ASSOCIATION MEETING

There was a general meeting of the Oquaga Lake Improvement Association on July 5, 1984 at 8 P.M. at Scott's Meeting Room.

Bob Quinn announced that all went smoothly at the Public Hearing, and the sewer project has been approved. McFarland-Johnson will let out bids for the project in about two (2) months.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Mort Levy arranged for a <u>BOATING COURSE</u> to be offered by John Parnaka. Thirty (30) attended the first session. Children aged ten (10) to sixteen (16) will be certified to operate a power boat if this course is satisfactorily completed.

The Board of Directors established a <u>BOATING SAFETY COMMITTEE</u>. Their first meeting will be on Wednesday, July 11, at 7:30 at the cottage of chairman, Carole Peduto. Others serving on the committee are: Barbara Ashman, Mort Levy, Bill Maines, John Cizauskas, and Sheila White

Only three (3) <u>SUMMER ACTIVITIES</u> have thus far been scheduled: the Children's Water and Field Events on the weekend of July 21 and 22, the Family Picnic tentatively scheduled for August 5 and for which a chair-person is desperately needed, and the annual meeting and party on August 31.

The <u>LAKE LEVEL</u> issue was discussed at length by the Board last fall.

An optimum level was agreed on by all and the gate has been marked accordingly.

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The lake will be <u>STOCKED</u> at the end of July. It was not done earlier because not enough large fish were available.

There are SCUBA DIVERS in the area. A rubber tube flying a red flag with a blue diagonal on it indicates there are scuba divers below. By law, you must stay 100 feet away from the marking. A suggestion was made that it would be much safer to scuba dive before 10 A.M. because power boats are not permitted before that hour.

Regarding <u>BEAVERS</u> in the lake, Mrs. MacInnes suggested the Conservation Department be called to remove them before they do more extreme damage.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Carole Peduto, Secretary

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