



Lake ≈ Link

*The Official Newsletter of the
Lake Murray Association, Inc.*

www.lakemurrayassociation.com ■ (803) 749-3888

March 2014



President's Message...

Now that the cold weather is practically over and we are recovering from the impact of the seasonal snacks, meals, parties, football games and family gatherings had on us, it's time to think about warm spring weather, refreshing lake water, sunshine, boating and fun stuff! Let's bring it on sooner, rather than later and get back out on the water!

2014 will be a busy year for our Lake Murray Association (LMA). Thanks to nature and SCE&G, we enjoy water levels that will allow us to enjoy a full complement of boating activities. We will continue our focus on safety and support of our Lake Murray Safety Consortium and our local and state law enforcement agencies. We will also continue to monitor the environmental conditions of our lake by collecting and testing water samples from various locations on the lake and publishing the results both online and in this publication. Boater education is a continuing source of concern for our membership and we will continue to sponsor our popular Ladies Day on the Lake training session, and support the boating safety classes offered by the Lake Murray Power Squadron, the United States Coast Guard Auxiliary and the South Carolina Department of Natural Resources. We will continue to work with SCE&G on issues impacting our beautiful lake including shoreline management, water quality, lake levels, water releases downstream and safety.

We will continue to focus on growing our membership and remaining attentive and responsive to the needs and desires of our members. We need more volunteers to get involved and help accomplish our many community projects. The more members that are involved, the more we can accomplish. We continue to recruit Corporate Sponsorships to help support our endeavors financially. If you are interested in supporting us with your time and energy or financially, please contact me, or you may contact Milton Moore, our Membership Chairman. The best way to create additional value in your membership is to get involved and help make your association better! Many hands will make lighter work for all!

During the recent Columbia Boat Show, I had the opportunity to speak with many of you concerning Lake Murray and our Association. It was rewarding for me to have the opportunity to listen while you shared your concerns regarding our lake and moreover, the value you place in your LMA membership. I thank you for your questions and comments and I appreciate your candidness. You are always welcome to reach out to us and share your thoughts on how we can improve our services to you and better support Lake Murray.

Until next time...

Andy Hyman

Dear Members...

During the recent drawdown, we received a number of phone calls regarding the perceived lack of planning and short notification by SCE&G before the drawdown began. A frequent question was why did LMA not object to the plan?

My short response to those questions includes a brief overview of the LMA/SCE&G relationship. We have a very good working relationship with Mr. Jim Landreth and his team of lake managers and support personnel. It is a relationship that allows us to discuss issues of mutual concern in a formal setting and permits open and honest dialogue concerning issues that either we don't understand or agree upon. In those cases, we work together to educate each other on our respective positions, reach consensus where possible, and agree to disagree if we can't find mutual ground. We accomplish this with dignity, respect and a mutual understanding that we both only want what is best for Lake Murray.

Regarding the recent drawdown, SCE&G did not come to us and ask permission to lower the lake as they do not have a responsibility to do so! Out of professional courtesy, they did advise us of the drawdown several days before it was announced to the public. The primary rationale for the drawdown was to protect the long-term water quality of Lake Murray. A second benefit to homeowners was to permit dock and shoreline projects that could not be accomplished with the water above 350. Finally, another important rationale was the forecast that more rain than usual would fall in January. This was in fact the case, and the lake quickly returned to normal levels.

SCE&G works with many agencies to coordinate a drawdown and while it may appear to have been short notice to the public, the process started much earlier. LMA will, in the future, seek to have more advance notice and more specificity as to the goals and more information about what measurements will be taken to make a determination as to the degree of success that was achieved by the drawdown. However, we do recognize success is measured over the long-term as the periodic drawdowns are a preventive measure taken to maintain, not correct, water quality. If ever we find ourselves in a correction mode, we could potentially have much more serious issues requiring more drastic steps.

As always, thank you for your questions and comments. We appreciate your involvement in maintaining and protecting this valuable resource.

Andy Hyman, President
Lake Murray Association

LAKE MURRAY ASSOCIATION MISSION STATEMENT

To preserve, protect and enhance Lake Murray through conservation, science, education and good governance so that the lake remains clean, safe and beautiful for the community, users, visitors, area businesses and homeowners, both now and for generations to come.

