

Attn: CLPOA board;

The third annual Chandos Lake Kids' Fishing Derby, held on Saturday July 13, 2019, was another memorable event. There were 114 registrants who participated in a fun-filled day. The weather was warm and there was a pleasant cloud cover in the skies over head. The only thing bigger than the 20-inch pike caught that day were the smiles on the kids' faces. There were plenty of activities to keep both the young and old entertained. From *Buckles the lifejacket mascot* wooing the crowd, a taxidermy exhibit and fish cleaning demonstration, *Love your Lake* exhibit, an amazing *Zoo to You* display, and of course the BBQ with free hotdogs and pops for the kids, there was more than enough to keep the crowd happy. To finish the day off there was an amazing prize table with a prize for every participant. It was a terrific day where the young anglers were able to experience the joy of an outdoor activity, while enjoying nature, and learning about the environment.

A special thank you goes out to *Lakeview Cottages & Marina* for allowing us to host this fabulous event on their property. We would also like to thank all the generous sponsors and hardworking volunteers who helped to make the day so extra special.

Our Generous Sponsors:

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Thanks to our fabulous committee:

Bob Arbour, Judy Franks, Edith Gorman, Iain Gorman, & Michelle Newman.

Thanks to our many Volunteers:

King Baker, Debbie Breuls, Brian Burns, Makayla Cabrera, Mike Carabine, David Cooper, Brad Dawson, Laura Franks, Kathy Gingerich, Al Gontier, Matt Gontier, Alex Haney, Donna Krug, Sheila Lamb, Ken Mackenzie, Terry Mackenzie, Matt McKinnon, Roman Miszuk, Paul Moffat, Laurie Moody, Norma Nelson-Lomoro, Jim OShea, Cliona O'Sullivan, Phil Port, Judy Ranieri, Joan Rocha, Kathy Robichaud, David Shaw, Gord Smith, Moya Suddaby, Eugene Telka, Mary Telka, Wendy Turk, Duncan Turnbull, Jane Westlund, & Rick Woodcock.

Unfortunately due to the current Covid-19 situation and the health and safety of our membership, we will be unable to host the Kids' Fishing Derby this year. We are

however looking forward to hosting this exciting event again in 2021 and are already working hard to make it the outstanding event that it is.

Submitted by Jim Franks
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