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Lakeside—Lester Park
bi-monthly newsletter

Raising $ for Youth and Community

Relatively new to Lakeside is a way to support youth and community projects everyday—and to potentially win $. Pull-tabs are **available at Stokke's Liquor** store, 5631 E. Superior St. The funds raised from the pull tab operations goes to the Irving Community Club. Multiple other sites in town offer the pull-tabs. Twenty percent of the money goes back to the area where the tabs were purchased—to the schools, churches, and youth groups that submit a project/ need to the Club.

The funds support programs for youth 18 and under. Some of the funding goes to the City of Duluth. The funds have paid for K-9 officers, vests, and other equipment. Youth sports, like hocket, softball and Animal Allies have also received funds. If you would like to submit a request for funding go to the www.Irvingcommunityclub.com. Support is welcome to add to grow funds. Bingo (even designer-purse bingo), meat raffles, and more are fun ways to contribute. The club meets monthly to review requests. FMI 218-591-0899. More community support ahead.

$1, $2 or $3 tabs for sale. Open and see if you win.

Last year over $240,000 was raised in the community from pull-tabs. The $ supports youth, community and city programs.

Signs of the Past - 60th Ave. E.

To the left is a coffee mug from Joe's Community Market, 6002 E. Superior St. The location has been a market, bike store, and currently, apartments. Pictured below is the fuel station in the 1930s at 31 S. 60th Ave. E. It was built in 1886. Today (pictured in lower left) it is a residence with two antique gas dispensers and a black old-time air gauge in its front - remnants of its earlier days. Most residents and visitors take note of this building!

9 years

This issue marks the 9th anniversary for the newsletter. Good to share news and announcement and learn more about Lakeside.

Which year (and day) did the **Bridgeman's Restaurant** in Lakeside at 4701 E. Superior, burn in a fire?
See answer on page 6.

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Sept 14
Please Submit Ads & News by the deadline

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McCulloch Street Musings

from the Editor

FLYING BY FAST. That's the way summer goes. It's also the planes that were here during the Duluth Air Show. In Lakeside and other parts of Duluth also had the smaller plane flying low above houses to spray pheromones for gypsy moths.

.Do you have A/C in your home? In your car? This summer has been a good one to use A/C. Or a way to cool off is heading to water—Lake Superior or streams. A few pools are around too or the hose works well. My husband and I swam several times off the shore in Lakeside.

We also swam in Port Wing, WI with clear water, soft sand and beautiful sandstone edge to the bay. It was Lake Superior Day-celebrate the lake. We attended a tour of their local cemetery and learned about past fishermen in the early days on the Lake.

This summer I spotted a bear in front of Duluth Congregational Church getting ready to cross Superior St. It had been years since I saw a bear in town. On that same day we were headed up to Orr to the Vince Shutte Bear Sanctuary and saw 25+ bears there.

We did our first airplane flight since covid and headed to Georgia visiting family and many cultural and natural spots and made it to Duluth, GA.

I hope you've been enjoying the summer time—live outdoor music (more ahead), cooking or dining outside, gardening (watering was definitely needed).

Libraries have reopened to go in and more events—indoors and outdoors—are happening.

I have a new membership to the Great Lakes Aquarium and it's been fun to learn, observe, and keep cool there. Soon it's back to school. Some students are heading to school for their first days. Do you remember your first days at school? Or your favorite grade school teacher? Thank you teachers.

Share a High Five story or Lakeside happenings photos with me to share with others. Perhaps I'll see you at the Lester River Rendezvous.

Your neighbor, *Wendy*

The editor attended a fish boil on Lake Superior Day in Port Wing, WI. A little butter was added to the fish and potatoes… On the Saturday of Labor Day weekend Port Wing hosts an annual Fish Boil. The annual event began in 1958.

Up North Excursion day trips and Local Art & Gift Fairs by WendyUpNorth are back!
See the day trip list on page 7.
Woman-Made was held July 24.
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Renewing? *U-**betcha*** ***Nope, I'm new*** ***Years in Lakeside*** _____

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***If you don't want to cut this slip out**—just enclose your name and info on a piece of paper.*

Look at Lakeside celebrates 9th anniversary

Thank you new and returning subscribers and advertisers

Kubb in the Parks

Lake Superior Kubb (pronounced as "kube") seeks to expand the kubb community across the Twin Ports and surrounding regions. They host events, private learning sessions and introduce kubb in schools. They provide opportunities through Kubb in the Park, Leagues, and tournaments. There is also wintertime kubb. FMI See their website: lakesuperiorkubb.com and go to their Facebook page.

