

President's Message

Thanks to all that attended our April meeting. We had a record turnout with over 97 in attendance. Our increased participation and the growth of our organization is exciting.

We appreciate our April guest speakers, Lee Townsend and Kevin Gray from Alabama Power Shore-line Management Program, who provided an overview of the fall drawdown and updated us on the current permitting process for maintenance and new construction within the Alabama Power easement. The fall 2018 drawdown is tentatively scheduled to begin September 18 and will begin refilling on October 2. After being lowered approximately 4 feet, the water level should be back to normal by October 4. Since it's been 5 years since the last drawdown, residents are encouraged to submit applications for permits early. Permits can be obtained by applying online at: https://apcshorelines.com/shoreline-management/

Thanks to everyone who participated in this year's Renew Our Rivers Lake Cleanup, which removed 4.8 tons of trash from our beautiful lake, bringing our cumulative total to 75 tons! For their first year taking over the cleanup, our new committee chairs, Allan and Brenda Basnight, did a fabulous job. This year's cleanup had so much participation, we gave away over 400 t-shirts. The Basnights are also researching additional opportunities for cleanup during the fall drawdown. In addition to the cleanup, our hard working Lake Jordan Water Watch Committee is making sure our lake water is safe. Headed by Chairperson Judy May, our monitoring group has increased to 14 chemical testers and 12 bacterial testers with testing on both sides of the lake.

Nikki Miller, our Fireworks Committee Chair, has been working really hard raising funds for our annual 4th of July fireworks show. Nikki has obtained corporate sponsorships from River Region Boathouse and Docks, River Bank and Trust, Martin Collision, Diversified Alarm Services, Silas Builders LLC, Wind Creek Casino, Bennett and Lumpkin DMD, Vintage Lawn Care, Brandt Wright Realty, Pine View Memorial Gardens, Wilson Turf Farms, and The Little Things Embroidery and Boutique. Please let them know by patronizing their business and thanking them for their generous support. We hope everyone enjoys the annual fireworks show which is set for Wednesday, July 4.

HOBOs and Friends
3rd Quarter HOBO meeting
Monday, July 23rd, 2018

Camp Chandler YMCA — Lake Jordan Meeting at 7:30 p.m. • Dinner at 7:00

Remember to put July 23, 2018 on your calendar for the next meeting of the Lake Jordan HOBO Association. Due to summer camp being in session, July's meeting will begin 30 minutes later, at 7:30 pm, with a meal served at 7:00 pm for those who would like to join for dinner.

Thank you!



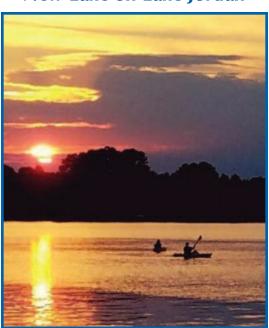
Packed Quarterly Meeting



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for the next issue of HOBO
by September 1, 2018
to:
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New Lake on Lake Jordan





Firework T-Shirt Design





It is with a heavy heart that we report that Lake Jordan's own, Louis Vuitton (Hartley) passed away over the long Memorial Day weekend. Louis' amazing recovery and life was featured in our October 2017 HOBO Newsletter and received the biggest response from any feature to date. Louis was the faithful companion of William & Dee Hartley. This beautiful boy will be greatly missed by all who were lucky enough to meet him.

What Fathers Want and Really Don't Want for Father's Day

By the time you are reading this, Father's Day will have come and gone for another year but hopefully it was a day of rest and relaxation for all you fathers' out there. That's really all you wanted, right? A day at the lake (maybe with the kids, maybe peacefully alone – no judgment here), a boat with a full tank of gas and a cooler iced down with your favorite beverage. It's simple really, men (and I speak in general terms) don't want "presents," they want a day off to enjoy whatever makes them happy.

