



LANIER OUTLOOK

The LLA Newsletter



LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT

As we head into the heart of another busy summer season on Lake Lanier, I am reminded of just how much we have already accomplished together in 2026. The first half of the year has been filled with meaningful engagement, advocacy, and community involvement, all focused on protecting and preserving the lake we love.

We kicked off the year with a strong presence at the Boat Show at Lanier Islands, where we had the opportunity to connect with boaters, lake enthusiasts, and potential new members. We also held our Annual Membership Celebration (AMC), bringing together people who share our commitment to Lake Lanier's future. The AMC is always one of my favorite events as it kicks off the summer season while celebrating and thanking you, our members! Additionally we have held two Members' Only 'Lunch and Learns', where local experts spoke to packed houses at the Lake Lanier Association office in Gainesville.

Advocacy remains at the core of our mission, and this year we have already met twice with the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers to

Kickoff to Summer 2026

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discuss important issues impacting the lake and its users. These meetings ensure that the voice of our membership is heard and that we continue to be an effective advocate for responsible lake management and stewardship.

Community outreach has also been a major focus. We were proud to represent the Association through tabling events at the Gainesville Marina Tenant Appreciation Day and WaterFest, hosted by Chattahoochee Riverkeeper. These events provide valuable opportunities to engage directly with lake users, share our mission, and build support for the work we do year-round.

This newsletter also contains updates on several important initiatives. You will find information about the Dock Builder's Pledge, an effort designed to encourage responsible shoreline development and construction practices that help protect the health and beauty of Lake Lanier. We are also providing updates regarding ACFS dredging activities and current lake level conditions — topics that continue to be of great interest and importance to our members and the broader lake community.

We are also grateful for the organizations and events that have chosen to support the Lake Lanier Association this year. LLA is honored to be a primary beneficiary of both Concerts for a Cause at Lanier Islands and the Poker Run. These partnerships not only provide valuable financial support but also help increase awareness of our mission throughout the Lake Lanier community. We extend our sincere thanks to the organizers, sponsors, participants, and volunteers who make these events possible.

Looking ahead, we are especially excited about our upcoming 60th Anniversary Gala this November. This milestone event will give us an opportunity to celebrate six decades of accomplishments, recognize the many individuals who have contributed to our success, and most importantly, discuss how we can ensure our mission lives on for the next 60 years. I hope you will join us as we reflect on our history and chart a course for the future.

None of this work happens by accident. Every meeting attended, every program advanced, every advocacy effort undertaken, and every improvement made to Lake Lanier is possible because of you. All this wouldn't be possible without your support. Your membership, volunteerism, donations, and commitment to our mission provide the foundation that allows the LLA to continue serving as a trusted voice for the lake. Together, we are preserving, protecting, and enhancing Lake Lanier - keeping it Clean, Full, and Safe for future generations.



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LAKE LANIER ASSOCIATION 2026 Annual Member Celebration



EVENT RECAP BY CALEIGH REDDING

We had a blast celebrating our members and all that they do for the LLA at the 2026 Annual Member Celebration! More than 400 attendees came out to enjoy the sunshine, celebrate our mission, and kick off lake season together. We enjoyed seeing familiar faces, and meeting new ones too!

The LLA would like to extend a heartfelt thank you to the many people and organizations who helped make this event not only possible, but memorable and fun for all. A special thank you goes to the Pig Tales team for helping bring the event to life from start to finish. The lawn and loop behind the restaurant created the perfect lakeside setting for the celebration, and the delicious food and drinks from Pig Tales, Fish Tales, and Aqua Terra was truly the cherry on top.

Thank you to Nothing Bundt Cakes for satisfying everyone's sweet tooth with hundreds of donated mini Bundt cakes. Special thanks also to Another Shot Band for keeping the crowd grooving into the evening with their music.

Several of our business sponsors and community partners were able to showcase their products and services and connect with attendees. Last, but certainly not least, a very special thank you to Sheila Davis Group, the Signature Sponsor of the 2026 Annual Member Celebration.

Attendees heard from LLA staff and board members about our 2026 program goals, volunteer opportunities, and funding needs. All in attendance received a special LLA 60th Anniversary T-shirt so they can proudly represent LLA all year long. We couldn't have asked for a better day!