Every other Tuesday night at 6 p.m. during the summer is ***Kubb in the Park.*** *Lester Park is one of the locations. No experience necessary. Suited for all ages and skill levels.*

What is kubb?

A lawn game where the objective is to knock over wooden blocks by throwing wooden batons. It can be described as a combination of bowling and horseshoes/bocce. Viking origin.

Catch a Festival or Tour

Aug 7 Monarch Waystation Garden Tour Go to the First United Methodist Church east parking lot, 230 E. Skyling Parkway between 9:30 and 10a.m. Purchase a tour brochure for $10 per vehicle. Tour the waystations from 10am-2 p.m.

Aug 14 Gitche Gumee Agate Festival
10 a.m.-2 p.m. Stone vendors, silent auction, food vendors. Duluth MakerSpace, 3001 W. Superior St.

Sept 17-19 Hawk Ridge Weekend
field trips, hikes, programs.
hawkridge.org If you have a group that's interested in learning more about migration at Hawk Ridge contact Margie at 218-428-8722

Sept 25 Lester River Rendezvous
10 a.m. –5 p.m. Lester Park
Vendors. Voyageur village. Food. Music. Education days will be held for students on the Thursday and Friday before the fest.

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8/4, 8/11, 8/18, 8/25 **Concerts on the Pier**, Glensheen
(Wednesdays) 7 p.m.

8/5, 8/12
(Thursdays)
City Sounds
Big Band Concerts 6-7 p.m.
Main Library plaza.
Held rain or shine.

8/5, 8/12, 8/19, 8/25 **Beergarden** at the Great Lakes Aquarium
5-8 p.m. Thursdays. Beers, wine and local non-alcoholic options. Weekly performances by the **Duluth Superior Symphony Orchestra** and rotating selection of food trucks and other local vendors.

DID YA' KNOW? The S.S. Meteor whaleback ship in Superior, now a museum on Barkers Island, was designed by Captain Alexander McDougall and built in Superior during the summer of 1896. She was originally launched as the Frank Rockefeller.
It's her 125th birthday this summer!

Full Moon
Aug 22
Sept 20

The Lakeside Lester Park Community Club is open weekdays 2:15 –6:30 p.m. for youth.
A **rummage sale** fundraiser is planned for Oct 1,2,3,9, and 10.
If you have items to donate, call the club 525-0845

VOLUNTEER OPPS

Duluth Aging Support is a new information hub for seniors. A **resource directory** has been compiled of care education, arts and entertainment, caregiver support and more. Older adult **mentors** are wanted to be matched with college students. 722-3600

Animal Allies has re-opened volunteer training. Be a cat buddy, dog buddy, animal handler, enrichment volunteer, foster volunteer. Email volunteer@animalallies.net

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Known cases (actual is likely higher)
..in St. Louis Co. 18,176
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Monarch Waystations

Monarch Waystations are gardens certified by Monarch Watch (MW), a national nonprofit education, conservation and research program at the University of Kansas. Their focus is on the Monarch butterfly, its habitat and spectacular fall migration. (Other pollinators also benefit!) MW certifies sites across the US. Sites can be at a business, home, school, city park, and other locations. The sites don't need to be large. The MW website has a monarch tagging program that was founded in 1992. Find out more:

Monarchwatch.org

There are 78 waystations in Duluth and 20 in Lakeside (as of April). Two are on the Lakewalk, one at Washington Square Park (signs not yet posted), a few schools and the rest are residential.

The number of waystations are increasing as people plant plants that are beneficial to monarchs and pollinators. Local contact: duluthmonarchbuddies@gmail.com or 218-213-5056.

↑ Milkweed = ↑ Monarchs

Color the Monarch above.
Plant native plants to have more color in your yard and bring in more pollinators.
How many Monarchs and other butterflies did you see this summer? Could you find the caterpillars? Chrysalides are pretty hard to find!

> You can't go back and change the beginning, but you can start where you are and change the ending.
>
> -C.S. Lewis

ELECTION DATES 2021

PRIMARY AUG 10
GENERAL ELECTION NOV 2
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Is Portman open again?

Yes.

