



# Tishomingo News

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## Lake View

by Janet Hirsch, *Tishomingo News* Editor

This summer two young girls, Katie Hovis and Kinsey Friederich, worked for about 35 days going door-to-door around the lake selling raffle tickets for the Fourth of July fireworks celebration. Together they raised over \$4000. Good job, girls!

Last month about 75 people came together for Trivia Night and had the most fun this side of Christmas. Others donated time and gifts for this fundraiser and made it a great success. (*See article on page 3.*)

In June three lake residents spent a couple of their "vacation" days in the hot sun putting a new roof on the pavillion.

September 20 Elmer and Emelia Richars are hosting the annual LTIA Golf Tournament.

The Tishomingo Anglers keep the lake stocked, distribute fish cover, and sponsor fishing tournaments.

The men and women of the Lakeside Gardeners are working on beautification projects to enhance everyone's enjoyment of the lake.

These few examples are evidence of a renewed sense of community that is growing around the lake. Many people are working together, donating time, contributing their knowledge, skill, and effort to make this a better place to live.

### Reasons

Why do these folks give so freely of their time? They're all busy, just like the rest of us. They have to juggle work, family, household chores, school, church, and other things. We all have commitments, we all have little time and no energy to spare. But

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## Dinner Meetings

6:30pm Sat **Sept 13** -- Bring a Pasta Dish

6:30pm Sat **Oct 11** -- Bring Soup or Salad

*Upcoming Funraising Events . . .*

## LTIA Golf Tournament Saturday September 20

House Springs Golf Course, Dulin Creek Rd  
 For more info contact Elmer Richars, 274-3156 or (314) 832-9630

## A Real Country Hoe-down 7 pm Saturday November 1

*Bonfire, hot dogs, marshmallows, hayride, music, square dance, slide, lots of hand-clappin' and a-foot-stompin' - \$10 per person*

For more info contact Dixie Bryant, 285-6043.

*And just for fun, for the Kids . . .*



## Childrens' Halloween Party

12 n - 2 pm Sat **Nov 1**

Come in costume and bring a snack  
 Have lots of Halloween fun at the party

Join in with games and crafts

## You can help too -- contact these folks to volunteer

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Business card \$10
1/4 page \$15
1/2 page \$25
Full page \$50

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New Stuff

The Lake Tishomingo website, www.laketishomingo.com, continues to grow and new material is always being posted. Be sure to visit.

The unofficial reports and official minutes of LTPOA meetings since August 2002 are posted.

To help support this website, or if you have questions, comments, or suggestions contact Janet Hirsch, F-29, jhirsch@catenary.com, (314)962-7833 or (636)285-0813.

2003 Calendar

- Sep 13 Sat 6:30 pm LTIA Dinner meeting. Bring your favorite pasta dish to share.
Sep 20 Sat LTIA Golf Tournament, House Springs Golf Course, Dulin Creek Rd. Elmer Richards, 274-3156 or (314) 832-9630.
Oct 11 Sat 6:30 pm LTIA Dinner meeting. Bring soup or salad to share.
Nov 1 Sat 7 pm Country Hoe-Down
Nov 1 Sat 12 n - 2 pm Children's Halloween Party
Nov 8 Sat 6:30 pm LTIA Dinner meeting. LTIA provides turkey, bring a side dish.
Dec 13 Sat 6:30 pm LTIA Dinner meeting. LTIA provides chili, bring a side dish or dessert.
Dec Childrens Christmas Party
Dec Christmas Caroling

Classified Ads

Classified ads are free for LTIA members

FOR SALE

PONTOON BOAT 1992 24-ft Suntracker Party Barge, '91 Johnson 40 hp, \$2100. Larry Furrer, M-33, (314) 968-4832 or 968-3212, lfurrer@earthlink.net.