EVENT SPONSORS Annual Member Celebration



SPECIAL THANKS TO OUR EVENT SPONSORS!

BRUCE LONGMORE

2025 Charlie Spencer Award Recipient

The LLA would like to congratulate Bruce Longmore on receiving the Charlie Spencer Award! He has been a dedicated volunteer in the Lake Lanier community for many years. Longmore owns Lenny's Subs in Cumming, and has generously provided hundreds of meals in support of LLA's educational Lunch and Learn events, and many other non-profit endeavors.



When establishing the Volunteer of the Year award in 2023, LLA decided to name this award in Charlie Spencer's honor. Charlie was an integral part of the Lake Lanier community and always offered to help out at Shore Sweep or was quick to help when a fellow boater was in need. Many people talk about the work that needs to be done – Bruce actually does it and supports others in their efforts. His contributions make a lasting impact on the Lanier community, much like the life of Charlie Spencer. The LLA believes Charlie would be so proud to see Bruce honored in his memory. They both have facilitated and inspired change around the lake we love. You can learn more about the life and impact of Charlie Spencer on the LLA website, lakelanier.org/remembering-charlie-spencer/. Special thanks to Charlie Spencer's parents, Chuck and Mary Alice, for supporting LLA at the 2026 Annual Member Celebration.

Bruce was formally presented the award at the May Lunch & Learn event at the LLA office.

SHEILA DAVIS GROUP

2025 Val Perry Award Recipient

The Sheila Davis Group has provided many years of support and service to the association, from sponsoring the Annual Member Celebration for the past nine years, to being a superstar Shore Sweep captain at Gainesville Marina year after year.

This accolade was named in honor of the beloved Val Perry, who passed away in early 2024. Val served on the LLA Board of Directors from 1999 to 2016, first as Executive Vice-President under our Founder, Jackie Joseph, and later as President.



More photos from the event can be found on the LLA Facebook and Instagram. If you have photos from the event you'd like to share, please email them to us at lakeinfo@lakelanier.org. **We were thrilled to see so many of you at the 2026 Annual Member Celebration and can't wait to see you at the next one!**

LLA Safety Programs Update



Solar Lights

Lake Lanier Association's spring survey identified approximately 75 solar navigation lights that are currently inoperative. While we would certainly like that number to be lower, it also means that roughly 225 of the lake's 300 solar lights - about 75% - are continuing to operate as designed and provide valuable guidance to night-time boaters.

The Association has replacement lights in inventory, and our contractor is prepared to begin repairs. However, unusually low lake levels have created significant challenges for many of the needed replacements. In some locations, water levels have dropped so dramatically that light poles now stand as much as 20 feet above the water's surface. Because the lights must be installed from the top of the poles, many repairs simply cannot be completed safely or efficiently. While some lights are being repaired currently, full refurbishment is not possible until water levels rise.

There is, however, one unintended benefit to the current conditions. The lower lake levels have exposed numerous shoals, rock ledges, stumps, and other hazards that are typically submerged. While these hazards remain a concern, their visibility provides boaters with a unique opportunity to identify and become familiar with areas that may present navigation challenges when normal lake levels return.

As we move into the busy summer boating season, we encourage everyone to exercise extra caution on the water. Lower lake levels can change familiar navigation routes and create conditions that require additional attention and prudence.

Safety remains one of our highest priorities. We will continue to monitor conditions closely and will replace inoperative solar lights as quickly as possible once water levels allow safe access for installation crews.



Life Jacket Loaner Stations

LLA's Life Jacket Loaner Stations are open for the 2026 season! Heading to the lake but forgot your life jacket? Stop by a Life Jacket Loaner Station and borrow one. Life jackets are available in infant, child, youth, and adult sizes. Please use and return!

