

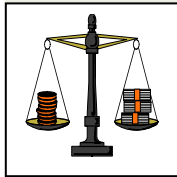


**HAPPY  
NEW YEAR  
2007**

WINTER 2007



**JANUARY ACTIVITIES**  
**BOARD MEETING –**  
**JANUARY 30th**



**FEBRUARY ACTIVITIES**  
**AUDIT OF BOOKS –**  
**FEBRUARY 3<sup>RD</sup>**  
**WOMEN'S AUXILIARY MEETING**  
**FEBRUARY 13**



# Lake Oakland Heights Association

**PROMOTING FUN AND A COMMUNITY SPIRIT**

## DETAILS ABOUT WHAT'S GOING ON THIS WINTER?

### BOARD MEETING

Tuesday, January 30, 2007 at 7:00pm at the home of Carolyn Bree

TREASURER'S AUDIT – Saturday, February 3, 2007 at 10:30am at the home of Kevin Hawkins

### WOMEN'S AUXILIARY MEETING

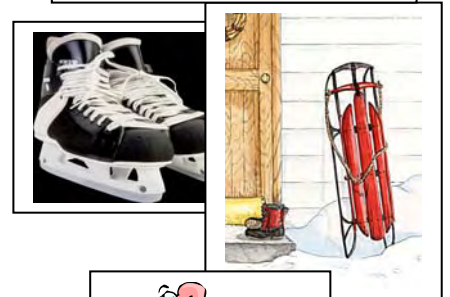
Tuesday, February 13, 2007 - Call Pam Pope (673-1802) for more information.

ICE SKATING down at the lake, weather permitting

SNOWMOBILING on the lake, weather permitting

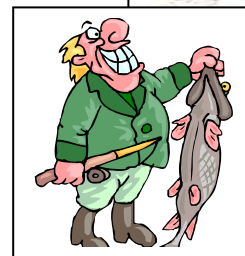
ICE FISHING on the lake, weather permitting

SNOW SHOVELING, BLOWING, PLOWING, weather permitting



## WHO ARE THE PEOPLE IN YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD?

Ken and Bernice Matheis who live on Aquarina have lived there for 36 years and have been married for 50 years. They own HANK'S FLY FISHING UNLIMITED, with stores in Lake Orion and Novi. If you stop in and mention this article you will receive a gift certificate for 20% off. They are online at [www.flyfishmart.com](http://www.flyfishmart.com).



### **WINNERS OF THE CHRISTMAS DECORATING CONTEST**

**BEST WINDOW –**  
Fred & Wendy Koppen  
on Aquarina

**BEST YARD DISPLAY –**  
Ken & Bernice Matheis  
on Aquarina

**BEST OVERALL –**  
Robert Flury on Shoals

### **2007 BOARD MEMBERS**

President: Kevin Hawkins  
Vice-president: Cliff Miller  
Secretary: Carolyn Bree  
Treasurer: Gordon Woolslayer  
Boating: Lewis Tiernan  
Expeditor: Tom Schulz  
Legal: Carol Leonard  
Promotional: Sue Miller  
Safety: Dan King  
Social: Mary Hawkins

### **LAKE OAKLAND HEIGHTS PARK ASSOCIATION WOMEN'S AUXILIARY PURPOSES**

1. To promote the growth and betterment of the Lake Oakland Heights Park Association
2. To promote social, cultural and educational interest
3. To stimulate interest in, and contribute to, community affairs.

NEWS FROM THE OFFICE OF  
STATE REPRESENTATIVE FRAN AMOS

UNIVERSAL SKI PASS

Michigan offers a wealth of wonderful ski and ride choices. The Michigan gold Card allows snow sports enthusiasts to slide, ride or stride at more than a dozen of Michigan's finest ski centers. Its use is not restricted by blackout dates. It's great for skiers and skiing families. A portion of the cost is tax deductible. Proceeds from sales support the U.S. National Ski Hall of Fame and Museum. At \$1,000.00 each, the cards afford great opportunities throughout the state. Get a Gold Card online at <http://www.skihall.com/goldcard.asp>.

POSSIBLE GIFT CARD FRAUD

Prepaid gift cards have the potential fraud. Gift cards on open display near checkout counters can be a target for crooks. The crook writes down the numbers visible on cards and waits a few days, assuming the cards will be sold. The crook then logs onto the company's web site and tries to make a purchase using the number of the card. If the purchase goes through, the scammer has the merchandise shipped to a safe location where it can't be traced to him/her. The recipient of the gift card discovers that the card is useless. To avoid the problem buy gift cards that do not have numbers in full public display. Use cards with "PIN" numbers on the back, which must be rubbed off. If the PIN number hasn't been rubbed off, a thief cannot steal the card's value. Inspect cards before you buy and be sure that the PIN number on the back has not been tampered. Keep your receipt with the gift card. If you discover that someone has gained its value, return to the store and explain what happened. Some retailers will accept your word and replace the card, although not obligated.

MICHIGAN OFFICE OF SERVICES TO THE AGING

This office also known as OSA is the designated state agency focusing on Michigan's older adults. It operates under the authority of the Older Americans Act and the Older Michiganians Act. The agency is under the leadership of Sharon Gire, M.S.W., former state legislator and Michigan School Board member. OSA's mission is to promote independence and enhance the dignity of Michigan's older persons and their families. The agency works to 1) improve the health & nutrition of older adults, 2) improve access to information and services for older adults and their caregivers, 3) promote financial independence and safeguard the economic security of vulnerable older adults, 4) protect seniors from abuse and exploitation and 5) extend the time that elderly citizens are able to remain in their homes. You can contact OSA at 517-373-8230 or at [www.MiSeniors.net](http://www.MiSeniors.net).



**THANKS TO ALL OF THE LOHA BOARD MEMBERS WHO SERVED IN 2005-06**

President – Cliff Miller  
Vice-President – Ann Baker / Kevin Hawkins  
Secretary – Carolyn Bree  
Treasurer – Mary Hawkins  
Boating Director – Lewis Tiernan  
Expeditor – Tom Schulz  
Legal – Carol Leonard  
Promotional – Sue Miller  
Recreational – Judy Vickers  
Safety – Dan King  
Social – Pam Pope

**SERVICES AVAILABLE THROUGH MEMBERS OF LOHA**

Cliff Miller – scissors, knife, mower blade sharpening (673-8346)  
Carol Leonard – your neighborhood Town and County Real Estate agent (420-7957)  
Darryl Moore – DVD shows made from photos or slides (673-5347)  
Carolyn Andrews – babysitting (674-4303)  
Roland Jakel – pick-up and disposal of items (673-5940)  
Add you name here.

*Representative Fran Amos' e-mail address is [franamos@house.mi.gov](mailto:franamos@house.mi.gov). Her toll free phone number in Lansing is 866-512-2667. The address is P.O. Box 30014, Lansing, MI 48909. The website for "Amos in Action" is [www.gophouse.com/amos.htm](http://www.gophouse.com/amos.htm).*

*We want your input.* Please call Carolyn Bree at 248-673-5347 to have something put in the newsletter.