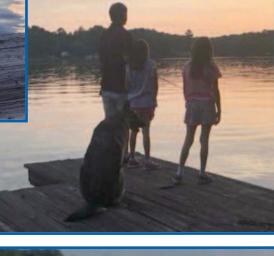
I asked for photos of "Dad's Enjoying the Lake"

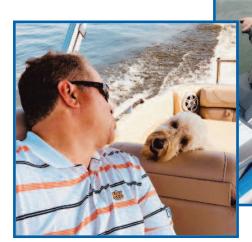
on our Lake Jordan HOBO Facebook page and our members did not disappoint. I share these photos for you all to see the joy and gratitude a day at the lake can bring to the men in your lives. Give them a rod and reel, a comfy lawn chair or a new water gizmo if you must purchase a gift to make "you" feel better about Father's Day, but also give them the time to actually enjoy these new toys.

Happy Belated Father's Day to all the wonderful men that are lucky enough to be called "Dad." I hope your day was paper weight, "World's Greatest Dad" coffee cup and tie free.











Challenge Accepted

As many of you know, this was the inaugural year of Allan and Brenda Basnight leading the helm of Lake Jordan HOBO's Annual Lake Clean-Up. Gauntlet thrown and challenge accepted! Wow, what an amazing turn-out of volunteers (over 400) and 4.8 tons of debris collected. If you're keeping count, that's over 75.5 tons of trash pull from our lake since the clean-up's inception.

The Basnights' readily gave the credit of this successful event to Mrs. Barbara Dreyer, who although officially turned over the reins this year, remained an integral part of this challenging project.

As with previous years, it took the efforts of many individuals and sponsors to make this year's clean up a success. A special "Thank You" to Alabama Fish & Game and Elmore County Search and Rescue who provided both boats and man-power the day of the clean-up. To Alabama Power who provided boats for the event, but also donated all of the trash bags, gloves, grabbers and the fabulous 2018 Renew Our Rivers t-shirts. Our special gratitude is also extended to Advance Disposal for providing a compactor truck; as well as, their time and effort to haul away the debris and weigh it. The clean-up simply would not happen without these organizations!

Special recognition is also given to John & Carla McCune and the "feeding crew" that spent hours preparing and serving food to the many volunteers.

This year's Clean-Up was clearly a successful undertaking by the Basnights and their entire crew of family and what looks to be a great new tradition of keeping Beautiful Lake lordan beautiful!









Reducing Litter In and Around Lake Jordan

Most of us agree that the most distracting thing around our lake is the amount of litter that is deposited in the water as well as on our roadways. It is a constant battle to reduce the situation as our County Engineers Department helps with periodic "pick up projects" using prison labor and other re-

sources to help keep our roadways clean. Many of our neighborhoods post signs to remind motorist to not litter and some have volunteers who pick up litter on the roadways.

Another initiative in some areas of our lake is the Adopt-A-Mile Program which involves the community working together to keep one or more roadways clean. If you want to set up that project in your local community, call 1-800-ALA-PALS. PALS (People Against a Littered State) will give you guidance on how to undertake this excellent project.

As individual residents, we need to remind our family members to keep a plastic bag in their vehicle to deposit "throwaways" and to not deposit ice bags and other garbage in their truck beds. We need to also assure the garbage

we place in the Advanced Disposal garbage carts are placed in plastic or other containers so they do not blow out of the garbage trucks during transport.

The above suggestions also apply to boaters. Let's all help keep our lake and roadways clean.



Coosa River Drawdowns Set for Fall

Because weather conditions can affect the drawdown schedule, residents and contractors are encouraged to visit Alabama Power's automated Reservoir Information System at 1-800-LAKES11 (1-800-525-3711) or https://apcshorelines.com/ for updates.

Residents and contractors considering any construction projects within Alabama Power's reservoir boundaries should consult with the company about obtaining the proper permits before beginning any work. Permitting guidelines and contact information for permits can be found on the Shoreline Management page at www.alabamapower.com.

Individuals with boats and other water-related equipment and facilities should always be alert to changing conditions on Alabama Power reservoirs and be prepared to take the necessary steps to protect their property.

Alabama Power has 14 hydroelectric facilities on the Coosa, Tallapoosa and Black Warrior rivers, producing low-cost, clean energy for customers. To learn more, please visit www. alabamapower.com.

