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## Annual Meeting June 19<sup>th</sup> 9:00 – 10:00 am

The FILIA annual meeting will be held at Hazelton Town Hall from 9:00 to 11:00 AM. Due to the covid pandemic, last year's meeting was cancelled for the safety of our members, so it would be great to have a big turn-out of members this year. It's a good way to meet your neighbors and stay on top of events and discussions surrounding Farm Island Lake and the Aitkin community. **Because of the pandemic, any changes to this meeting date will be included in an emailed newsletter, so be sure we have your email address. We will follow the current state guidelines.**

Hazelton Town Hall is 2 miles south of Tame Fish Lake Rd / Hwy 11. You do not have to be a paid member to attend. We have guest speakers who cover information pertinent to lake property owners. Other activities, to name just a few: walleye re-stocking updates (when available), attendees can discuss concerns and happenings around the lake, vote for board association member when a board member's term is expired, AIS (Aquatic Invasive Species) updates, ACLARA (Aitkin County Lakes and Rivers Association) updates, water clarity, etc.



**This year our speaker will be Sheriff Dan Guida**, who was elected in 2019 as the Aitkin County Sheriff. Guida has over 24 years of experience with Aitkin County, serving in the positions of deputy, boat and water recreational officer, patrol sergeant and investigator.

Guest speakers usually present at the start of the meeting. Coffee and pastries or cookies are provided. This is a great time to meet your neighbors and be involved with the lake.

## Board Member Election and Changes

Cindy has stepped down as FILIA's president after serving the 3-year term. She will remain on the board, continuing her 20+ years of serving on the board. Thank you, Cindy.

Dennis Kraimer is our new FILIA President. He has been on the board for 13 years.

Bill Haroldson is stepping down as Vice President but will remain on the board. We want to thank Bill for his many years (15 years+) of service on the board and his continued contribution of his time and energy and interest in the well-being of the lake and the community. Thanks for all that you do!

Gordy Vetsch is our new FILIA Vice President. He has been on the board for about 6 years.

We have one open position for a Board of Director (Board Member). Stan Barnes is a candidate for this position. Those present at the annual meeting will be able to vote.

The board members meet twice a year and attend the annual meeting held the 3rd Saturday of June. The board meetings are held the first Saturday in May and on Labor Day, from 9:00 – 11:00 AM, at The Joint Tavern & Eatery. It is a 3-year voluntary position and is a great way to be actively involved in the lake community and activities and in local county information.

**Norther Pike Regulation for North-central: Limit of 10 northern pike, but not more than two pike longer than 26 inches; all fish 22 to 26 inches must be released.**



**Walleye from 16"-19" must be immediately released.**

**145 paid members!**

## Membership Update

We have 145 paid members. About 40% of payees have paid online. See your website for current members. Thank you if you have already paid your dues!

- A large membership base provides us with a strong voice when it comes to the affairs involving lakeshore ownership, including grant applications, government, county and local agency activities.



### Online Dues Payment

You can pay your dues online using your credit card. There is a \$1.15 fee that goes directly to SquareUp.com, the app that provides the secure online payment service. It is a safe and fast way to pay with your credit card.

### Aquatic Invasive Species Fund (AIS)

Additional monies can be paid toward AIS when you mail in your application or pay online.

## Mass Mailing Update

243 printed newsletters were snail-mailed on May 24<sup>th</sup>. Out of the 382 property owners listed with Aitkin County, I pulled out the names of those who had already paid their dues, and there were some duplicates listed, multiple lot ownership, etc. This current newsletter contains the same information that was in the mailed version, plus a whole lot more. To reduce the postage cost I keep the mailed version to three pages, double-sided, so I can only fit so much information in the mass mailing.

