

TOWN OF EAGLE LAKE PATROL MONTHLY REPORT

August 10, 2009 – September 13, 2009

To: Supervisor Don Malek

Hours on Water: We patrolled on the lake 47 hours, mostly Saturdays, Sundays, and Labor Day. We went out on 2 weekdays because of a complaint of problems during the week.

<u>Citations Issued:</u>	9	<u>Verbal Warnings:</u>	27
Saturday	08-22-09	PFD Violation	\$ 63.20
Sunday	08-30-09	Fail to Transfer Title	\$ 63.20
Saturday	09-05-09	PFD Violation	\$ 63.20
Sunday	09-06-09	No Valid Registration	\$101.00
		PWC Too Close to Shore	\$ 88.40
Saturday	09-12-09	Battery Violation	\$ 63.20
		No Valid Registration	\$101.00
		Improper Registration	\$101.00
Sunday	09-13-09	PFD Violation	\$ 63.20

Complaints by Lake Residents:

08-22-09 Lake resident advised us some residents wait until Patrol secures, Then violate rules.

08-23-09 Lake resident request we patrol some weekdays between 3-6 PM. Watch for a yellow Master Craft pulling skiers going any which way around lake.

09-06-09 Lake resident called Police Department reporting boat pulling water skier wrong direction on lake, from Lower Clark Park area.

Special Interest: Boats going wrong direction on lake. I've had a couple boaters stop and ask me about cutting across parts of the lake where they are going against other boat traffic. I've stopped several and warned them about it. Consider adding onto present ordinance of direction around lake, something to the effect that they can go Slow No Wake around lake, any way! To be discussed with lake association.

Big Thanks: Matthew Thew of Jacks Bay volunteered to replace a bad fuel pump part on the patrol boat. He did the job and just for the cost of the part. A big thank you to him for his valuable time spent.

Special Notes: Always a constant report of boats speeding through channel from Lake Lulu to our lake. Two weeks ago Warden Doug Ziehen was going through channel to Lake Lulu and caught a boater on plane speed, racing towards Eagle Spring Lake. Subject from Wales was cited!

High Point Complaint: Boats coming too close to their piers. We have stopped and gave warnings to several boaters, lake residents and non-residents. It is easy for them to get into trouble coming out of Jacks Bay making the turn then coming too close to the piers.

Respectfully Submitted:

Sergeant Dennis Nork
Town of Eagle Lake Patrol