



Tishomingo News

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Lakeview

by Janet Quillman, LTIA President

The countdown is on, you only have 12-days left to get in on the action and purchase your 2016 Fireworks raffle ticket for a chance to win the big bucks. Miss Tishomingo 2015 Sophie Schweiss and runner up Kennedy Sutterer did a great job last year and collected around \$4500. In past years we have spent anywhere from \$5000 to \$6500 last year on the display.

In January we began selling raffle tickets to supplement last year's collections for this year's fireworks display. Only 100 tickets will be sold at \$40 each, after the cash prize payout. If all tickets are sold, we will have an additional \$3500 to add and improve.

Every year we have awesome kids and adults who volunteer for Mr. and Miss Tishomingo to collect for the fireworks. We will still plan to do this again, hopefully beginning in May. This year we just need the extra to push over the top. The drawing for the winning tickets will be at the March dinner meeting. You will not need to be present to win, but if you are there you will be rewarded with an excellent corned beef and cabbage dinner.

In April we will host the annual Tishomingo Trivia night on Saturday the 2nd. The cost will be \$10 per person, tables of 8 and a cash prize payout to the winning table equal to 25% of the paid admission. Adding to the fun, we will plan a prize for the

Calendar					
Mar	8	Tue	7 pm	LTPOA Board Meeting	
Mar	13	Sun	5:30 pm	LTIA Dinner Meeting, Corned beef & cabbage	
Apr	2	Sat	7 pm	Tishomingo Trivia Night	
Apr	10	Sun	5:30 pm	LTIA Dinner Meeting, Fish Fry	
Apr	12	Tue	7 pm	LTPOA Board Meeting	
Apr	23	Sat	9:30 am	Tishomingo Rd Cleanup, Free lunch	
May	14	Sat	7 am - 2 pm	Community Yard Sale	

best decorated table and have a 50/50 raffle with the proceeds going to the fireworks fund.

The monthly dinner meeting will be on Sunday, April 10th.

If you're not an LTIA member yet this will be the perfect time to join...we are planning a fish fry. We have the best fish fryers in the county, you won't want to miss it; bring a side or dessert to share.



We are still accepting memberships for 2016. It's never too late to join. With the help and support of the community we have been able to hold the annual dues at \$40 per year, per family. The dues along with

rental income and participation in the fund raisers help to maintain and improve the clubhouse and pavilion. We are looking forward to another great year and hope to see you at the clubhouse.

LTIA Membership - 2016

Yes, here is my membership to LTIA. This will help to support the Lake Tishomingo improvement projects and maintain the Community House.

Membership includes attendance at LTIA dinners, free classified ads in the Tishomingo News, children's holiday parties and discounted entry to LTIA sponsored fundraisers when applicable.

Please enclose your check for \$40 payable to "LTIA" and send to:

LTIA Treasurer
5698 Lake Tishomingo Rd
Hillsboro MO 63050

NAME _____

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Lake Tishomingo Property Owners Association

LTPOA

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Gate Directory/Entry Codes www.laketishomingo.com gate@laketish.com
 Allow 7 - 10 days lead time

Lake Tishomingo Improvement Association

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Classified Advertising Rates

LTIA members, non-commercial listing	no charge
Non-LTIA members, each listing	\$ 5

Display Advertising Rates

Business card	\$ 10 per issue	\$ 60 per year
1/4 page	15	120
1/2 page	25	150
Full page	50	300

Website: www.laketishomingo.com

View this and past newsletters since 2003 at the website.

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A limited number of paper copies of this newsletter are available in the dispenser outside the sales office, 5706 N Lakeshore Dr.

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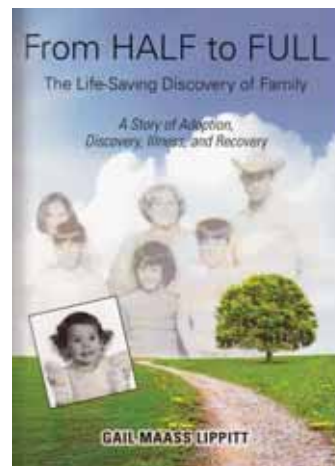
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Submit photos, articles, and ads to news@laketish.com.

