



LAKE JORDAN HOME OWNERS AND BOAT OWNERS ASSOCIATION

HOBONewsletter

APRIL 2019

President's Message

Well, it's an exciting time to be on the lake and be a Lake Jordan Home Owners and Boat Owners member. The days are getting longer and the weather is getting warmer. We have a lot of events planned for this year and are thankful for all our members and support they give. Without you, this all would not be possible.

We are excited about spring and that means it's time for the annual lake cleanup. This year's will be April 27, 2019. We will be organizing the cleanup through our area representatives and our chairpersons, Allan and Brenda Basnight. Contact the Basnights at 334-399-7370 to offer your assistance. Area representative contact information is included in this newsletter. Let's make 2019 a record year! We would like to thank Elmore County Commission for their generous \$500 donation for the lake cleanup and they have also offered another donation of \$500 to assist with the food purchase for the cleanup. We appreciate our District 1 Commissioner Kenny Holt for supporting our organization.

Speaking of cleanup, thanks for our HOBOb members for organizing a roadside cleanup on the Titus side. These great HOBOb members stepped up and took action with their own hands! Read more about their efforts in this newsletter and about the February CPR classes hosted by Brenda Basnight. We plan to have more of these type classes in the future, including possibly a boater's safety course as well. Also, Jordan and Danielle Adams are already working on plans for this year's 4th of July Boat parade. Contact them if you would like to be involved in the planning or to help out.

Nikki Miller, our Fireworks Committee Chair, has been working hard in obtaining corporate sponsorships for our annual 4th of July fireworks show. We would like to thank Wilson Turf Farm, River Bank and Trust, TNT Outfitters, and Diversified Alarm Service for already stepping forward as corporate sponsors. Please let them know by thanking them for their generous support and supporting their businesses. If you own a business or know someone else who would like to sponsor this year's show, please contact Nikki at 334-318-9470 to discuss sponsorship opportunities.

After our January meeting, Lake Jordan HOBOb met with Alabama Law Enforcement Agency's Marine Police to discuss the three missing hazard buoys in two critical locations. These buoys have now been replaced. In our meeting, we were advised that Officer

Corey Robinette is being assigned to our lake taking over for Officer Ty Ray, who recently retired. We are planning to have Officer Robinette at our next meeting on April 22nd to meet our members and address any safety concerns. The meeting will begin at 7:00 pm with a meal served at 6:30 pm for those would like to eat.

**HOBObs and Friends
2nd Quarter HOBOb meeting**

Monday, April 22nd, 2019

**Camp Chandler YMCA — Lake Jordan
Meeting at 7:00 p.m. • Dinner at 6:30**

Thanks for all your support,

Jeff

Picking Up the Pieces



Wetumpka, Alabama made national news on January 19, 2019 ... for all the wrong reasons. Homes, businesses, government offices and churches were among the many buildings badly damaged or demolished when tornadoes struck central Alabama.

The National Weather Service confirmed that the storm started near the river with wind speeds of 120-130 mph. This EF2 tornado covered 18.2 miles and had a maximum width of 700 yards with the blunt of the storm striking Wetumpka's downtown river-front area.

Wetumpka's historic First Presbyterian Church, built in 1856, was reduced to rubble; as well as, parts of First Baptist Church of Wetumpka and approximately 25 neighboring homes. The Wetumpka Police Department, senior citizens center and recreation center were also lost.

The "bright spot" of this horrific event was that there were somehow no fatalities or serious injuries reported. Among all the destruction, all life was spared.

Local first responders were immediately on the scene and took control of the chaos like true professionals. In the days that followed, first respon-

ders from across the River Region and volunteers from around the southeast flooded the city to offer helping hands and hope to our community. Local restaurants fed the masses without thought of profit's lost and financial support came pouring in.

