



Join / Renew with LPA!

Our mission is to preserve the health and beauty of our lake for future generations.

Greetings to all Lake Enthusiasts!

2023 Issue

As we start thinking about the snow melting and putting the snowblowers and shovels away, we reflect on all the great memories of spending time on beautiful Lake Poinsett. From the spectacular sunrises to the majestic sunsets, we cherish all of the wonderful memories made here. Lake Poinsett is ever changing, cabin remodels, shoreline landscaping, and completely new homes. Lake Poinsett is not only a glacial lake in South Dakota, it is our community. The time we spend with our friends and family enjoying the lake becomes tomorrow's nostalgic moments of joy, relaxation, and togetherness.

The Lake Poinsett Association mission is to preserve the health and beauty of our lake for future generations. As lake constituents we want to keep our lake water quality at the highest possible. To be more informed read the BE LAKE SMART TIPS for a healthier lake in this summer's "Lakeside Newsletters" or read them on our website:

www.lakepoinsett.org.

How does LPA use your membership fee?

Last summer our dedicated volunteers collected lake water samples from both Lake Poinsett and Lake Albert. Water quality data provides valuable concrete information, and it is how we help protect our lake. The state lab analyzes our samples, and the results can be found on the LPA website.

A cost-share initiative with Game Fish and Parks purchased new Aquatic Invasive Species Awareness signs (AIS). These signs will be placed at boat launches around Lake Poinsett, Lake Albert, Lake Norden, and Lake St John. These signs raise AIS awareness on our lake and the lakes that flow into Poinsett. We want to keep our lake AIS free!

Scott Ross, *President of the Lake Poinsett Association*

To receive your first newsletter on time, send dues in before March 30th.

Individual and Family Membership are \$50

1. **Mail check**, payable to Lake Poinsett Association, include Membership Form. Use enclosed envelope addressed to LPA.
OR
2. **Use Pay Pal**. On our website www.lakepoinsett.org click **Join/Renew** button on top of page, complete the online form and pay.

MEMBERSHIP FORM / Directory Information

Name _____ Phone _____
Write name as you want it to appear in the directory. *List one phone #.*

LAKE ADDRESS Street _____ City _____

PERMANENT ADDRESS *(LPA mail is sent to this address.)*

Street _____

City _____ ST _____ ZIP _____

Email _____

We periodically email our membership with important and timely lake news. Stay Informed about your favorite lake.

CONTACT US

Send Your Comments & Concerns to:

SCOTT ROSS, LPA President
directors@lakepoinsett.org

Membership, Directory Questions and Change of Address go to:

membershipLPAsd@gmail.com

Our Mailing Address

Lake Poinsett Association
P.O. Box 222
Lake Norden, SD 57248

2023 LPA Calendar

FEBRUARY

Join / Renew Membership Letters
mail out mid- February.

MARCH

Mail in membership dues before
March 30th to receive your first
newsletter on time.

APRIL

New Lake Directory goes to printer.

MAY

20th **LPA OPEN HOUSE
& Pick-Up Your Lake Directory**
@ ABR 9AM – 11 AM

20th **5K LAKE WALK**
@ Lake Poinsett State Park

JUNE

10th **Coffee Chat with an Expert**
@ Alsville 9 AM-10 AM

17th **Lake-Wide Rummage
Sales Weekend**

19th **Lake-Wide Garbage Cleanup**
Sponsored by Sanitary Dist.

JULY

8th **Beach Trash Bash**
@ Prestrude's 10 AM - 11 AM

AUGUST

5th **LPA ANNUAL MEETING**
@ ABR 9 AM - 10 AM

12th **Lake Poinsett 1st Annual
Golf Tournament**

Check our WEBSITE...

*More on LPA Events.
*Want a copy of this Join /
Renew Letter? Print one from
our website's HOME PAGE.

Check Out

Your LPA WEBSITE

It's a 24/7 information resource
for our lake community.
www.lakepoinsett.org

LPA FACEBOOK PAGE

We'd love your support...
become a follower
post comments
share, and click "like" often.

*Our goal is to inform and interact
with members and visitors on issues.*

Together we protect our lake!

Your Membership Dues Fund:

- The annual maintenance on the four lake storm sirens - keeping them ready to alert.
- New AIS signage at each public lake access on Poinsett, Albert, Norden and Lake St. John. We support other organizations in promoting consistent messaging about Clean, Drain, Dry to help educate others about their role in Aquatic Invasive Species Prevention.
- May-Sept. volunteer water-quality testing on Lake Poinsett and Albert.
- LPA Events, Guest Expert Speakers, maintaining our informative website.
- Production of vital LPA publications: Lake Directory, Lakeside Newsletters, Welcome Packets for new lake homeowners, LPA Brochures, and Flyers

Also, for your financial support you'll receive three Lakeside Newsletters (May, June, July), our resourceful Lake Directory, and an LPA email subscription - *for important lake notices.*