



In recent weeks you have received communication regarding a newly formed Water Quality Committee supported by members from Lake Rosalind and Marl Lake. The goal of the committee is to educate residents and visitors so that there is an informed and shared vision for maintaining and improving the quality of our lake communities.

The purpose of the LRML Joint Water Quality Committee is as follows:

- § Assist in creating community stewardship of both lakes
- § Gather and communicate accurate water quality test results
- § Research and investigate options for improving water quality
- § Communicate strategies for maintaining the quality and delicate balance of human, animal, fish and natural life on both lakes
- § Maintain a liaison with the Municipality of Brockton, Saugeen Valley Conservation Authority and other partners that can and do influence the quality of life in, on and around the lakes
- § Operate as an advisory committee to the both Associations

The LRML Joint Water Quality Committee will focus on but not be limited to the following priorities:

- § Improving and maintaining a high quality of water on both lakes
- § Educating residents about:
 - 1.Reducing nutrients entering the lakes from lawn fertilizers, phosphate detergents, chlorine and ammonia products, faulty septic systems and agriculture run-offs
 - 2.The importance of shoreline buffer zones and why it is necessary to eliminate herbicides and pesticides

The LRML Joint Water Quality Committee recognizes that there is no easy answer or quick fix to a consistent high standard of water quality; however, we are dedicated and passionate about our lake communities. We invite others to join in a shared voice and vision in understanding how our individual actions affect the long term health of our lakes for current and future generations.

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It is important that there is an up to date email list so that water quality issues can be communicated to all residents in a timely manner. Please make certain that your most current email address is passed along to your road director. Talk to your neighbours to ensure that they have also offered their email address.

If you know someone who does not have an email address, please share communication from the committee so that all are informed.

Together we can make a difference!