## DNR List of Permitted Lake Service Providers

Lake service providers who install and remove docks and lifts for hire are required by the DNR to be trained and have a permit. Use the link below and select Aitkin and Crow Wing for a list of permitted lake service providers. [https://webapps11.dnr.state.mn.us/aquatic\\_invasive\\_species\\_training/lake\\_service\\_provider\\_permits/public\\_website\\_list](https://webapps11.dnr.state.mn.us/aquatic_invasive_species_training/lake_service_provider_permits/public_website_list). This information is also on your website under Useful Info.

*The list of permitted lake service providers is made available for the convenience of the public only. Farm Island Lake Improvement Association, The State of Minnesota and the Minnesota DNR neither endorse the services listed nor accept any liability arising from the use of the services listed.*

## New Changes to Married Combination License

Both spouses must be present to purchase a combination license in person. Both must provide and verify their customer records on file with the DNR to purchase a combination license in person, by telephone or online. Both will need to provide full name, birth date, social security number, and if a Minnesota resident over age 21 a current Minnesota driver's license or current Minnesota identification card.

[http://raoutdoors.hosted.strongview.com/t/gcH1AAkbDsWLbQAP1pFW5GNhaKYfBDHZTYaaaaDMIzBQD40Tbaa?j=B\\_rBqBt~amp;n=FR EO1ODOMd~25uA6W0SB.MEW~amp;b=3~amp;n=](http://raoutdoors.hosted.strongview.com/t/gcH1AAkbDsWLbQAP1pFW5GNhaKYfBDHZTYaaaaDMIzBQD40Tbaa?j=B_rBqBt~amp;n=FR EO1ODOMd~25uA6W0SB.MEW~amp;b=3~amp;n=)

## DNR Fisheries Update

Per Rick Bruesewitz, the Aitkin Area Fisheries will be stocking fry this spring, will do some water quality work in the summer and will do the electrofishing in the fall for young-of-the-year (YOY) walleye.

We usually conduct electrofishing for young walleye in late September or early October, however, we may actually try to get out next week for a bass survey that we missed last year due to staffing/covid stuff. We will have to wait and see because this warm up is maybe going to move fish back offshore again.

**Rick Bruesewitz** 218-429-3037 [Rick.bruesewitz@state.mn.us](mailto:Rick.bruesewitz@state.mn.us). Gillnet reports are on our website.

## Aitkin County Soil and Water Conservation District (SWCD)

The Aitkin County Soil and Water Conservation District (SWCD) can visit you at your property and work with you to determine options that are available for stabilizing your shoreline, controlling stormwater runoff, and protecting the lake. Contact Steve Hughes at 218-927-7284 [hughes.aitkinswcd@gmail.com](mailto:hughes.aitkinswcd@gmail.com).

## FILIA Apparel Available May 27 – June 11

You can now order your Farm Island Lake Improvement Association tee shirts, sweat shirts, hats, etc. The Shirts Plus of Aitkin online store opens on May 27th and closes on Friday, June 11th. All items will be ready for pick up or shipping by Monday, June 28th. Click on [shirtsplusofaitkin.com](http://shirtsplusofaitkin.com), go to Farm Island Lake, from May 27 - June 11 to order.



## Minnesota law requires water recreationists to:

- **Clean** watercraft of all aquatic plants and prohibited invasive species.
- **Drain** all water by removing drain plugs and keeping them out during transport.
- **Dispose** of unwanted bait in the trash and dispose of bait water.
- **Dry** docks, lifts, swim rafts and other equipment for at least 21 days before placing equipment into another water body.
- **Here is the link for more information on the Minnesota law, which holds true whether or not a lake is listed as infested.** <https://www.dnr.state.mn.us/invasives/laws.html>

## Curly-Leaf Pondweed

Curly-leaf (sometimes called curly-leaf pondweed) is an Aquatic Invasive Species (AIS) that was introduced into our area lakes around 1910 and can probably not be eradicated. It grows in the winter-time; and when there is not a lot of snow, you get more curly-leaf. Since about 2014 our past years' winter conditions have been perfect for the growth of curly-leaf, unfortunately. The best time for removal of curly-leaf is within weeks of when the ice melts. Trying to harvest the weeds in the spring and summer merely spreads the seeds around.

