

The University of Michigan Biological Station announces its 2009 mini courses. UMBS mini courses are designed to let you enjoy being in the field and learning in a friendly atmosphere. Whether you are a practicing naturalist, student, Station alumni, or simply an interested individual, you will enjoy participating in a mini course at UMBS. They are offering two non-credit, adult mini course sessions this summer, along with a course for children during the August session. These small field courses will be taught by individuals who are leaders in their field and are well acquainted with the Biological Station and Northern Michigan.

The cost for a five-day course is \$420 (includes tuition & lab fee) plus housing and meals at the Biological Station. Courses begin on Wednesday morning and run through Sunday afternoon. For more information contact the UMBS office, [lisaumbs@umich.edu](mailto:lisaumbs@umich.edu) or 231-539-8408 in Pellston. Full course descriptions and registration forms are also available at our website: [www.lsa.umich.edu/umbs](http://www.lsa.umich.edu/umbs).

### SPRING SESSION (JUNE 10 – 14, 2009)

Birds of Northern Michigan (Mary Whitmore)  
Flora of Northern Michigan (Ed Voss)  
Art in Nature (Ann Singaas)

### LATE SUMMER SESSION (AUGUST 19 – 23, 2009)

Fungi of Northern Michigan (Marilynn Smith)  
Forest and Landscape Ecology (Dan Kashian)  
Digital Photography in Nature (Brad Orr)  
Sustainable Urbanism: Urban Design with Nature (Doug Farr)  
Bio-Explorers: Science Adventures for Kids (Marty Samson)



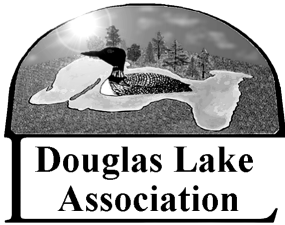
## DL Womenade

DLWomenade will begin our 7th year this summer. We began in 2003 and have had the opportunity to offer a wide variety of assistance to families experiencing emergencies. While our goal was to raise money to offer this kind of assistance, the unexpected outcome has been that in the process we have met in different homes each month and have become a community of Douglas Lake women.

We meet on the 3rd Wednesday of June, July and August and then on a designated Saturday in October. Meetings are at 6:00, Dinner at 6:30. Members bring a dish to share, their table service and a check for \$30. We encourage new members and invite women of the lake community to join us. The summer schedule is:

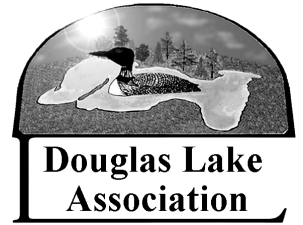
June 17 at the home of Nancy Sheldon  
8205 Young Road  
537-2828  
July 15 at the home of Holly Gedert  
9760 Silver Strand Road  
537-3269  
August 19 at the home of Jan Huntley  
8044 Pells Island Rd  
539-8547

Please call the hostess if you can attend so that she can plan for you.



# DLIA MERCHANDISE

Kathy Buchweitz DLIA Merchandise Manager



## SALE DATES

Saturday June 20 <sup>th</sup>	10:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon	11700 Seabrook Lane (Kathy Buchweitz)
Saturday July 4 <sup>th</sup>	10:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon	11654 Seabrook Lane (John Kurkjian)
Saturday July 18 <sup>th</sup>	10:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon	9441 MacArthur Rd. (Beth Reynolds)
Friday August 7 <sup>th</sup>	9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.	10810 Northwoods Shores Dr. (Marilyn Storver)
Saturday August 8 <sup>th</sup>	9:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.	10810 Northwoods Shores Dr.

Come see the new items including Beer Mugs and Coolers to take on the boat.

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## **Mah Jongg Anyone?**

Mah Jongg has started at Douglas Lake. The first introductory class was Tues, April 28<sup>th</sup> at 1:00p.m at Julie's house. It went very well which indicated the students were brilliant or the teacher was brilliant or none of us are totally clear on all the rules of Mah Jongg. Remember I also am a beginner. I will repeat the introductory classes as often as needed. If interested please contact Julie when you return to the lake. 537-3110 or [tandjken@racc2000.com](mailto:tandjken@racc2000.com). Hope to see you at the Mah Jongg table. This is open to men and women.

