

Horseshoe Lake Newsletter
June 10, 2021

Hello,

After Kurt Schini found what he thought was EWM Wednesday evening, I checked the spot he marked. Unfortunately, it is Eurasian Water Milfoil located just east of the channel in the east basin. I added a second marker so now there are two markers near the patch that appears to be approximately 5 - 6 ft in diameter and it is close to towering out at the surface. Property owners near this bed should be watching their shoreline for fragments. These fragments should be taken out and disposed of far from shore. All property owners are encouraged to take a little time to patrol their shoreline for EWM fragments. If you find fragments, it may be an indication of more EWM nearby. It is also important to watch for patches of EWM when you are on your boat rides around the lake. I attached a picture of the EWM that I picked up in the water this morning. You can use that as a reference when you are looking at aquatic plants.

I will check with Dave Blumer, our consultant, to see if we can treat it yet this year. With the warm weather and the small size of the patch the DNR may insist that we wait until next year. The water temperature is already at 80 degrees and 75 degrees at a depth of 15 feet.

Stay tuned for further updates.

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