

Horseshoe Lake Newsletter
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Hello,

A vigilant resident, Denny Gibbs, regrettably discovered Eurasian Water Milfoil (EWM) in the east basin of our lake. We have sent photos to Matt Berg and Dave Blumer for confirmation that indeed the discovery is EWM. Dave Blumer and his daughter are on the lake today (Sunday) morning, removing the plants manually. If anyone has butterfly nets or other fine mesh nets and has time on Sunday to help capture any floating fragments, you can connect with Dave and his daughter. He has a net. Kayaks or smaller watercraft will work best. Unfortunately, I will not be at the lake Sunday.

The bed of EWM is located along the East shore of the large basin to the right side (facing the shore) of the Nichols' dock (the last dock before approaching Becherer's point going from the North to the South.) It's probably 40 to 75 yards out. Please stay well away from the patch so that your propeller doesn't clip the plants that will further spread the plants. Fragments will sink to the lake bottom to take root and form more plants.

Many of you have already paid your 2022 dues and contributions. If you haven't already paid yours, the dues this year are \$75.00. Please make your check payable to: Horseshoe Lake Property Association, Inc. Send your check to me at 11895 Dunkirk Circle NE, Blaine, MN 55449. We need your support to continue to manage EWM and build a reserve for a future dredging of the channel as the lake level drops. Thank you for your continued support.

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