



KNIFE LAKE SPORTSMEN'S CLUB--Your Lake Association

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THANK YOU to everyone who volunteered, helped out, participated, & just had a darn good time enjoying the annual 4th of July festivities on our lake. We (KLSC) do our best to have events scheduled for everyone to have fun with their family and friends. Unfortunately, we can't control the weather. Having to delay this year's annual fireworks display is a call that

I wouldn't want anyone to have to make. I know we disappointed people that were not able to attend, but at the end of the day, it was the correct call to make for the safety of everyone involved in setting it up. Believe me, the KLSC, Crow's Nest, and Northwoods didn't want to postpone the show. THANKS to everyone who commented about the spectacular fireworks show we finally had on Sunday!!!

👏 Bear Creek Pyrotechnics 👏 THANK YOU also to North Star Pontoons who surprised all of us at the Pancake Breakfast by giving away a TAKACAT boat to a lucky couple just for eating breakfast....WHO KNEW!! Please watch our FB page and website calendar for all upcoming events. Also, the time for the KLSC August Meeting on 8/16/25 is changed to 8 am to accommodate the Annual KLID meeting.

Ed Hamlin, President KLSC 952-250-0642 [pres@knifelake.us](mailto:pres@knifelake.us)

### KILD Report

The Minnesota DNR has launched a new program benefiting Knife Lake. Officers will staff a mobile decontamination unit at the North Landing several times this year. Officers have reported that boaters using the lake have responded in a courteous and appreciative manner.

Kevin Johnson, KLSC Board member

### KLID Meeting Time Change

The KLID ANNUAL MEETING on 8/16/25 will be at 9 am at KLSC Clubhouse. Yearly elections for the KLID are held at this meeting. If you're interested in placing your name on the ballot to become a Board member, please reach out to Kyle Hams at [hamskanda@msn.com](mailto:hamskanda@msn.com) or myself, Ed Hamlin at [pres@knifelake.us](mailto:pres@knifelake.us). Everyone is welcome to attend.

Boat



Parade

The Sportsmen's Club wants to give thanks to all of the boats who participated, rain or shine, in this year's 4th of July parade. As a newbie on the Board, and this event, I look forward to planning next year's theme for our 250th Independence Day celebration. Congratulations again to our boat parade winners!

Here is a list of our winners:



1st place (#41) Keith Halvorson  
\$300 & trophy

2nd place (#39) Dustin Meier  
(new this year to our lake and parade)  
\$200 & trophy



3rd place (#31) Daniel Voss  
\$100 & trophy



4th place (#33) Daniel Peterson  
\$75 & trophy



5th place (#34) Rebecca Thompson  
Trophy

Thanks to all the participants and, of course, the great volunteers who helped!!  
Hope to see you all next year!!

-Harley Swoboda, KLSC Board member

## Gambling

**The Knife Lake Sportsmen's Club has now completely taken over the charitable gambling at the Northwoods Steakhouse. This includes **pull tabs**, **egames**, **Bingo**, and **meat raffles**. We are also *raffling off a gun*, now through Baconfest (drawing on Aug. 31, 2025 at 5:45 pm). Please stop in and support our Sportsmen's Club, the community, and the Northwoods.**

**-Amy Smyser, KLSC Board Member**

## Pancake breakfast

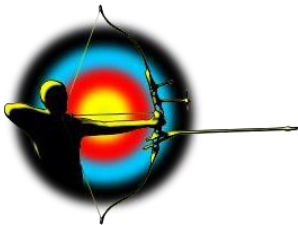
We had a great turnout for the 4th of July pancake breakfast. About 350 people enjoyed pancakes and sausage. Thank you to everyone who came and supported us! Also, a huge shout out to all our amazing volunteers!! We couldn't do this event without you! See you on August 30th for the Labor Day Breakfast.

-Jake Tillotson, VP KLSC

## Volunteer Appreciation Dinner - Sat. Aug. 16th at 5 pm at the KLSC Clubhouse

I'll be grilling up burgers, brats & hotdogs. If you have volunteered anytime in the past year, please let the KLSC treat you to dinner. The best part of this dinner is the chance to win some \$\$\$\$. We put everyone's name in a hat and draw out 7 lucky names, each taking home some cash!!! I know there will be some amazing side dishes & desserts!!!

Ed Hamlin



## KLSC ARCHERY

### Annual Membership Sign-up Form

Archery membership can now be paid on our website, [knifelake.us](http://knifelake.us)

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Membership (please circle one):      NEW      RENEWAL

Individual - \$40      or      Family - \$75

Please make checks payable to Knife Lake Sportsmen's Club (KLSC) and hand to a KLSC board member, or Mail to: Knife Lake Sportsmen's Club, PO Box 254, Mora, MN 55051, or leave in the lock box on the archery range.

Non-member course usage is \$10 per day per person.

\*\*\*KLSC MUST HAVE A SIGNED "HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT" FOR EACH COURSE PARTICIPANT ON FILE\*\*\*



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Annual Membership Dues for 2025 -- \$35

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Lake address\_\_\_\_\_Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

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*Thank you!*

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