Next Newsletter Deadline: April 20, 2016

Classified Ads

- **Embroidered Lake Tishomingo Sweatshirts.** \$30 each. Gail Lents (636) 274-4245.
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**• New Book***From Half to Full*

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by Gail Lippitt

\$15 Gail Lippitt,
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Lake Tishomingo Property Owners Association

LTPOA News

LTPOA President's Report

Greetings,

With most of February over, it is now time that we start thinking of our spring clean-up projects around our homes and properties. We have had some dead trees cut down around the sales office and community house and are in the process of getting it cleaned up before the spring flowers start popping up around these areas. There is still some fire wood available in this area for the taking. Please be careful!

We have received several new utility poles to replace the rotted bollards that support the landscaping barge rope around the parking lots. These will be installed as weather permits.

We also have been busy hauling in large stones for the eroded area near the south side inlet creek culvert project. With the recent January rains our silt removal project has not started in the area above these culvert pipes. If the rains hold off a bit longer, these projects should be started soon.

I have met a young man by the name of Brandon Eckstein at the Tishomingo QT the other day. He collects scrap iron and is willing to haul your unwanted scrap away. Brandon has done some work in our community and is willing to help us. Brandon's number is 636-725-5795.

Lake Tish Gets High Ratings

While cutting brush at the sales office last week I had conversation with a new home owner. They told me that he researched the private lake developments in the state before they made their purchase.

His findings were that Lake Tish is at or near the top in all categories. This list included, roads & infrastructure, sewer system & board, community house, newsletter with weekly up-dates, financial stability, active LTIA, enforced by-laws, restriction & building codes, and they were most impressed with the amount of recent building & improvements to homes in our development, not to mention the close proximity to the St. Louis area. Hey, Thanks for the nice Comments!!

Thanks, Steve Blaha

Sewer Board Needs a Volunteer

After many years of service a director is soon retiring from the sewer board. And we need someone to volunteer for this board position.

The board's main function is to oversee the operation of the sewer system. And the result is the safeguarding of the water quality and beauty of the lake.

Since sewer system began operation in 2011 we have seen an obvious improvement in the water quality of the lake. We have had fewer algae blooms and water clarity is better than it has been in the last 15 or more years.

Gate Committee

The gate committee needs a volunteer to help with the maintenance of the gate database. The database contains the entry codes, card codes, and directory listings that control entrance through the ingate.

The data entry is done remotely via an internet connection to the gate computer.

We need someone who is comfortable with computers and can spend about 20 minutes per week responding to property owners requests for codes, cards, and listings.

All requests are submitted via the website and responses are via email. Property owners should make any requests at least 10 days in advance to allow the volunteer enough time to process the request.

Questions? contact gate@laketish.com. To volunteer, contact any LTPOA board member.

Community Yard Sale

At the January LTPOA board meeting several Lake Tish garden club members asked the LTPOA Board what they thought about having a Community Yard Sale. It would be scheduled for this spring and it would be open to LT property owners and the public. The board approved the idea January 12, 2016.

The 2016 Lake Tishomingo Community Yard Sale will be open to the public 8 am – 2 pm Saturday, May 14. The entrance gate will be open during those hours.

Tish property owners will have an opportunity to shop starting at 7 am.

The garden club will advertise the sale in the *Leader* newspaper.

On the morning of the sale, any Lake Tish property owners wishing to participate in the sale should place sale merchandise in their yard or driveway and mark the property with a sign or balloon to attract buyers.

As a board member you will be making a substantial contribution to your community. There is no special knowledge or experience required.

The directors meet monthly to review the sewer system operation and financial reports. Directors frequently interact with the treatment plant operator and homeowners to answer questions and provide assistance. There is no heavy lifting required :-)

The monthly meetings are held at 5pm on the third Tuesday of each month in the Sales Office, 5706 N Lakeshore Dr.

Please come to the next meeting and learn about the board, and how you can help.



LTPOA Meeting Minutes January 2016

LTPOA Minutes January 12, 2016

Board Members Present: Steve Blaha, Marilyn Meyer, Shelby Reneski, Doug Leeker and Ken Stojeba.

President Blaha called the meeting to order at 7:02p.m. There were 2 residents in attendance and all recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

President's Report

President Blaha started the meeting by welcoming everyone to the cold weather meeting.

President Blaha asked the board members if they read last month's minutes and if they had any additions, corrections or deletions. With nothing new to correct or add, President Blaha asked for a motion to dispense with the reading of the minutes and approve them as printed. Marilyn made a motion to waive the reading and approve the minutes and it was seconded by Doug. MOTION PASSED.

Treasurer's Report

Marilyn Meyer reported on the financial report for December 2015. Please see page 8. Marilyn stated that we are filing liens on the two delinquent assessments. Shelby made a motion to accept the financial report and it was seconded by Doug. MOTION PASSED.

