

THE LARSMONT LINE

Larsmont Community Club • Summer 2018

Annual Fun Day to be Held August 4



Home of the
Little Red Schoolhouse
Established 1914

If you are a resident
of Larsmont,
full time or visit part time,
we invite you to get more
involved in the
community and meet
your neighbors.
Join the Larsmont
Community Club for
only \$10 per year.
Paid members get
one free use of the
Little Red Schoolhouse
during the year.

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The annual Larsmont Community **Fun Day** will be held this year at the Larsmont Little Red Schoolhouse, **Saturday, August 4**, 11 a.m.-2 p.m.

Open to the entire community and surrounding area, there will be food, games and entertainment. Membership in the Larsmont Community Club is not necessary to attend.

No RSVP is needed, so do show up and support the club and community. It's one way to catch up on what's happening in Larsmont and to tour the historic community Schoolhouse.

Current plans call for Picnic Fare: hot dogs and sloppy joes, bags of chips and fruit. Beverages will include pop, water and coffee. And then there are Larsmont desserts, which



will consist of cookies and world-famous Minnesota bars, provided potluck by those in attendance.

Once again, there will be a musical trio to provide entertainment during the day. The picnic committee plans to have board and other games available. A **Fun Day** for all.

A Silent Auction of donated items will be held, with bidding ending at 2 p.m. Proceeds benefit maintenance of the Schoolhouse. If you have items to donate, contact Marlys Wisch at 218-834-5988.



At the Annual Meeting This Year



Minutes of Larsmont Community Club
May 7, 2018, 7 p.m., Schoolhouse.

Attendees: Marlys Wisch, Bill Tranah, Dale Isackson, Kay and Jon Anderson, David and Kathy Falk, Diane Friebe, Patrick and Mari Gannon, Roger and Shirley Martinson, David and Margaret Glass, Sven and Pam Bergerson, Cindy and Paul Hayden, Bill and Karen Hermanson, Margaret Larson, Marcia Nieman and Bill Mohar.

President Tranah opened the meeting at 7:02 p.m.

Secretary's report - M/S/C to approve as read. Treasurer's report - M/S/C to approve as read/written.

New Business:
M/S/C to approve having D.A.C. mow our lawn.

By-laws changes: discussion of who can rent the schoolhouse as bylaws are now written.

No one suggested changes, but discussed raising the rent and the fee charged for those who are non-residents, who use the schoolhouse.

M/S/C to approve charging \$60.00 per event for those using the schoolhouse who are non-residents, effective January 2019.

Future business: Discussion on who, and how, is going to be in charge of the future schoolhouse and what funds are still in our account. Should we establish some legal process to handle building and funds? Asked everyone to think about this and share thoughts, no further discussion at this time. Suggestion: ask Jeremy Hurd, Attorney and our Rep as County Commissioner.

Building Inspection Report: Bill shared Alex Comb's inspection report, what he felt was needed to bring building to good standards and maintenance of building. Chimney needs work, the southwest corner of the building sags, create a process so water does not flow under the schoolhouse when it rains or snow melts, possible support needed for front porch, floor joists are slanting, the light fixture on the north eave is "live" and not protected from weather or humans, trim needs painting.

Discussion - we have two bids so far to do chimney work.

M/S/C to give the Executive Board permission to spend up to \$3,000 to get the chimney work done.

Lake County Rec. Board: Marlys, Delegate to the Board, shared that the group will no longer have meetings, the monies available from that decision was spread evenly across all groups at \$200 per. So we will now be receiving \$6900 in 2018 and going forward unless the County Commissioners change it.

Suggestion: to keep our budget for schoolhouse projects in a separate "column."



Mentioned the \$1,000 donation from the Vi Hedvall Family. Vi was a student at this school.

Projects Day: will be June 2, 2018, with backup date July 28th. Start at 9 a.m. Projects include: painting the gray platform levels of the porches; painting the white trim; painting the south wall red; Jim Ortman takes care of the gables on the garage. Yard cleanup, garden trimming/pruning, brush cleanup.

Third Annual Fun/Picnic Day - will be August 4th, 11 a.m.-2 p.m., with lunch (sell) and silent auction. Yard games.

Marcia Nieman volunteered to cook sloppy joe mixture. We will have hot dogs, sloppy joes, chunked fruit, chips. Coffee, pop and water. Desserts donated and for sale.

Election of Officers:

M/S/C to nominate and elect current slate of officers:

Pres. - Bill Tranah, Vice-President - Margaret Glass, Secretary/Treasurer - Marlys Wisch, Property and Grounds Keeper - David Falk, Flag Tender - Dale Isackson, and Editor-in-Chief - Paul Hayden.

