

Lake Somerset Property Owner's Association

Annual Meeting

1:00 p.m.

Sunday October 1, 2006

LSPOA Business Office

The association, in anticipation of a reduced need, has changed the hours that the office will be open during the fall and winter seasons. They take effect September 1st and are listed below:

The address and business hours are as follows:

LSPOA Office
12831 E. Chicago Road
Somerset Center, MI 49282
(517) 688-3228

Hours:

Monday — 10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.
Wednesday — 10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.
Friday — 4:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Lake Somerset Web Site Update

The association is creating a new web site. Our new web site address is:
<http://www.lakesomerset.org>

Board Of Directors

Tony Harsch (*President*)688-9767
 Chris Scheithauer
 (*Vice-President*)688-4737
 Marion Clapham (*Treasurer*)688-4518

Larry Wright (*Water Quality*)688-3695
 Jennifer Zysk (*Secretary*)688-9892
 Chris Scollard (*Bldg. Committee*)688-4091
 Guy Vahoski (*Security*)688-3725
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Building Committee

Chris Scollard (*Chairperson*) 10676 Glendalough Lane, Somerset 49233688-5025
 Mike Sleek – 13960 Grandpoint Cr., Somerset 49233688-5052
 Steve Brennan – 14408 Limerick Lane, Somerset 49233688-9563
 John Dickelman – 13675 Dorchester, Somerset 49233688-3466

Meeting Times

Monthly Meetings

Every 3rd Saturday of the month (except in December), the Board of Directors meet in the Somerset Township Hall for the purposes of conducting the Association business. The meetings start at 10:00 a.m. and are open to the public. If the meeting time or place is changed, every effort will be made to notify the membership.

Annual Meeting

Each year on the first Sunday of October, we conduct our annual membership meeting. All members are invited to attend. Time and place is sent to all members annually prior to the meeting.

Membership

(a) Membership is subject to payment of annual and special assessments and to a member complying with published regulations and restrictions of the Association. The right to membership shall be automatically suspended for nonpayment of dues or assessments by May 1st of each year. Where membership has been suspended for nonpayment of said dues or assessments, the membership shall be reinstated upon payment of said dues or assessments, penalties and reasonable expenses of collection, subject however, to Article VII, Section 11.

(b) The right to membership may also be suspended by action of the Board of Directors for infraction of the published rules and regulations of the Association for a period not to exceed ninety (90) days.

(c) Any dues or assessments not paid on the due date, which is May 1st, are delinquent and shall, together with penalties and reasonable expenses of collection, become a continuing lien on the property which shall bind such property in the hands of the owner, his heirs, his devisees, personal representatives and assignees. If the dues or assessments are not paid after a thirty (30) day grace

period from and after May 1st, a penalty of One (1%) percent per month on the unpaid balance may be added to the amount owed for dues and assessments. In addition any reasonable expenses of collection, as are authorized by these By-Laws or by action of the Board of Directors, shall be added to the delinquent balance, and the Association may bring an action at law against the owner personally obligated to pay the same and/or to foreclose the lien against the property. In any such action, there shall be added to such dues and assessment, authorized penalties and reasonable expenses of collection, the cost of preparing and filing the complaint in such action, and in the event that judgment is obtained, such judgment shall include penalties, interest as allowed by the law, reasonable costs of collection, and reasonable attorney fees.

Boat Launch Keys

There is a locked gate across the entrance to the boat launch at Schmidtke Park. The following members have keys to the lock and can be contacted during times that guards are not in attendance at the park.

In fairness to these individuals who have volunteered to help the rest of us have access to the boat launch, please try and give them 24 hours notice.

Tom Weaver.....688-9789
 Bob Iveson.....688-4771
 Marion Clapham688-4518
 Warren Judson.....688-9847
 George Martin.....688-3052
 Bob Mawby937-9820 or 688-3869
 Glen Martin688-3861
 Guy Vahoski.....688-3725

To get a key to the boat launch, or to be on the call list for the boat launch, please contact me.

Guy Vahoski

President's Corner

I wish I didn't have write an article for the fall Gazette because it means that the summer season is coming to an end, but the passing of time is one thing that no one can control.

As for the summer, I believe that we had a very pleasant one. Whenever we had family or friends over for the day the weather always cooperated.

