

## Spring 2021

Dear Neighbours and Friends,

We hope this memo finds you and your families in good health! In the next few weeks, we will be sending a more detailed news letter. This particular notice is focused on Eurasian Milfoil and the current situation on our lake.

The overall situation with the invasive plant has been steadily improving since we began tracking it in 2016. However, in each of the last two years we have discovered new colonies which require treatment.

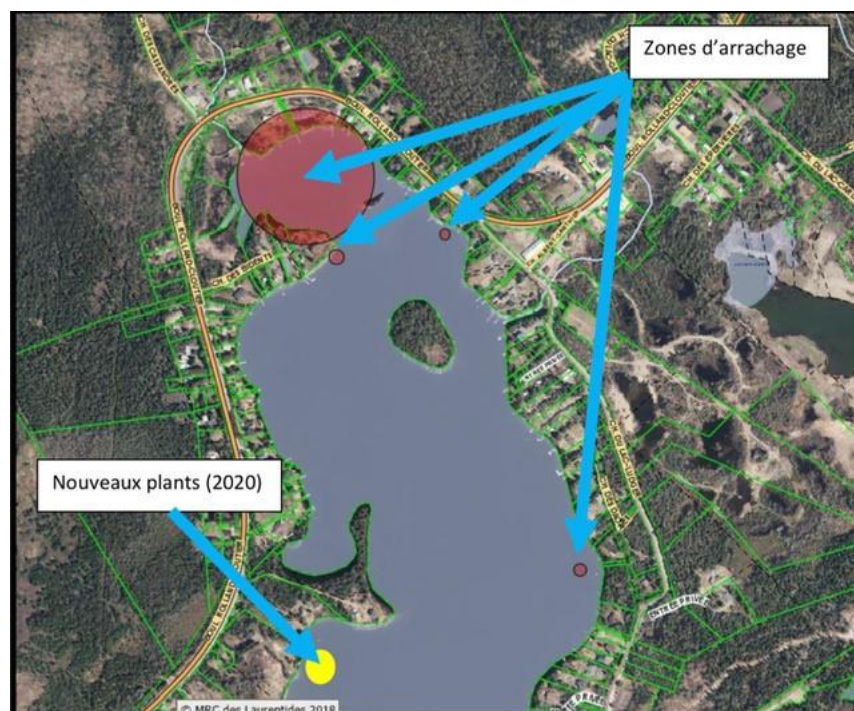
**Unfortunately, a new and rather large colony was discovered last November. See the attached map for details. We will be attempting to rope off this area within the next 2 weeks, but we must ask you to stay away from this zone for the entire summer while the divers do their work.**

You should also take note of the other zones and keep clear of them as well. The divers will begin their work in mid-June. We must make sure not to proliferate the plant until then.

The large purple zone was roped off last year. The yellow zone is the new colony to be avoided. The other purple zones have been treated and were stable. They will be verified again this season.



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Mini-updates; more details will follow in a few weeks

- **Divers**- Beginning in mid June and continuing throughout the summer
- **Lake Water testing**- Volunteers will once again take samples in mid to end August. Last year's results were acceptable and indicated no significant changes to the water quality.
- **Well Water Testing** – The association will be organizing well water testing once again with Bio Services in Ste Agathe. Details will follow in the next update.
- **Patrols**- The City of Lantier has hired a new guard service for our lakes. Details to follow in our next update.
- **Navigation Buoys**- Please avoid all areas that are roped off or that you see on the attached map. This includes motorized and non-motorized watercraft. We must prevent the spread of the Eurasian Milfoil, and this is the only way to do that.
- **Code of conduct**- The code of conduct on our lakes remains in force. You should receive a copy from the city with your invoice for boat stickers. A copy is also available on our web site <https://sites.google.com/a/ludger-cardin.org/en/>. Please share this with your family, neighbours, and friends.
- **Septic Cleaning** – we will once again make arrangements with Sani Nord for members to receive a discount on their septic cleaning. Details will follow in the next update.
- **Membership Fees** – last year due to Covid we suspended membership fees. That is no longer possible for 2021. Once the web site has been updated for 2021 we will let you know to go on line and pay your 30.00 fee.

We thank you for your continued support and look forward to seeing you on the lake

Should you have any questions, suggestions, or comments, feel free to send us a message at [info@ludger-cardin.org](mailto:info@ludger-cardin.org) or visit our web-site at [www.ludger-cardin.org](http://www.ludger-cardin.org)