MOVING SALE Electric power winch w/cable, \$25. Manual winch w/cable, \$5. White plastic patio chairs (4), \$8. 6' wood picnic table w/seats, table cloth, \$25. 8' wood park benches (2), \$20 ea. 6' folding tables (2), \$30 ea.. Pull behind lawn aerator & roller, \$50. Freezer 27 x 35 x 24, \$70. Kerosene heater, \$15. Humidifier, \$10. Couch w/ built-in recliners & matching recliner, \$30. End tables (glass top) (2) \$15 ea. Recliners (2), \$15 ea. Two-cushion couch, \$15. All prices negotiable. Call 636-274-5887

1988 MARINER Oil-injected 40 hp outboard. Runs good. Recently replaced with 9.9 hp motor. \$500, OBO. Rich Hirsch, (636) 285-0813, rhirsch@catenary.com.

LIGHT HOUSEKEEPING JOB

Clean the LTIA community center before all events. \$25 per month. Janet Farwig 274-2038.



# Trivia Night Scores Big

by Dixie Bryant and Janet Hirsch

This was a lot of fun and a popular event. The numbers say it all:

- 64 players
- 9 tables
- \$816.34 raised between players and raffles
- \$3.34 in tip jar

\$100.00 to the winning table and sunglasses were given to the table with the lowest score because they were blinding us with their knowledge.

## Business Donations

- State Farm Insurance (prizes)
- Marick Enterprises (prizes)
- Tishomingo Quick Stop (food)
- Jay's Potato Chips (food).

There were 10 raffle prizes and enough door prizes that everyone left with something. Prizes were donated by the LTIA Board, numerous LTIA members and some from above businesses.

Everything was donated so the only expense we had was the prize money for the winning table.

## Categories

- Games
- The Mark of Z
- Catch Phrases
- Sports
- St Louis
- TV Commercials
- Multi-Spouses
- Bartending
- Sci-Fi
- Last Lines



Bartender Dale Farwig

## Workers

- Sherri Anderson (score board)
- Shelia Wentjen (raffle counter)
- Dixie Bryant (host)
- Kathy Hopfer (co-host and checked answers)
- Jan Hunnicutt (checked answers)
- Natalie & Samantha Farwig (runners)
- Dale Farwig (bartender)
- Kim Teklinski (runner)

## Winners

1. Team Kline:  
Ken, Carol, and family
2. Team Murray-Jarus:  
Mary Murry, Frank Jarus,  
and Jarus family
3. Team Hannick:  
Marilyn, family, and friends



Janet Farwig, Kathy Hopfer,  
and Natalie Farwig

We had 10 categories of popular culture and there were 10 questions in each. There were questions about Monopoly and Clue, Alf and Star Trek, about Bud and Bud Light, the Blues and the Cards, zephers, zest, and zigzags.

It was a night of deep thought and light merriment or maybe the other way around. Neighbors joined in challenging each other. Team Farwig jumped way ahead of everyone after the first category, only to have their hopes dashed on the flat floor of frivolous facts. The first and second place winning tables proved to be multigenerational with all the knowledge to match.



Team Mitchell-McDonough-Harper



Team Hannick



Team Fitzgerald-Rohm-Kimmel



# Summer Harvest

by Rich Hirsch

One of the best parts of late summer is enjoying luscious home- or locally-grown vegetables and fresh herbs. So this month we're celebrating with recipes that feature tomatoes, basil, garlic, and onions.

Our first recipe is an appetizer from LT resident and expert cook Mike Higgins. We had this dip at a recent lake gathering.

## Mike Higgins' Garlic Cheese Dip

2/3 cup blue cheese  
16 oz cream cheese, softened  
1 stick butter  
1/2 can black olives, chopped  
6 cloves fresh garlic, minced  
dash hot sauce  
milk to adjust consistency  
walnuts, chopped (optional)

Blend about half of the blue cheese with the cream cheese, hot sauce, and butter. Add the olives, garlic, and rest of blue cheese and process very gently. Try to keep the texture a bit lumpy so that with every bite you encounter a piece of olive or chunk of cheese. Thin with milk if needed. Sprinkle with chopped walnuts. Serve with crackers.