This spring the firm Kieser & Associates, presented their Lake Study report to the board. The report could be separated into two areas: things the association could do, and things that the property owners could do. In this Gazette is an article titled Lake Study Review, which covers things that members can do to help maintain and improve the quality of our lake. If you would like to view the study, it is posted on Kieser's website. The URL is (www.kieser-associates.com/).

I have one other item I would like to mention and that is the Revised Covenants. Last year we asked the members to come to the township hall to approve the revised covenants. We had

hoped that doing so on two weekends that we would get enough signatures to approve the revisions. That did not happen. We are now in what I call phase two, where we intend to call all of the local residents and see if they would like to add their names to the list. We also plan on sending letters to those who do not have homes in the association and ask for their support on this much needed revision. If you have a question regarding the covenants, please call me at 688-9767.

I will close by saying that the GAZETTE is one of the best tools the association has to communicate with all association members, especially those who aren't in the area and those who cannot attend our monthly meetings. We can keep you informed on what we have done, what we are doing and what we plan for the future. It is to your benefit to read it from cover to cover.

Respectfully,

Tony Harsch, Sr.
harsch@acd.net

Water Quality Report

August 2006

Did you know that the dishwasher detergent you use contributes to the phosphates being introduced into Lake Somerset? Run-off continues to be a large part of the problem with lawn fertilizers and septic field leaching.

Check the labels — LIQUIDS: Cascade (4.5%, Cascade Complete 5.0%, Sunlight (4.3%) Electrosol (3.7%), Palmolive (3.3%). The powdered detergents go up as much as 2 points, and the "gel-packs" are a whopping 8.7%! And as always — use phosphate-free fertilizers on your lawn (or just use the lake to water your lawn!).

Thanks to Al Hoffmann for acting as the liaison between Lake Somerset and Aquatic Technologies for the chemical applications again this year.

For those who had questions about timing: the "Herbicide Application Soon" signs go up

at all the entrances to the subdivisions about 1 week before the chemicals are applied. Aquatic Technologies usually arrives on the following Monday or Tuesday, and bright, neon posters are put up at the parks, the message board at the Main Park, and along the waterfront on properties where the chemicals are put in. The posters give residents the information about swimming, pets, and watering lawns, for example. Watch for the signs!

All in all, the water quality of Lake Somerset continues to be pretty good, thanks to the combined efforts of our harvester operators and the residents who are diligent about raking and keeping their septic tanks cleaned out regularly (every 3-5 years is recommended for lakefront properties).

Larry Wright

7th Annual Boat Parade

Our 7th annual boat parade was held on July 4th with 16 boats participating, which was a little less than previous years. Those that did participate went all out this year with some great designs.

Judging was done by Glenn & Donna Champion, previous winners from last year, and also with the help of Jack & Rita Wolf. Criteria used for the judging was originality, participation, involvement, creativity, and patriotism.

So people can prepare for next years competition, we want it to be known that you do not have to limit yourself to a 4th of July theme. Any theme can be used just like our 1st place winners this year who created a covered wagon theme. Theme and creativity will be two major factors in the judging criteria next

summer. We hope to see lots of participants next summer so start planning now.

Listed below are the winners and the people who made this parade possible.

BOAT PARADE COMMITTEE

Judges	Glenn & Donna Champion & Jack & Rita Wolf
Awards	Sharon Badders
Banners	Sue Prange
Photos	Sonda Raby

WINNERS

1st Place:	Chris & Jen Scheithauer*
2nd Place:	Paul & Rose Klee†
3rd Place:	Charles & Frances Duval‡

*Assisted by: Tom & Ada Weaver and Taylor & Tristan Hill

†Assisted by: Kerry Klee, Randy Janiak and Dan Carter

‡Assisted by: Bob, Evy & Kelly Ryder and Sue & Jennifer Smith



1st Place: Chris & Jen Scheithauer



2nd Place: Paul & Rose Klee



3rd Place: Charles & Frances Duval

East Park Cleanup – September 23rd, 9am

We will be having our fall park cleanup at the East Park. On Saturday, September 23rd, we will be landscaping, painting and having a general cleanup. Please mark your calendar and bring yard equipment and old paint brushes, etc. The rain date will be Saturday, September 30th, 2006.

Any questions, contact Jeremy at 688-4425.

2006 LSPOA Picnic

This was the 14th year that the LSPOA Picnic was put on by the Community Council. It was a

huge success with an attendance of over 230 people. We had great weather, delicious food, and lots of fun. Below are the winners of this year's events. See photos on other pages.