Marilyn asked for approval to pay bills totaling \$1,157.44. These bills included Delux for checks (\$334.24), 500 car and boat decals (\$506.96), portable toilet (\$90), L.T.I.A., for our share of the community house fuel (\$156.25) and a new router for the guard shack (\$69.99). Shelby made a motion to pay the bills and it was seconded by Doug. MOTION PASSED.

Marilyn reported that the property located at 6644 S. Lakeshore Drive would be sold on the courthouse steps in February.

Building

Doug Leeker reported that there were no new applications. The current building projects are moving along.

Security

President Blaha reported there was nothing new to report.

Gate

Rich Hirsch reported some abuse with gate codes. Rich reported a problem with the newspaper delivery person getting in the gate. There was an error message stating the wrong door was being used, but he stated that we only have one door. Rich had to delete the gate codes with this problem and reenter the codes to correct the problem.

Rich also reported that Carol Stojeba has not been able to help with gate code requests and he would like for someone with the L.T.I.A. to volunteer to help with gate code requests.

Rich reported that he replaced the router in the guard shack because the old router did not have reliable WIFI.

Maintenance

Ken Stojeba reported that we had a tree in the water and it has been pulled out and the bill has been paid.

LTIA

Shelby Reneski reported that the next dinner meeting is scheduled for February 14th, Valentine's Day.

Shelby reported that the LTIA is selling 100 raffle tickets for \$40 each to raise money for this 4th of July fireworks. There will be a 1st place drawing for \$350 and a second place drawing for \$150. We would like to have all the tickets sold before our February dinner meeting.

Finance

Rich Hirsch reported that Janet Hirsch would have a 6-month report in February. The next deadline for the newsletter is February 20th.

Web Site

No report.

Parent's Club

No report.

Garden Club

Marilyn Meyer reported that one of the members of the Garden Club spoke with her and would like to have a Tishomingo garage sale. The Garden Club would put an ad in the Leader newspaper and residents, that would like to participate, would put a sign in their driveways and have their sale items in their own driveways. Marilyn made a motion to have the garage sale and it was seconded by Doug. MOTION PASSED. Marilyn suggested that we decide the hours, details and guidelines by the next meeting.

Sewer Board

Marilyn Meyer reported that they have one new member on the board, Jim Timmersman and they are still in need of one more member for the board.

Water Testing

No report.

Dam Report

Rich Hirsch reported that he was down at the bottom of the dam after the recent heavy rain and it didn't seem to affect the area. Rich stated that when there is heavy rain, the water coming down the back of dam sometimes displaces one of the flowmeter riser lids.

Old Business

There was no new business to report.

New Business

There was no new business report. With no new business to discuss, Shelby made a motion to adjourn and it was seconded by Doug. The meeting adjourned at 7:38.



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LTPOA Meeting Minutes February 2016

LTPOA Minutes February 9, 2016

Board Members Present: Steve Blaha, Marilyn Meyer, Shelby Reneski, Roy Hummel, Mike Steeno and Ken Stojeba.

President Blaha called the meeting to order at 7:00p.m. There were 4 residents in attendance and all recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

President's Report

President Blaha asked the board members if they read last month's minutes and if they had any additions, corrections or deletions. With nothing new to correct or add, President Blaha asked for a motion to dispense with the reading of the minutes and approve them as printed. Roy made a motion to waive the reading and approve the minutes and it was seconded by Marilyn. MOTION PASSED.

Treasurer's Report

Marilyn Meyer reported on the financial report for January 2016. Please see page 8. Shelby made a motion to accept the financial report and it was seconded by Mike. MOTION PASSED.

Marilyn asked for approval to pay bills totaling \$1,886.18. These bills included Mickey K's for the portable toilet (\$90.00), domain name for the gate for 2 years (\$80.00), Sam Rallo for the electric work on the guard shack (\$1,420.00), Joe Hejnal for plowing, salting of roads and maintenance of the truck (\$270.00) and Tishomingo Quick Shop for gas (\$26.18). Ken made a motion to pay the bills and it was seconded by Shelby. MOTION PASSED.

Building

Nothing new to report.

Security

Roy Hummel reported nothing new to report.

Gate

Shelby Reneski reported that the Breeer's gate code is being used, on average, 4.3 times a day. As their house construction is complete, it was decided to cancel this code. Shelby also reported that Kenny Marschuetz's code is being used 2.8 times a day on average. Steve stated that he would talk to Kenny about the code abuse.

