

Bella Vista POA JAC Lakes Committee
Wednesday, February 8, 2023
Country Club Board Room

Chairman: Matt Champagne
Vice Chairman: Arell Wasson
Secretary: Carol Phillips

Committee Members: Michael Coughlin, Scott Sborov, Carol Phillips, Arell Wasson, Ross Gerner, Grace Turley, Paul Bickford, Kelly Austin, Matt Champagne.

POA Board Liaisons: Jerre Barron, Jr., Sandy Fosdick.

Acting Chairman Kelly Austin called the meeting to order at 2:00 pm.

Previous meeting minutes were approved.

POA COO Tom Judson encouraged POA members to register boats.

Rick Echols shared that the Lake Avalon drawdown has been affected by recent rainfall. The gravel bar near the Lake Avalon boat launch has been removed and the beach cove will be cleaned from debris. Stream bank stabilization is ongoing on Tanyard Creek. Grounds maintenance is working on a kayak rack on Lake Ann. Adjustments will be made of the Lake Windsor fishing dock. Aquaculture pond project is on hold due to weather.

Trey Anson reported the marina will open April 1.

Steven Hattabaugh, a representative of the Youth Fishing Federation, addressed the committee concerning a request to use Bella Vista lakes for two fishing tournaments on September 16 and November 11, 2023. Kelly Austin made the motion to allow two Youth Fishing Federation tournaments in 2023. Paul Bickford provided a second to the motion. Motion approved.

Next meeting is March 8, 2023.

Meeting adjourned at 2:31 pm.