TURTLE RACE (43 ENTRIES)

- 1st:** Makayla Pattenaude
2nd: Hannah Shay
3rd: Jessica Pattenaude

BASKETBALL FREE THROW

5 Years Old & Under

- 1st:** Chase Atwell
2nd: Gavin McAndrews
3rd: Anna Glasgow

6 to 8 Years Old

- 1st:** Harley Glasgow
2nd: Austin Prange
3rd: Taylor Sumner

9 to 12 Years Old

- 1st:** Drew DeFay
2nd: Cody Nicholas
3rd: Jared Bruner

13 Years Old & Up

- 1st:** Mykel Sumner
2nd: Chaz Bruss
3rd: Braden Iveson

HORSESHOES

- 1st:** Dale Sumner
 Randy DeFay
2nd: Frank Yandric
 Rick Yandric

EGG TOSS

8 Years Old & Under

- 1st:** Kylie Bruner
 Sarah DeFay
2nd: Anna Glasgow
 Coral Sanchez
3rd: Cameron Hazard
 Alexis Hazard

9 to 12 Years Old

- 1st:** Jared Bruner
 Drew DeFay
2nd: Harley Glasgow
 Cody Nicholas
3rd: Kaleel Vandeperre
 Paige Dotson

13 Years Old & Up

- 1st:** Dennis Glasgow
 Pete Kasper
2nd: William Snead
 Kaleb Knauft
3rd: Jessica Pattenaude
 Jon West Kennedy

TUG OF WAR

No Tug of War this year!

GOLF CHIPPING

Females 12 & Under

- 1st:** Kylie Bruner
2nd: Makayla Pattenaude
3rd: Sarah Richardson

Males 12 & Under

- 1st:** Derek Dollar
2nd: Drew DeFay
3rd: Ty DeFay

Females 13 & Over

- 1st:** Sue Prange
2nd: Joyce Yandric
3rd: Celene Jackson

Males 13 & Over

- 1st:** Jon West Kennedy
2nd: Rick Yandric
3rd: Eric Kuroys

HORSEBALLS

12 Years Old & Under

- 1st:** Derek Dollar
 Steven Evans
2nd: Austin Prange
 Taylor Sumner

13 Years Old & Up

- 1st:** Braden Sumner
 Joe Sumner
2nd: Tom Stegeman
 Lori Stegeman

Thanks To Our Workers!

Below is a list of everyone who helped make our picnic a big success.

LSPOA Picnic — Sunday, July 15, 2006

Attendance	230+
Awards, Equipment & Posters	Sue Prange
Tables	Mitch Badders, Bruce Davison, Julie Iveson, & Dale Sumner
Food Organization	Sharon Badders & Lynn Dollar
Games Organization	Sharon Badders
Horseshoe Pits	Dale Sumner & Gene Davenport

Check-In Table	Sue Prange & Alicia Badders
Turtle Race	Colleen McNeal & Carol Wright
Kids Basketball	Alicia Badders & Robbie Iveson
B-Ball Free Throw	Sharon Badders
Egg Toss	Sharon & Alicia Badders
Golf Chipping	Bruce & Sheila Davison
Horseshoe Tournament	Dale Sumner
Horse Balls Tournament	Julie Iveson & Christy Sumner
Photos	Sue Prange
Pig Roast	Tim Cook

If you would like to help with the 2007 picnic, please contact Sue Prange at 688-3710.

2006 Game Winners



Golf Chipping (Females 13 Years Old & Over):

- 1st Place:** Sue Prange (middle)
- 2nd Place:** Joyce Yandric (left)
- 3rd Place:** Celene Jackson (right)



Horse Balls (12 Years Old & Under):

- Positions from left to right
- 1st Place:** Derek Dollar (#2) & Steven Evans (#3)
 - 2nd Place:** Austin Prange (#1) & Taylor Sumner (#4)



Horseshoes:

- 1st Place:** Randy DeFay (left) & Dale Sumner (right)
- 2nd Place:** Frank & Rick Yandric



Basketball: (13 Years Old & Over)

- 1st Place:** Mykel Sumner (middle)
- 2nd Place:** Chaz Bruss (left)
- 3rd Place:** Braden Iveson (right)

2006 Game Winners (Continued)



Basketball Free Throw (5 Years Old & Under):

1st Place: Chase Atwell (middle)

2nd Place: Gavin McAndrews (right)