- There are certain areas of Farm Island Lake that have curly-leaf. The FILIA Board Members ask that people with curly-leaf work together to determine any action taken.

## Aitkin County Planning and Zoning

If you are building or remodeling contact Aitkin County at 218-927-7342 or their website to be sure you are up-to-date on their codes <https://www.co.aitkin.mn.us/departments/enviro-svcs/enviromentalSvcs.html#gsc.tab=0>

**The DNR AIS program** addresses invasive species in Minnesota, such as Eurasian watermilfoil, purple loosestrife, zebra mussel, spiny water flea and starry stonewort. Efforts in this area include working to prevent further spread and to manage impacts from invasive populations. The DNR has a section on their website about Aquatic Invasive Species - Programs, Reports, and Partners <https://www.dnr.state.mn.us/invasives/ais/programs.html> and there is information on your website on the Aquatic Invasive Species page.

## Minnesota Nongame Wildlife Program – Loon Study

HAVE YOU FOUND A DEAD LOON? We are currently conducting a study on loon mortality and would like you to turn in dead loons in Minnesota. Unfortunately, there are always a few that do not make it through the summer

to migration. If you find a dead loon, please contact your local DNR office or officer or bring it to them. If you need help finding an office or officer near you, or if you have any questions, please call 218-203-4352. THANK YOU! <https://www.facebook.com/MinnesotaNongameWildlifeProgram/posts/have-you-found-a-dead-loon-we-are-currently-conducting-a-study-on-loon-mortality/411925138923945/>



## Boating and Fishing Regulations

The DNR Boating and Fishing Regulations are on our website under Useful Info <https://www.farmislandlake.org/useful-links> and are also listed on the DNR website. Here are a few laws for Personal Watercraft (PWC), Jet Ski, etc.

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- PWC must travel at slow-no wake speed (5 mph or less) within 150 feet of shore (except when a PWC is launching or landing a water skier by the most direct route to open water), docks, swimmers, swimming rafts, any moored or anchored watercraft or nonmotorized watercraft.
  - You may not chase or harass wildlife,
  - or weave through congested watercraft traffic or jump the wake of another watercraft within 150 feet of the other boat.
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## Safe boating tips

From the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources Weekly Digest Bulletin May 24, 2021

The long Memorial Day weekend marks the traditional start to summer and, for many people, kicks off the recreational boating season. Waterways throughout Minnesota already have been more crowded than usual this spring, an apparent continuation of what was an exceptionally busy year in 2020.

With boaters of all experience and skill levels sharing Minnesota's lakes and rivers, everyone must take seriously their safety responsibilities.

Following are a few simple safety tips that will help make the start of the boating season fun, memorable and safe.

- **Life jackets on, all the time.** Don't just bring one, wear one. In Minnesota, 90 percent of boating fatality victims are not wearing a life jacket. By law, children under 10 years old must wear one while the boat is underway. Wearing a life jacket is the easiest step boaters of all ages can take to help ensure they get home safely.
- **Drinking and boating do not mix.** Boating under the influence is illegal and is the single greatest factor in fatal boating accidents. Keep the alcohol on shore for the safety of friends, family and everyone on the water.
- **Check safety equipment.** For those putting their boat in the water for the first time this season, it's important to check all safety equipment. That includes making sure life jackets fit and are in good condition and checking navigation lights, sound-producing device, fire extinguisher and carbon monoxide detectors. Also remember to inspect – and use – the engine cut-off lanyard.
- **Own the wake.** "Owning the wake" means understanding that all boats produce wakes, so all boaters need to be aware of the potential impacts of their wake. This includes impacts to others on the water, the shoreline, and equipment like docks and moored watercraft.
- **Know the rules.** Make sure you know Minnesota's boating laws and regulations. [An online education course](#) can help increase your knowledge.

