

Lakes Festival Messabout

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Background and History



- Started in 2009
- Center Lake, Warsaw
- Education and Activity (on and off the water)
- +1,300 visitors in 2011

Something is missing!

Goal of White Paper Proposal

Objective: Expansion of the Lakes Festival with a second day and a second lake.

Goals:

- Increase the Lakes Festivals impact
- Increased revenue for Kosciusko County
- Encourage use of the lakes by owners of small human and wind powered boats and non-boat owners
- Raise awareness of lakes ecosystem
- Encourage Patronage of Winona Lake Park and the Village at Winona

Small Boat Messabout







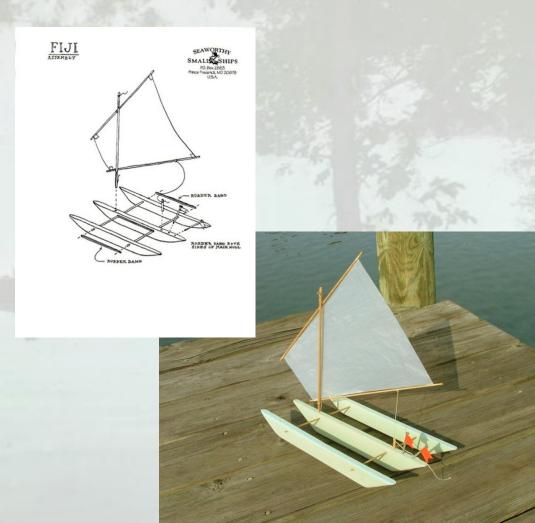


Other Messabout Activities

Nautical Bingo

Pond Yacht: The Fiji Trimaran





Lakes Festival Second Day Activities

- Grace College Bass Club: Bass Fishing Tournament on Winona Lake
- KCV Cycling Club: Mountain Bike Time Trials
- ICDI: 5K Run
- Silveus Insurance Group: Beach Volleyball
 Tournament at Winona Lake Park
- Village at Winona open that day

Second Day Impact



Economic -- Educational -- Environmental

Sustainability of the Event



1906 - Winona Bath and Boat Houses - Bathing Beach Tarrifs were \$3.50 per adult and \$1.75 per child per Season. (Suits and towels provided). Boats of all sizes from canoes to lake steamers were available for rent. Docking facilities were also available for private boats.