The need is great and will continue for some time to come. If you would like to help, donations can be made through the Central Alabama Community Foundation's Wetumpka Tornado Relief Fund. This nonprofit, which is a River Region charitable foundation, started in 1987 and plans to use the donations to support immediate; as well as, long-term needs of citizens in Elmore County. Go to www.cacfinfo.org and click on "GIVE TODAY" or mail a check payable to CAFC, 114 Church Street, Montgomery, Al. 36104 and reference Wetumpka Tornado Relief.

More than thirty days out from this life-changing event, Wetumpka is still cleaning up but with visions of brighter days to come. Because of the people in our local community and the faith that was clearly on display following this storm, there is no doubt that Wetumpka will rebuild stronger than ever before.



4th of July Boat Parade to Return to Lake Jordan

Plans are in the works for our renewed tradition of the annual 4th of July Boat Parade on Beautiful Lake Jordan. Date and time to be announced soon on our social media pages. Get your creative juices flowing because if last year is any indication, competition will be tough!

Our thoughts are to charge a small entry fee this year or ask for donations to benefit Camp WheezeAway. Let's do some good while we have a blast!

To offer suggestions or your help with the parade, contact Jordan or Danielle Adams #334-303-2542.



Hey Lake Jordan!

The July 4th fireworks show is approaching. We need to raise \$10,000 for the show and it would be great to have the balance paid off early this year. Please consider donating using the link below or mailing it in. The 2019 fundraising shirts should be ready by April. We plan to have them for sale at the cleanup and the next HOBO meeting. Like our page Lake Jordan Fireworks for more information.

Lake Jordan Hobo
P.O. Box 431
Wetumpka, AL 36092



<https://www.lakejordanhobo.org/fireworks-donations.html>

Don't Forget To Renew Your Membership

If you haven't already done so, your annual Lake Jordan HOBO membership dues were due in January. We appreciate your membership and want our organization to continue to grow each and every year.

Your dues help fund:

- ☑ Participation in the Renew our Rivers Campaign (the annual lake clean-up);
- ☑ Financial contributions to the volunteer fire departments and rescue squad that serve and protect the communities surrounding Lake Jordan;
- ☑ Chemical and bacteriological water testing and reporting;
- ☑ Community lake events such as the recently renewed annual 4th of July Boat Parade and Santa and Friends Visit Lake Jordan;
- ☑ Establishment and maintenance of the Slough Naming Project (slough signs)
- ☑ Financial contributions to YMCA Camp Chandler and the Alabama Wildlife Federation's Annual Elmore County Water Festival; and
- ☑ Participation in the establishment of a severe weather siren warning system operated by the Elmore County Emergency Management Agency.

Dues are \$25.00 per year. We also encourage members to consider a financial contribution to the Lake Jordan Fireworks Fund.

