIRES

I have enjoyed the 9 years as editor and director of GLARA. Our circumstances will now see us spending much less time at the lake and so I feel I will be too out of touch to continue. Thanks for all your past support and encouraging comments. It has been great to be a part of such a dedicated group.—Jack

WHY LEARN ENGLISH.

This is well reasoned, but it just shows how a theory can be proved yet totally wrong! ...or is it?

- (a) The Japanese eat very little fat and suffer fewer heart attacks than the British, Canadian or Americans.
- (b) On the other hand, the French eat a lot of fat and also suffer fewer heart attacks than the British, Canadian or Americans.
- (c) The Japanese drink very little red wine and suffer fewer heart attacks than the British, Canadian or Americans.
- (d) The Italians drink excessive amounts of red wine and also suffer fewer heart attacks than the British, Canadian or Americans.

Conclusion: Eat and drink what you like. It's speaking English that kills you.

NEW LAW re BOAT SPEEDS

(this is a repeat from last fall's newsletter)

As of mid summer, a new law came into effect in BC regarding boats etc. speeding close to shore.

All freshwater lakes and rivers are now subject to a speed limit of 10km/h within 30m of the shoreline. For those folks still not "metricized" 10km/h is 6 mph; 30m is 100 feet.

This law is in effect in most other provinces but was delayed being implemented in BC due to concern for tidal channels with strong currents. Consequently this law for BC exempts tidal water. Another exemption is for small rivers where that speed restriction would not allow a boat to navigate the river.

Waterskiers are allowed a little leeway, but they must go straight out into the lake; perpendicular to shore if they are starting a skier. (consider that a 75' tow rope, plus length of tow boat plus skier off-shore in the water will measure close to 100'). On landing, ski boats must swing in parallel to shore at least 30m off shore and expect the skier to swing in to land closer and parallel to shore. Anyone wishing to tow a person within the 30m off-shore limit, must do so no faster than 10km/h (6mph). This law is to lessen the chance of impact with swimmers and paddlers (canoes, kayaks, peddle boats).

"Waterskiers" by definition now includes all manner of towing people with boats. The new rules now require a seat on the tow vessel for every person being towed. A PWC may tow legally but only if it is a three seater and can only tow one person. As in the past, there must be a driver and a spotter on board. It is illegal to ski between one hour after sunset and dawn.

Exceeding the speed of 10km/h within 30m of shore constitutes dangerous operation of a vessel, which is an infraction under the Criminal Code of Canada, Improper towing of people is also an infraction under the Criminal Code of Canada. Enforcement is still not strong. In GLARA's area, the few RCMP officers are not able to mount a strong presence and so far in BC being charged still means a court appearance and summary conviction. Minimum fine is \$250. However if an accident occurs the full weight of the law will result in charges that lead to jail time, criminal records, and huge awards. The largest award to date in Canada has been a judgement for \$1.5 million. Liability insurance is not mandatory, yet, but it would be prudent for boat owners to carry at least one million liability. The law states that the operator is responsible, but experience is that both the owner and operator get sued for damages. In that respect, the law for cars and boats is the same.

Watch Lake is posted with a speed limit of 8 mph and that will not change. The new shoreline limit will not be posted anywhere. It is up to boaters to know the law. In Green lake vessels may not exceed the speed limit while entering Boyd Bay, East and West Lagoons or transiting the narrow channel of West Twin Islands.

Lagoons are posted for speed limits of 10km/h throughout in order to protect sensitive habitat.

For those inclined to mark the 100/30m limit in front of their properties, the proper buoy would be white with an orange circle within which the speed limit is noted as 10km/h This must be large enough to be clearly visible and must not constitute a hazard to boaters. The buoy must be anchored with NON FLOATING line which could be chain or nylon rope. In no circumstances may floating polypropylene rope be used as it is a hazard to boats. (It wraps on the props). If a boat is disabled and damaged on your rope, you are liable.

However, there is a bureaucratic catch. All buoys indicating speed limits must have Federal Government approval. Coast Guard has indicated that this approval will **not** be forthcoming because the regulations (p 62 of the Safe Boating Guide) clearly state that the shoreline speed limit is not posted. It is just law in the same way that 80km/h is the speed limit for cars in unmarked areas.

Mooring buoys are to be orange. Swimming area buoys are white, but must have Federal approval. Other buoys are not legal without government approval.

EVERY OPERATOR OF A POWERED BOAT MUST CARRY A PERMIT.

You must carry proof of having passed a course in boating safety to operate a powered boat in Canada. This is being phased in. Anyone born after Apr. 1 1983 must carry it now. Operators of all boats under 4m (13.5') which includes all Personal Water Crafts (PWCs) need to get it by Sept 15 2002. There is no exemption for age or low horsepower motors.

EVERYTHING THAT FLOATS NEEDS TO CARRY MINIMUM EQUIPMENT

Check the Canadian Coast Guard's Safe boating guide for required equipment. Generally speaking ALL BOATS (includes row boats, paddle boats, sail boards, PWCS,) must have: *an approved PFD (life jacket) of an appropriate size for each person on board;

•a 15m (50') heaving line; •a bailer;

a manual propelling device (paddle);

a sound signalling device (whistle)

and if out after sundown, navigation lights.



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