The Lake Murray Association

"The Voice of Lake Murray"

Saluda County Public Meeting

Tuesday, April 22, 2014 at 7:00 p.m.
with light refreshments at 6:30 p.m.

Hollywood Ruritan Club
1459 Hollywood Road in Saluda

"The Role of SCDNR"
Guest Speaker: PFC Ezra Arnold,
SCDNR officer in Saluda County

Lexington County Public Meeting

Tuesday, May 13, 2014 at 7:00 p.m.
with light refreshments at 6:30 p.m.

Pilgrim Lutheran Church
Fellowship Hall
1430 North Lake Drive in Lexington

"SCDNR and Lake Murray"
Guest Speaker: Alvin Taylor,
SCDNR Director

LADIES' DAY ON THE LAKE

June 17, 2014



Ladies, it is time now to register for the opportunity to learn hands-on boating and trailer backing. This educational and exciting all-day class will be held at Lighthouse Marina on Tuesday, June 17th. The Lake Murray Association has partnered with the SC Department of Natural Resources, the Lake Murray Power Squadron, Columbia Power Sports and Lighthouse Marina to instruct ladies about all the elements of boating safety. This is a ladies only event. Husbands and boyfriends must stay at home.

Your DNR and Power Sports instructors are experienced and patient masters in water craft operation. You will pilot a boat in open water and bring it into the dock. In addition, you will back a boat trailer down the ramp and into the water. LMA representatives will provide lunch, refreshments, and assist in coordinating the daily activities. It is recommended that you sign up early, as the 32 available slots fill up rapidly. Contact Lee Barber at 803-331-8355 or log on to www.lakemurrayassociation.com.



4H2O Day Camp

June 9 - 13, 2014

The 4H2O Day Camp will be held this year from June 9th to June 13th. This Camp educates young people (ages 10 to 12 years) on how to be good stewards of the lake. The cost is \$100 per child if you register early (2 weeks prior to event) and \$120 after that. You may contact Mary Cafilisch, a Water Resources Agent with the Carolina Clear Program (Clemson Extension Service), at (803) 865-1216 ext. 122 to register a youngster.

We are also looking for a few pontoon boat captains to move the young ones around the lake on Monday and Wednesday of that week. If you're interested, please call Dave Landis at (803) 315-1628.

EFFECTS OF LAKE DRAWDOWN ON SEDIMENT SCOURING IN COVES AND AT INFLOW POINTS

by Roy Parker,
Environmental Committee Chairman

Lake Murray Association was very interested in observing the level of scouring that took place during the recent drawdown period. We made photographs of three coves on December 1 when the lake level was 350 ft.msl, then returned on January 2 to the same coves when lake levels were at 353.5 ft. msl. This gave us a good photographic record of the level and extent of sediment scouring at these three locations.

During water quality discussions for relicensing of Saluda Hydro, one recommendation had been made to draw down the lake periodically to allow for scouring. SCE&G had called in a limnology consultant, Mr. Jim Ruane, to give technical advice during the relicensing process, and Mr. Ruane had pointed out that silt and sediment build up at water inflow points to lakes. When lake levels are held high year after year, sediment builds up. One of the recommendations made by Mr. Ruane was that the lake be drawn down periodically to allow high inflows to scour the exposed silt and sediment from cove areas. Drawdowns were proposed for the winter when rainfall amounts are expected to be greatest and therefore resulting in robust inflows best suited to scouring silt and sediments build ups. Mr. Ruane advised that scouring at inflow points would benefit water quality.

Observation and photographs during the recent drawdown in December show that scouring was mostly confined to trenching action in the inflow streams. Most of the large areas of sediment and silt deposits in the coves remained after the drawdown period. Tommy Boozer with SCE&G confirmed that his observations of scouring were about the same as reported here.

During the Saluda Hydro Relicensing process, extensive meetings and discussions were held by SCE&G with interested stakeholders, including Lake Murray Association (LMA) on how the lake would be operated to meet certain operational objectives. Many topics were discussed including the shore line management plan, water



East cove on Beechcreek Road. Photograph taken December 1st when lake level was at 350 ft. msl. See the large amount of sediment that has accumulated over about 7 years of high lake levels.