In addition to helping to ensure safety, boaters also play a vital role in preventing the spread of [aquatic invasive species](#). Every time their boat comes out of the water – whether an AIS inspector or enforcement officer is present or not – boaters must clean aquatic plants and debris from their watercraft, drain lake or river water, and dispose of unwanted bait in the trash. Boaters must remember to keep their drain plugs out and water-draining devices open while transporting watercraft.

Further details, including boater education requirements and information on safe boating, can be found at [mndnr.gov/boatingsafety](http://mndnr.gov/boatingsafety).

## 4<sup>th</sup> of July Boat Parade

The boat parade will take place on July 3rd at the south public access. Meet there by noon. Have fun decorating your watercraft! Last year some of our boats appeared in the local newspaper, the Aitkin Independent Age. The parade will head east and parade participants are asked to plan to encircle the entire lake for the enjoyment of EVERYONE on shore so that people at the end of the parade (the west side) can see the parade in its entirety.



The **911 Address** or **Blue Fire Number**, which is your address number, is used by **emergency responders** to locate your property. This could save your life or property. If you are in an association you need your own number, placed by your individual house, so you can quickly be located. To order, contact the Aitkin County Highway Department 218-927-3741. In an emergency, be able to give detailed directions on how to reach you. Write it down, and post it so everyone at your house can see it.

## Removing lake plants could require a permit

The MN DNR reminds lakeshore property owners that a permit may be required to remove aquatic plants. Aquatic plants provide food and shelter for fish, ducks and wildlife. They also stabilize the lake bottom, which helps maintain water clarity, and protect shorelines from erosion by absorbing energy from waves and ice.

### Control methods which must have a permit

- Destruction of any emergent vegetation (for example, cattails and bulrushes).
- Cutting or pulling by hand, or by mechanical means, submerged vegetation in an area larger than 2,500 square feet.
- Applying herbicides or algaecides.
- Moving or removing a bog of any size that is free-floating or lodged in any area other than its place of origin in public waters.
- Transplanting aquatic plants into public waters.
- Use of automated aquatic plant control devices (such as the Crary WeedRoller).
- Physical removal of floating-leaf vegetation from an area larger than a channel 15 feet wide extending to open water.

Specific regulations govern what situations require permits for aquatic plant removal and can be found at <https://www.dnr.state.mn.us/shorelandmgmt/apg/regulations.html>, along with the required permit.

## Head's Up June 13

June 13 at 3:00 PM there will be an event on the lake in which there will be a gathering of boats during a local business ceremony. So, you will see a group of boats in the area south of Dahle's Bay.

## How to live responsibly in 'Bear Country'

From Aitkin Independent Age May 29, 2021. [https://www.messagemedia.co/aitkin/outdoors/how-to-live-responsibly-in-bear-country/article\\_25565b6a-bce2-11eb-9052-e72a9b8e816c.html](https://www.messagemedia.co/aitkin/outdoors/how-to-live-responsibly-in-bear-country/article_25565b6a-bce2-11eb-9052-e72a9b8e816c.html)

Black bears, Minnesota's only bear species, live primarily in forests, swamps, and other wooded areas with a thickset coverage. Typically, their range and breeding grounds are located in the upper third of northeast Minnesota. However, more and more have been spotted in the western, southern and urban parts of the state.

As more people build cabins and lake homes, natural habitat disappears, pushing the bear farther out of its normal range. Changes in weather patterns and wild-food supplies have also contributed to the uptick in bear sightings. Last year, for example, was a bad year for hazelnuts, acorns and berries – all staples of a bear's diet. When natural food sources are scarce, bears are drawn out to agricultural fields to feast on corn and other crops.

According to the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources, the best way to minimize contact and conflict with black bears is to reduce the availability of attractants. Bears have an incredible sense of smell and are not picky eaters. They will take advantage of food sources in the path of least resistance. This includes birdseed, dog food, grease on grills, fruit growing on trees, and garbage.