3rd Place: Anna Glasgow (left)



Turtle Race:

1st Place: Makayla Pattenaude (left)

2nd Place: Hannha Shay (right)

3rd Place: Jessica Pattenaude (middle)



Egg Toss (13 Years Old & Over):

Pictured left to right

2nd Place: William Snead & Kaleb Knauf

1st Place: Dennis Glasgow & Pete Kasper

3rd Place: Jessica Pattenaude & Jon West Kennedy

Michigan Boating Rules

Requirements for Towing Skiers: It is illegal to tow skiers, wakeboards, or any device of this type between:

- One hour after sunset and one hour before sunrise if towed behind a vessel
- One hour before sunset and 8:00 am if towed behind a PWC.

Hot Topic

Personal watercraft: It is illegal to operate a PWC between one hour before sunset and 8:00 am. Check the weather channel for legal sunset!!!

For the most current Michigan boating rules:
<http://boat-ed.com/mi/handbook>

Lake Somerset Lake Study Review

In the fall of 2004 the Board hired Kieser & Associates to do a lake study , the main purpose of the study was to evaluate Lake Somerset's water quality conditions and make best management recommendations.

On March 18, 2006 at our regular monthly meeting, Mark Kieser presented the board a copy of the study and gave a summary of their findings.

The study focused on two areas:

1. Items the Board could and should address.
2. Areas that association property owners should address

The following is a summary of items that property owners can do to help maintain and improve our lake water quality.

1. Septic Systems

It is estimated in this study that over 394 pounds of phosphorus enter Lake Somerset annually via septic systems. This accounts for 41% of the predicted annual "Total Phosphorus Load". Strategies to reduce phosphorus load entering the lake.

- (a) Septic tank clean out and maintenance every two to five years depending on the number of occupants.
- (b) Use of low or no phosphorus dishwashing detergent. Brands that meet this criteria are, Shakee; Bi-O-Kleen; Earth friendly Products; Ecover; Enviro-Rite; Life Tree; Presidents Choose; Seventh Generation and Ultra Citra Dish

2. Lawns & Landscaping

- (a) The use of no phosphorus fertilizer. This product can be purchased at several local outlets. Howard Feed & Grain –Jackson, Onsted Hardware--Onsted, Ace Hardware –Brooklyn and D& C Hardware –Somerset Center.
- (b) Waterfront properties 25 foot NO FERTILIZER buffer zone from shoreline.
- (c) Deep rooted grasses along shoreline this would filter out some nutrients before reaching the water.
- (d) Shoreline fire pits or burners should be at least 25 feet from the lake.

Candidate for the Board

I would like to serve on the Lake Somerset Board and I would appreciate support.

I am 57 years old, an electrical engineer and a Registered Professional Engineer in the state of Michigan. I retired from Ford Motor Company in 2004. My wife Laura and I have a daughter, Shannon, who lives in Chicago and two dogs (our sons), Harley and Tucker, who live with us. These days, Laura and I keep very busy as Arbonne International consultants.

We built our home on Lake Somerset about 10 years ago and we love it, so we are here to stay. We don't live here year-round, but I assure you that will not hinder my service to the Board.

My main concern is the budget, which has been a complicated and sensitive subject over the past couple years. I think I am qualified for the job because I developed and lived with several strict budgets during my 25+ years in the automobile industry. Also, last year I chaired a subcommittee to recommend improvements to the L.S.P.O.A. budget in a year of tight money concerns.

I want to help the board spend their money wisely in the future, while doing what is best for our property and our lake. I hope you will support me in this effort.

Respectfully,
Jim Compton

Building Control Committee

This article was submitted by the outgoing chairman, Colleen McNeal, and updated with the names of the current committee members.

The Lake Somerset Property Owner's Association (LSPOA) Building Control Committee would like to remind both new and old residents that everyone must comply with the LSPOA building guidelines.

All structures including houses, garages, sheds, and fences must be approved by the Building Control Committee before they can be erected.

Documents needed for sheds, decks or

anything else built above ground are:

1. Three (3) sets of drawings complete and clearly definable.
2. Three (3) grid plans showing location of the proposed structure showing size and distance to lot lines.
3. Three (3) sets of elevation drawings showing height and appearance.