East cove on Beechcreek Road. Photograph following heavy rainfall in late December of the same area, taken one month later. The lake was at 353.5 ft. msl when photographed. Scouring has obviously been confined primarily to the narrow inflow stream. The bulk of the sediment field remains the same as before anticipated scouring.



West cove off Beechcreek Road. Photograph taken December 1st when lake level was at 350 ft. msl. Notice the large banks of sediment deposits to the left of the inflow stream.



West cove off Beechcreek Road. Photograph of the same area as above, taken the first week in January when lake level was at 353.5 ft. msl. Notice the large fields of sediment deposits to the left of the inflow stream remain and are unchanged.

South Carolina Electric & Gas (SCE&G) was required by the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) to relicense the operation of Lake Murray (Saluda Hydro FERC No. 516). This process began in October of 2004 according to Bill Argentieri with SCE&G. The final license application requesting a new license was filed with FERC in 2008 with an expectation of a new license being issued in 2010. The new license to operate Saluda Hydro has not been issued at this time and is awaiting a draft biological opinion from the National Marine Fisheries Service on how the project operations could affect an endangered species, the shortnose sturgeon. Currently, management of the lake is on a year-to-year basis and operates on the authority of the same license that existed prior to the relicensing process.

quality, lake levels and water releases to benefit the spawning of fish in the lower Saluda and Congaree Rivers below the dam. Two important goals discussed were maintaining lake levels during summer months as near normal operating pool (358 ft. msl) as possible, and to retain high water quality in the lake. LMA strongly supports both of these goals. During the summer months, our association collects water samples from various locations in the lake. The samples are analyzed for fecal coliform and total phosphorous by SCE&G. Generally, our samples show that water quality in Lake Murray is very good and meets acceptable fresh water standards for these two contaminants.



Middle cove on Beechcreek Road. Photograph taken December 1st when the lake level was at 350 ft. msl. Observe the area of silt and sediment that has been deposited in the mouth of this cove.



Middle cove on Beechcreek Road, a different view than the previous photograph. This view of the inflow stream was taken the first week in January after scouring. Scouring is mostly confined to the width of the stream, and large deposits of sediment to the right and left of the stream remain.

Membership in the Lake Murray Association (LMA)

What does Lake Murray really mean to you and your family?

Is it simply a beautiful lake for power boating, sailing, rafting/skiing, fishing, canoeing and pontoon riding and parties **and** for your electricity reserve through SCE&G? **YES to all** --- but there are many more benefits provided by Lake Murray ... more economic and personal benefits for all citizens!

What benefits do citizens receive from Lake Murray?

Lake Murray is the “Jewel of the Midlands” and a “Jewel for South Carolina.” The word Jewel implies value; jewels attract capital. Just as citizens receive economic benefits, directly or indirectly, when any major industry enters with capital investment and remains in SC, those same citizens benefit (from enhanced capital investment) when Lake Murray brings revenue/capital into the state from across the Southeast. Tourism, regional and national events, homes and economic development related to Lake Murray bring hundreds of millions in capital to the area, and that capital flows into the state coffers and into various communities across SC. When properly used, value compounds more value.

While pooled in the Midlands, “the Jewel” brings over 600,000 outside tourists a year, provides many forms of recreation, and is a direct revenue source for businesses such as restaurants, marinas, boat dealers, state parks, guides, real estate sales, rentals, city events, boating and fishing tournaments, etc. Studies indicate that Lake Murray contributes about \$64 million annually to the SC economy, with possibly an additional \$40+ million from major fishing, sailing, boating, and other events.

Built as a major resource for metro/community electricity, Lake Murray has served the community well. Once she provides electricity, recreation and the capital she has attracted, she then provides her clean water to many communities and cities in her areas of influence. Her water is a coveted and significant resource for users. Just as any major industry does, “the Jewel” also directly spreads her wealth, and her water, as multifaceted benefits to citizens in the SC economy.