Other: Discussion on raising the annual membership dues: M/S/C to increase our annual dues request to \$15.00 per household, effective May 2019.

Adjourn at 8:02 p.m.

Respectfully submitted Marlys Wisch,
Secretary/Treasurer

What's Happening at the Little Red Schoolhouse

Larsmont Calendar

July -

Agate Bay Crafters
Friday-Saturday, July 13-14, 9 a.m.
Larsmont Little Red Schoolhouse

Diane Isackson Craft Show/Sale
Friday-Saturday, July 20-21, 9 a.m.
Larsmont Little Red Schoolhouse

Project Day at the Schoolhouse
Saturday, July 28, 9 a.m.-noon
Larsmont Little Red Schoolhouse

-- August --

Larsmont CC Annual Fun Day & Picnic
August 4, 11 a.m.-2 p.m.
Larsmont Little Red Schoolhouse

Agate Bay Crafters
Friday-Saturday, August 10-11, 9 a.m.
Larsmont Little Red Schoolhouse

Primary Election Day
Tuesday, August 14,
7 a.m.-8 p.m.
Larsmont Little Red Schoolhouse

Diane Isackson Craft Show/Sale
Friday-Saturday,
August 17-18, 9 a.m.
Larsmont Little Red Schoolhouse

- September -

Agate Bay Crafters
Friday-Saturday, September 7-8, 9 a.m.
Larsmont Little Red Schoolhouse

Diane Isackson Craft Show/Sale
Friday-Saturday, September 21-22, 9 a.m.
Larsmont Little Red Schoolhouse

20/20 Craft Show
Thursday-Saturday,
September 28-30, 9 a.m.
Larsmont Little Red Schoolhouse

- October -

Agate Bay Crafters
Friday-Saturday,
October 12-13, 9 a.m.
Larsmont Little Red Schoolhouse

Diane Isackson Craft Show/Sale
Friday-Saturday,
October 19-20, 9 a.m.
Larsmont Little Red Schoolhouse

- November -

Election Day
Tuesday, November 6, 7 a.m.-8 p.m.
Larsmont Little Red Schoolhouse



Diane Isackson Craft Show/Sale
Friday-Saturday,
November 16-17, 9 a.m.
Larsmont Little Red Schoolhouse

Diane Isackson Craft Show/Sale
Friday-Saturday,
November 30-December 1, 9 a.m.
In conjunction with Julebyen
Larsmont Little Red Schoolhouse

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Volunteers Welcome
Lunch Served

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Donations to the Building Fund and Club

The Larsmont Community Club established the Building Maintenance Fund in 2006 to accept donations from members to be used toward repairs and upkeep of the building and grounds. Donations to the Building Fund have always been one of the most important cash contributions to the club. These funds are always needed. Those who donate are recognized through small certificates displayed in the Schoolhouse.

In addition to the Building Fund, each year members of the club renew their memberships and donate time and materials for the upkeep of the structure and grounds. There is no cash value to these donated hours, however these, too, are some of the most valuable ways support can be given to the endeavors of the LCC.

The board of the Larsmont Community Club continually expresses thanks to all who give of their time and dollars to make sure that Larsmont has a figurehead worthy of praise and admiration.

Cash donations in 2017 were received from Len and Judy Beardsley, Sven and Pamela Bergerson, Todd and Karen Boynton, Cindy and Mark Broin, David and Pam Coolidge, Gaye DeBenedetti, Doug and Mary Edmonson, Diane and Joseph Friebe, Patrick and Mary Gannon, Margaret and David Glass, Charles and Carol Gunder, Philip and Helen Hartley, Paul and Cindy Hayden, Viola Hedvall, Terry Highland, Ronald and Mary Holm, Ralph and Ruth Jacobson, Warren and Kerry Jessen, Karl and Beth Johansson, Kevin Johnson, Wayne Johnson, Mike Kennedy and Amy Renne, Timothy Kuehn, Neil and Barbara Normandin, James Ortman, Michael Overend, Eugene and Alice Smith, Karen and Steven Smith, Lila Stevens, Earl and Julie Stewart, Jeri West. A special donation, in memory of Vi Hill Hedvall, was made by Russell and Susan Kreager.

You can send your \$10 dues or make donations specifically to the Building Fund through Secretary/Treasurer Marlys Wisch, 489 Swanson Rd., Larsmont, MN 55616.

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