

Crystal Lake Cottagers Association Meeting – October 12, 2014

Attendees:

John Hubbard – Chairman of the Board and President
Chris Brickman – Vice-President
Don Langlois – Treasurer
Mike Leblanc – Board Member
Carl Brickman – Board Member
Sarah Petrik – Membership Secretary

Regrets:

Sharon Brickman – Secretary
John Beattie – Board Member

Guests:

Carol Ing

Triathlon Update:

- The Crystal Lake Triathlon was a huge success.
- The organizing committee of Carol Ing, Suzanne Olejnik, Zina Bolak, Chris Brickman and Sharon Brickman did a great job.
- Participation exceeded expectation with over 80 participants and approximately 200 spectators.
- There were prizes for everyone that participated.
- We had a huge success with the Crystal Lake towels. We sold out the first order of 130 and placed an additional order for 70 towels to meet the additional requests. We will be looking to do another Crystal Lake logo wear item in 2015.
- The Crystal Lake Triathlon will be held again next summer on August 23rd, 2015.
- Chris had submitted an article to the Kinmount Gazette on the Triathlon which was published in the October 2014 issue.

CLCA Website:

- The CLCA is looking to update the pictures and the viewer used on the CLCA website. John to follow up with Jim Russell.
- CLCA is also looking for a younger person and/or skilled person to assist us in aligning the Crystal Lake website with Facebook, Twitter to minimize the duplication of work.

Financial Review:

- Carol Ing (CMA and not a member of the CLCA Board), Chris Brickman (CMA) and Don Langlois reviewed the 2013 year end financial statements.
- The committee has found that the 2013 accounting practices and procedures have been properly followed that the financial records are in good order.

Donations:

- Sarah to add an option for cottagers to make donations to the CLCA in addition to membership fees if they wish on next year's membership form.
- CLCA to look into having the option for people to make donations to the CLCA in honour or memory of someone.

Membership:

- The CLCA will look to do a walk around in Spring 2015 to spread the word of the CLCA and to look to increase membership.
- Sarah to provide a list of cottagers as of June 30th, 2015 to CLCA Executive to try to avoid approaching those that are already members.

Upcoming 2014 Municipal Election:

- CLCA ad hoc committee has prepared a summary of the candidates running in the upcoming municipal election to share with cottagers as they make their decision on who they will vote for.
- The summary to be shared by e-mail as well as posted on the Facebook page and the CLCA website.

Next Meeting– December 7, 2014 at 7pm (Teleconference)