

Winona Lake Preservation Association

Assessing Major Erosion & Soil Deposit into Winona

Two critical purposes of WLPA include oversight of water quality and the ongoing preservation of Winona Lake. This is why the WLPA, in conjunction with Town of Winona Lake, Grace College Water Quality Program, Kosciusko County Surveyors Office and the Kosciusko County Soil & Water Conservation District, are assessing a very large plume from Wyland Ditch, also known as Cherry Creek. A distinct dark color difference where the stream deposits into the lake can be observed. A plume develops from soil erosion when a stream runs its course and empties into a lake.



This plume located on the southwest side of Winona Lake is shown above in an aerial photo. The image demonstrates that an incredible amount of sediment has deposited at the mouth of Wyland Ditch.

The degradation of the ditch system has lead to increased accumulation over the years to the point that lake residents have had to extend their piers further into the lake. Habitat and water quality within this area continues to degrade due to the sediment deposition. The sediment is eventually swept down the shoreline ending up in the canal area which is dredged every 5-10 years.

A water and soil consultant assessed Wyland Ditch and indicated that stabilization of the

ditch as well as potential projects upstream will not only decrease the amount of sediment entering into the lake, but will also improve the water quality throughout the system.

We have applied for a Lake and River Enhancement (LARE) grant through the DNR to assist with a Feasibility and Design study on the stabilization of Wyland Ditch. We'll find out if we receive the grant in July. I will keep you posted on this issue. Hope to see you at the annual meeting on April 15.

-Chris Cummins
WLPA President

Spring Newsletter

2010

Lake Notes...

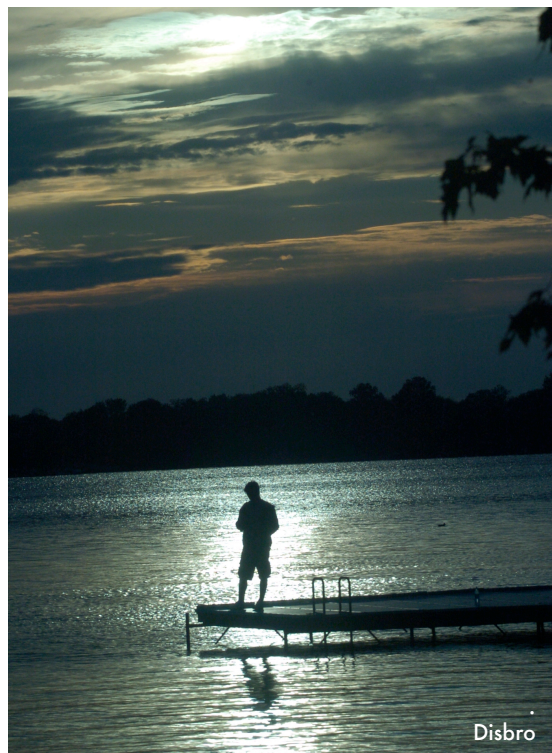
2nd Annual Northern Indiana Lakes Fest - June 26

The second annual event will take place on June 26 from 11am - 5pm at Center Lake. This great family-friendly event includes a boat show, a ski show by Lake City Skiers, exhibits and booths by lake & water-related businesses and non-profit organizations, canoe tours around Center Lake, interactive song & dance performances for children, a water splash & play area, delicious food, fishing, water quality testing, demonstrations, door prizes and more! For further information contact Lyn at 834 -3242 or telwf@kconline.com or www.NorthernIndianaLakesFestival.org

Dam Control - The Dam will be closed by May 1 raising the lake to spring level.

Lost & Found - If you have lost or found items in and around our lake, please contact chris@didage.com.

Newsletter - Do you have comments or input for your next WLPA newsletter? Please contact augustamarketing@comcast.net. Name omitted from the membership list? Please let us know. The WLPA apologizes for any oversight & will recognize you in the Fall newsletter. Thank you!



Disbro

2009 MEMBERS

Michael Anderson
Bruce Barton
Will and Cheryl Brandt
Doris Breathing
Cathy Carter
Roger and Risa Crouse
David and Lynette Dick
Ron and Patty Donkers
Tom and Tina Dunn
Nancy Eads and Rusie Pudis
Tony and Cindy Elliott
Gary and Phyllis Faudree
Linda Kay Fisher
William and Sue Gooding
Lester and Marcia Gordon II
Danny and Roberta Gregory
Mike and Becky Grill
Linda and Bruce Hammer
William and Elaine Hand
Tim and Shirlee Hauth
Doug Jones
Tom and Nondas Joyner
Jack and Katie Kelley
Douglas and Kay Kimbal
Jerry Kimball
Vern and Sara Landis
Donna Lee
Jim and Lisa LeMasters
Jeff and Anita Linck
Robert & Wendy Wildman Long
Michael and Janet Ludwig
Dan and Carol Miller
Rita V Miller
Steven and Martha Miller

Jim and Pam Nichols
Don and Pam Orr
Bill and Molly Parke
LaDonna Petro
Ray and Rosemay Piper
David and Dana Platt
Joe and Mary Prout
Greg and Robyn Rauen
James and Bonnie Rhodes
Marcia Robinson
Ranee and Peg Robison
Jim Rogers
David and Caitlin Ryser
Steve and Carolyn Shaffner
Michael and Susan Shearer
Jeff and Cindy Shelton
Carl and Rita Snyder
Sterzel and Roe Families
Randy and Janey Stouder
Louis and Dorothy Sweeney
Ronald and Carol Terjung
Donald and Mary Treese
Jerry and Nancy VanKovering
The Village at Winona
Bill and Dorothy Volkers
Frank and Janet Volkers
Paul and Karalyn Voorhorst
Stephen Wesolowski
Brent and Karen Wildman

