



The Windemere Lake & Landowners Association

# WINDOW

*"If you want information, just open the window"*

**Spring 2005**

*WELCOME to summer at the lake. The ice went out April 12...about 5 days earlier than usual. It's good to see the blue moving water again. We have listed here for you some important dates coming up this spring and summer.*

## UPCOMING MEETINGS

The three general meetings of your lake association will be held at Camp Miller at 9:00 am. The dates and speakers for these meetings are:

JUNE 11 Chip Welling..Coordinator, Eurasian watermilfoil Program, DNR  
JULY 9 Roger Hugill.or a representative of..DNR Fisheries  
AUGUST. 13 Paula West..Exec.Dir. MN Lakes Association

Windemere Township BRUSH DAYS. You may bring your brush to the township gravel pit on the airport road every second Saturday ..May through October from 10:00 to 1:00.

Windemere Township TRASH DAY will be June 4 at the Windemere Townhall from 9:00 to 1:00. Check the newspapers for details. Volunteers and trailers needed.

## ADOPT-A-HIGHWAY

Your lake association picks up 8 ½ miles of roads three times a year. We need volunteers for the three large lakes. If you can help, please call Shirley Arnold at 372-4209.

## WALK-A-ROUND

To inform Sand Lake residents of the presence of Eurasian watermilfoil growing in Sand Lake, we are doing a walk-a-around on the lake this spring.. Quoting from the report of the plant survey conducted 9/8/04 by Blue Water Science: "Eurasian watermilfoil was first reported in Sand Lake in 2003. In September of 2004, the aquatic plant survey found Eurasian watermilfoil scattered around Sand Lake, but at low densities. Where it is found, it is slightly branching and is not matting at any place on the lake. Eurasian watermilfoil is interspersed within the native aquatic plant community. At this time, it is difficult to predict what Eurasian watermilfoil will do in Sand Lake. If sediment nitrogen concentrations are high, it will probably mat out in some areas. If nitrogen values are low, milfoil will continue to grow at non-nuisance conditions."

If you find Eurasian watermilfoil has become a nuisance at your lakeshore, call Chip Welling at the Office of Exotics...DNR for guidance. His telephone number is 651-297-8021. His FAX is 651-296-1811.