Alaba	ma Power sch	nedules dates fo	or drawdowns	on four la	kes
	on the Co	osa River to be	gin in Septemi	ber	
Alabama Power h Jordan/Bouldin an				owns on La	y, Mitchell,
Drawdowns give re projects on the fou				permitted o	construction
Here is this year's	tentative drawd	own schedule:			
Lake	Normal elevation	Drawdown elevation	Lowering dates	Start refill	Back to norma
Jordan/Bouldin	252	248/249	Sept. 18-20	Oct. 2	Oct. 4
Mitchell	312	308/309	Oct. 2-4	Oct. 16	Oct. 18
Lay	396	393/394	Oct. 16-18	Oct. 30	Nov. 1
Neely Henry	507.5	503/504	Oct. 30- Nov. 1	Nov. 12	Nov. 15

Elmore County Recycling Program

We are fortunate in Elmore County to have a recycling program that was established with the help of grant funding provided through ADEM. The program is managed by the Elmore County Engineer's staff with the help of an Advisory Committee which consists of volunteer representatives from across the County. Per its Bylaws the mission is to advise and support the Elmore County Commission and related personnel in implementing and execution of the Recycling Program.

A primary goal is to promote recycling efforts by schools and to motivate the public to participate in reducing deposits in landfills and also to reduce the cost of our garbage collections. It also helps us ease the burden on our natural resources by recycling old materials, such as paper, into new products.

In a typical community, each family generates

about 60 pounds of recoverable newspaper, plastic, tin and aluminum each month. Subtract that bulk volume from local landfills, and it's easy to see that participation by you and your neighbors in this program can make a big difference.

Our HOBO organization has a representative on the Advisory Committee and periodically provides us a status report in our newsletter and/or at our quarterly membership meetings. We are told that recycling containers near Lake Jordan continuously lead in the quantity of deposits made, so let's keep up the good work.

There are currently 11 public recycling drop off locations across Elmore County in addition to locations furnished by some cities. Go to www. Elmoreco.org to find the location of the recycling bin near your home or business. The web site also provides additional recycling information.

Crappie Masters Tournament Returned to Beautiful Lake Jordan

Crappie Masters All American
Tournament Trail
sponsored by the
Renewable Fuels
Association
"Ethanol Fueled
With Pride," American Ethanol, and
Bass Pro Shops
held its final leg of
the Alabama State
Championship
Tour on May 11th
and 12th on Beau-



tiful Lake Jordan. The tournament saw several firsts, to include; early season heat, stressed fish, perseverance, and a twist before the top ten weighed in on Championship Saturday.

Facing calm waters, but well above average temperatures, a majority of the teams dealt with post spawn conditions and struggled to keep their bounty alive for the final weigh in. Day one leaders and front runners Kevin Randall and John Hendrix from Rome, Georgia were hit hard and lost their entire stock leaving them unable to weigh any fish on Saturday leaving the door wide open for the other anglers. The team of Jimmy Ayers and Michael Clinard were happy to walk through that door bringing in 7 fish weighing 12.99 pounds on Championship Saturday giving them a two-day weight of 25.09 pounds giving them their first Crappie Masters victory. Ayers and Clinard received \$3,700.00 for the win, along with the Missouri Corn Growers Association/American Ethanol \$500.00 bonus for using E10 fuel in their boat, plus for using Jenko Rods they picked up another \$100.00, and \$250.00 in Power Pole Captains Cash. Ayers and Clinard are sponsored by Cunningham Motors.

Second place winners were Scott Williams and Jacob Sapp weighing in 14 fish at 24.80 pounds

good for the \$1,900.00 second place check. Third place winners, Joe and Janette Carter, pulled through to claim third place after losing over 12 pounds in their live well on Saturday morning. Determined to shake their bad luck, they reeled in another 12 pounds with the help of several large fish in the final hour of the tournament to claim their \$1,000.00 third place finish. The Carters were also the top placing Male/Female Team of the tournament and won a Hummingbird Helix 5 Fish Finder. Joe and Janette are sponsored by Vexan Rods.

The Alabama State Championship was also on the line, which was decided by a cumulative point total from this tournament and the Weiss Lake tournament held earlier in the year. It came down to the top three teams being separated by just 3 points with first and second being decided by a single point. The 2018 Crappie Masters Alabama State Championship went to the Ozark Rod team of James and Jamie Heflin who narrowly defeated the team of Eric Cagle and Wade McDonald with 2017 Alabama State Champions Jonathan and Alicia Phillips settling for the third position. The teams won \$500.00, \$300.00, and \$200.00 additional respectively.