Meet **Abby** the new City of Duluth Park Recreation Specialist and contact for senior programming. Activities at Portman include **Bridge** on Mondays, **MahJong** on Wednesdays. Meals (AEOA) will return if there are at least 15 orders. If you have an idea for an Activity Club for 55+ age group Portman could be the hub for hosting the meetings. FMI call 730-4300. Senior programs info is at duluthmn.gov/parks/program-events/senior-programs.

PARKING PERMIT REQUIRED: When school is in session, permit parking goes in effect near Duluth East. Residents and guests vehicles are required to display permit to park on streets near the school during school days.

Answer to question on front page. 1988 May 7
Many people comment they miss the restaurant!

The **One Book One Minnesota** book selection for this year is *The Nickel Boys* by Colson Whitehead. Video: Colson Whitehead Scripps interview at duluthlibrary.org. Monthly book clubs through the library.

Dial-a-Story 218-626-6500

Neighborhood Night Out

1st Tuesday of August

Get to know your neighbors. Keep neighborhoods safe. Share photos of this event on the **Look at Lakeside Facebook page**.

FOOD RESOURCES **Ruby's Pantry** is a food share program. Pay $20 and receive much more in groceries. 3rd Thursday, Coppertop Church. Additional locations & dates Call 651.674.0009.

More food resources @Vineyard Church, UnitedWay211, Chum

Have a great summer!
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Meet a Neighbor

Peter Froehlingsdorf

Upcoming Shows: ***DaddyLong Legs***, Renegade Theater. See ad on page 3.
Freaky Friday, Duluth East (October)

Peter grew up in Virginia, Minnesota. He is a "ranger", however he has traveled extensively in Europe and lived abroad as well. He spent 4 years in Helsinki, Finland teaching at an International School. Two of those years were on a Fullbright scholarship. While living in Virginia, he participated in the HS theater program, Mesabi Community College Theater program, and directed at a local school nearby. He has been acting / directing theater in the states and several productions abroad over the past 30 years.

The majority of his theatrical experience has been right here in Lakeside at Ordean Middle School and now Duluth East High School. He started a middle school program at Ordean Middle School which he was a part of for 15 years. Then he moved over to East High School and has been part of that theater program for 6 years.

The past 5 years he has also been directing at Renegade Theater in the Zeitgeist building. DaddyLongLegs is coming up and is the first show since Covid came.

It is hard to say that there is one thing that is great about living in the Lakeside community. [ ].. more quiet and dog friendly compared to where we lived before. We have everything we need right out our front door, from literally "nuts and bolts" to soup and auto mechanics.

Peter has many years of theatrical experience in Lakeside.

He also teaches grade 6 science and has a few extra gigs, like working at Bellisio's.

He has been living in the Lakeside neighborhood for 5 years. He has two dogs and spends a lot of time walking them in the neighborhood. Peter values the great local trails and being very close to the Lester. Another fantastic feature about living in Lakeside is the local businesses. He loves his dogs, enjoys gardens in the summer, going to the theater and traveling whenever possible.

During Covid, like everyone else, people kept apart as much as possible. He went into school almost every day even though his classroom was not filled with students, it was important to keep a regular schedule. Duluth East managed to produce three shows even during the pandemic. Last winter a zoom production for the Minnesota State High School one act competition was held and Duluth East students placed 3rd in our district. Everyone is very proud of the student actors and production team for their creativity!

—WG, LAL

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TIME BY THE LAKE We love to look at the lake—in its myriads of colors and moods. But, have you sat down by the lake and dipped your toes in? How many stones have you tossed in? Have you walked across the mouth of Lester River? It's easy to do this time of year. By the way, the swimming near the mouth is relatively warm as it spills into the Lake. Take time to be by THIS neighborhood "home" to our eco-neighbors.

How many miles did you walk this summer?

Brian has walked over 300 miles in Lakeside since April!

Top Walker!

Brian Prudhomme goes on many walks in Lakeside from April through October. He started walking after seeing a photo of himself looking a bit larger around the waist than he thought he was. During Covid19 his work ended for about 5 months and he chose to use the time to walk more. He's back working but still fits walks in early or late in the day. He tracks the steps using an app and walks 2 to 6 miles almost daily. By the way, you might recognize this Lakeside guy (he grew up in Lakeside, too) by his voice as he does the public address for sports at Duluth East and the College of CSS. He also is a radio broadcast announcer for The Northland Sports Page on Saturday mornings on Fan106.5FM.

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