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Photo Credit: Jen Moore - *Family Winter Ice Crossing*

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2023 Event - Hold the Date!:

- **2023 AGM** - Tue April 25 via Zoom
- **Maggie Brickell Memorial** - Sun May 28 at 2pm
- [Natural Edge Workshop](#) - Sat June 10
- **Canada Day Parade** - Sat July 1
- **Regatta** - Sat Aug 5 & Sun Aug 6
- **Dock Sale** - Sat Aug 19



We're 75 Years Old!

To kick off celebrations for the 75th Anniversary, we've created a series of videos that capture the history and life of our people, lake and association. [Check out the trailer here](#). This video series, produced by resident videographer Colin Field, will be launched next month and continue throughout the summer. The stories of early founding families are priceless!

Membership Drive for 75

Come on everyone, it's time to renew your membership for 2023. It's [easy online](#) and your support is vital. While you're at it, especially if your email address has changed in the last year, [re-sign up to receive Kosh Lake News](#). Don't miss news of special events and activities planned for this year.



We've Been Invited by our Deer Friends on Jack Lake

Jack Lake has invited Kasshabog Residents to join their FREE webinar: *Challenges and Opportunities for Wildlife on our Lakes*, Wed Feb 22 at 6:30 pm. For full details and a link to register visit [Environment Events](#)

Do you Know What a Natural Edge is?

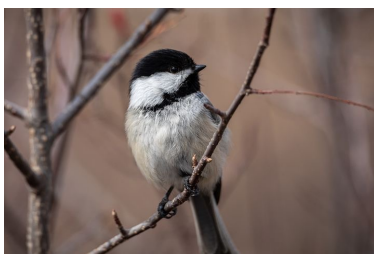


If you attend the *Natural Edge Workshop* on Sat June 10, offered by Watersheds Canada, you'll be sure to find out. The workshop will be held at the Kosh Lake Community Hall and is FREE! However, space is limited so reserve your spot soon by emailing environment@Kasshabog.ca or [Cynthia Cole](#). For more details visit [Environment Events](#)



Have You Ever Wondered What Beavers Do in the Winter?

Do they hibernate - nope! They keep 'Busy as Beavers'. Learn all about these marvelous creatures' wintertime behaviour at ontarioparks.com



Wildlife Wonders - Black Capped Chickadee

Do they really call out their name (chick-a-dee-dee-dee)? Yes, but only as an alarm call (the more 'dees', the higher the threat). Their normal call is a simple "fee bee"; [listen here](#).

These tough little birds don't migrate so, like some Boggers, they spend winters at the lake. They hide their food to eat later and can remember thousands of hiding places.

Every fall, Chickadees allow brain neurons containing old information to die, replacing them with new neurons so they can adapt and store fresh information! They can also gain 10% of their body weight in one day and then lose it all on a cold winter's night. So keep those feeders full and enjoy these black-capped cuties.



Photo Credit: Maggie Macpherson - *Sunset over Peninsula Road*

Land Acknowledgement

As we celebrate the ever-changing beauty of Kasshabog Lake, we are reminded to respect and nurture our sacred relationship to this land as well as to its First Peoples, both past and present. We acknowledge that our Lake resides upon the traditional lands of the Mississauga Anishinaabe. We recognize and value the contributions of Indigenous peoples past and present.

On their behalf, we commit to supporting the health and welfare of this land in all current and future initiatives.

Yours to Enjoy...Yours to Protect
Lake Kasshabog Residents Association

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