

# TOWN OF EAGLE LAKE PATROL

## August 16, 2010 to September 12, 2010

To: Supervisor Don Malek

**Hours of Patrol:** 44 hours on the water.

<b>Citations Issued:</b>	9		
Saturday	08/21/10	PWC Too Close to Shoreline	\$ 88.80
		No Valid Registration	\$114.00
Sunday	08/22/10	No Wearable PFD	\$ 76.20
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		Wrong Direction on Lake	\$114.00
Saturday	08/28/10	Restricted Buoy Violation	\$ 88.80
Sunday	08/29/10	No Fire Extinguisher	\$ 88.20
Sunday	09/05/10	No Wearable PFD	\$ 76.20

Verbal Warnings: 23

**Complaints:** This past month there were several lake residents reporting gas/gas tanks stolen. One resident observed 2 men on his pier on a Monday night between 12:30 – 1:00 AM.

One resident reported his theft to Waukesha County Sheriffs Department, gas taken from his truck.

\*Boats going wrong direction on lake including ski channel. (Several citations and warnings have been issued.)

\*Lake resident reports a 16 foot Bayliner tubing too close to pier and other boats.

**Special Notes:** For Sergeant Nork's court appearance on 8/23/10 in Waukesha Municipal Court on 2 citations for trial, the subject was found guilty on both counts (from boat accident in 2009).

\*08/21/10 Recovered loose SNW buoy near north end of lake that broke loose between Sims and Fails Island. Dragged it to Nate Cobbs pier and advised.

\*Several of us Officers took a 4-hour class on Phantom Lake sponsored by the Town of Mukwonago Police Department. It was an Evasive Boat Operations course; boat handling!

\*Advised Board Members of a need for 1 more SNW buoy by pencil reeds, making it 3.

\*On August 22, 2010, observed 6 people in 5 little rubber toy boats heading to Lulu Lake. All were very low in the water and appeared to be sinking. No one had any floatation devices. We gave them PFD's, took 2 people on our boat, and escorted the rest back to boat launch. Two citations were issued and 4 warnings.

\*Early goose season, started September first. We advised many boaters, canoeists, and kayakers to watch out for hunters, especially on the way to Lulu Lake.

\*9/12/10 Lake resident reports a loose pontoon boat in the middle of the lake. The boat was secured to his pier and the owner was notified to come get it.

**Summary:** As we enter the last month of the boat season, activity slows down. Weather changes, days get shorter and boat traffic is lighter. I will not be on the lake the weekend of September 18-19th due to a personal issue. One of our Officers will be covering it, weather permitting.

September 26, 2010, we will pull the patrol boat and store all equipment. This year we need to pull the prop and have it balanced. I will talk to the Board about the normal winterizing and anything else that needs to be looked at.

Respectfully Submitted,

Sergeant Dennis Nork  
Town of Eagle Lake Patrol