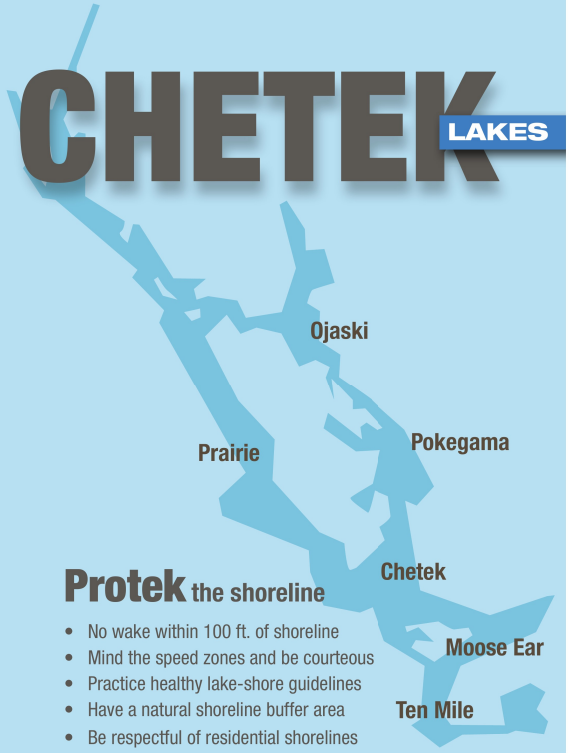
CHETEK LAKES



Protek the shoreline

- No wake within 100 ft. of shoreline
- Mind the speed zones and be courteous
- Practice healthy lake-shore guidelines
- Have a natural shoreline buffer area
- Be respectful of residential shorelines
- Preserve and or replace native vegetation
- Reduce erosion impact

Protek our fish

- Adhere to bag limits
- Check with your local DNR for complete fishing regulations…
- CATCH AND RELEASE… take enough for supper but remember big fish produce a future of big fish

Protek against pollution

- Don't dump! (litter, bait, fish-guts etc.)
- Don't let your septic system dump nutrients into the lake…
- NO phosphorus fertilizers
- Pickup celebration waste (fireworks & fire pit ashes)

Our mission

…to preserve and protect the Chetek Lakes, their surroundings, and to enhance the water quality, fishery, boating, safety and aesthetic value of Chetek Lakes as a public recreational facility for today and for our grandchildren.



The Chetek Lakes Protection Association, Inc., first established as a lake committee in 1985 became a qualified lake association in 1995.

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Please...

Help us keep our lakes healthy & beautiful!

CLPA encourages everyone to use these practices that have been developed by the DNR and other conservation minded organizations in Wisconsin and across the country. They are proven to deliver results.



A **Fish Sticks** are whole trees grouped together to provide breeding, feeding and nesting areas. Fish sticks can also prevent bank erosion - protecting lakeshore properties and your lake.

B **Native Plantings** include grasses and wildflowers with shrubs and trees. Choose a template based on your property and interests - from bird/butterfly habitat to a low-growing garden showcasing your lake view.

Diversion practices move water to areas where it can soak into the ground instead. Depending on your property, multiple diversions may be necessary.

C **Rock Infiltration** practices fit in nicely along roof drip lines and driveways and provide space for runoff to filter itself. They work best if your soil is sandy or loamy.

D **Rain Garden** are landscaped shallow depressions with loose soil and native plants. Rain gardens collect roof, path and driveway runoff preventing it from entering waterways. Rain gardens also create wildlife habitat and natural beauty.

Protek Against Invasive Species

- Prevent, monitor & control aquatic invasive species
- The same goes for invasive plants



Check List

- ☑ Trailer/Axle
- ☑ Anchor
- ☑ Dock lines
- ☑ Live well
- ☑ Rollers
- ☑ Motor/Prop
- ☑ Remember to pull the plug

Let's Hook Up

Join CLPA & Help us

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It is gratifying to know you are putting something back into our lake system.

To become a member: Visit our website for up-to-date membership and donation information…

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Send your dues or donation to:
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PO Box 916, Chetek, WI 54728

Thanks!

What We Do

Lake Saving Projects

- Support Walleyes for Chetek Stocking Programs
- Improve fish habitat with Fish Sticks and Cribs
- Administer DNR shoreland grants

Innovative Technology

- Own/operate Eco Harvester to manage unwanted plants and algae
- Locally promote water quality improvement strategies

Education & Outreach

- Provide input to multiple educational publications and programs
- Support lake programs at local schools and colleges
- Connect and communicate with surrounding lake associations

Citizen Sciences

- Supervise water quality monitoring/data collection
- Locally administer DNR Clean Boats/Clean Waters program