Ref: http://www.crappiemasters.net/home/

How to Find the Best Boat for You

When is the best time to buy the boat of your dreams?

The water might be frigid and even being outside is uncomfortable, but winter is a smart time to buy a boat. With a calendar full of boat shows and last year model sales at dealerships, the off-season offers fantastic deals and plenty of time to consider exactly what you want.

Don't think you have to win the lottery before you start looking:

According to The National Marine Manufacturers Association (NMMA), the leading trade organization for recreational boating in the U.S., affordability is the number one concern for most first-time boat owners. There are many misconceptions out there about boat ownership, and being for the "rich and famous" only might top the list. In fact, recent reports show that 72% of boat owners reported an annual household income of less than \$100,000.

There is truly a boat for every budget, from small fishing boats to tricked out pleasure crafts built for speed and everything in between. The NMMA also reports that getting a loan on a boat is easier than ever. Research indicates that most financial institutes now offer loans from 3 to 10 years depending on the purchase price because a boat doesn't depreciate as rapidly as some other products. So, buying a boat can be affordable and current lending trends make it easy to fit most budgets.

Once the papers are signed, maintenance and expenses for upkeep are minimal, if not free for a few years, for new boat owners. Most manufacturers now offer standard three-year warranties and service agreements. That's adequate for most people who will only be using their boats for a few hours a day on the weekends. But if you live on the water year-round or you want to take a sunset cruise every night or fish every day, it might be worth checking into an extended warranty. For boat owners who spend more time on the water than the average user, the extra investment could be well worth it to avoid unexpected expenses and provide extra peace of mind. It's like having health insurance for your boat.

Consider buying used:

As with anything "pre-loved," buying a used

boat can be a great option to get the most for your money, or it can be a very costly mistake. REMEMBER - Cheaper up front doesn't always mean cheaper in the long run. Check out a reputable dealer's used inventory and then do your homework. Are there any current recalls from the manufacturer? What are the dealership's customer reviews like? Better safe than sorry, check with your state's Better Business Bureau before you sign on the dotted line.

And that "too good to be true" deal you're seeing on Craig's List, is probably just that. There are reasons that people say the two best days of boat ownership is the day you buy it and the day you sell it.

Know how you'll use your boat:

When you walk into the showroom or a boat show, be ready to answer a few key questions. (Don't worry, you likely already know the answers.)

Where are you going to use your boat? What size of a lake are you on? Are you going to fish? Are you going to ski? How many people are going to be in it on a regular basis? Are you going to be towing a skier or kneeboarder and all their equipment or are you truly just worried about having enough cup holders?

Boats are for fun, but being practical with your purchase can often make or break your enjoyment. Know your lake and any restrictions that might be in place with regards to length, engine size, noise levels, etc. Know your personality and decide before you're dazzled by boats of every shape and size in shiny showrooms on what type of boat you want and then make your list of "must have" options. If you haven't shopped around in a while, the electronic bells and whistles can become overwhelming. From multiple floor plan and flooring options, to trolling motors and depth finders, to everything Bluetooth, new technology offerings for boats are truly endless and can make your boating experience safer and more enjoyable for years to come.

Good luck on your hunt for the perfect boat. I'm sure it's out there just waiting for you to make some memories.

A big "Thank You" to our Corporate Sponsors



What's For Sale On the Lake?

Lake residents are always interested in what's for sale on the lake so they can tell their city dwelling friends and relatives. This column is available to all HOBO members with listings or property for sale on or near Lake Jordan. If you have a listing that you would like to appear in the next HOBO Newsletter, please send it to Marci Williams at marci.williams@yahoo.com. We hope this is a useful tool for home sellers and buyers alike.

