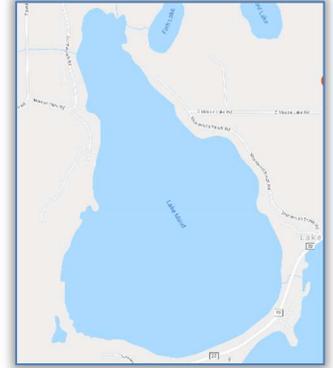


Lake Maud Association – Spring Newsletter 2025

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Membership in the Lake Association - What does a membership do for me?

The association's mission is to benefit and support the Lake Maud community in our common interest to be good neighbors and stewards of the natural resource we enjoy.

- Bi-annual map & directory
- Beach clean-up in June
- Meal at Annual Meeting
- Annual water clarity/quality testing
- Membership in [Conservation Minnesota](#), [Becker County Coalition of Lake Associations](#), [Adopt a Highway-Co Hwy 22](#), [MN DNR Loon Restoration Project](#), [Minnesota Lakes and Rivers](#)

Please fill in the enclosed card and mail with your \$40 membership dues in the enclosed envelope by April 18.

- **Contact information on the enclosed card will be published in the directory and on the map**
 - **Note any updates or corrections on the card, or contact Tom Clow, treasurer, at tjclow@gmail.com**
- >>> Please provide current phone, email and mailing address information. <<<

UPCOMING EVENTS

April 19, 2025: Adopt-A-Highway Ditch Clean-Up, 10:00 am (Subject to change depending on conditions.)

The Lake Maud Association is responsible for Adopt-A-Highway ditch clean up on County Highway 22 from Co. Hwy. 15 (TJ's Bar) to the Wildflower-Pelican Lake Road/Co. Hwy. 20. Weather permitting, we will meet at TJ's Bar parking lot at 10:00 am. All are welcome to help, the more volunteers we have the faster it will be done!

June 21, 2025 : Beach Clean-Up and Annual Meeting (Subject to change depending on conditions.)

Beach Clean Up: The association provides this service to its dues paying members to help you maintain your property. This is not a substitute for regular garbage service. We cannot pick up clothing, recyclables, hazardous materials/liquid waste, yard waste, construction debris, televisions, tires, computers, hide-a-beds, concrete, batteries, items of unreasonable size or household garbage. There is a limit per house of two (2) appliances (microwaves included). Please separate materials such as wood, metal, appliances, and motors. Have your waste at the road edge by 9:00am.

Crews will pick up the items placed at the road edge and will not make a second round. We need volunteer loaders and drivers to help with this service. (Trucks and trailers provided.) All who are interested in helping please meet at TJ's Bar & Bistro parking lot at 8:30 AM. Questions may be directed to any board member (contact information listed below).

June 21, 2025: Lake Maud Association Annual Meeting and Social (following Beach Clean Up) The Annual Meeting will be at 12:00 Noon, Saturday, June 21, 2025 at the Cormorant Community Center, located at 10929 CR-5, Pelican Rapids, MN. (It is just west of the Cormorant Store.) There is space for the kids to play outdoors. Water and lemonade are available for free. We'll have a catered meal for dues paying members, a short business meeting, Loon Project and water quality testing updates, and a speaker if/as available (Department of Natural Resources, Sheriff, etc. Attendees are encouraged to bring a dessert to share. (*Note: Membership dues can be paid at the meeting)

Items to be discussed and voted upon at the annual meeting include:

Election of Officers and Beach Captains (as required in the By-Laws of the Lake Maud Association, two-year terms)

- Officers: Vice-President and Treasurer
- Beach Captains: Dorff Beach, Maple Beach, Isthmus Beach

If you are interested in being a Lake Maud Association board member, a beach captain, or volunteer to help the association, please contact Dave Morinville, president, 701-261-2195 or any board member.

July 4, 2025: Boat Parade & Yard Decoration

Boats meet at the public access at 12:00 Noon. \$20 TJ's Bar gift certificate for each boat! (Must start, loop the lake & finish with the parade to receive a gift certificate.) One award will be given for decoration in each of the following categories: **Most Patriotic Boat, Most Original Boat, and Best Decorated Yard.**

>> *Please ~ No water balloons during the boat parade!* <<

Congratulations to last year's Fourth of July winners:

- **Most Patriotic Boat:** The Amundson Family.
- **Most Original Boat:** The Curt Olson Family, Guardians of Maud, Save the Trees.
- **Best Decorated Yard:** The Huesman Family.

Judges needed for the boat parade: Participation in the Boat Parade and the Yard Decorating has become a tradition for many families on the lake. Volunteers are needed to judge this event. *If you are interested in participating as a judge, please contact one of the board members listed below.*

Other Information

Thank You Volunteers: Thanks to Sue Livermore and Joe Zeleznik for volunteering to assist the Lake Maud Association. Sue is leading our Minn. DNR Loon Restoration Project efforts, and representing us at the Becker County Coalition of Lake Associations (COLA). Joe is taking the water clarity/quality samples for testing at RMB Laboratories throughout the summer. Thanks also to our board members and beach captains!

Community goals to have a safe and fun summer.

Please be good neighbors and good stewards of the lake, here are some things we can all do:

1. Boats pulling skiers, tubes, wake boards, wake surfers, etc. -- Please drive responsibly, stay in the middle of the lake. When boating close to shore waves damage the shoreline and disrupt wildlife nests.
2. Please observe Minnesota boating regulations regarding times of day you may Jet Ski, pull skiers, tubes, wake boards, wake surfers, etc. Also note how far you should be from the shore and away from other boaters. The Minnesota Boating Guide may be found at: files.dnr.state.mn.us/rlp/regulations/boatwater/boatingguide.pdf
3. Please keep your pets on your property & under control or on a leash. Promptly clean up after your pets.
4. When going to another part of the lake to swim and play, please be sure to clean up the area before you leave.
5. Please be considerate and observe the 30 mph speed limit on County 22 between Lake Maud and Lake Eunice.

Lake Maud Association Board Members for the 2024/2025 Year

President: Dave Morinville	701-261-2195	<i>Elected June 2024 for two year term</i>	dmorinville@hotmail.com
Vice Pres: Dean Haaland*	701-212-0065	<i>Elected June 2023 for two year term</i>	dkhaaland@gmail.com
Secretary: Lori Brown	701-720-1677	<i>Elected June 2024 for two year term</i>	uptownbrown61@gmail.com
Treasurer: Tom Clow*	701-367-9302	<i>Elected June 2023 for two year term</i>	tjclow@gmail.com

Beach Captains for the 2024/2025 Year

Dorff Beach: Greg Jensen*	701-238-1964	<i>Elected 2023 for two year term</i>	petrice.balkan@gmail.com
Morton Oaks: Peter Cullen	218- 329-7787	<i>Elected 2024 for two year term</i>	pmcullen11@gmail.com
Maple Beach: Jessica Miller*	218-329-1835	<i>Elected 2023 for two year term</i>	jm0580@yahoo.com
Shorewood: Julie Scothorn	218- 234-9080	<i>Elected 2024 for two year term</i>	jlcothorn@gmail.com
Isthmus: Bill Purrington*	218-849-1546	<i>Elected 2023 for two year term</i>	bnrp1@msn.com
Newport/Lade: Rick Livermore	612-716-8335	<i>Elected 2024 for two year term</i>	rick.livermore@fostersinc.com

* **Positions open for election:** If you are interested in volunteering, please contact any board member for details.