## **PILATES ANYONE?**

Anyone intersted in coming to a pilates mat class this summer near Douglas Lake? Call Johnna Driscoll @ 231-838-0945. I have been practicing pilates for about 8 years at Pilates Midwest in Petoskey and I recently began the process to become certified to teach. To learn more about classical pilates go to: [pilatesmidwest.com](http://pilatesmidwest.com) or [jenniferkries.com](http://jenniferkries.com)

## **NORTHWOODS ART FAIR ON DOUGLAS LAKE**

Friday, August 7	9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
Saturday, August 8	9:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

10810 Northwoods Shores Dr., Pellston, Michigan 49769.

## **LEARN TO SAIL**

Children, Grandchildren and Adults can learn to sail or sharpen their skills with Little Traverse Sailors in Harbor Springs. Classes are available from June 15 to Aug. 16 on a weekly basis. Go to [www.LittleTraverseSailors.org](http://www.LittleTraverseSailors.org) or call Linda Orlow at 231-537-4484.

## ***ABOVE DOUGLAS LAKE***

Need a great gift or an addition to your cottage?  
Call Linda Orlow at 231-537-4484 to see the aerial  
photographs of our lake.

# Whale of A Sale

Friday, July 17<sup>th</sup> and Saturday July 18<sup>th</sup>

## A Tip of the Mitt Watershed Council Event

The Tip of the Mitt Watershed Council will hold a large water recreational rummage sale this summer. If you are interested in donating items and/or attending, please read the details below. There will be three drop off locations on Douglas Lake for donations. All sale proceeds to benefit Tip of the Mitt Watershed Council. Donations are tax deductible.

On Friday, July 17th and Saturday, July 18th, join Tip of the Mitt Watershed Council at the “**Whale of A Sale**”, a HUGE rummage sale for water recreation lovers. The sale will be held from 9am-1pm on Friday and Saturday, rain or shine, at Irish Boat Shop Storage Buildings in Harbor Springs on Fairview Street (located behind Meyer Ace Hardware in Fairview Square off State Road).

Tip of the Mitt Watershed Council is accepting donated items from individuals, marinas, and suppliers. Items should be gently used, saleable and in good condition, including: fishing gear; swimming life vests, rafts and toys; water skiing equipment; diving equipment; and boats, kayaks, and canoes and related hardware, equipment, and gear. No clothing please. For boats or larger items, please contact Tip of the Mitt Watershed Council’s office prior to drop off.

Drop off locations include: (1) Tom Kennedy, 8861 Manitou Shores Trail, 537-3110; (2) Stuart Case, 10850 Northwoods Shores Dr, 539-0954; and (3) Rich Gedert, 9760 Silver Strand, 537-3269. The Tip of the Mitt Watershed Council Office, Bay Street, Petoskey is also a drop off location, as is Irish Boat Shop, Bay Street, Harbor Springs. For additional collection locations or to have items picked up, please call Tip of the Mitt Watershed Council at (231)347-1181

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## **LOST**

Lost last fall. One very large floating settee lost in Maple Bay. If found please call 810-908-2238.

## **FOR RENT**

Quaint and Rustic Cottage on Ingleside available for rent. Sleeps 8, no smoking or pets.  
For more information email at [wvaughan@columbus.rr.com](mailto:wvaughan@columbus.rr.com).

Clean, three-bedroom, lakefront cabin near Maple Bay.  
Short walk west of Douglas Lake Steakhouse.  
No smoking or pets, maximum accommodation - six.  
\$700.00 per week. Contact [jaynemorse@yahoo.com](mailto:jaynemorse@yahoo.com).  
(419) 537-1570.

Neat, clean water front cottage for rent. Sleeps 6, no smoking or pets. \$700.00 per week.  
You may contact  
Bob or Cathy Watz at (989)7814-1710

## **MACARTHUR ROAD COTTAGE FOR SALE**

Beautiful Douglas Lake home at 9231 McArthur Rd. Levering, Mi. 49755 3/2 with large game room and 2 car garage. Also 2 car detached garage. Two fireplaces. 100 feet of frontage.  
Call Blane Robertson 239-571-8980