490 Sugar Loaf Hill, Deatsville – *LAKE JORDAN PARADISE* with approx. 497 +/- feet of WATER FRONTAGE!!! Entering



the drive the moss hanging from the trees and the water sparkling like diamonds is breathtaking yet soothing! This lovely 5 bedroom 3.5 bath home is a lake lover's dream! Once you enter this

home you will be in love with the BEAUTIFUL pickled oak pine ceilings, antique wood floors and the gorgeous LAKE VIEWS! Wonderful open floor plan with the kitchen offering plenty of pine cabinets, breakfast bar and tile flooring! The great room offers a cozy stone fireplace that can be enjoyed while gazing at the lake! The spacious master suite offers laminate wood flooring, jetted tub, walk in shower, nice size closet and amazing lake views! Downstairs in the basement you will find 2 guest rooms, bath and a recreational room! Outside the basement is a covered deck that you will enjoy relaxing on while sipping on your favorite beverage! AND that's not the only sitting area to be enjoyed...walk out the great room to enjoy SPECTACULAR lake views from the deck while grilling out & relaxing with your family and friends! This home has so much to offer!!! Make an appointment to view this home today! RE/MAX CORNERSTONE REALTY Chad Barrett: 334-799-4693

500 Jackson, Deatsville – YOU WILL FALL IN LOVE OVER



AND OVER AGAIN
WITH THIS SPECTACULAR LAKE JORDAN
HOME!!! You will
NEVER want to leave
once entering the
driveway! With 319 +/-

feet of WATER FRONTAGE this 3 bedroom 2 bath home is a PIECE OF PARADISE!!! The kitchen offers plenty of cabinets, breakfast bar, breakfast area and hardwood floors that flow into the dining and living room! The living room offers a cozy fireplace, sky light and picture windows with INCRED-IBLE LAKE VIEWS! The spacious, dreamy master suite offers lake views, wood flooring, 3 closets, double vanity, separate walk in shower and a garden tub! The guest rooms are nice size, one offering a beautiful lake view! The big guest bath has a double vanity, tile flooring and a beautiful stained glass window over the tub! Walk outside to be swept away by all the beautiful lake views from the upper level covered porch and the deck that wraps around the house! The lower level has cozy sitting areas where you can relax! This home also has a double boat house with a third slip and you can see for miles down the lake from the pier! There's also a large workshop! This home is perfect for entertaining your

family and friends! Don't waste any time...make an appointment to view this beauty today!!! RE/MAX CORNERSTONE REALTY Chad Barrett: 334-799-4693

Shoal Creek Lot - Only \$55,000



Only \$55,000 for an 2ac Beautiful lot at Lake Jordan in Shoal Creek Estates, Holtville, AL Part of the lot is flat. There is a partial water view. Beautiful hardwoods. There is a private park and picnic area just a few feet away

which homeowners have access to. Lots are restricted to 1800 sq. ft. minimum. Very nice homes surrounding! Tammy Chavers: 334-701-0548

898 Lewis Rd - Welcome to beautiful Lake Jordan! Enter



into an updated kitchen with eat-in-area and stunning views. This home includes 4 bedrooms and 3 baths with a partial basement that could be an additional bedroom/recreation room with storm cellar.

Entertain in the family room/dining room combo with thermostatically controlled gas log fireplace. Enjoy the spacious master bedroom with multiple lake views. There is a separate guest area with its own deck entrance, perfect for an Airbnb. Relax and enjoy lake life on the decks and porches of this home and 2.3 acre lot. Double garage with tool and workshop area. This is a rare lot with plenty of parking and a private drive that includes an area that is wired for a RV. The home is approximately 2805 sq. ft. with an additional basement area of 756 sq. ft. per appraisal. It sits on the flat part of the lot making it easily accessible to the water and pier. Great views and protected docks with approximately 188 ft. of waterfront! Conveniently located on the Holtville side of the lake just a few miles from the school, grocery store, eateries, and shops. Gay Carlisle, REALTOR. Gay@Gay-Carlisle.com, www.GayCarlisle.com, 334-398-2514