I like to make bread. Even more than make it, I like to eat it. One of my favorite recipes is for Tomato Basil bread. It is especially good when toasted. This recipe uses a bread machine, but it isn't really necessary.

## Tomato Basil Bread

2 medium plum tomatoes (5.8 oz)  
(or 1/2 can diced tomatoes)  
2/3 cup water (5 oz)  
1 Tbsp oil  
1 Tbsp sugar  
20 fresh leaves  
(or 1 Tbsp dried basil)  
1-1/2 tsp salt  
1 tsp garlic powder  
pinch of black pepper  
3-1/4 cups (1 lb) bread flour  
2 tsp Active Dry Yeast

Combine all ingredients in pan of bread machine. Use the "Basic Bread" setting. Slice tomatoes if they are large. Cherry tomatoes do not need to be cut. Check the dough after about ten minutes of mixing. Add additional flour if the dough is too wet. If the dough is too wet, the loaf may collapse during baking.



Last month we had members of our car club out to the lake. Good friend Sue Houser brought a fresh tomato pasta salad.

## Sue Houser's Tomato Pasta Salad

1 pound Farfalle (bow ties) pasta  
3 large ripe tomatoes, cut into wedges  
1 can black olives, chopped  
5 green onions, sliced thin  
1/4 cup shredded Parmesan Cheese  
Lemon Basil Vinaigrette (below)

Cook and drain pasta as directed on the package. Rinse in cold water and drain. Make Lemon Basil Vinaigrette. Toss pasta and half the Vinaigrette in a large bowl. Cover and refrigerate for at least 2 hours.

Just before serving, toss pasta, tomatoes, green onions and remaining vinaigrette. Sprinkle the top with the shredded Parmesan cheese.

## Lemon Basil Vinaigrette

2/3 cup Olive oil  
1/4 cup chopped fresh Basil leaves  
(or 1-2 tablespoons of dried Basil)  
6 tablespoons Lemon Juice  
1 tablespoon dried minced garlic  
1/2 teaspoon salt or to taste

Beat all the ingredients in a small bowl with a wire whisk. To reconstitute the garlic and dried basil, put a tablespoon or more of hot water in a bowl and add garlic and basil. It will take about a minutes for it to rehydrate.

For our last recipe we have an ice cream recipe that doesn't require an ice cream maker, just a blender and a regular freezer. Even though no garden ingredients are used, the taste of this ice cream is outstanding and we wanted to present it while the weather is still warm enough to enjoy it.

## Graham Davis' French Chocolate Ice Cream

from *A Treasury of Great Recipes*

12 oz Chocolate Chips  
3 cups Heavy Cream  
6 egg yolks  
1/2 cup sugar  
2/3 cup water

Boil water and sugar 2 -3 minutes. Whip cream until stiff. Separate eggs, reserving whites for something else. Pour chocolate chips into blender. Add hot sugar syrup, cover and blend until smooth, about 1 minute. Add yolks and blend to combine. Fold chocolate into whipped cream, cover and freeze at least six hours. Makes about 2 quarts. It keeps well and never becomes granular.



# Lake Happenings

## Births

Joe and Chyree De Roode have a new grandbaby. 9 lb 11 oz Brianna Juliet was born July 18 to Joe and Chyree's son Joe and his wife Kelly. Joe and Kelly live in Imperial MO.

## Deaths

We are very saddened to report that Girard R. 'Jerry' Johnson passed away, Sat Aug. 9, 2003. He was husband of Mary K. Johnson (nee Miller); father of Jami (Jason) Meng, Angi Steveson and Tobi (Mike) Fitzgibbons. Contributions to the American Diabetes Assn are appreciated.

## Beauty

We have noticed that many people around the lake are looking especially attractive lately. When queried about this new look, the most common response has been: "I'm using Avon products now. Joan Kreilick is my rep and it's so easy to order." Call Joan for info: 274-0571.

