

ANNUAL MEETING OF MLRA 2014

The annual meeting of MLRA was held on Saturday, August 9, 2014, at the Land O'Lakes Public Library. The following actions were taken at this meeting:

- Jim Reiels, Dale Sharpee, and Shiela McConaghy were elected to the Board for a two year term.
- Current Officers and board members are as follows: Tom Chase (President), Bob Turnquist (Vice President), Jim Reiels (Treasurer and Secretary), Marypat Kelly, Dale Sharpee, Sheila McConaghy, and John Sick (Board members).
- A motion was passed to make a \$200 donation to the Watersmeet Fire and First Responder Service, and \$100 to the Land O'Lakes Fire Department.
- A motion was passed to maintain the annual dues at \$20 for 2015.
- Jim Reiels reported that total assets of MLRA amounted to \$7266.76.
- It was announced that John Sick had volunteered to take on the role of editor of the MLRA Newsletter, and Jim Reiels the role of publisher.
- Loon Ranger Program:** As previously announced, Tom Wheeler has resigned as coordinator of the Loon Ranger Program after doing a great job for a number of years. Bob Turnquist volunteered to take over the physical aspects of this program, including maintaining and setting up the nest platform and setting out the warning buoys. Sheila McConaghy volunteered to take on the administrative responsibilities of the program, which includes an annual report and communications with the DNR on Loon activity. Any unusual loon activity should be reported to Bob or Sheila.