If you have any questions, please contact any of the committee members listed below:
 Chris Scollard (*Chairperson*).....688-5025
 Mike Sleek.....688-5052
 Steve Brennan.....688-9563
 John Dickelman.....688-3466

Community Council News

The mission of the council is to act as a liaison between residents and the association board. Each representative is a spokesperson for their subdivision. We welcome any volunteers or suggestions to help us promote a better community.

Sheila Davison (688-4051)

Somerset Heights & Meckley's Subdivisions

Sharon Badders (688-3074)

Somerset Heights & Meckley's Subdivisions

Sue Prange (688-3710)

Hillandale & Gordon Subdivisions

Manessa Braman (688-3631)

Rolling Meadows Subdivision

Tracey Dear (688-9528)

Crestview Subdivision

The observant among may have noticed that the usual first name in the list is not Andi Overmeyer. That's because after many years of service to our association, for which we are very grateful, Andi has decided to resign from the Community Council.

Anyone who might like to volunteer for the Community Council, please contact Sue Prange or Sharon Badders.

Vice Presidents Comments

I have served on the LSPOA board for over five years with my current term ending in October. I originally did not want to get involved in the headaches the board has to deal with on a weekly basis but, as I attended monthly meetings, I became more involved and was asked to fill the vacancy of park chairperson. I served in that position for the past 4+ years.

This spring Jeremy Smith joined the board as Jim Weber stepped down as Vice President. Jeremy assumed my position as park chairperson and I took over as Vice President.

I want to thank the membership for stepping up and approving our 2006 dues increase. We can finally save money for the future.

Some great things are happening for the association. We opened our office this spring to conduct business. Office hours will be extended in the future to meet your needs.

The board knows difficult to attend monthly board meetings and keep up on association news so we will soon have our own web site. This tool should help keep you informed on the latest neighborhood news and information.

We live in a super community and have a beautiful lake. It takes the entire community support to keep it that way. Please stay informed and be a great neighbor.

Get involved!!

Sincerely,

Chris Scheithauer

Signs Around the Lake



The North entrance sign has been relocated to a more appropriate location. A special thanks to Kimberly and Scott Friess for allowing the Association to place the sign on their property. The sign now sits on the corner of Harper and Crestridge. Tom and Brian Weaver added landscaping and a solar light to accent the entrance sign.

Thanks again to Scott, Kimberly, Brian and Tom.



Please be advised the brush disposal area is open Spring through Fall on Saturdays during the hours of 10 a.m.-4 p.m. ONLY.

Using this area at any other time is prohibited. Dumping in the Grandview side is also prohibited. We continue to find plastic and trash dumped in this area. Please respect the community and use this area properly.

Security Report

Boat Stickers

Numerous security patrols were made around the lake this summer, and boat sticker compliance seems to be improving. However please remember that boat sticker placement is key!! Make sure you place your sticker on the back of your boat or jet ski, visible even when the cover is on.

Boat Launch

Even though it hasn't been a problem this year, remember years past. Power loading continues to be a problem and will eventually wash out the boat launch. Do everyone a favor and winch your boat onto its trailer instead of using its motor. It'll save everyone in the long run.

Water Safety

Lake traffic is to move in a counter clockwise direction. Any PWC (jet ski, wave runner) can only be operated between the hours of 8:00 am and ONE HOUR BEFORE sunset. Please check local sunset times before you go out and remember, the Hillsdale County Sheriff Department is out and patrolling.

Neighborhood Watch

There have been a few thefts around the lake, including but not limited to:

- New house construction material
- Boat gas tanks and gas
- Life jackets, wake boards, and radios out of boats
- Golf clubs and CDs left in unlocked vehicles

Keep an eye out for your neighbor and they'll do the same for you. Let's all make the neighborhood watch program successful in our community, and remember to report all suspicious activity to the police.

Fishing Report

Summer 2006

Well here we are — well into the summer's fishing (after a VERY DISMAL ice fishing season!). Several fishermen that I've talked to said they should have left their boats in for the winter! So far this summer, the fishing has been great (maybe because of all the fish that weren't taken in the winter?).



At the end of June and early July the walleyes were biting pretty good, with most catches coming in late evening in about 10-15 feet of water. Good baits were leaches, minnows, and jigs. The walleyes were running around 17-18 inches long (these are from our 2003 stocking of 3,500 fingerlings). By the way, this is a very good growth rate — the DNR average growth for this area would put them at 16 inches or less! If you are in the right place, there was also a bunch of crappies competing for your baits. This year has been one of the most active crappie bites I've seen out here. Most are running around 9-11 inches, with an occasional 12-14 inch fish.