Special thanks to our volunteers who help LLA monitor these stations on a weekly basis during peak lake season:

- **Charleston Park** - Al Petrangeli
- **Lake Lanier Olympic Park** - Danny Smith
- **Laurel Park** - Danny Smith
- **Mary Alice Park Beach** (4 stations at this location) - Doug Meredith
- **River Forks Park** - Teresa and Bert Stanfield
- **Shady Grove** - Rhae Asper
- **Shoal Creek Campground** - Bonny Putney
- **Wahoo Creek Park** - Danny Smith
- **Young Deer Park** - Rhae Asper

LLA Life Jacket Donation

In response to the disbanding of Friends of Lake Lanier, the Lake Lanier Association donated 150 life jackets to the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers to support its Life Jacket Loaner Station program. The donated life jackets will be distributed among loaner stations at 36 USACE parks around the lake, separate from LLA's 12 stations and helping visitors stay safe while enjoying the water. As a result, every Lake Lanier park with a swim beach will now have life jacket coverage.



Call for Donations: Infant Life Jackets

The LLA is launching an Infant Life Jacket Drive with the goal of collecting 70 new U.S. Coast Guard-approved infant life jackets by June 30th. These life jackets will help fill a critical need for properly fitting flotation devices for our youngest lake visitors. Just one donated infant life jacket can help protect countless children throughout the boating season as families borrow and return courtesy life jackets from any of our 12 loaner stations located around the lake. In addition, we hope to donate a portion of the infant life jackets collected to the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers for use at their life jacket loaner stations, extending the reach of this important safety program throughout the Lake Lanier community.

COLLECTION BIN LOCATIONS:

- LLA Office
- Milton Martin Honda
- WaterSports Central
- Lennys Grill & Subs (Cumming)
- City of Dawsonville
- Dawson County Parks & Rec

Concerts for a Cause Lanier Islands Resort



This summer, **Peachtree Pointe Amphitheater** at **Lanier Islands Resort** will host monthly concerts benefiting **Georgia Mountain Food Bank** and **Lake Lanier Association**. Tickets are just \$15 per person for a fun, music-filled summer evening.

“We’re very proud to support the Lake Lanier Association during its 60th anniversary,” said Matthew Bowling, President of Lanier Islands Resort. “Their work to keep Lake Lanier clean, full, and safe is critical to the future of our region, and we are committed to supporting their efforts.”

Dates & Lineup

Sunday, July 5 – Nashville, TN-based *Lost in Paradise: A Tribute to Jimmy Buffett*

Saturday, August 22 – Boca Raton, FL-based *The Long Run: America’s Favorite Tribute to The Eagles*

Sunday, September 6 – Atlanta, GA-based *Rumors ATL: A Fleetwood Mac Tribute*

Tickets are available now! Visit lakelanier.org/events/ for more information!



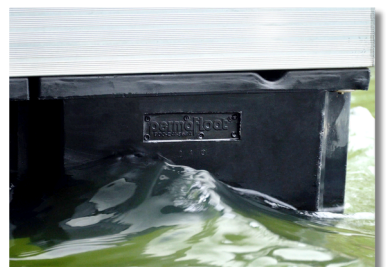
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New Initiative Underway

Introducing the Dock Builder's Pledge



For 60 years, the Lake Lanier Association (LLA) has been seeking to protect the quality, quantity, and safety of Lake Lanier through education, action, and advocacy.

For the past 37 years, that effort has included the annual **Shore Sweep cleanup**, the largest single day lake clean up event every year in the U.S. This past year, thanks to over 1,200 volunteers and record participation from the quality dock builders on Lanier, **a record 128 tons of trash** and debris was removed from the lake.

As impressive and gratifying as record numbers may be, the straightforward fact is most of that tonnage comes from improperly discarded docks and dock materials. Floats, frames, boards, ports, dock-boxes, even entire docks, improperly and illegally left behind, or left to fall apart by neglect. **The total count of abandoned floats is in the hundreds year after year.**

In 2014, the LLA created the **Abandoned and Derelict Docks and Vessels (ADDV) Team**. The team is composed of representatives from LLA, Georgia DNR, USACE Lake Lanier Management Office, the Hall County Solicitors Office, and the Forsyth County Solicitors Office. This collaborative ADDV Team is able to approach the issue through multiple facets to reduce the number of dumpings. Even with our working with all those agencies in that manner, we still have year over year records being set during Shore Sweep.

