



General Manager's Report

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Lake Carroll Volunteers Need Your Help to Locate Goose Nests

The Fishing Club has once again volunteered to assist the LCA with our annual “egg addling” work to help diminish the amount of new Canada geese at Lake Carroll. Egg addling is a common measure taken for many private lakes, like ours, who have an over- population of geese. Addling is applying a light coat of mineral oil to the eggs and has no adverse effects on the adult geese. Though the Goose and the Gander will continue to maintain this nest during the incubation period, these eggs will not hatch.

We are asking all Property Owners to assist us in locating the nests. The geese will be laying their eggs in mid to late April. If the nests are on your property, we will need your permission to enter the property, usually by boat, to complete the process which takes only minutes. If you know you have a nest with eggs, please call Ms. Arlene Gries at 815-493-2552 with your section and lot number, and the location of the nest. The LCA Office can also provide you with small, colored (utility type) flags which we ask for you to place in close proximity of the nest. This will be of great help to the brave volunteers who will be spraying the eggs. Thank you in advance for your help.

