

We are pleased to let you know we will meet in person again although with some new restrictions and attendance limits in place for the safety of all. The speaker will be Captain Doug Kloet - *Captain Doug Kloet's Fishing Guide Service* and the topic will be **LATE SUMMER & EARLY FALL STRATEGIES – MUSKIES AND OTHER GENEVA SPECIES**

We went to Poplar Creek this past week to investigate whether we feel we could meet in a safe manner during these trying times. We are all set for an in-person limited participation (up to 34 people) for the September Meeting at Poplar Creek Bowl as well as broadcasting the meeting via Zoom next Wednesday 9/9. Also be aware there will be a specific protocol (I think you will be impressed and this will help you feel safe) to follow when you enter the building or you will not be allowed to stay (see info and link below). I need to know who is attending and who will be eating. The menu will be grilled chicken, roasted potatoes, and green beans – the cost will be \$10. While the food will be served buffet style, the Poplar Creek staff will place the food on our plates to keep us safe. You may order off the menu if you choose, and I will be asking if most members would prefer this option instead of having one menu choice for October.

If you are making a reservation for someone who is not a member I will need to have their name and contact info for contact tracing purposes. We certainly understand if you do not want to participate in the meeting at Poplar Creek Bowl and if so hope you can join via Zoom. I will send a link to the Zoom meeting in a separate email.

Please let me know if you plan to attend the meeting. If you are replying for someone in addition to yourself please provide the name and contact information if they are a non-member (guest fee is \$5).

Name (and contact info if a non-member)	Attending	Food

Poplar Creek spent lots of time and \$\$ to set up the new safety protocol and they were complimented by the village and received some valuable publicity for their setup. Please watch the YouTube video to learn how it works and what you must do when entering the building. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JhaXMMZf-k4&t=35s://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JhaXMMZf-k4&t=35s>.

This process made us feel good to help all be safe. Please bring your own mask and it must be worn when you are not eating. You may remove the mask when speaking if you are a safe distance from any other person. **You must follow this protocol or you must leave the building.**

The tables will be arranged with limited seating to that we are social distancing. The doors to the outside patio with tables and chairs provided will be open if you will feel safer sitting outside, although it will be difficult to see what's happening inside.

Looking forward to seeing all of you whether in person or via Zoom. It's been fun meeting near the lake after our outings this summer, but it will be nice to get back to regular meetings.

Thanks,  
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