With contributions from smaller rivers, the Saluda and Reedy River waters (into and from Lake Greenwood) flow through the Saluda Valley to the 4 major counties encircling Lake Murray and form its 50,000⁺ acre footprint and 600 mile shoreline. Lake waters flow eventually into the Atlantic Ocean by confluences with the Broad, Congaree, Wateree and Santee Rivers. The water is valuable from upstate, to Lake Murray, to the Atlantic.....with Lake Murray as the Jewel in the Midlands.

What does Lake Murray Association (LMA) mean to YOU and to Lake Murray?

LMA is your voice... your advocate. As a voluntary association of **lake users**, not just homeowners, LMA is your confluence with others to share concerns of property values, water quality, recreation and economic development. LMA has advocated for 20 years to improve and maintain the quality of Lake Murray. Past articles have, and future articles will, give details about the critical advocacy by LMA on behalf of its members in areas of concern such as clean water, lake levels, hydrilla control, septic tank regulations, and lake safety. **The more members, the more influence you will have.**

Join or maintain your membership in LMA. Encourage your friends. Please use the application or renewal form in this newsletter, or the online application at www.LakeMurrayAssociation.com.

Milton Moore
Membership Committee Chairman
803-260-6080

Reprinted from December 2013 issue with permission of Membership Committee Chairman.



ATTENTION!!!

The Lake Murray Association's annual Pontoon Tour of Homes will not be held this year.

It is with much regret that we make this announcement as many of us look forward to this event. We truly appreciate the efforts that so many of you have provided in the past to help make this our signature event. Without you, it would not be possible. As such, we hope to add it back to our schedule for 2015 and hope you will join us then. Should you have a home you would like to feature, or have one you wish to nominate for next year, please contact Dave Landis at (803)315-1628 or dlandis1@sc.rr.com. As this is our primary fundraiser for the Association, we will be looking for other sources to complete our work for Lake Murray. I know we can count on you to help us in this effort. One of those plans is a golf tournament in the fall and we will have the information posted as soon as it is finalized. If you would like to get involved and help us with this effort, please contact us.

Boat Show 2014

February 7-9, 2014, at the State Fairgrounds

The boat show is another way the Lake Murray Association Board gets to talk with our members about lake issues on a one-on-one basis. We also get a chance to introduce Lake Murray Association to new members.

The booth had a fresh new look this year. We shared the booth again this year with the Lake Murray Safety Consortium, which is an extension of LMA's Safety Committee. Lake Murray Safety Consortium members include SCDNR, the 4 County Sheriffs' Departments (Lexington, Richland, Newberry and Saluda), Lake Murray Power Squadron, US Coast Guard Auxiliary, SCE&G, the Southern Patriot, and LMA.



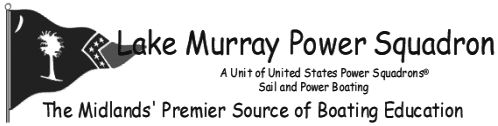
Congratulations to Mike Dodds of Lexington who won the new member drawing for an inflatable life jacket!

Boating Quiz - Test your knowledge!

According to South Carolina law, children of what age must wear a USCG approved PFD (life jacket) while on a vessel less than 16 feet long?

- a. under 12 years of age
- b. under 10 years of age
- c. under 8 years of age
- d. under 6 years of age

Answer: a. under 12 years of age



America's Boating Course, the ABCs of safe boating

America's Boating Course will be offered Saturday morning May 3 and May 10 at Flotilla Island on Lake Murray from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Flotilla Island is located at the end of Johnson Marina Road in Ballentine.

The course is open to the public and covers all types of boats and boating on inland and coastal waters. The instructional material is produced by the United States Power Squadrons® and is presented by members of Lake Murray Power Squadron.

America's Boating Course provides students with all the information required by federal and state boating laws and regulations. Completion of the course meets educational requirements for boat operation in all states and qualifies youths under age 16 to operate watercraft of more than 15 horsepower without adult supervision. Course graduates may also qualify for discounts on boat insurance.

Topics covered include types of boats, required safety equipment, Navigational Rules of the Road, aids to navigation, boat registration, safety procedures, finding your way, electronic navigation, anchoring, adverse conditions, communications afloat, and knots & lines.

Lake Murray Power Squadron's certified instructors meet the requirements of the National Association of State Boating Law Administrators. Cost of course materials is \$40 for an individual or \$50 for couples or families.