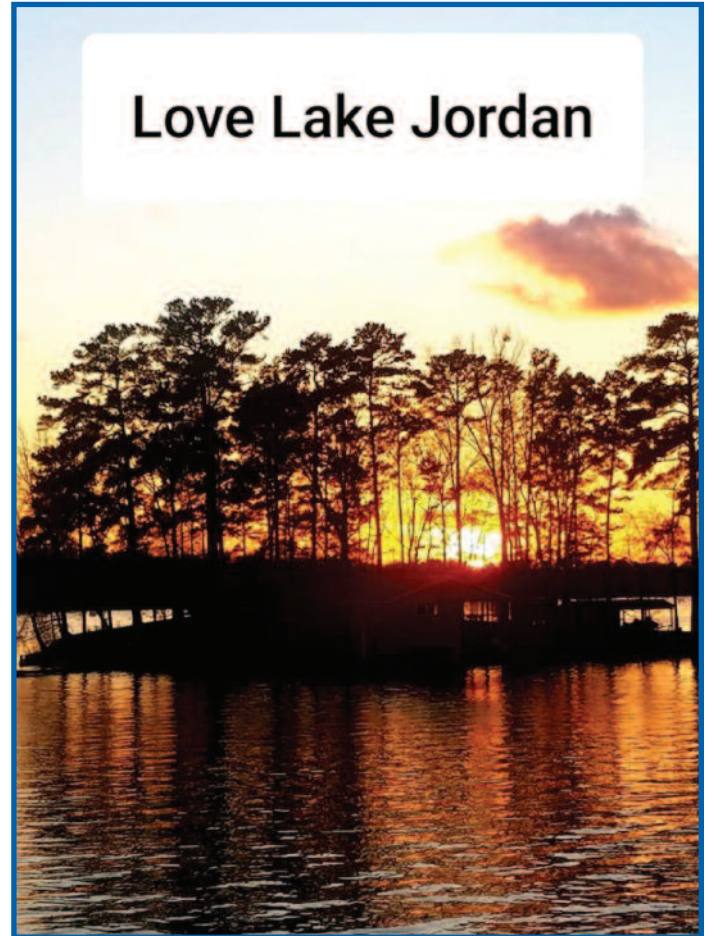


Photo credit: Kay Martin

Payments can be made three different ways:

1. Mailing a check to Lake Jordan HOBO, P.O. Box 431, Wetumpka, AL 36092
2. Pay online with a credit or debit card at: <https://www.lakejordanhobo.org/join-lake-jordan-hobo.html>
3. Pay in person (cash or check) at any of our quarterly meetings held on the last Monday of the months of January, April, July and October at 7:00 pm at YMCA Camp Chandler.

Remember - Dues are Tax Deductible.

HOBO has been recognized by the Internal Revenue Service as a tax-exempt entity under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. Contributions to HOBO are tax deductible by the contributor.

2019 Fish Habitat Enhancement / Christmas Tree Drop

Alabama Power Company Shorelines/Lake Jordan HOBO's annual fish habitat construction and placement will be on Tuesday, April 9th at 9:00 am. We will meet at Bonner's Landing at 9:00 am.

All equipment including gloves, caps and life jackets, will be provided. Lunch will also be served for all volunteers. If you plan to attend, please contact Dave Kowalski at 334-514-0804. Thanks for your support!



Lake Clean-Up 2019



Lake Jordan HOBO Association in conjunction with Alabama Power's "Renew Our Rivers – The Coosa" campaign has scheduled our annual lake clean-up for Saturday, April 27, 2019.

If you are interested in keeping Beautiful Lake Jordan beautiful, please mark your calendars now and plan to join us. We encourage all HOBO members to participate and to invite friends and family that enjoy our lake throughout the year.

If you would like to volunteer, please contact Allan or Brenda Basnight at #334-399-7370 or abasn379874@gmail.com.



LAKE CLEAN UP
April 27, 2019

CPR – Get Trained and Save a Life

On Tuesday, February 5, 2019, HOBO member Brenda Hall Basnight, CRT, hosted two CPR classes at Camp Chandler for our members. Thank you to all who participated and made this first event a huge success. A total of nine (9) participants attended the 2pm class and eight (8) attended the 6pm class. So that's 17 more trained in CPR on our lake!

Basnight hosted this free event and asked in exchange for a donation to her charity *Camp WheezeAway* (previously featured in our October



2018 newsletter). Brenda and her husband, Alan, host Camp WheezeAway, a week- long summer camp for children ages 8-12 with moderate to severe asthma, each summer at Camp Chandler.

If you missed the classes but would like to make a donation to Camp WheezeAway, you can mail your donation to Brenda Hall Basnight, 233 Canal Road, Wetumpka, AL 36092 or Camp Wheezeaway c/o - Debbie Forbus at YMCA., P O Box 2336, Montgomery, AL 36102. All donations are tax deductible.

Lake Jordan HOBO's Support First Responders

The Lake Jordan HOBO Association appreciates and supports our local fire departments and rescue squads for protecting the safety and wellbeing of Lake Jordan residents and guest alike. Annual grants were presented at our quarterly meeting in January to Brooks Gregg from Holtville/Slapout Fire & Rescue, TJ Hartley from the Titus Volunteer Fire Department, Brandon Glenn from Buyck Volunteer Fire Department and Ernie Pritchard from Search and Rescue of Elmore County (SARELCO).