Maintenance

Ken Stojeba reported nothing new to report.

LTIA

Shelby Reneski reported that the dinner meeting this month is this Sunday, Valentine's Day and the dinner would be ham and casseroles. The March dinner meeting will be March 13th and Trivia Night will be April 2nd.

Shelby reported that the LTIA is selling raffle tickets to raise money for this years fireworks display on the 4th of July. There are 100 tickets being sold for \$40 each and the first drawing will be for \$350 and the second drawing for \$150. The drawing will occur at the March dinner meeting, provided all of the tickets have been sold.

Finance

No report.

Web Site

President Blaha reported that the deadline for the newsletter would be February 20th.

Parent's Club

No report.

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Garden Club

Marilyn Meyer reported that the Lake Tishomingo Community Wide Yard and Garage Sale would be May 14th, the Saturday after Mother’s Day, from 7:00-2:00. It will be advertised in the Leader and the gate would be open 8am - 2pm. Marilyn suggested that if you are selling anything, put out a sign or balloon to indicate you are participating. She also recommended placing everything you are selling outside of your house or in your garage for safety reasons. There is no charge to participate.

Free Firewood

President Blaha reported that five dead trees around the sales office were cut down. Steve is hoping more people will take advantage of the wood. Steve reported that he is cleaning up the area around the sales office to project the image we would like to see of other properties around the lake. He also would like to thank John Johnston and Ed Hill for their help.

Sewer Board

Marilyn Meyer reported that they have a full board now. Wayne Evans filled the last position on the board.

Water Testing

No report.

Dam Report

No report.

Old Business

Marilyn Meyer asked Mike Steeno if he would renew the agreement between the LTPOA and Lake Tishomingo Forest.

New Business

President Blaha reported that there is a clogged culvert pipe on the north side and water is running over the road and it is

eroding on the lakeside. Steve stated that he looked at the pipe and it is open under the road, but clogged up on the other side. Steve reported that he had John Mooney look at it and the worse scenario would be to buy a new piece of pipe and add onto the existing pipe and unearth the clog. This would cost \$1,475 and placing 15 tons of riprap would be an additional \$540. Steve stated that if there is an existing culvert pipe under the road that just needs to be reattached, then the cost would be \$1,350. Ken made a motion to repair the culvert and it was seconded by Roy. MOTION PASSED.

President Blaha reported that he is contacting Jefferson County to report Jim Goodrum, lots G27, G28, H14 and H15, because he has not completed any of the many projects he has started on these lots.

Resident Denny Schaab, lots H3-H5, reported that he would like to build a sunroom on the south side of his house. In order to build the addition he would need permission to move a path 50 feet. He stated that he has never seen anyone use the path in the 30 years they have owned the property. He reported that he would be responsible for all costs associated with the path relocation. Mr. Schaab also reported that he obtained permission from all five owners of the 19 lots that could be affected by moving the path and all indicated their agreement in writing with the path being moved. President Blaha explained that in the past all requests have been denied and as a result we could not honor Mr. Schaab’s request. Mr. Schaab stated that in the past, one request to move a path had been honored. The LTPOA Board reported that they have never heard of an approval to move a path. In the past, Jefferson County has never approved a building permit over common ground in Lake Tishomingo.

With no new business to discuss, Ken made a motion to adjourn and it was seconded by Marilyn. The meeting adjourned at 7:40

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The LTPOA pontoon boat trailer is parked and locked in the Community House parking lot. It can be used by any homeowner to launch or remove a pontoon boat from the lake for a \$10 rental fee. Contact Butch Hopfer (636) 274-3791 or John Hunnicutt (636) 274-6126.



*Lake Tishomingo Property Owners Association***December 31, 2015 Financial Report****Cash Inflow**

Delinquent Assessments 2015-2016	2,575.00
LTIA Check	20.00
Gate Cards	45.00
Lauer Closing	4.25
Interest	14.50

Total Cash Inflow **2,658.75**

Cash Outflow

Mickey's Portable Toilet	90.00
Recorder of Deeds	24.50
Beth Man County Collector Taxes	1,326.14
Legal Services 4th Quarter	450.00
Welcome Wagon Baskets	38.50
Boss Road Striping	1,350.00
Advance Pest Control Sales Office	30.00
Post Master Stamps	19.60
Charter Business Gate Phone	112.40
Utilities	116.13

Total Cash Outflow **3,557.27**

Checking Account Balance **113,298.42**

Millennium Account Balance 11/30/15 **201,266.74**
Interest **85.47**
Millennium Account Balance 12/31/15 **\$ 201,352.21**

