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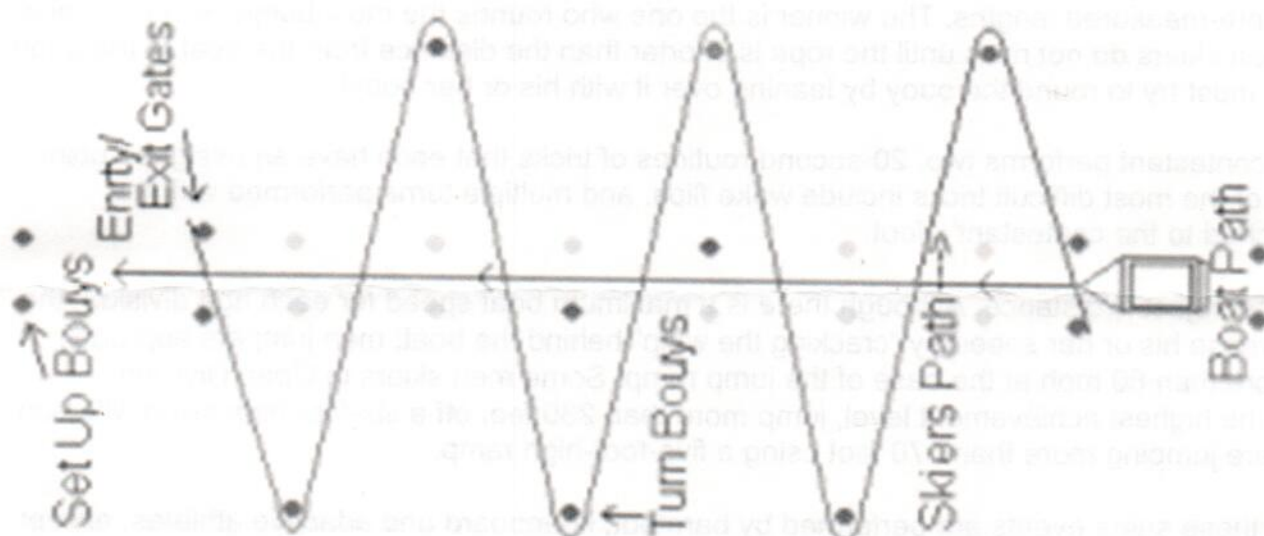
Our family has been on the lake over 50 years and one thing we love is the familial nature of this community! I wanted you to be aware that several days this coming week (M-F only) we will be putting a portable slalom course in the Western bay which consists of 22 buoys. This course will be removed each day. Feel free to have your skiers give it a try- it's a fun challenge!

There is no permit required for the use of a portable slalom course per WI state law Ch. 30.12. see: https://dnr.wisconsin.gov/topic/Waterways/recreation/water_ski.html

There is no requirement for notice but as a courtesy we have notified Ed Kissinger, President of the Silver Lake Mgmt. District & The Sheriff's Department who patrol Silver Lake. The buoys will be placed in the Western bay adjacent to our common Lakeview Point & Southwest Camp Waushara shorelines. **Please contact me directly with any questions or concerns.**

Please note: You DO NOT HAVE TO CHANGE your use of the lake in any way. Drive through the course, fish through it, run PWC's through it, have fun! My only request would be to not intentionally run over a buoy even though they are designed to handle a direct hit. 😊 Enjoy the lake!

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Dear Mr. Magnusson,

As a member of the Silver Lake Management District Board of Directors, you are a leader amongst property owners on Silver Lake. As such, I wanted to keep you aware of two things. First is the idea of some more organized watersports on Silver Lake; the second is the annual God Bless America Triathlon we hold at Silvercryst every year on July 4th.

WATERSKIING

Enclosed is the flyer we distributed to all of the homes on the Western Bay's Southern shoreline, from the Shannon's on Chicago Point to the Maes place just next to the boat landing off of HWY 21. I wanted you to be aware so you could contact me directly if you had any questions or comments. We hope to encourage more organized waterskiing activities on Silver Lake next year, especially amongst our children's generation (ages 7-25) with hopes of maybe resurrecting a little unofficial Ski Team we had back in the 1990's called SLST "Silver Lake Ski Team". Maybe someday we could even put on a small amateur ski show!

Those of us involved include several family members and many friends. Us adults are past our primes but we have rich histories in the sport. Some were professional show skiers, some were high level three-event skiers, some were sponsored competitive wakeboarders and others just like to have fun on the water with their families!

TRIATHLON

The first God Bless America Triathlon was held at our cottage on Silver Lake amongst friends on July 4th 2006 after my then new brother-in-law challenged me to a race. It seemed like a cool idea to do it at Silvercryst the next year and Mike and James were up for it. Well, 300 people showed up and it was quite the event. A few years later, Wade Pennau from Wautoma Rental took over managing the event for several years. Since then, it has turned into a free event with a \$20 suggested donation. With absolutely zero promotion, it draws about 50-75 participants per year. Each year, we give what monies are left over after supply costs to a Veteran's organization. This year we donated \$438 to Wounded Warriors.

I see a future in which we promote the event again to elicit more participants and raise more money. Ideally, it would be something the entire lake community could be involved in supporting and participating. I know several families that consider it part of their July 4th tradition. 😊

Thank you for your efforts on the Board and please contact me with any thoughts, ideas, comments or questions.

See you on the lake!

-James R. Glenn



Thanks,

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