Lake Lanier Homeowners:

We are asking for your help by accepting responsibility for the proper disposal of any and every item associated with your dock. From an individual float to the entire structure, ensure confirmation that it was properly disposed of by an accountable dock company. In that regard, we believe we have some of the highest quality dock companies in the U.S. right here on Lake Lanier. Many of them are sponsors and supporters of the LLA and help with Shore Sweep. These dock companies are on board with our Dock Builders Pledge. Please identify and use them. They have all agreed to legally and properly dispose of all those materials.

Lake Lanier residents should understand you are legally responsible for the proper disposal of derelict docks, boats, floats, and other related items. For your own protection, you should require whomever you hire to provide document proof all items have been properly disposed of. Should a company improperly handle your dock or items, the responsibility still comes back to the homeowner and puts your permit in jeopardy.

While the LLA has no enforcement authority over companies and individuals who abandon docks, floats, or vessels on the lake, by monitoring repair and removal activities, we hope to identify transgressors, remove them from our list, and report them to the proper authorities. **Let's work together to eliminate the abandoning of derelict docks and floats on Lake Lanier.**



Last September, the LLA met with several of the Lake Lanier dock builders to strategize how to ensure a smooth and effective Shore Sweep. From this meeting, the 'On-Lake Support,' or Mobile Sites, idea became reality. This led to our most successful Shore Sweep yet! The LLA is excited about what we can accomplish together with this initiative moving forward. Thank you to these dock builders for helping achieve a Clean Lake Lanier in more ways than ever before!

TO LEARN MORE ABOUT THE PLEDGE AND THE DOCK BUILDERS THAT HAVE TAKEN THE PLEDGE, VISIT LAKELANIER.ORG

JOIN OUR TEAM

We are hiring a Program Coordinator!

We're seeking a passionate, conservation-minded individual to support our on-lake programs, such as the planning and execution of Shore Sweep, Life Jacket Loaner Stations, and MORE. In this role, there will be an opportunity to engage with the LLA community, including donors and volunteers.

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- **Adaptable to In-Office and In-The-Field Work**
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- **Loves Nonprofits and Lake Lanier**

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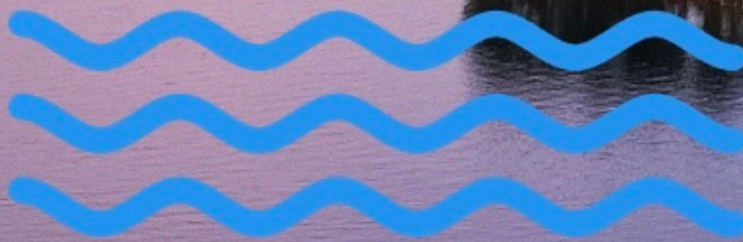
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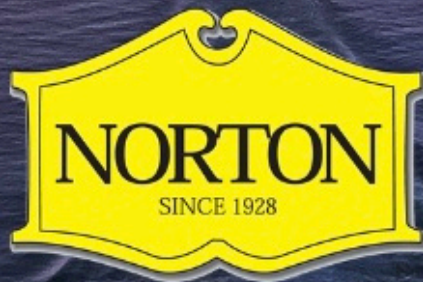
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An aerial photograph of Lake Lanier, showing several forested islands and a boat moving across the water, leaving a white wake. The sky is a soft, hazy blue.

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The Water Wars May Be Over, But a New Threat to Lake Lanier is Emerging.

WRITTEN BY CLYDE MORRIS, DIRECTOR

For decades, Georgia, Alabama, and Florida battled over how the ACF (Apalachicola-Chattahoochee-Flint) river system should be managed and whether Georgians should even be entitled to use Lake Lanier for water supply. For 20 years, LLA worked to protect Lanier's water levels, recreational economy, and role as a critical water-supply reservoir for North Georgia.

Unfortunately, although the Water Wars are finally over, a new issue has emerged that could have significant implications for Lake Lanier.



The Corps of Engineers has initiated a project to restore reliable commercial navigation on the lower ACF, downstream of Columbus. Congress has appropriated \$100 million for repairs to locks and dams and \$3 million to examine reinstating dredging and channel restoration in support of navigation.

Proponents believe it could improve economic conditions for thousands of people in the lower ACF basin. Their efforts are supported by many elected representatives and government agencies in both Georgia and Alabama.