BRONZE MEMBER

Gary and Sally Bailey
Brenden and Dora Bartol
Jerry and Jane Bischoff
Tom and Teresa Breathing

Chris and Beth Cummins
B. Milton and Lynn Cuppy
William and Joan Darr
Robert Davis
Ed and Genyce DiRico
Alvin and Mary DeVries
Mary Eherenman
Dodge and Kim Elkins
Brian and Jennifer Elliott
Garry and Sherry England
Jack and Marilyn Felger
William and Carole Gordon
Hal and Lane Hartle
Harry and Nancy Harvey Jr.
Stephen and Paula Heckman
Tom and Susan Hight
Charles and Jacqueline Hollar
David and Darlene Holsclaw
Glynn and Shelley Johnson
Randy and Ruth Jones
Bess Joyner
Joseph and M. Jane Juday
Rick and Diane Kerlin
Terry and Martha Klondaris
Roelf and Deborah Kuitse
Phyllis Landis
Joy Lohse
Larry and Mary Ellen Long
James and Jo Manwaring
Larry and Becky Manship
Jan Montieth
Frances Noble
Larry and Pam Poyser
Chris and Julie Rankin
Bill and Judith Burns
Hugh and Catherine Ressler

JR and Marilyn Rohrer
Wayne and Janice Schope
Paul and Jane Siebenmorgen
Roland and Ilene Snider
Jay and Jenny Solloway
John Stauffer
Brad and Jennifer Tandy
Joe and Jill Thallemer
John and Tam Vogel
John and Annette White
Brad and Jennifer Tandy
Steve Waldeck
Ster and Sarah Watkins
Brent and Karen Wildman
Carl and Marilyn Williams
Mark and Janice Workman
Dan Zachary

SILVER MEMBER

Stephen and Katherine Adair
Chet and Shirley Bartol
Richard and Phyllis Carman
George and Mary Clemens
Garry and Sherry England
M. Geringer
Henry Havel and Mary Stickelmeyer
Alvin and Eleanor Hoffman
Bill and Patty McCarrick
RM and Karol Picuch
Tim and Lili Polk
Steve and Connie Ruffenbarger
Lyle and Gloria Shenefield
John and Maria Tucker
Terry and Sandra Tucker

**WINONA LAKE
PRESERVATION ASSOCIATION
2010 MEMBERSHIP FORM**



April 1, 2010 - March 31, 2011
PO Box 13 Warsaw, IN 46581-0013

Name: _____ Spouse: _____

Lake address: _____ Zip: _____ Phone: _____

Mailing Address (if different from above): _____

City/State: _____ Phone: _____

Winter Address if different: _____ City/State: _____

Dates at Winter Address: _____ E-Mail Address: _____

CONTRIBUTION LEVELS

MEMBER: \$50.00 BRONZE MEMBER: \$100.00 or above

SILVER MEMBER: \$200.00 or above GOLD MEMBER: \$300.00 or above

Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$50.00 for my 2010 membership, plus a contribution of \$_____ to be used to continue the efforts of the WLPA.

Please return to Winona Lake Preservation Association
P.O. Box 13, Warsaw, IN 46581-0013.

The association is a 501(C) (3) organization under the Internal Revenue Code. Donors may deduct bequests, contributions, and gifts if they meet the applicable provisions of sections 2055, 2106, and 2522 of the code.

For office use only:

Membership Paid _____ Contribution _____ Total Amount Paid _____
Date Received _____ Check Number: _____ To Treasurer _____

Your WLPA Board of Directors for 2010 - 2011

Chris Cummins, President
Peggy Lieftring
Cathy Carter

Chris Rankin
Joy Lohse
Dr. David Dick

Dodge Elkins
Tony Elliott
Kerry Rose

Tammy Dalton
Pat Miller
Bill McCarrick



Annual WLPA Meeting!
Thursday, April 15 - 7:00pm at Ramada

The annual WLPA will gather at the Ramada Plaza Hotel. An interesting meeting is planned for you. Tell a neighbor or bring a friend.

Annual WLPA & Town Clean Up Day
Saturday, April 17 - 9:00am - 12:00 pm

The annual clean up day is planned. If you or a team of friends would like to assist, please call Chris at 267-7500.

2009 WLPA
GOLD MEMBER

(continued from page 2)

Murray and Penny Bartel
Michael and Deborah Conley
Lex and Tamara Dalton
Robert and Sue Fuson
Bruce and Jeanne Grossnickle
Kosciusko County Fair Inc.
Harry and Elaine Langford
Pete and Peggy Lieffring
Dane and Mary Louise Miller
Fred and Karen Rowland
Bruce Shaffner
Charles and E. Ann Smith
Dennis and Kathleen Webb
Bob and Nancy Williams
Bill and Sherry Winn

The WLPA apologizes for any omitted membership names. Please call 267-7500 or e-mail augustamarketing@comcast.net to let us know we missed you. You are appreciated and will be recognized in the Fall 2010 newsletter.

Winona Lake Preservation

Association

PO BOX 13
WARSAW, IN 46580
574.267.7500

ADDRESS

CORRECTION REQUESTED