## Generosity

Winner of the \$100 Fourth-of-July raffle was Sami Friedrich. Many thanks to Sami, who donated most of the money back to LTIA.



# Tishomingo Anglers

## Fishing Limits

Fish	Limit	Comments
Bass	6	All six less than 14" or 5 less than 14" and 1 over 20"
Catfish	4	All must be greater than 15"
Crappie	0	Release all crappie.
Redear Sunfish	0	Release all Redear Sunfish.
Green Sunfish	no limit	--
Blugill	no limit	--
Carp	no limit	--

Anyone who is caught with fish outside of the daily limits will be issued a warning. Repeat violations will be handed over to the prosecuting attorney.

In summary you can keep 6 bass under 14 inches and 4 catfish over 15 inches. Additionally, you can keep all the carp, bluegill and green sunfish that you can catch! Return trophy or spawning bass to the lake to ensure successful spawns for years to come.

## Fish Cover Guidelines

When placing brush and branches for fish cover always weight them with concrete blocks. Deep water cover should always be at least 6' below the water surface. It is recommended that branches be placed under (your own) dock to encourage minnow growth.

## Invitation

All fishermen are invited to join TAA. Help plan tournaments, stocking, placement of fish cover, and drink a beer or two.



# Lakeside Gardeners

by Janet Hirsch

It was a delightful August evening as we walked around Marilyn Meyer's gardens. As we viewed the many different varieties of cultivated perennials and native wildflowers Marilyn gave us the trivial and scientific names of almost every plant. If you were not there, you missed a great opportunity to see her extensive plantings and learn what grows well at the lake. In attendance were:

Chyree De Roode	Katie Hovis
Hilda Schryver	Janet Hirsch
Dixie Bryant	Rich Hirsch
Marilyn Meyer	Bev Jost
Frances Hovis	Gail Lents

## Insects

Monday, Aug 4, Jefferson County sprayed for mosquitoes along all the roads in Tishomingo. A couple of drops of vegetable oil in a bird bath will not effect birds but will prevent mosquitoes from breeding in the water.

Many plants are being attacked by Japanese beetles -- roses, geraniums, hisbiscus, rose of sharon, butterfly bush -- and Chyree found some traps that are very effective. A trap costs about \$6 and consists of a plastic bag with beetle attractants. The beetles are lured into the bags and cannot get out. Highly recommended.

Other treatments for the beetles that will not harm friendly insects are spraying them with soapy water or chewing tobacco/water solution.

## Watering Schedule

The plantings around the office, the flagpole, and the Hopfer tree will be watered by the following volunteers:

Aug 10 - 16	Fran Hovis
Aug 17 - 23	Hilda Schryver
Aug 24 - 30	Jason Covington
Aug 31 - Sep 6	Gail Lents
Sep 7 - Sep 13	Rich Hirsch
Sep 14 - Sep 20	Bev Jost

Call Dixie Bryant to gain access to the water faucet at the Community House.

## Projects

This Fall we will clean and landscape the well area by the bus stop. A long-term project will be beautification of the approach to the lake along Tishomingo Road.

## Next meeting

Saturday Sept 6 at 9 am meet at the garden of Gail Lents, 6723 S Lakeshore. Bring shovels, tools, boxes and whatever else you may need to help dig up and take home day lillies, flox, high bush cranberry, redbud, and other desirable plants. (Day may change to Sept 20, watch website for announcement.) Also please bring your winter scene photos for selection of a Christmas card design.

## October meeting

Thurs Oct 2 at 7 pm meet at the garden of Rich Hirsch, F-29, 6089 S Lakeshore.



