

Alma-Moon Lake News

This winter was a tough one for our lake residents with the amount of snow on the lakes and roofs and we're sure we were in good company with the rest of the lakes in the St. Germain area. After the 60 inches of snow in February, there isn't much activity on the deeply snow covered ice.

However, when the ice went out in early May, 90% of it went out in one day due to a strong north wind and sunshine on the Friday before the opening of fishing season. That's the fastest anyone has seen the ice go out and as of May 16, the water temperatures are in the upper 50s.

The town of St. Germain website posted a recognition reception for Mary Platner who resides on Moon Lake and is a retiring board member who worked tirelessly to promote and support library services in our Community. Many St. Germain residents may not be aware that the Wisconsin Lakes Partnership Organization that holds its annual meeting in Stevens Point in April every year was pretty much born in Mary Platner's residence on Moon Lake many years ago after she and her husband ,Jack, built their home on Moon Lake in the early 1980s.

We are grateful that our Moon Lake resident had a leadership role in organizing an educational group that has grown phenomenally over the years with the goal of protecting our lakes, rivers, wetlands and watersheds.