

## Welcome to Summer 2018!

Here's your Spring **MPCA Newsletter** and some **VERY IMPORTANT NEWS** ... see notes on Annual Meeting below! The Camper's Association hopes you had a good winter and are looking forward to this year's season on the Pond ... starting with:

**THE ANNUAL 4<sup>TH</sup>. OF JULY BOAT PARADE** – Saturday, June 30<sup>th</sup>. at 4PM starting from the Willey's dock. Contact Judith Willey at: [judithwilleylane@gmail.com](mailto:judithwilleylane@gmail.com) (Rain Date – Sunday, July 1<sup>st</sup>. at 11AM.)

**ANNUAL MPCA MEETING** – Saturday, July 7<sup>th</sup>, 3:30PM, at the Pavilion  
(An Agenda will be posted online at [milespond.com](http://milespond.com) and available at each Pavilion table.)

Our **Guest Speaker** will be **Cynthia Stuart, Concord's Zoning and Planning Board Chairperson**. She is “ .. excited to share with us information about a movement to promote recreation tourism and businesses in Concord including **potential renovations of the Miles Pond Pavilion in 2019.**” This is our opportunity to **hear and be heard** on issues that will impact our pond experience into the future. **PLEASE attend the meeting** and encourage your neighbors - whether MPCA members or not – to attend as well. **THIS IS IMPORTANT TO ALL OF US!**

In anticipation of a thorough presentation from Cynthia and a spirited discussion, we will ask the membership to table review and approval of the **2017 Minutes and 2018 Treas. Report** until the end of the meeting. Both reports will be available at each table and online at the MPCA website. Please take advantage of these options to read through the reports prior to discussing them.

**Other Business: Board Make-up** – There will be at least one Board opening to be filled; please consider nominees in advance who will be pro-active and willing to take on a Board task – i.e. Membership, Website Development, Activities, etc.

**Loon Report** – Sharlene Corliss

**Greeter Program/Aquatic Nuisance Monitoring** – Nancy Darrah, Bob Briggaman (Please see written report online at [MilesPond.com](http://MilesPond.com))

**Boat Parade Prizes** – Judith Willey

**CHICKEN BAR-B-CUE** – Following the meeting at 5:30PM. Plates, utensils and napkins will be provided. Please plan to bring your own beverages ... and a side dish to share - if convenient - would be greatly appreciated. If you're an A-M kindly provide an easy hors d'oeuvre (for the earlier meeting would be terrific); if you're an N-Z, a dessert.

**ENTERTAINMENT** – Get down with “Raised on Radio” from 7 to 11PM, followed by ????

**THANK YOU** for supporting the MPCA; your \$25.00 dues may be mailed to: Peter Silveria, 26 Congdon Ave., Newport, RI 02840 or brought to the meeting. **The well-being and future of Miles Pond is dependent on input and involvement ... yours is GREATLY appreciated.**

**The MPCA Board:** Gennie Lawrence, Chair; Ben Favazza, Joel Fitzgerald, Dave Richardson,  
Mary Jane Russell, Judith Willey (with thanks to Kathryn LaFerriere)