Bass are in great supply, but seem to be a little smaller than in past years. I've been experimenting with a new "drop-shot" rig with rubber worms — the first time I tried it I had 14 bass on — unfortunately, I lost several of the bigger ones! Pete Tochman and Dennis Glasgow went out with me one evening. Dennis' favorite fish story is, "I've lived out here for over 15 years and the biggest fish I ever caught was 14 inches!" Well, we helped him net a 20-inch bass that evening. Of course, now it's "the biggest fish ever caught in this lake!" But, that's Dennis for you! I also noticed on the cover of the recent Michigan Outdoor News paper a picture of Wynter Cheyenne Mortz, age 8, who caught two bass at the same time on a rubber worm on Lake Somerset! Good catch Wynter!

Bluegills have been hitting all summer — and the one's from the deeper water (12-18 feet) have been averaging 7-8 inches, with an occasional 9-inch fish. The redear sunfish that

we stocked in 2002 appear to be doing well. I've seen several 9-10 inchers, plus a lot of smaller ones 4-6 inches, so they seem to be reproducing successfully. Who knows, maybe we'll get a pretty good redear fishery in the future?

The pike bite has slowed down considerably with the warmer water. However, pike fishing improves as the water cools down in the fall. Right now the thermocline is about 14 feet down, so many of the fish are below that depth. You should also realize that this thermo acts as a barrier to the colder bottom layer of water. This lower layer will run out of oxygen in mid August and will not support fish until the water cools and mixes in the fall. Contrary to what some people around say — this is only a late summer natural phenomenon — the oxygen comes back in late fall and stays until the following late summer. In other words, don't let people tell you the lake has no oxygen on the bottom!

As to future stocking — the plan is to get some walleye this fall, and then continue with our plan to stock a mix of pike and walleye next year. If pike are not available, we will stock either more walleye or more redears. Overall this plan seems to be working well in improving the overall fishery on the lake. I've spoke with people from other area lakes who have had their fish stocking monies cut and the fishery has declined big time (less big fish and many more stunted panfish). Unfortunately, this will take several years to correct!

I plan to put some of the lake fishery stuff (stocking records, fish species in Lake Somerset, fish pictures, past reports, water quality data, etc.) in some binders and leave them in the association office for any one to view. Hopefully, I can get this together this fall. Let me know if anybody has any additional ideas, or pictures they would like to include. My phone number is 688-3384, or email grausch@comcast.net.

Good luck fishing!

George Rausch



FORWARDING SERVICE REQUESTED

Somerset, MI 49281

P.O. Box 41

Lake Somerset Property Owner's Association

Attention Ice Fisherman

Soon the winter season will arrive. Just a friendly reminder!

All L.S.P.O.A ice shanty's must have your name, lot # and address on the outside of the shed!!

Chris Scheithauer

Pontoon Removal

If you need to have your raft removed this fall, call Larry at 688-3968, Glen at 688-3861, Mawby at 688-3869, or Bob at 688-4771.

To Receive Your Boat Sticker

1. Send your boat registration and sticker fee along with your annual dues payment.
2. From the guards at the main park on the weekend. (Remember boat sticker fee).
3. Call the office at 688-3228.
4. Assessments on all property owned must be paid prior to launch.

Please take the time to put lot numbers on all your boats. Several paddle boats have been found with no way to notify the owners. The guards have numbers for anything and everything at the Main Park (4 for \$1.00).

PLEASE NOTIFY LSPOA

**WHEN YOU BUY OR SELL A LOT SO WE CAN KEEP
OUR RECORDS UP TO DATE.**

OFFICIAL BALLOT — OCTOBER 2006

Lake Somerset Property Owner's Association

INSTRUCTIONS: Please read carefully

Select 3 candidates for office. Write-in candidates are allowed.

DO NOT put your name or address on the ballot. However, you **MUST** have your name and return address in the upper left hand corner of your envelope for your ballot to be counted. You may also bring your completed ballot to the Annual Meeting. ALL ballots will be tallied at the meeting.

- Jennifer Zysk
- Guy Vahoski
- Jim Compton

This ballot prepared in accordance with Article IV, Section 1-3; Article VII, Section 1 through 11, Rules and Bylaws LSPOA as approved at the Annual Meeting, May, 1979. You may vote in person or by proxy in accordance with the above rules.

Number of lots owned _____