Representatives were each presented with a \$1,000.00 check by HOBO President Jeff Royal to assist in the maintenance and purchasing of new equipment. We cannot thank them enough for all they do for Lake Jordan.



Keeping Lake Jordan Beautiful

Thanks to our incredible volunteers who stepped up to help with cleaning the roadside litter leading to Lake Jordan on February 16, 2019. A great group of volunteers picked up trash and debris on Grandview Drive, Thornton Road, and Jones Corner Road all the way to Highway 231 on the Titus side.

A big shout out to Logan & Sandra Gray, Ron & Sunny Donaldson, David & Lynn Shows, Tommy Head, Charlotte Whetstone and Madison Andrews for organizing and participating in this cleanup effort.

Also, a big thanks to Kim Adams for her help getting trash bags and organizing the proper dis-



posal location of the litter and to Robert Rainey and Abby Ward for assisting with parking.

Hopefully these HOBO members can inspire us all to lend a hand in keeping our neighborhoods clean. And thanks to those who already do!



The Lake Jordan HOBO Association was officially established on February 12, 1992 with goals of enhancing recreational opportunities on the lake, improving the quality of life for residents and others that enjoy the lake, and to work with the Alabama Power Company, state and local government agencies to make the lake a safe and healthy place to live and play. We are a 501(c)(3) so all donations are tax deductible.

Our organization is growing each and every year and we couldn't be happier. A big welcome to our new members so far this year:

Bill & Barbara Watts
Jeff & Laura Goodwin
Charles Forbus
Allen & Judy Caton
Tony Mosier
John W. Capuzzo

Raymond & Silvia Williams
Ricky & Beth Roberts
Glenn & Linda Suneson
Gary & Cindy Cochran
Juanireen Trahan
Hillary Stevens

Ben & Ann Carlton
David & Alice Thrasher
Steve & Cathy Callins
Richard & Jane Hataway
Howard & Lynn Bowden
Dan & Julie Miltersen

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.

**Submit your homes for sale to
marci.williams@yahoo.com**



2 FERRY OAKS Drive, Marbury – \$449,000 *ONE-OWNER* CUSTOM BUILT LAKE HOME!!! With 430 ft of water front built in 2000 on two lots. It has 3200 sqft plus with 4 bedrooms 2 .5 baths open floor plan with

hardwood floors. The kitchen has double ovens, granite counter tops , Jenn-Air cook top and work island. Outside there are multiple decks and a screened porch with panoramic views. There is a two car garage with a workshop and finished basement. Double boat house with electric boat lift and jet ski lift plus a nice swimming area. Contact Greg Adams with Lake Home Realty at #334-313-3165.



135 Blankenship Lane, Wetumpka – \$219,900 A ONCE IN A LIFETIME Opportunity ... AWAITS ~ RELAX and ENJOY this 60+/- ACRES of QUIET and RURAL COUNTRY SETTING! LOADS OF NATURE ALL AROUND

THE PROPERTY! This property offers an 1+/- acre spring feed stocked pond. The Barn and the 20x40 Building are Wired and Plumbed. The 1987 Mobile Home is 900+/-sq. ft. and offers 2 Bedrooms, 2 Full Bathrooms, Living room and an Eat-In-Kitchen. It is being sold "AS IS" and is quite livable. Very well maintained for its' age. Covered Parking with a metal 2 car carport. Approx. 40+/- acres are gently sloping and wooded and 20+/- acres are flat and not wooded. Approx. 4+/- acres had been select cut about 20 years ago. One Septic Tank with Pump House and Two wells are located on the property, one well is currently being used and the other well has never been used. This could be your primary residence or your own private hunting place. DON'T MISS THIS RARE OPPORTUNITY! Contact Heather Oates at #334-657-3302.