BearWise, an organization that "helps people live responsibly with bears," suggests these six simple rules:

- Never feed or approach bears.
- Secure food, garbage and recycling.
- Remove bird feeders when bears are active.
- Never leave pet food outdoors.
- Clean and store grills.
- Alert neighbors of bear activities.

If you encounter a black bear, don't panic. Most black bears will flee at the site and sound of humans. There has never been a fatal bear attack in Minnesota, and only eight non-fatal attacks since 1987.

In the event you do cross paths with a black bear, the Minnesota DNR recommended the following best practices:

- Make your presence known by speaking in a calm tone. The goal is not to startle the bear.
- Walk in the opposite direction, keep your eye on the bear and do not run. Most likely he will flee.
- In the event the bear does not flee, prepare a can of bear spray and use it if necessary.
- If the bear walks toward you, get loud and start throwing sticks or rocks at the bear.
- Never climb a tree.
- Never offer the bear food.

## **Decontamination units now on site to curb AIS spread**

By Jeanne Schram For the Aitkin County Aquatic Invasive Species Committee May 21, 2021

[https://www.messagemedia.co/aitkin/outdoors/decontamination-units-now-on-site-to-curb-ais-spread/article\\_37937830-b7e7-11eb-9901-cfb1621b163e.html](https://www.messagemedia.co/aitkin/outdoors/decontamination-units-now-on-site-to-curb-ais-spread/article_37937830-b7e7-11eb-9901-cfb1621b163e.html)

People who use recreational water equipment have a free service thanks to the Aitkin County Aquatic Invasive Species (AIS) Committee.

In Aitkin County, there are three new decontamination units available to clean boats, trailers or other water equipment used in area lakes or rivers. From opening of fishing through Labor Day, these units are strategically placed on weekends for access from the more than 350 lakes and rivers in Aitkin County.

They are located at Lake Minnewawa, Spirit Lake and Big Pine near Lake Mille Lacs. During the week, units are available for courtesy cleaning at the office of the Aitkin County Soil and Water Conservation District (SWCD).

According to Steve Hughes, district manager of the SWCD, the county hires trained Level One inspectors to inspect boats and trailers for AIS and the Level Two inspectors to operate the decontamination units.

“We are looking for additional inspectors,” said Hughes. There are currently about 20 individuals. The pay was increased this year by \$3 an hour for the three levels of inspectors. The beginning pay for Level One is \$15 per hour.

### HOW THE UNITS WORK

Hughes said hot water kills the invasive species. The boat or trailer is sprayed on the outside with 140 degree water; live wells and ballasts with 120 degrees; and boat motors with 100 degree water as the motors add heat to the water. Owners of the equipment can scrape off any dead species afterward. There are four reasons to make use of a decontamination unit: because visible water can't drain completely; enclosed tanks probably didn't drain completely; a boat has been in a lake or river more than 24 hours; and if something can be felt on the bottom of a boat or trailer.

For more information about watercraft inspector training or to schedule a courtesy cleaning of a boat or trailer, call Hughes at 218-927-7284.

As always, stopping the spread of invasive species to other lakes and rivers protects habitat for native species such as sunfish and crappies. Overall lake and river health is better without invasive species. Healthy lakes and rivers benefit fish, wildlife and people. Remember, “Clean, Drain, Dry and Dispose.”



### Shore Captain Needed

We currently need 1 Shore Captain for the northwest shore. Anyone who is interested please contact a board member or send us an email. If the area where you live currently has a Shore Captain and you would like to be one - the areas can be divided up. The Shore Captain brochure is on the website on the Contact/Calendar page.

- Welcoming new residents and making them aware of lake issues (i.e. Invasive Species) and opportunities.
- Helping broadcast late breaking news (i.e. no-wake order in 2012 due to high water).
- Providing input to the FILIA board on issues and opportunities based on feedback from their area.