Commercial navigation was an original authorized purpose of the ACF system when the federal reservoirs were approved by Congress back in the 1940s, along with water supply, recreation, hydropower generation, flood control, fish and wildlife management, and water quality. The Corps is responsible for balancing all of those purposes.

The problem for Lake Lanier is that reliable navigation has historically required both a deepened river channel and water releases from upstream reservoirs to float the barges. Because Lanier has 66% of the system's water storage capacity, that means navigation cannot be viewed simply as a downstream issue.

The Corps has publicly stated that its goal is to restore reliable navigation on the ACF. It has also stated that it does not intend to perform a new cost/benefit analysis as part of the project because one was conducted when the system was originally authorized more than 80 years ago. However, that analysis proved drastically inaccurate in predicting the relative economic benefits from water supply and recreation versus navigation. Our concern is that restoring navigation will disproportionately impact Lanier's billion-dollar annual recreation economy in favor of trying to rejuvenate a commercial freight system that failed decades ago.

LLA has been closely monitoring Corps activities and meeting with ACF stakeholders. We prepared and introduced a detailed white paper for the Lake Lanier Caucus of elected officials and stakeholders outlining the potential implications of expanded navigation for Lake Lanier. The purpose of our efforts is to ensure that decision-makers fully understand the potential effects on lake levels, recreation, water supply, and the broader North Georgia economy, and that no operational changes are implemented by the Corps without an in-depth examination of their economic and real-world implications.

As we learned during the Water Wars, decisions made many miles downstream can have major consequences for Lake Lanier. LLA will continue to be involved in this issue and will keep members informed as it develops.

Meet LLA's Newest Team-Member

We are excited to announce a new role within the LLA team and welcome Emma Bredfeldt as our Development Coordinator. Emma joined the LLA team in August as an intern and quickly demonstrated her dedication to LLA's mission. Since then, she has participated in a variety of LLA events, gaining insight into our on-lake programs while building relationships within the LLA community. As Development Coordinator, Emma will lead member, donor, and sponsor development efforts by driving recruitment, retention, and engagement. Emma has already made a strong impact, and we are excited to see all she will contribute as we continue advancing our mission of a Clean, Full, and Safe Lake.

EMMA BREFELDT DEVELOPMENT COORDINATOR

Emma Bredfeldt joined the Lake Lanier Association as a Development Coordinator in June of 2026. A recent graduate of the University of North Georgia, she earned her Bachelor of Arts in Public Relations in the Spring of 2026 while serving as a Special Events and Marketing Intern with the LLA from August 2025 through graduation.

Originally from Gainesville, Florida, Emma moved to Gainesville, Georgia, to pursue her education. After spending years visiting the North Georgia mountains with her family, the area felt familiar and welcoming, making her decision to attend UNG a natural next step.

During her time at UNG, Emma served as Social Media Coordinator for the Lambda Pi Eta Communications Honor Society and Vice President of the Public Relations Student Society of America. Through these leadership roles, she focused on social media strategy, event planning, and student engagement, while strengthening her communication and leadership skills.

As an intern with the Lake Lanier Association, Emma contributed to event planning, social media marketing, volunteer engagement, as well as the largest Shore Sweep to date. One of her favorite experiences was the Annual Member Celebration, where she celebrated all who make LLA's work possible.

Emma is excited to continue working alongside members, sponsors, donors, and community partners in support of LLA's mission to keep Lake Lanier Clean, Full, and Safe. In her free time, Emma enjoys spending time outdoors, trying new restaurants with friends, and working out. She is grateful to call North Georgia home.