For more information and registration, visit the Lake Murray Power Squadron Webpage www.IMPSONline.org and click Boating Course or call 803-318-0072.

Get your Vessel Safety Check before leaving the dock...

Spring is here and finally, it is time for us to get our boats back out on the water. We are washing, waxing and making those last minutes adjustments to ensure we are ready for our first boat trip of the year. Before we leave the marina dock or launch ramp though, there is one more important event that needs to take place...we need to get a Vessel Safety Check (VSC).

The VSC is a great opportunity to have your boat checked by a trained and qualified Vessel Safety Examiner (VSE) of the Lake Murray Power Squadron to make certain that you have the required safety equipment on your boat. There are no fines, penalties or reports to any agency if you don't have everything you need. You will be advised of the identified shortcoming(s) so you may correct the deficiency before you launch your boat or leave the dock. If your boat is properly equipped, you will be awarded the current 2014 VSC decal to display on your vessel.

Display of the decal does not guarantee that you won't be boarded by the SCDNR officers or Sheriff's Marine Patrol. But, provided you don't remove any equipment, you will have peace of mind knowing that you have the required equipment in case of an emergency and you know where it is if you are boarded and inspected by a law enforcement officer.

The VSC takes about 20 – 30 minutes, depending upon the type and size of your vessel, and includes a check of your registration & decals, life jackets, throwable device & fire extinguisher, navigation lights & visual distress signals, and your sound producing device. If so equipped, the inspection will also include your ventilation system, backfire flame control, pollution placard and marine sanitation devices. Finally, the state and local requirements are reviewed and the overall vessel condition is observed and noted.

It's a great idea to have your inspection conducted early in the season because simple things like life jackets, navigation lights or sound producing signals that don't work can ruin an otherwise perfect day with possible fines or having to get towed back to your launch site after dark.

The United States Coast Guard recommends that all recreational boaters, including personal watercraft, take advantage of the VSC program every year. The Lake Murray Power Squadron offers free VSCs, conducted by specially trained inspectors. At a mutually convenient time, we will go to your marina, launch site or home and perform the inspection. You may contact me at ahyman3@bellsouth.net or (803)945-9100 to arrange an inspection in the Irmo/Chapin/Newberry area. You may also contact Lt/C Braxton Sorg at execofficer@IMPSONline.org and he will assist you with scheduling a VSE to inspect your vessel.

The Lake Murray Power Squadron is a unit of the United States Power Squadrons. We have three primary objectives: education, civic service and fraternal boating. The free VSC program is just one example of our education and civic service efforts. Anyone interested in boating is invited to enroll in our next basic ABC boating safety course scheduled for Saturday mornings, May 3 and May 10. You may also visit us on our website at www.IMPSONline.org or attend a meeting to learn more about our organization.

Submitted By: D/Lt/C Andy Hyman, SN – ACN Note: *In addition to serving as President of The Lake Murray Association, Andy also serves as the USPS District 26 Executive Officer and is a member and Past Commander of the Lake Murray Power Squadron. He is a Senior Navigator with an Advanced Coastal Navigation rating, a Vessel Safety Examiner and USCG Licensed Masters Captain.*



Lake Murray Safety Consortium Announcement

The Lake Murray Safety Consortium (LMSC) consists of various local organizations including The Lake Murray Association, the Coast Guard Auxiliary, the Lake Murray Power Squadron, Lake Tours, Inc. (the Southern Patriot), SCE&G and the various law enforcement agencies

that patrol and enforce state laws on Lake Murray. These agencies are the SC Department of Natural Resources and the Richland, Lexington, Newberry and Saluda County Sheriff's Departments. These core members have since been supported at different times by additional parties who have a vested interest in boating safety on Lake Murray.


The LMSC was started in June of 2010 after a series of tragic events that occurred on the night of May 1, 2010. On this particular evening and in two separate boating accidents that occurred within approximately 200 yards and 20 minutes of each other, four people were needlessly killed. Since that time, LMSC has worked through our partners to increase the awareness and need for boater education and laws that increase boater safety on Lake Murray and all of our state's waterways.