January 31, 2016 Financial Report**Cash Inflow**

Delinquent Assessments 2015-2016	460.50
Pontoon Trailer Rental	210.00
Interest	13.33

Total Cash Inflow **683.83**

Cash Outflow

Mickey's Portable Toilet	90.00
LTIA Refund for Ad	20.00
Joe Hejnal Tree Removal	600.00
Delux Printed Checks	334.24
Jimco Car/Boat Decals	506.96
Hirsch Guard Shack Router	69.99
Recorder of Deeds Liens	73.50
Charter Business Gate Phone	112.63
Gill's Tree Service	1,600.00
Utilities	121.18

Total Cash Outflow **3,528.50**

Checking Account Balance **110,453.75**

Millennium Account Balance 12/31/15 **201,352.21**
Interest **79.99**
Millennium Account Balance 1/29/16 **\$ 201,432.20**

ATV Rules

- All riders must wear safety helmets.
- No more than two riders on an ATV.
- All ATVs must drive on the right side of the road and yield to all other traffic.
- All ATVs must obey the 20 mph speed limit.
- All ATVs must remain off other people's property.
- No riding on dam or lakefront area allowed.
- No ATVs from outside the lake are allowed on lake roads or lake property.
- All ATVs must be registered with the board and have lot numbers and lake identification stickers.
- No racing allowed anywhere on lake property.
- All ATVs must be equipped with adequate muffler systems
- All ATVs must have proper headlights and taillights to be run at night.
- No ATVs allowed on the lake when the lake is frozen.

If you observe anyone operating an ATV on private lots or off-road lake property you can report the trespassing to the Jefferson County Sheriff: (636) 797-5000.

Public Water Supply District #13



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Lake Tishomingo Community Sewer Report

by Janet Hirsch

The district is seeking a volunteer to help with monitoring the sewer system and making business decisions.

Proper and efficient operation of our sewer system is vital to maintaining the quality of the lake. If you appreciate clean lake water you should consider serving on the sewer board.

Wanted: Director

After many years of service, Rick Lippitt soon will be retiring from the sewer board and we are asking for someone to replace him.

The primary purpose of the board is safeguard the water quality and beauty of the lake, by ensuring that the system operates properly.

The directors meet monthly to review the treatment plant and collection system operations, Missouri One-Call, and financial reports. Directors frequently interact with the treatment plant operator and homeowners to answer questions and provide assistance.

The director qualifications are specified by Missouri law. The position is open to anyone at least twenty-five years old who has resided in the district for at least one year and is not delinquent in the payment of taxes or sewer fees.

There are many reasons to volunteer for this position. The best reason is to take your turn helping to maintain the quality of our lake water. As a result of the sewer system installation the water quality has improved dramatically. Proper oversight of the system operation will guarantee the continued improvement in water quality.

Everyone has something to contribute. Over the years many many people have served on the LTPOA and LTIA boards. Many also have volunteered for committees in these organizations. Now the sewer district is asking for help. The meetings are only once a month and generally last about an hour.

If you have questions about the director position contact any director listed above.

The next meeting of PWS#13 is 5pm Tuesday March 15 in the Sales Office, 5706 N Lakeshore Dr. The board can change future meetings times to accommodate the schedules of participants.

Missouri One-Call

The District is a part of the Missouri One-Call System. (The system was formerly known as "Dig Rite.") Missouri law requires that any person making or beginning any excavation notify MOCS at least three but not more than ten working days in advance, except in the case of an emergency.

Placing a locate request is free and easy! Call 1-800-DIG-RITE (800-344-7483) or 811 or place your request online at <http://www.mo1call.com>.

Before you start any excavation project at your Lake Tish property you must notify Missouri One-Call to have the sewer and other utility lines marked.

Proper and efficient operation of our sewer system is vital to maintaining the quality of the lake.

Payment Options

Sewer user fees are due by the 10th day of each month. Sewer user fees are **delinquent** if not received by the district on the 21st day of the month. This does not mean "check date" nor "postmarked." It means **received by the district**. Any accounts with balances due on that date will be charged the late fee.

Homeowners are encouraged to consider automatic payment of the sewer bill. The invoice postcards are issued the first of every month and payment is due on the tenth of that month. Payments not received by the 21st of the month are delinquent and subject to lien and prosecution.

The Billing & Payment Options brochure is available at the website. Visit :

<http://www.laketishomingo.com/pwsd13>

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