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Learn more about the LLA Staff at lakelanier.org/our-staff/

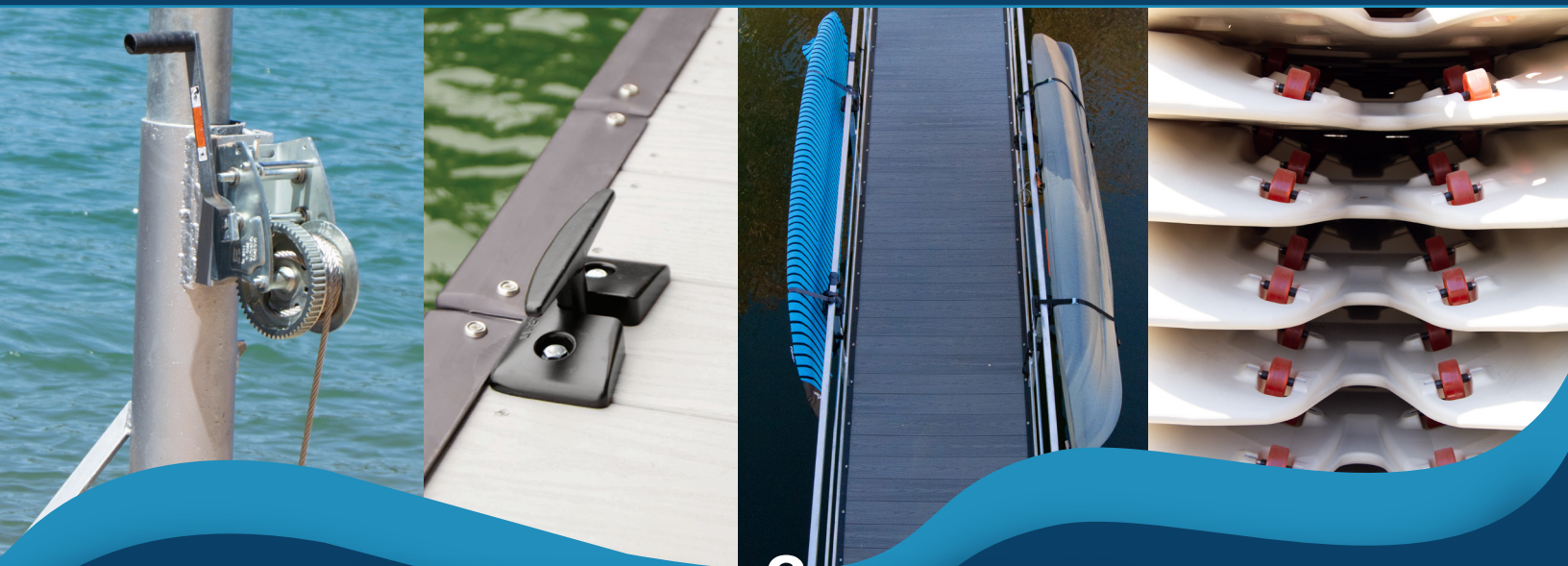
Lake Level Update The Sponge Effect

In a recent article, LLA Vice President and Secretary, Clyde Morris, explained the reason why you may not have noticed a rise in lake levels, despite recent heavy rain. He explains the sponge effect, the Corps of Engineers operations, and more. Visit our news & views page on the LLA website to read this article, "When It Comes to Lake Levels, The Sponge Effect Strikes Again!"

To read this article in full, visit lakelanier.org/news/



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Lately with LLA

A sneak peak into the recent events of the Lake Lanier Association!



2026 CONFERENCE PRESENTATION GEORGIA ASSOCIATION OF FLOODPLAIN MANAGEMENT

Board Members, Clyde Morris and Tom Shillock, kicked off the 2026 Georgia Association of Floodplain Management conference with a presentation dubbed “A Dynamic Association in a Magnificent Watershed.” They shared a summary of LLA mission and programs, the 7 federal lawsuits that made the “Tri-State Water Wars” from 1990-2021, the many confusions of Lake Lanier flood elevation levels, and what homeowners should know before purchasing flood insurance.



LUNCH AND LEARN WITH GAINESVILLE WATER RESOURCES DIRECTOR, LINDA MACGREGOR

During the event, LLA members, sponsors, staff, and board members got to learn about Gainesville’s water treatment process, drinking water safety, and the ultrasonic pilot test occurring on Lake Lanier to control algae! We appreciate Linda MacGregor, the Water Resources Director for the City of Gainesville, sharing her time and insight with attendees. Special thanks to Lenny’s Subs in Cumming for generously providing boxed lunches for all participants.