# July 3 Miss Tishomingo

by Janet Hirsch



*Samatha Farwig, Miss Tishomingo 2002 and her mother, Janet Farwig.*



*Seated: Katie Hovis, Miss Tishomingo 2003 and Kinsey Friederich. Together Katie and Kinsey raised \$4021 for LTIA fireworks. Standing: Samatha Farwig, Miss Tishomingo 2002.*



*Robert Hovis, Frances Hovis, Roger Hovis, Katie Hovis, Mariha Hovis, Dee Chambers, and Phil Chambers.*



*Dan Dickinson, Kim Dickinson, Kinsey Friederich, Jim Friederich, and Sue Friederich.*



*Beautiful Tishomingo sunset, from the Community House July 3.*



*Miss Tishomingo and her court in the boat parade.*

*Thank you to Katie and Kinsey for collecting over \$4000 for fireworks.*

# July 4 Boat Parade

by Janet Hirsch and Sandy Uhlenbrock



*A patriotic song for the boat parade.*



*The parade began at 1pm. The lead boat was the Lake Patrol piloted by Ed Melchior.*



*First Place -- Pontoon, Schaab, H-4, "Mary Poppins"*



*First Place -- Runabout, Hegger, C-23, "Patriotic"*



*Second Place -- Blaha, A-16, "Lady Liberty." Not shown: tied for Third Place -- Farwig, "Takin' a Bath" and Dierzbicki "Sports."*



*Second Place -- Blaha, A-16, "Patriotic"*

*Thank you to everyone who participated in the boat parade.*

Brought to our attention by lake resident Barbara Rohm, from "The Water Line", www.lmvp.org

## A World of Water

by Dan Obrecht

A recent issue of National Geographic contained an article that dealt with water as a limited resource. The idea of water being limited seems hard to fathom for many of us. What follows is a conversation that I had with myself on the subject.

**I've seen satellite photos of the Earth, the majority of the photo is blue with water. So how can there be any shortage?**

Yes, the Earth is covered with a lot of water, about 70% of its surface is water. If you add up all of the water on Earth you would find that there is 326 million cubic miles (give or take a few gallons) of water on this planet.

**That's a lot of water! So what is the problem?**

A full 97% of that water is found in the oceans. This water is too saline to be used for drinking, irrigation, or even industry. Desalinization is currently too expensive to be a large scale answer to any water shortages we may face.

**Hold on! According to your numbers, we have close to 10 million cubic miles of fresh (non-salt) water on the planet. I still don't see how water can be limiting.**

Well, out of all of the fresh water on the Earth, over two-thirds is locked up in glaciers and ice caps. When you get down to it, less than one percent of the water on Earth is both fresh and available to use.

**Okay, so we only have 3.26 million cubic miles of usable fresh water. I guess you're going to tell me that we are using it up too fast and soon there will be none left.**

That isn't quite how it works. You see we don't really use water up as much as recycle it.

**Recycle water?**

Yes. Haven't you ever heard of the water cycle? It is the process in which water moves around, through and above the Earth. There is constantly water or vapor moving all around us.

**Even in a drought?**

The water cycle is a global phenomenon. It may be dry here, but its raining somewhere else. In fact, about 4 trillion gallons of water falls to Earth each day. Most of the 3,100 cubic miles of water in the atmosphere is in the form of vapor. When it falls back to Earth its in the form of rain, snow and ice.

**So what happens once it hits Earth?**

Generally there are two paths for the water to go. One is to move across the surface, the other is for it to soak into the ground. Surface water will flow until it reaches a lake or ocean, if it doesn't evaporate before it reaches its final destination. If water soaks into the ground it can end up stored there for quite a while, but at some time it will make its way back to the surface.

**You mean like through a spring?**

Yes, ground water will make its way to the surface through things such as springs, artesian wells and seepages. Ground water can also be pulled up to the surface by humans and through the roots of plants.

**Okay, so how does it get back into the atmosphere?**

I've already mentioned evaporation. Water that is on the surfaces will evaporate into the atmosphere. This can be water in a puddle, a pond, a river and the ocean. Approximately 2.5 trillion gallons a day re-enter the atmosphere by way of evaporation. A second way water vapor moves into the atmosphere is through transpiration.

**Transper-what?**

Transpiration. Plants are constantly pulling water up through their roots and then passing the water out through the leaves where it enters the atmosphere. This process is known as transpiration.

