# OTTY LAKE ASSOCIATION

1988-2

JUNE 1988

# ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Where: Perth Library

When:

July 9 Saturday

9:30 a.m.

What:

Business this year will include - the Shoreline Planting Project

- 1988 municipal elections

- Home security

There will also be elections for the vacant positions on the executive (volunteers welcome).

### MEMBERSHIP DUES

Paid your 1988 dues yet? You don't have to wait until the Annual Meeting to do it. The Treasurer will be glad to receive your cheque in the mail. Please send it now to Mr. Art Eastham at 265 Crestview Road, Ottawa K1H 5G4

The price is still a very low seven dollars (\$7).

### GYPSY MOTH SPRAYING

The 1988 Gypsy Moth spraying has taken place in North Burgess. As mentionned in the last letter, in April, the provincial government decision was that the best use of funds was to spray in North Burgess, where the threat is real and very evident, leaving North Elmsley for another time.

Several owners have already reported a heavy fall of dead

caterpillars, which we hope is an indication of success.



# Otty Lake good neighbours

to answer questions from those who may be interested.

# SHORELINE PLANTING

A SHORELINE survey was performed in 1987 and recommendations have been submitted to your executive. You will be hearing more about this from Glenn Girdwood and others at the Annual Meeting. A demonstration planting will take place in early July, as a warm-up for a more serious effort in 1989. We now know what plants are recommended for a variety of shoreline situations - plants that will bind the soil and prevent erosion but still allow property ownres to enjoy the view and access to the shore.

Anyone wishing to take part in the demonstration planting, by offering to receive a free-of-charge planting on the shore, should contact Glenn immediately at 267 6548

### SAILING

Sunday sailing resumes June 26. Anyone with a sailboat, any size, any level of ability, is welcome. Tours, races and practice runs-according to who appears - begin at (about) 2:00 p.m. every Sunday in mid-lake.

### HELP WANTED

Vacancies on the executive for 1988-89 will include

- Treasurer
- Coordinator of Counsellors
- Directors at large

If you are interested, call President Rex at 744 5279 or 267 2701

## SELLING A COTTAGE?

The Otty Lake Association is a member of the Federation of Ontarie Cottagers Associations (FOCA) and FOCA has recently announced a new plan whereby those who sell cottage property through a participating real estate agent may receive a 10% discount. The local participating agent is Glenn Crain. More details will be available at the Annual Meeting.

DRIVERS - Please remember to dim your lights at night when meeting pedestrians or cyclists on the roads near Otty Lake.