170 Jordan View Drive, Titus - "LIVE YOUR DREAM" in this



beautiful lake Jordan home! . UPDATED KITCHEN with beautiful custom cabinets, pull out drawers, granite counter tops, cook bar, and real pine wood floors! Gas stove top with electric oven. Three bedrooms, two baths with updated features and

nice sized closets. Master bath has separate shower and garden tub. real rock fireplace in family room with the stones from the very earth the home was built on! Incredible wood floors throughout! Enjoy LAKE VIEWS from almost every room. There is a small storm shelter/storage room in basement. Entertain or play pool in the basement with water views. Please the man or carpenter in the family with his own workshop or man cave in the basement. There are 4 plus decked areas, perfect for family and guest to sit, relax and enjoy the lake views. DOUBLE BOAT HOUSE, one with a lift. There is approximately 110 ft of waterfront with sandy

area by steps for wading. This flat private lot has lots of parking space and an additional electrical box if you have a guest with a rv and needed parking space. Can't miss the INCREDIBLE SCREENED IN DECKING AND PATIO AREA! The lot is large enough to add an additional workshop or garage. The basement has its own heating and cooling system. Large dry storage area for canoe or paddle boats. Only minutes from Montgomery Just 7 miles from 231N.Call for an appt. 334-398-2514.

21 Reagans Way – PRICE has been REDUCED by



\$10,600.00 NOW PRICED AT ONLY \$199,900!!! This home is waiting for you!! COME and CHECK OUT THIS NEW CONSTRUCTION HOME in the Holtville

School District near Lake Jordan! It's move in ready! Great Open and Split Floor Plan with all the extras you are custom to. This home features an Extra Large Two Car Garage with a step out and a separate storage with double doors, Foam insulation, brick, vinyl eaves, crown molding throughout, smooth ceilings, granite in kitchen and bathrooms, custom cabinets with plenty of storage, abundance amount of counter space, under cabinet lighting, breakfast bar, deep stainless kitchen sink, large pantry, stainless appliances to include a dishwasher, a microwave, and a smooth top stove. The laundry room is right off from the kitchen and is separated so that it can be closed off. The great room is spacious and offers a beautiful stone wood burning fireplace, recess lighting, and four windows for ample amounts of natural light. The Master suite offers a double sink vanity, separate large tiled shower, garden tub, water closet and his and hers walk in closets. The second and third bedrooms also have walk in closets and are nice size rooms. Outside you will find a large corner lot with over .6+/- acre, a covered porch, and a covered patio with an outdoor ceiling fan. This home is great for all of your entertaining needs either indoors or out. Property Qualifies for USDA \$0 Down! (Check with your local lender for more information). Call your favorite agent for your private tour TODAY! Contact Heather Oates at #334-657-3302 or heather@realtycentralalabama.com

360 Circle Lane, Titus – If the picture didn't grab your at-



tention, listen to this. Owners have options for you to make this 5,100+ square foot home, located on a point, with over 470 feet of shoreline, your home. Yes, the lot is flat and addition-

ally, well manicured. Sellers can consider trading or buying your current home as long as the offer is reasonable. The original home was built in 1960 but a complete remodel was done in 2012 making this home like new and spacious. Five bedrooms and five baths and two master suites makes this home one of the most desirable homes on Lake Jordan. Call Belyn Richardson at ReMax Cornerstone Realty, 334-328-0249; getmobile.remax.com/belynrichardson for your appointment to view this beautiful lake home.

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Lake Jordan Home/Boat Owners Association Minutes of the Quarterly Membership Meeting

April 23rd, 2018

The Lake Jordan Home Owners/Boat Owners Association Quarterly Membership Meeting was called to order by President Jeff Royal at 7:00pm on April 23th, 2018 at Camp Chandler on Lake Jordan.

President Royal declared that a quorum was present to conduct business. He welcomed everyone, and new members and guests introduced themselves.

A motion was made and seconded to approve the minutes from the January 22nd, 2018 Quarterly HOBO Association meeting. The motion carried.

Jeff recognized Guest Speakers Lee Townsend and Kevin Gray from the Alabama Power Shoreline Management Program who were present at the meeting. All property on Lake Jordan is adjacent to land owned by Alabama Power. Lake Jordan has 118 miles of shoreline. The Alabama Power Shoreline Management Program oversees public recreation areas and offers places for people to put boats in. They also keep track of environmentally sensitive areas on the lake. The Shoreline Management Program issues building permits. All construction (including repairs) should comply with current General Guidelines for Shoreline Permitting. The current General Guidelines and permit application can

be found at

http://www.alabamapower.com/lakes/shorelines.asp. The typical permit application is generally approved within 2 weeks. However, because the water is scheduled to be lowered this year, there will likely be more applications to process and the approval time may take longer. It is suggested that if you plan to do work on your pier, boathouse, seawall, etc. that you go ahead and obtain the permit now. Permits are good for 1 year. The water drawdown is tentatively scheduled to happen starting September 18th and the water will remain down until October 2nd. You can also download the Alabama Power Shorelines app on your phone to obtain all kinds of information about our lake.