**If the amount of water remains the same on Earth, how can it be a limited resource?**

While the total amount of fresh water remains relatively constant across the Earth, the demand doesn't. The global population grows by 219,000 people everyday. All of these people require fresh water. If demand continues to grow we can only expect more shortages of water in the future. It should also be noted that the distribution of water is not even across the globe. Sometimes water is a limited resource because there is not enough of it in a region. The southwest United States is a great example. The Colorado River was once mighty enough to carve out the Grand Canyon. It now reaches the ocean as a mere trickle because the water is diverted to quench the thirst of the arid southwest. The Colorado River is a water source for about 25 million people. Another big drain on the river is irrigation. In fact, 70% of the water used globally goes into growing food.

In the U.S. we rely on surface waters (rivers and lakes) for about 80% of our water, with the rest coming from underground. Of course there are some regions where one or the other is the whole source of water.

**What is the global outlook?**

The UN predicts that 2.7 billion people will face a water shortage by 2025. Along with water shortages, we have to be concerned with the purity of our water. There are 1.2 billion people in the world that don't have clean drinking water, something we in the US sometimes take for granted. Not only is it important to be aware of our water use, and misuse, it is also important to protect what we have. The amount of fresh, clean, accessible water is finite. We need to do everything we can to protect it.

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yet, some people still reserve some for this lake community. We have volunteers running the lake organizations from which we all benefit. So why do they do it?

There's that sense of accomplishment that comes from a job well done and knowing that you made a difference.

Being a part of a larger organization gives us an identity with a shared sense of purpose.

There's joining a group and making new friends. We derive a strong sense of camaraderie when we work together on a common goal.

Sometimes it's just fun to do the activity. Lots of the projects are enjoyable.

Oftentimes it's identifying a need and knowing that you can fill it. You have the skill and the knowledge and plunge into the task.

It's the feeling of pride, of self worth that derives from giving a hand and pitching in.

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## Mingo, Schmingo

### Fishing

- Rule #1: The least experienced fisherman always catches the biggest fish.
- Rule #2: The worse your line is tangled, the better is the fishing around you.
- Rule #3: Fishing will do a lot for a man but it won't make him truthful.
- In January 1994, at the Lake Como Fish and Game Club near Syracuse, N.Y., Brian Carr beat out three dozen competitors in the annual ice-fishing derby, with 155 catches. The temperature that day was minus 30, and the prize money for the top three anglers was \$8, \$6.50, and \$5.
- "Do you really believe your husband when he tells you he goes fishing every weekend?" asked Jane's best friend.
  - "Why shouldn't I?" Jane inquired.
  - "Well, maybe he is having an affair?"
  - "No way, he returns every time without any fish..."
- Billy Bob and Jethro decide to go ice fishing. After arriving at the lake early in the morning, they cut two holes in the lake and drop in their lines in the water. After fishing for a few hours, Billy Bob has caught dozens of fish while Jethro hasn't gotten a bite.
  - Jethro asks, "Billy Bob, what's your secret?"
  - Billy Bob answers, "Mmu motta meep da mmmrms mmmrm."
  - Jethro asks, "What did you say?"
  - Billy Bob answers, "Mmu motta meep da mmmrms mmmrm."
  - Jethro again asks, "What?"
  - Billy Bob spits into his hand and says, "You gotta keep the worms warm!"

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It can be a sense of fairness, knowing that everyone should contribute something to the community.

There's also the challenge of learning new skills. Working as the helper lets you learn and grow. And maybe it's a opportunity to learn more about the lake, your neighbors, and all that is happening here.

### You Can Help Too

Even though lots of folks are doing the work of the lake, more are needed. Every organization needs some more of us to pitch in. You too can make a difference in this community. You can accomplish something worthwhile, make new friends, and have some fun too. Every skill is needed, helpers are needed. Can you type? telephone? write? dig? clean? paint? cut grass? design a garden? drive a car? pilot a boat? wield a hammer? cook? engineer? accountant? teacher? retired?