424 Lakeshore Drive, Titus, AL 36080 \$394,000 NEW CONSTRUCTION! This LOVELY LAKE JORDAN 3 bedroom, 2.5 bath BEAUTY has so much to offer! On the

main floor, the kitchen offers plenty of cabinets, pantry, granite countertops and a breakfast bar! The living/dining features a stunning stone fireplace to warm yourself and a beautiful lake view! The master suite offers you a breath taking lake view to wake up to every morning, huge walk in closet, double vanities and a Massive shower with jets! Upstairs offers 2 large guest rooms, media area and a Jack and Jill bath! Outside offers a covered porch with a pretty stone fire place, a new seawall and a new boat house! This home offers 136 feet of WATER FRONTAGE! Contact Chad Barrett 799-4693 or Tammy Kendrick 799-5019; with Re/Max Cornerstone Realty.



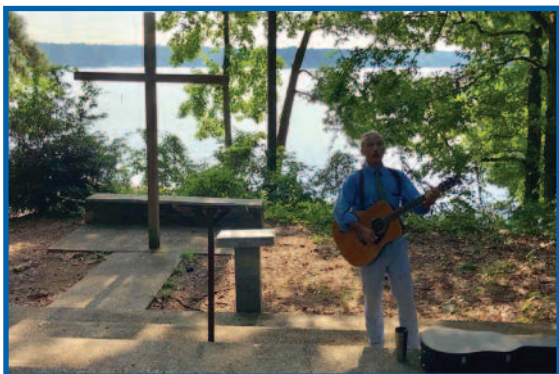
360 Circle Lane, Titus – \$825,000 *If the picture didn't grab your attention, listen to this.* Owners have options for you to make this 5,100+ square foot home, located on a

point, with over 470 feet of shoreline, your home. Yes, the lot is flat and additionally, 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. Contact Belyn Richardson with REMAX Cornerstone Realty at #334-478-3825.



345 Beachwood Road – \$425,000 Lovely Lake Jordan Beauty #2. New construction coming soon! 4 br, 2.5 bath home with 300 +/- ft of water frontage!!! Stun-

ning views!!!! Contact Chad Barrett 799-4693 or Tammy Kendrick 799-5019; with Re/Max Cornerstone Realty.



Lake Jordan Worship Services at Bonner's Point

Weekly worship services at Bonner's Point will resume June 2nd (Memorial Day weekend) and will run through Labor Day. Come enjoy God's teachings and the beauty of Lake Jordan on Sunday mornings beginning at 8:00 am.

**We ♥
Our Lake!**

**Beautiful Lake Jordan
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by June 1, 2019

to:

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Following are the designated chairs for each of the committees of the Lake Jordan HOB0 Association:

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Area Representatives

Areas 1 through 6 are on the East side of the Lake and areas 7 through 12 are on the West side of the Lake. Call your area representative if you need information.

Area 1: Softhatchee Creek (Swayback Slough) from above Collier Bridge out to the public ramp on Coosa River.
Barbara Dreyer, 334-567-7551
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210 Weluvit Lane, Titus, AL 36080

Area 2: Public Ramp to and including Lake Jordan Marina
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1029 Hollywood Rd., Titus, AL 36080

Area 3: Lake Jordan Marina to mouth of Weoka Creek
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Area 4: Weoka Creek southeast shoreline including Holiday Shores
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274 Shady Acres, Titus, AL 36080
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Island Road and tributaries
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Area 5: Northwest of Island Road, mouth of Weoka Creek, through Gaddis Beach
Wanda Williams
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Area 6: Gaddis Beach to Mitchell Dam
Frances Crews, 334-514-1126 or cell 334-312-1020
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Bob & Gay Carlisle
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Mike Garrity, 334-391-5684
509 Lake Region Cir, Wetumpka, AL 36092

Area 9: From Bonner's Point through Funderburg Terrace subdivision (this includes all of Donehoo Slough)
Karla Quinn, 569-1373
240 Myrick Dr., Deatsville, AL
Ann Quillin, 334-569-0012
E-mail: wquillin@elmore.rr.com
368 Myrick Dr. Deatsville, AL 36022

