

JANUARY 2019 NEWSLETTER FROM WASA LAKE LAND IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT



Photo by Nowell Berg

Dear Property-owners: Happy New Year! May 2019 bring you happiness and good health!

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING APRIL 11 2019

Thursday, **April 11 at 7:00 PM** is the date set for our Annual General Meeting. It will be held at the Wasa Community Hall. The AGM is an opportunity for the trustees to report on the activities of the past year and for property-owners to comment and ask questions. Everyone is invited to attend and more information will be available closer to the date.

DANGER THIN ICE!

There are areas on the lake that are more prone than others to thin ice, particularly when the ice is first formed and when it starts to melt in the spring. There has already been at least one incident where skaters have fallen through the ice. Sources say there are several springs flowing into the lake that contribute to soft ice. Please know where you are going and be very cautious!

FIRESMART COMMUNITY ASSESSMENT REPORT

The Improvement District is not directly involved with the Wasa Volunteer Fire Prevention and Suppression initiative (WVFPS), but the board does support the concept. Last fall, a Firesmart consultant was hired through a Columbia Basin Trust grant to create a Community Assessment Report for Wasa. The report includes a wildfire hazard assessment of the surrounding area, and outlines more specific trouble spots on individual properties. Most importantly, it says what individuals and the whole community can do to reduce wildfire hazard on both private and public property. The report is posted on the Wasa Community Facebook page and our homepage at www.wasalake.ca

The WVFPS is currently busy gathering a contact list of people so they can create a phone tree call-out system in the event of fire. If you are interested in being on this list, or helping in any way, please email waterer@shaw.ca

The next regular board meeting will be held **February 18th at 7 PM** at the Wasa Community Hall. Everyone is welcome to attend but because last minute changes do sometimes occur, please check the website www.wasalake.ca to confirm the schedule and download the agenda. If you wish to address the board, please notify the secretary at admin@wasalake.ca

Keep your lines tight!

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Please contact the secretary at admin@wasalake.ca with any questions or concerns.