Our goal is to have Shore Captains on the different shoreline areas of the lake. It is a wonderful way to get to know your neighbors and keep well-informed of happenings and news around the lake.

Here is a list of our current Shore Captains. Use the FILIALake@gmail.com to contact a Shore Captain.

Scott Scheele.....Southeast Shore  
 Randy Feltmann.....Southwest Shore  
 John Pierson .....Johnson Point  
 Gordon Vetsch .....Dahle Bay  
 Denise Noling .....East Shore  
 Lowell Larson .....Dummer’s Bay

Sharon Mattison .....West Shore  
 Karen Ulstad .....West Shore  
 Cindy & Tom Scott.....Dummer’s Bay  
**Open position            Northwest Shore**  
 Rebekah & Rett Martin.....Farm Island

## DNR Red Flag Warning – Do Not Burn

With extreme fire risk conditions across much of Minnesota, the National Weather Service has been issuing Red Flag Warnings for many counties, including Aitkin.

A Red Flag Warning means the area is experiencing critical weather conditions that are ideal for wildfire, including strong winds and low humidity. Do not burn while the Red Flag Warning remains in effect and check any burning done recently to ensure the fire is out. Any spark could become a wildfire under Red Flag conditions.

Check the statewide fire danger and current burning restrictions webpage, which the Minnesota DNR updates daily. [https://www.dnr.state.mn.us/forestry/fire/firerating\\_restrictions.html?utm\\_medium=email&utm\\_source=govdelivery](https://www.dnr.state.mn.us/forestry/fire/firerating_restrictions.html?utm_medium=email&utm_source=govdelivery)

*Note: When government, local agency and county information is included we are serving as the messenger to keep you informed of their activities concerning Farm Island Lake.*

## 2021 Calendar of FILIA Events

*Spring Board Meeting	Saturday, May 1, 9:00 am	The Joint Tavern & Eatery
<b>Annual Association Meeting</b>	<b>Saturday, June 19, 9-11:00 am</b>	<b>Hazelton Town Hall</b>
4th of July Boat Parade	Saturday, July 3, Noon	FIL South Public Access
*Fall Board Meeting	Monday, Sept 6, 9:00 am	The Joint Tavern & Eatery

*\*Only board members attend the Board Meetings.*

## BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Dennis Kraimer ..... President  
Gordon Vetsch..... V.P.  
Cheryl McDonough ... Treasurer/Secretary

Jim Hausauer  
Cindy Chuhanic  
Bill Haroldson

Denise Noling  
Loren Rachey  
Open Position

- The FILIA Board Members, in order to fulfill our mission of stewardship for Farm Island Lake, strive to maintain good communications and collaborative efforts with lake association members and Aitkin County and state agencies such as the DNR, Aitkin Area Fisheries, Aitkin County Soil & Water Conservation District, and Invasive Species Specialists, to name a few.
- The FILIA board members act in good faith as volunteers and assume no responsibility for the boat parade or any other FILIA activity.





A larger, printable map is on your website.