Area 10: From Funderburg Terrace subdivision to but not including Shoal Creek area
Judy Perdue, 334-315-4583
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Area 11: The total shoreline of Shoal Creek (Blackwell Slough) and up to old Fishtails Restaurant
Chad Barrett, 334-799-4693
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Area 12: From old Fishtails Restaurant up to Mitchell Dam
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Lake Jordan Home/Boat Owners Association

Minutes of the Quarterly Membership Meeting

January 28th, 2019

The Lake Jordan Home Owners/Boat Owners Association Quarterly Membership Meeting was called to order by President Jeff Royal at 7:00pm on January 28th, 2019 at Camp Chandler on Lake Jordan.

President Royal thanked everyone for the large turnout and declared that a quorum was present to conduct business. He welcomed everyone, and new members and guests introduced themselves. Jeff also recognized long time member and volunteer Barbara Dreyer who was celebrating her birthday.

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

HOBO Treasurer Tommy Counts presented the Financial Report dated December 31, 2018 with an ending non-restricted cash balance of \$37,487.71.

Discussion took place regarding the possibility of funds earmarked for the Lake Safety Committee being spent to replace missing buoys in various areas of the lake. It was determined the State Marine Police are responsible for providing and replacing the buoys and that the HOBO's responsibility is to inform them about dangerous areas that need to be marked.

The 2019 Lake Jordan HOBO Operating Budget was presented to the membership for review and approval. After a brief discussion, a motion to approve the budget as written was made by Gerald Hardy and seconded by Tim Owen. The motion carried.

The annual \$1000 checks were presented to local fire departments and Elmore County Search & Rescue that serve Lake Jordan and the surrounding areas. Representatives from Titus, Holtville and Buyck fire departments and the Elmore County Search and Rescue attended the meeting to receive the contributions for their departments.

Wes Anderson, a representative from Alabama Power's Water Management and Environmental Affairs Division was present at the meeting to talk about the Alabama Power Aquatic Vegetation Program and the non-native invasive (bad) aquatic plants (Water hyacinth, Water Lettuce, Watermilfoil, and Hydrilla) some of which have been seen in Lake Jordan. Hydrilla has been found in the Walter Boulden Dam area of the Lake and is currently being treated by Alabama Power

to prevent spreading. However, treatment is very costly. Water Lettuce has also been seen in various parts of the lake. If you see water lettuce floating on top of the water, it can be easily destroyed by pulling it out of the water and thrown on dry land. It cannot survive on the land. If you see any suspicious vegetation, take pictures, get GPS coordinates of where it is located and call 205 257-2393. To help keep invasive plants from entering Lake Jordan, it is very important to thoroughly rinse boats and boat trailers after removing them from other lakes and prior to putting them into our Lake. A very common non-harmful aquatic plant known as Water Willow exists throughout the Lake and can also be treated and removed. For all aquatic plants concerns, please call Alabama Power at 1800 Lakes11 or for more information, please visit <https://apcshorelines.com/aquatic>.

Along with the Aquatic Management Program, Alabama Power's Water Management and Environmental Affairs Division also oversees the Mosquito Control Program, Fish Habitat Enhancement Program and the Alabama Power Renew Our Rivers Program. Wes was excited to report that 16 million pounds of trash and debris have been removed from Alabama's water ways and lakes during the 20 years that the Renew Our Rivers Program has been in existence.

Brenda Basnight was recognized to give an update on the upcoming CPR class. Two classes will be held at Camp Chandler on February 5th, with the 1st class starting at 2pm and the 2nd class starting at 6pm. Email Brenda at brendabasnight@yahoo.com if you are interested in participating. There is no cost to attend the class, however, a donation to Camp WheezeAway (a camp sponsored by Brenda Basnight for kids with asthma) is appreciated.