Tommy Counts presented the Financial Report dated March 31, 2018 with an ending non-restricted cash balance of \$37,563.34. A motion to approve the financial report as written was made and seconded. The motion carried.

On behalf of the HOBO Association, Jeff presented an \$1,100.00 financial contribution to Matt Thomas, Director of YMCA at Camp Chandler. Matt was very appreciative and informed the membership that the grant will be used to sponsor several campers to attend summer camp at Camp Chandler.

Committee Reports

Lake Clean-Up – Alan and Brenda Basnight thanked everyone for the great turnout and hugely successful Annual Clean Up. 4.8 tons of trash was pulled out of the lake bringing the all time total to 75 tons of trash removed from Lake Jordan. They are looking at possibly coordinating opportunities to gather additional trash during the lake drawdown.

Water Quality – Judy May reported that on April 6th, 8 water monitors were recertified. Lake Jordan now has 14 Chemical Testers and 12 Bacterial Testers. Both sides of the lake are now being monitored. However, there is always a need for more. Please call Judy if you are interested in getting certified to be a water tester.

Fireworks – Nikki Murchison Miller reported that fireworks fundraising is going well and we are on our way to the 10K needed. She thanked the business sponsors for their contributions and reiterated to the membership to please continue to ask business owners to be a sponsor. A fishing tournament fundraiser is also being planned, so be looking for details soon.

Government Relations – Logan Gray reminded everyone one that the June 5th Primary Election is right around the corner. Don't forget to get out and vote. Also, keep in mind, fellow Lake Jordan Resident and HOBO Member Kay Ivey is seeking reelection to serve as the Governor for the State of Alabama.

HOBO Newsletter and Publicity – Please continue to send in topics, articles and/or suggestions to Marci

Williams at marci.williams@yahoo.com for inclusion in the HOBO Newsletter. Please have all items for inclusion in the next HOBO Newsletter to Marci Williams by June 1, 2018. Don't Forget – the Newsletter is available for view online at www.lakejordanhobo.org.

Website – Please let Sharon Massey know if you would like anything posted to the website. If you are not receiving HOBO Association emails and you wish to, please visit the website at www.lakejordanhobo.org and click on the "Join Our E-Mail List" link.

Membership – Kim Adams reported that there are 219 paid memberships so far in 2018 with 23 of those being new members. There were 254 paid memberships in 2017. Even though the numbers are down a little from last year, we are on track to reach last year's numbers. Please continue to encourage your neighbors to join or renew! Dues can now be paid on the HOBO website through PayPal.

The \$50 Raffle drawing was held. Congratulations to the winner, Lyndel Graves.

There being no further business, Jeff Royal adjourned the meeting. The next meeting will be held on Monday, July 23rd, 2018 at 7:30pm (7:00 pm if you want to eat) at Camp Chandler. Please note the time change is due to coordinating around the Summer Camp being in session.

Respectfully Submitted,

Joyce Wright
Secretary

Tree Drop

The Lake Jordan fish and Christmas tree drop went well. We dropped about 125 real trees and 60 artificial trees supplied by the Alabama Conservation Department. About 20 HOBO Members showed up to help out and enjoy a Subway lunch provided by Alabama Power Co. The G.P.S. location of the trees are on the Alabama Web Site. For more Info. go to Alabama Conservation Department Web Site or Face book.

Thanks for your help.

Rope Swing Safety

Several folks have expressed there concern about the safety of the Rope Swing located near the Water Fall. The Water Patrol is aware of the situation. Keep in mind that there are under water hazards in the area. The swing is located on the old river channel. Large debris gets hung up on the bottom and causes ever changing hazards conditions that may be a few feet under the surface. This same situation can happen off your dock or diving board. Check it out with a grappling hook or deep running crank bait. Just because it was free of hazards last year doesn't mean it's O.K. for diving this year.

Everyone should have there ground fault interrupter installed and checked by now. We don't need any electrocutions on the Lake this year.

David Kowalski

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