

**Town of Eagle Lake Patrol Monthly Report  
August 17, 2008 – September 13, 2008**

To: Supervisor Don Malek:

**Patrol Hours:** Forty hours were put on lake patrol during this period. Saturday, Sunday, and Labor Day weekend included. Labor Day weekend was not especially busy with it being the last big weekend of the summer. Sunday the 31<sup>st</sup> was quite busy though.

**Citations Issued:** 19 Citations and 18 Warnings

- Sunday 08/17/08 Oper. PWC too Close to Another Boat \$101.00  
Improper Display of Numbers \$ 69.50  
Oper. PWC Within 100' of Another Boat \$ 88.40  
PFD Violation \$ 63.20
- Saturday 08/23/08 No Registration \$101.00
- Sunday 08/24/08 Fail to Display Numbers \$ 69.50  
No Fire Extinguisher \$ 75.80  
Battery Violation \$ 63.20
- Saturday 08/30/08 No PFD \$ 63.20
- Sunday 08/31/08 Wrong Direction on Lake \$101.00  
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Oper. PWC Within 100' of Another Boat \$ 88.40  
Wrong Direction on Lake \$101.00  
No Valid Certificate on Boat \$ 63.20
- Monday 09/01/08 Battery Violation \$ 63.20  
No PFD's \$ 63.20
- Saturday 09/06/08 Fail to Display Decals \$ 69.50  
Battery Violation \$ 63.50

**Special Interests:** On August 17<sup>th</sup>, observed two young boys, 15 and 17, on PWC's driving recklessly. They were caught up in their "fun" and forgot about safety. They would speed towards each other and then turn quickly causing a large spray of water to be directed at the other. They would be about 20' from each other. Both cited.

On August 23<sup>rd</sup>, between 7:00 PM -7:30 PM, four boats launched at public launch and only 1 did okay. #1 forgot to put his plug in and started to sink, #2 could not get out of little basin there, and #3 could not start his motor. I gave him a jump start.

On August 30<sup>th</sup>, observed a young father out on lake with his 2 year old and 7 year old children on a paddle boat. No life jackets on children or in boat. His only comment was, "I can't believe the Police are on the lake"! Cited.

**Lake Residents:** We have had several people who stated they had friends or relatives on the lake for years and claimed they never saw or heard about lake rules. As much as lake management goes above and beyond to get this message across, there will be some who do not follow the rules.

**New Hire:** Due to the fact that 2 of our officers, Craig Konopski and Chris Heckman, work 2<sup>nd</sup> shift, I could not use them much this summer. I would like to have the town bring on Jason Steinbrenner, a Village of Mukwonago Officer. I'm telling this now so he can be ready next May when we get started.

**Summary:** On August 24, 2008, at 4:30 PM, after I had just left the lake, I received a call from the Town of Troy Chief to be on the lookout for someone who may cause trouble with the kids at the public launch. He received a speeding ticket and was blaming the kids for not telling him the Lulu Lake rules. The kids leave at 4:00 PM so they were okay, but I told the lake management this information. I will give my thoughts on this for the annual report.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Sergeant Dennis Nork  
Town of Eagle Lake Patrol