### What to Do

On page 1 is the list of people to contact. Call one of them, send an email, come to a meeting or event. Or call me (285-0813), send me a message (jhirsch@catenary.com). I'll make sure it gets to the right group.

### No Excuses

There's no reason why you can't help in some way. I know you can do it. You'll be glad you did. 

### Strange Things You Likely Didn't Know

- Charlie Chaplin once won third prize in a Charlie Chaplin look-alike contest.
- The dot over the letter "i" is called a tittle.
- The original name for butterfly was flutterby.
- A duck's quack doesn't echo. No one knows why.
- Bruce Lee was so fast that they actually had to s-l-o-w film down so you could see his moves. That's the opposite of the norm.
- During the chariot scene in "Ben Hur," a small red car can be seen in the distance and Heston is wearing a watch.
- On average, 12 newborns will be given to the wrong parents daily! (That explains a few mysteries....)
- Donald Duck comics were banned from Finland because he doesn't wear pants.
- There are no words in the dictionary that rhyme with orange, purple and silver.
- The name Wendy was made up for the book Peter Pan. There was never a recorded Wendy before.
- The very first bomb dropped by the Allies on Berlin in World War II killed the only elephant in the Berlin Zoo.
- The first CD pressed in the US was Bruce Springsteen's "Born in the USA."
- The phrase "rule of thumb" is derived from an old English law which stated that you couldn't beat your wife with anything wider than your thumb.

### Leading Experts Predict the Future

- "We don't like their sound, and guitar music is on the way out." — Decca Recording Co. rejecting the Beatles, 1962.
- "I'm just glad it'll be Clark Gable who's falling on his face and not Gary Cooper." — Gary Cooper on his decision not to take the leading role in "Gone With The Wind."
- "640K ought to be enough for anybody." — Bill Gates, 1981
- "Airplanes are interesting toys but of no military value." — Marechal Ferdinand Foch, Professor, Ecole Superieure de Guerre.
- "Man will never reach the moon regardless of all future scientific advances." — Dr. Lee DeForest, Inventor of TV
- "Stocks have reached what looks like a permanently high plateau." — Irving Fisher, Professor of Economics, Yale University, 1929.
- "Everything that can be invented has been invented." — Charles H. Duell, Commissioner, U.S. Office of Patents, 1899.
- "The bomb will never go off. I speak as an expert in explosive." — Admiral William Leahy, U.S. Atomic Bomb Project
- "There is no likelihood man can ever tap the power of the atom." — Robert Millikan, Nobel Prize in Physics, 1923
- "I think there is a world market for maybe five computers." — Thomas Watson, chairman of IBM, 1943
- "But what ... is it good for?" — Engineer at the Advanced Computing Systems Division of IBM, 1968, commenting on the microchip.
- "This 'telephone' has too many shortcomings to be seriously considered as a means of communication. The device is inherently of no value to us." — Western Union internal memo, 1876.

"The wireless music box has no imaginable commercial value. Who would pay for a message sent to nobody in particular?" — David Sarnoff's associates in response to his urgings for investment in the radio in the 1920s. 



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Interest rates have moved up dramatically during the past month & are expected to continue up for some. The effect on home sales has been to get a lot of the "fence sitters", those are the folks that never thought the rates would move up, to make a decision on a house & move forward with a purchase before rates go even higher. For you as a seller, this means your home may be on the market a much shorter time!

I'd like to welcome Will & Shannon Donaway to the lake! They have two children & recently purchased lots D-58-62 & are planning to start construction on a beautiful home in the next month or so.

Paul & Lisa Juedemann will be closing soon on 5724 S. Lakeshore Dr. They have two children, Cameron, 7 & Trey, an active one year old.

*If you're thinking of selling, now is the time to get your home ready to market! Any painting, carpet cleaning, closet cleaning & yard clean up, now's the time to do this! I have buyers that are still looking for lake homes. Yes, even in the fall! Call me for a current price on your home & a marketing plan to sell it fast!*

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