

**e-News 24 June 2010**

### **Smoke Signals**

In the old days, Indian Lakers really did use Smoke Signals to communicate... honest! Smoke Signals was the name of our first newsletter, starting in early 1965. The earliest one we have on file is from January 1966. Our collection is far from complete, but what we have is scanned and available online at the [www.indianlake-pa.net](http://www.indianlake-pa.net) Community Service web site under NEWS. We have 29 issues dated between Jan 1966 and October 1969. There is a big gap from 1969 to 1987 as the Lodge underwent its many difficulties. The final two were issued in 1987 before the fire went out for good. For your convenience and reading enjoyment, a direct link is: [http://indianlake-pa.net/il-pa\\_019.htm](http://indianlake-pa.net/il-pa_019.htm)

### **Amplification... (mea culpa)**

In my last e-News I provided a glimpse of some of the new developments on the horizon. It was pointed out to me that I did not acknowledge that the developments at the Lodge (Arrowhead Condominiums, Pow Wow Estates and the Kickapoo Townhomes), and the Lodge itself, are previous, current **and** future examples, each bringing new families and revenues to the Lake. This is correct; it was an oversight and I apologize. Paul Cornez addressed the oversight, and provides a balanced perspective, on his blog at <http://paulindianlake.blogspot.com>.

### **Lake Patrol**

Mayor Miscoe advises that the new (to us) Police Boat is outfitted and ready to report for duty by this weekend. It is a center-console, walk-around style boat; the type commonly used for harbor and river patrols. It should be hard to miss out on the water. It will be docked at the new docks in the "Pow Wow Pier" area below the Lodge.

Mike and Shawn Hillegas did the outfitting themselves, saving the Borough some \$\$, and negotiated safe and convenient docking for a buck. Well done, guys !!

### **New Zoning Ordinance**

Planning Commission has just recently completed their review and overhaul of the draft version of Ordinance 155, which addresses all of the comments received last fall and during the public comment phase. The next step is for Mike Miscoe and his Zoning Committee (the original drafters) to review the review, and then work with Planning to arrive at the version to be presented to and enacted by Council. Before enactment there will be yet another public comment phase and we would like to do that all before the end of summer.

The latest (June 2010) DRAFT Ordinance and corresponding Zoning District Map are available on the Borough web site under Borough>INFO>Ordinances, or by clicking this direct link:

<http://indianlakepa.us/dotnetnuke/BoroughHOME/INFO/Ordinances/tabid/56/Default.aspx>

Thank you for your time,

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