Boating safety is like a puzzle that is made up of many pieces. Those pieces include a strong law enforcement presence and enforcement of boating safety laws, but most important is individual education and awareness. Each year hundreds of lives are lost...thousands are injured...and millions of dollars of property damage occurs because of preventable recreational boating accidents on U.S. waterways. All too often, a simple pleasure outing on a family member's or friend's boat turns tragic due to neglect and/or a lack of knowledge due to failure to participate in safe boater education.

Boating safety, you see, works just like crime prevention in that law enforcement cannot do it alone! As the old adage goes, "It takes a village to raise a child." It also takes every stakeholder who uses our waterways and represents our citizens to help ensure boating safety. You, as a boat operator, a passenger, or a concerned citizen, can make a BIG difference! Get involved and make your voice heard. Take a safe boating class and become an educated, thus safer boater! Wear your life jacket and ensure your passengers do, too! Let your elected officials know that you support safe boating in South Carolina and that you want their support to ensure all of our boaters are educated and operating their boats in a safe and responsible manner! You can also become a member of The Lake Murray Association and join our movement to ensure Lake Murray and all of South Carolina's waterways are safe!

The 2014 National Safe Boating Week is May 17 - 23 and is the kick off for the boating season. To raise awareness to safe boating in all of South Carolina, the Lake Murray Safety Consortium will host a memorial service on May 17th to honor the 87 people who have died in boating related incidents in South Carolina from 2010 - 2013. These victim's families, local and state dignitaries, public safety officials, and citizens will be invited to attend. Additional details will be announced via local media and will be posted on the LMA website as we finalize the details. Please stay tuned to LMA's website at www.lakemurrayassociation.com for more information.

Submitted by: Lt. Mark A. McColman, Richland County Sheriff's Dept, Waterborne Operations and Incident Management Team
Note: In addition to Mark's responsibilities with the Richland County Sheriff's Department, he is also a member of the Board of Directors of The Lake Murray Association and serves as Chairman of LMA's Safety Committee.



**COAST GUARD AUXILIARY OFFERS
FREE VESSEL SAFETY CHECKS**

For a free vessel safety check by a U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary Vessel Examiner, contact Festus Burchfield at boatsafe@earthlink.net or 803-240-4830.



SEA TOW LAKE MURRAY

\$25 + \$25 = YEAR ROUND FUNDRAISING FOR LMA!

SAVE \$25 ON YOUR SEA TOW MEMBERSHIP SEA TOW DONATES \$25 TO LMA

* You **MUST** be a current LMA member, then join or renew your Sea Tow membership at the Lake Murray Sea Tow office **ONLY** or by calling us at **803-957-0664**. Upon joining or renewing Sea Tow your membership cost by is reduced by \$25 & we donate back \$25 to LMA, each year you renew with us.

Getting to Know Your New Corporate Sponsors

Custom Crafted Silhouettes

Custom Crafted Silhouettes is located in Chapin and was started in November 2012 as a partnership between Robin Thompson, owner of Palmetto Graphix, and Thomas "TC" Bowers, owner of Palmetto Fine Arts & Custom Frame Gallery. Robin has lived in Chapin since 1997 and has owned Palmetto Graphix since April 2009. TC Bowers is a lifelong resident of Newberry County and started Palmetto Fine Arts & Custom Frame Gallery in 2004.

Their silhouettes are created from the highest grade of birch using a carbon laser, and each one is sanded, stained, and finished all by hand, which enhances the wood's natural grain pattern during the finishing process. Each silhouette features the lake outline, an engraved compass, and interesting facts of the lake. Each one is mounted, framed under glass, and is a unique conversation piece to display in your home or office.

Silhouettes can be viewed online at www.Lake-Silhouettes.com or in person at Palmetto Fine Arts & Custom Frame Gallery, 107-A Virginia Street in Chapin. Contact TC Bowers at 803.932.0265 to request more information.

DOCK SIGNS

Our four County Sheriffs found years ago that having home addresses visible from the lake side of property helped with calls for assistance. If you have to call for help, having your address roadside and lakeside can save precious minutes. Dock signs are easy to order and are delivered to a location near you. For more information, check LMA's website: www.lakemurrayassociation.com.