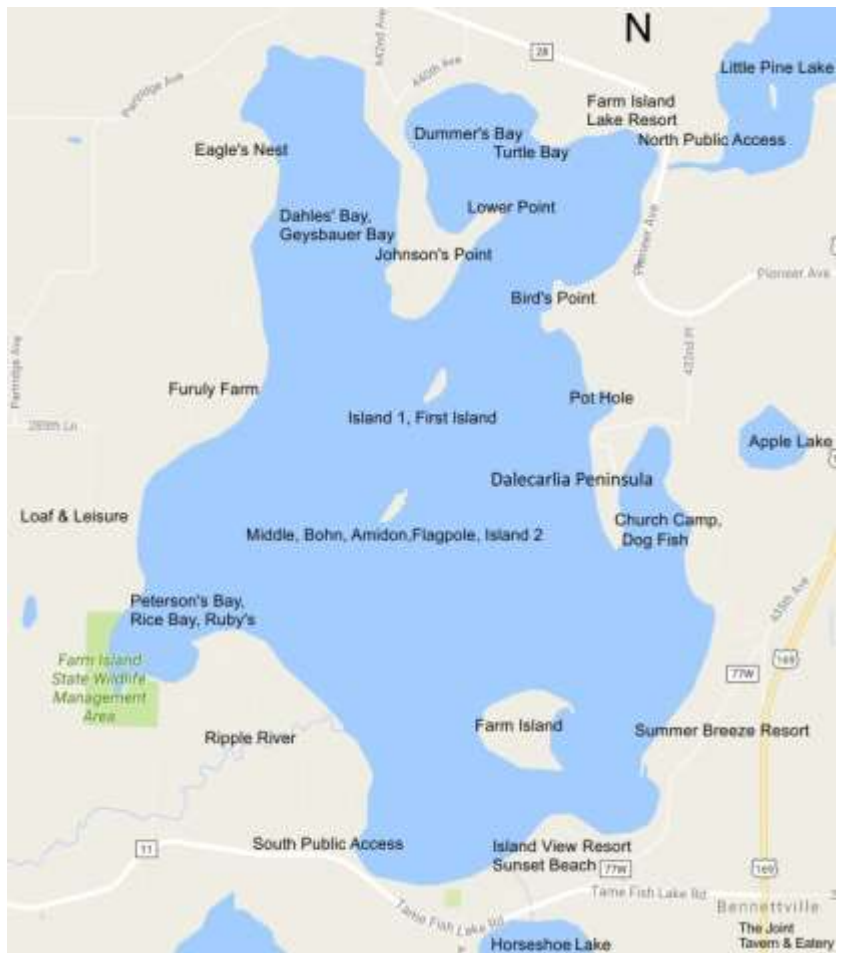
### Ice Dates for Farm Island Lake

- 2021 ice-out date was April 5
  - 2020 ice-out date was April 19
  - 2020 ice-in date was November 30
- More ice details on your website.

### 2020 Financial Report

More financial detail on your website.

ASSETS	Year End	
	ACTUAL	%
Checking	15,817	24%
Money Market	29,492	45%
Savings	7,680	12%
Fixed CD	12,654	19%
Petty Cash	35	0%
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>\$65,678</b>	



### FILIA Website

There is a lot of information on the FILIA website. This site map includes the links to the various pages on the website. [FarmIslandLake.org](http://FarmIslandLake.org)

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- Mission statement, printable map of Farm Island Lake, description
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  - Current and past newsletters, Gillnet Survey Results
  - List of Board of Directors, Shore Captains, Meeting dates
  - Financial reports, current and past
  - Aitkin County contacts

**Be sure we have your email addresses to ensure receipt of newsletters and email updates throughout the year.**



*Be Well. Be safe. Have fun!*

Sincerely,  
Cheryl McDonough & Board Members  
FILIA Treasurer/Secretary [filialake@gmail.com](mailto:filialake@gmail.com)  
Your comments are welcome.

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# FILIA MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

FarmIslandLake.org

**BECOME A MEMBER AND HELP PRESERVE AND ENHANCE FARM ISLAND LAKE**

Dues are **\$25.00** a year per property owner from January to December.

You can pay online at your FILIA website, or bring this form to the annual meeting, or mail it to:

**Farm Island Lake Improvement Association ( or FILIA )**

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**PO Box 135**

**Aitkin, MN 56431**

**Name** \_\_\_\_\_

**Home Address** \_\_\_\_\_

*No need to write your home address if your correct address is on your check.*

**Lake Address** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone**-best year-round contact phone(s) \_\_\_\_\_

**Email**-best year-round contact email(s) \_\_\_\_\_

*Your email addresses will be used to send you newsletters and other FILIA news. It will not be sold or shared.*

**Additional money for the Aquatic Invasive Species (AIS) Fund** \$ \_\_\_\_\_