Committee Reports

Area Reps – Alan Williams reminded the Area Reps and the membership that goodie bags are available for new members. Also, the committee is always looking for new items from companies to put in the new member bags. Keep recruiting and please contact Alan if you need anything or if your company would like to contribute items.

Lake Clean-Up – Allan and Brenda Basnight reported that the date for the Clean Up is tentatively set for April 27th, 2019. If your company would like to be a sponsor, \$100 will get the company name/logo on the annual lake clean up t-shirt. Area Reps will be contacting people soon to participate. If you are interested in getting more information on the annual event, please contact the Basnights at 334 399-7370 or abasn379874@gmail.com or contact your area representative. Contact information for all area reps is listed in the Newsletter.

Water Quality – Judy May reported that we have 9 active certified chemical water monitors and 8 active certified bacterial water monitors. We need additional people to get certified to be able to test the water in more areas of the lake. A class is being held on April 12th. Please contact Judy at 334 567-7327 for more information or if you are interested in participating.

Lake Safety – The Christmas Tree habitat project will be held in February. Once the date is determined, it will be shown on the HOBO website and Facebook page. Please contact Dave Kowalski at the2skies@att.net if you are interested in participating. Dave also reminded everyone to wear life jackets while boating and fishing.....to expect the unexpected. He further asked people to avoid accidents by not tailgating when driving on the surrounding country roads.

Fireworks – Fundraising for the 2019 July 4th Fireworks Show is going on now and if you are interested in being a sponsor or if you have fundraising ideas, please contact Nikki Murchison at nikkimurchison@gmail.com. She will soon have Lake Jordan t-shirts with new designs available!

HOBO Newsletter and Publicity – Marci is working on 2 new yard sign designs! They will be featured on the Lake Jordan HOBO Facebook page when they are ready to be voted on!! There has been some interest in having flags for boats and Marci will check into the possibility of having those available for the membership. Please continue to send in topics, articles and/or suggestions to Marci Williams at marci.williams@yahoo.com for inclusion in the HOBO Newsletter. Don't Forget – the Newsletter is available for view online at www.lakejordanhobo.org.

Membership – Kim Adams reported that as of January 28, there are 100 paid memberships so far for 2019. Please continue to encourage your neighbors to join or renew! Remember, dues can be paid on the HOBO website through PayPal. Also, please consider adding a donation for the fireworks and remember that

all donations to the HOBO Association are tax deductible.

Website – If you are tech savvy or a quick learner, the HOBO Association is looking for someone to carry on the duties of keeping the HOBO website updated. Our current webmaster, Sharon Massey, who has done an awesome job keeping the website updated for many years now and is planning to retire from the position. If you are interested, please let Jeff Royal know. Until further notice, if you would like anything posted to the website, please let Sharon know. 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.

Governmental Relations – Logan Gray reminded everyone that the 2019 Alabama Legislative Session will convene on March 5th. A hot topic to be debated will be the Gas Tax. To keep up with the legislation that is introduced or to listen or watch proceedings in the chamber, you can go to www.legislature.state.al.us.

Boat Parade – If you are interested in serving on the July 4th Boat Parade Committee, please contact Jordan and Danielle Adams at 334 303-2542.

We are also excited to announce that Jill and Danny Murchison will also have the 2nd Annual Christmas Boat Parade in December 2019!! Date TBD!

Memorial and Worship – Wayne Turner announced that the Sunday sunrise service will begin again on Memorial Day! Thank you to Trinity Episcopal Church for their continued support.

Francis Crews reminded the membership that the Titus Bluegrass Festival held annually in September is currently looking for sponsors and vendors. Please contact Francis if you are interested at 334 514-1126.

The \$50 Raffle drawing was held. Congratulations to the winner, Terry Pritchard.

There being no further business, Jeff Royal adjourned the meeting. The next meeting will be held on Monday, April 22, 2019 at 7:00 pm (6:30 pm if you want to eat) at Camp Chandler.

Respectfully Submitted,

Joyce Wright
Secretary

Property Owners Goods & Services Directory

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Montgomery, AL
334-396-1906

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