A special property check is available if your business or residence borders Lake Murray. If you would like for the Sheriff's Patrol on Lake Murray to check your property while you are away, call 803-576-3000, or go on-line to: <http://www.rcsd.net/propertycheckform-lm.htm>.

GGE&C Services

LMA welcomes GGE&C Services as a new corporate sponsor. They specialize in shoreline refurbishment by barge or by land, stump removal, riprap, tree removal, beach sanding, land clearing, and electrical wiring for docks and boatlifts. Contact Chris Faust at 803-354-1830 to get more information. They have over 8 years' experience in their line of work. Chris has lived on or near the lake all his life and looks forward to helping keep our lake looking beautiful.

HealthSource Progressive Rehab™

HealthSource Progressive Rehab exclusively offers Progressive Rehab™, a process and system designed by HealthSource Physicians to eliminate pain, then fix or stabilize the injured area to keep you pain free and functioning at your best for years to come.

Progressive Rehab™ is the combination of precise chiropractic adjustments with pain relieving and stabilizing rehab therapies. This allows them to address the muscles, joints, and alignment in the same visit offering quick relief of pain and nerve pressure. "We believe our approach to be a natural painless way to help you get well and stay well" says Dr. Karen Carew.

You can contact Dr. Karen Carew at (803) 251-9079 to schedule a consultation to discuss your specific pains or injury, and see if HealthSource Progressive Rehab™ can help you!



PFDs CAN SAVE LIVES!



Like the Lake Murray Association on Facebook !

CORPORATE SPONSORS

The following businesses are affiliate members. Affiliate members are identified as sponsors of LMA since they directly support us with larger membership dues. We extend special thanks to our affiliate members. Let us support them in return.

Ameriprise Financial, Ryan Westmoreland	803-957-1912
Automated Business Services, Rick Jones	803-781-3033
Bio Gator, Wallace Hubbard	803-749-1140
Carts Plus, Ed Horton	803-359-5505
Chapin Boat Center, Greg Hood	803-537-9227
Custom Crafted Silhouettes, Robin Thompson & TC Bowers	803-932-0265
David's Fine Jewelry, Matthew Baughman	803-732-1235
First Citizens Bank, Ballentine, Rick Pascall	803-781-3414
GGE&C Services, Chris Faust	803-354-1830
Harbour Watch on Lake Murray, Phil Savage	803-920-1224
HealthSource Chiropractic & Progressive Rehab, Karen Carew	803-781-4092
Jakes Landing, Archie Trawick, Jr.	803-359-9268
Jesse T Reese Insurance, Larry Dodson & Tim Reese	803-799-9206
Kaminer Heating & Air, Inc. Woody Kaminer	803-772-9140
KazVantage Realty, Kaz Burnz	803-730-1462
Kelley-Moser Consulting, William Moser	803-808-0338
Lake Murray Boat Club, Jon Dukes	803-407-2828
Lake Murray Chamber of Commerce, Debra Lauer	803-356-2151
Lake Murray Cruises, "Spirit of Lake Murray", Ken Colton	803-730-3044
Lake Murray Marina, Tammy Wright	803-781-1585
Lake Murray Power Squadron, J Strohecker	803-767-2142
LakeMurrayTimes.com, Ann Head	803-422-5709
Lake Tours, Inc. "Southern Patriot", Jay Downs	803-749-8594
Lexington Chamber & Visitors Center, Melanie Sandor	803-359-6113
Liberty Mutual Insurance Company, Cheryl Watson	803-749-4064
Lighthouse Marina, Jason Lusk	803-749-1554
Medicine Mart Pharmacy, Gerald Culler	803-231-2003
Mid-Carolina Electric Cooperative, Inc., Eddie Richardson	803-749-6400
Morgan Stanley Smith Barney, Byron Williams	803-251-3285
Piling-Guard, John Rowley	704-860-7728
Pine Press Printing, Lori Harmon	803-359-9162
Pontoon Rentals & Tours, Ken Hardee	803-413-1693
Richland County Sheriff's Dept., Sheriff Leon Lott	803-576-3031
Rotary Club of Chapin, George McConnell, Jr.	803-345-2890
Russell & Jeffcoat, Barbara Seward	803-361-1254
Sam's Fine Wines & Spirits, Mark Murphy	803-808-1830
Sargeant Air Conditioning, Bob Thompson	803-520-6279
Sea Tow Lake Murray, John Altenberg	803-957-0664
Senior Express Transportation Services, David Smith	803-926-7933
Southern First Bank, Nancy Hutto	803-520-5390
South Shore Marina, LLC, Carl Sundius	803-532-4231
Spinner's Resort & Marina, Theresa LeJohn	803-532-5300
Swingtech International, Ralph Crafton	803-359-2880
Timberlake Country Club, Inc. Michael Kletter	803-345-9909
Wingard's Nursery, Delores Steinhauer	803-359-9091

IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS

Lake Level	800-830-5253
Lake Murray Information	803-217-8399
Dock Permits	803-217-9221
DNR Information	803-734-3888
Marine Office	803-951-2564
Richland County Sheriff's Office	803-576-3000
Lexington County Sheriff's Office	803-359-8230
Newberry County Sheriff's Office	803-321-2211
Saluda County Sheriff's Office	803-445-2112
Sea Tow Lake Murray	803-957-0664
SC Legislative Information	800-734-2145
DNR Nuisance Animals	800-922-5431
Lake Property Check	803-576-3000

OFFICERS and EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE:

Andy Hyman, President	803-932-7707
David Landis, Vice President	803-520-7509
Terry Crenshaw, Vice President	803-217-0647
Bill Mathias, Recording Secretary	803-957-5829
John Cross, Treasurer	803-892-5146
Jane Jameson, Administration	803-749-8051
Lee Barber, Past President	803-749-1841

COMMITTEE CHAIRPERSONS:

Environmental

Roy Parker, Chair 803-603-8988

Lake Level

Executive Committee 803-749-3888

LAKE≈LINK

Lucy Wingard, Editor 803-318-6267

LMA Funded Projects: Osprey Nests & Wind Socks

Vacant

Government Liaison

Eddie Richardson, Chair 803-892-4018

Bill Mathias 803-957-5829

Curtis Hipp 803-794-9012

Membership

Milton Moore, Chair 803-260-6080

Publicity

Barbara Burchfield 803-240-9264

Safety

Mark McColman, Chair 803-309-4784

Lee Barber 803-749-1841

Lucy Wingard 803-318-6267

Barbara Burchfield 803-240-9264

Andy Hyman 803-932-7707

Nominating Committee

Bill Mathias 803-957-5829

Dave Landis 803-520-7509

Special Events: Boat Show, Dock Signs, Tour of Homes,

Golf Tournament, and Ladies Day on the Lake

Don Tyler 803-932-4891

Web Site Manager

Dave Landis 803-520-7509



www.lakemurrayassociation.com

Help Preserve and Protect Lake Murray -
Please renew your membership!
Membership expiration is noted in the lower right of your mailing label.

NONPROFIT ORG
US Postage
PAID
Permit #1365
Columbia, SC

"The Voice of Lake Murray"
P.O. Box 495, Ballentine, SC 29002



Do you know neighbors,
friends, and lake users who
should belong to LMA?

Please pass this along and
encourage them to become a
member using the application
to the right.

**COLLECTIVE VOICES
MAKE A DIFFERENCE!**

Have you ever considered
serving Lake Murray by
volunteering with LMA?

Call or email us and explore
how you can help!
(803) 749-3888
lma@lakemurrayassociation.com

**Lake Murray Needs Your Voice!
Please Join The Lake Murray Association**

We are a 501(c)(3) tax exempt organization under IRS tax code. Your
membership fees and contributions may be tax-deductible on your tax returns.

New Renewal

Personal - \$25.00 # of immediate family within your residence _____

Affiliate - Business Sponsor - \$100.00

Name(s) _____
(Please, include spouse's name if family.)

Mailing Address _____

City _____ County _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ E-mail _____

Occupation _____ Spouse's _____

Lake Address (if property owned) _____

County _____ Residential Business Undeveloped

Membership fees are made payable to LMA and mailed to:

Lake Murray Association, P.O. Box 495, Ballentine, SC 29002

For your convenience, you may also go to www.lakemurrayassociation.com
and pay online using the credit card of your choice (Visa, MasterCard,
Discover or American Express) or your Pay Pal account.