GREATER HALL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE NETWORK OVER COFFEE

The LLA had the pleasure of hosting the Greater Hall Chamber of Commerce for their Network Over Coffee event. It was wonderful meeting new faces from the Hall County community, and catching up with sponsors and fellow nonprofit leaders over coffee and light breakfast. It was a great opportunity to share our mission with a packed office of over 50 people in attendance.



WATER TESTING PROGRAM SPRING 2026 INTERNSHIP EXCURSION

Board Member, Tom Shillock, recently took students participating in our internship program out on the LLA boat to learn more about our Water Testing Program! They collected the water sample and documented lake conditions. It was truly a wonderful hands-on opportunity for our interns to see our Clean, Full, and Safe Lake initiatives in action.



COURTESY LIFE JACKETS OFFERED AT THE 2026 LAKE LANIER BOAT SHOW

At the 2026 Lake Lanier Boat Show in April, LLA was present with "Miss. Jackie," the LLA tritoon. Our vessel was positioned at the beginning of the on-the-water showroom, where courtesy life jackets were offered to children so families could shop the show with peace of mind. LLA Board of Directors and staff members were available to tell attendees about LLA programs that help keep Lake Lanier Clean, Full, and Safe.

We loved getting to see so many of you and were thankful to partner with the Marine Trade Association of Metro Atlanta once again to help support a safe event to kick off the summer.



CHATTAHOOCHEE RIVERKEEPER'S WATERFEST

In May, the Lake Lanier Association got to attend the Chattahoochee Riverkeeper Waterfest fundraiser at the Cumming City Center. This free music festival was a fun opportunity to support local organizations and businesses, and celebrate water conservation & education in the Headwaters! Alongside fellow community partners, LLA was a part of the environmental expo, and we enjoyed meeting new faces and sharing the LLA mission! To stay up-to-date on LLA and community wide events, visit lakelanier.org/events.

LUNCH AND LEARN FEATURING DAVID COUGHLIN

LLA hosted its second *member exclusive* Lunch and Learn of 2026! During the event, LLA members, sponsors, staff, and board members got to learn about the history of Lake Lanier and the creation of Buford Dam. We appreciate David Coughlin, local author and historian, sharing his time and insight with attendees. After such a meaningful discussion, we are more knowledgeable about the lake we all know and love!



NATIONAL SAFE BOATING WEEK PROMOTING A SAFE LAKE LANIER

The annual awareness campaign, held the week before Memorial Day, serves as the official kickoff to the summer boating season. The LLA team shared boating safety reminders throughout the week to highlight essential safety measures, responsible on-the-water behavior, and life jacket usage. Whether you're walking the docks, fishing with friends, or spending the day on the water, we want to remind you to 'Wear It!'

SAVE THE DATE

UPCOMING EVENTS

Coffee with a **Captain**

WITH CERTIFIED CAPTAINS:

Robert Estrada, Tow Boat U.S.
Rich Adams, U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary
John Grobe, North Georgia Boating Adventures

*Bonus Guest: Heidi Moore, General Manager of Skier's Marine
and Vice President of the Marine Trade Association of Metro Atlanta!*

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June 24th 2026 | 9:30-11:00AM

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SEPTEMBER

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38TH ANNUAL SHORE SWEEP CLEANUP

Various Sites Around Lanier | 8:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Lanier's largest annual event to clean the shores of Lake Lanier!



NOVEMBER

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60TH ANNIVERSARY GALA

Lanier Islands | 6:00 PM - 10:00 PM

Join us to celebrate LLA's milestone year!
Details coming soon.



LEARN MORE AT LAKELANIER.ORG/EVENTS



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Did you know? **LLA's newsletter, the Lanier Outlook, is a member exclusive publication!** LLA is pleased to offer our members an inside look at our work on Lake Lanier and exclusive information for home-owners, businesses and our donors.

Donating to the LLA goes well beyond knowing you are a part of a group of concerned constituents who partner together to keep Lake Lanier Clean, Full, and Safe. Your generosity directly supports LLA's programs in measurable ways. Our goal in publishing the Lanier Outlook is to provide our members an inside look at our accomplishments and the work we're achieving together on Lake Lanier.

We invite you to encourage your friends, family and neighbors to become a member to gain access to this exclusive publication! **Print this page and cut along the dotted line to share our mission with someone who should join the Lake Lanier Association!**



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