# Sandy Gillum



#### Wisconsin Association of Lakes Vice-President

Stewardship Awards Master of Ceremonies





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# Our Legacy of Lakes 2010

Wisconsin Lake Stewardship Awards

Presented by the Wisconsin Lakes Partnership UW-Extension Lakes Program Wisconsin Association of Lakes Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources

## Citizen category nominees

- Virginia Amerena
- Al Baade
- Mike Bader
- Barry and Arlene Borman\*
- Candis Chapman
- Earl Cook\*

\* 2010 nominees

# Citizen category nominees

- Sandy Gillum
- Jim Heim\*
- Donald Hermes
- Ted Ludwig\*
- Donald Madden

\* 2010 nominees

# Citizen category nominees

- Connie Muckelberg
- Milt Stanze
- AJ Theiler
- Chuck Thier\*
- Lee Wiesner
- Lorna Wilson

\* 2010 nominee

# 2010 Citizen category winner



## Earl Cook





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Earl Cook and others look on as Governor Jim Doyle signs into law the slow-no-wake bill and the bill designating a portion of the **Totagatic River as** one of our state's Wild Rivers in July 2009.

#### 2010 Citizen category winner

#### Earl Cook

Rep. Nick Milroy (*left*), Earl Cook, and Senator Bob Jauch look on as Governor Jim Doyle signs into law the AIS Transport bill in October 2009.



- Bayfield County Lakes Forum
- Clark Lake Advancement Association
  - Door County
- Florence County Lakes and Rivers Association

- Franciscan Sisters of Christian Charity

   Silver Lake, Manitowoc County
- Gibson Island Conservation Project

   Cloverleaf Lakes, Shawano
   County
- Friends of Lake Wingra\*
  - Dane County

\* 2010 nominee

- Lake Puckaway Protection and Rehabilitation District\*
  - Green Lake County
- Lake Wissota Improvement\* Association
  - Chippewa County

\* 2010 nominees

# Rock Lake Leadership Team\* Jefferson County

 Rusk County Wildlife Restoration Association\*

#### \* 2010 nominees

# 2010 Group category winner

#### FCLARA members with Maureen Ferry, FLORAGES CAPAGE Rivers, Association the Menominee River to tally invasive species on this WI-MI border river.

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## Florence County Lakes and Rivers Association

FCLARA board members assisting with a habitat restoration project on the Popple River. Pictured from left to right: Russ Cassens, Patten Lake; Jim Swanson, Keyes Lake & former FCLARA president; Tom Tanner, Fay Lake & former FCLARA vice president



### Florence County Lakes & Rivers Association



FCLARA members building a new kiosk at the public landing on Lake Emily. This was a collaborative effort with the Florence County Land Conservation, County Parks & Forest Departments.

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The Lake **Emily kiosk** was built in two days, based on an excellent design from a member of the Long Lake Association.

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Members of FCLARA and the Keyes Lake Association volunteering at the public landing for CBCW watercraft inspections

#### Florence County Lakes & Rivers Association



A member of FCLARA & Spread Eagle Chain of Lakes Association volunteering for CBCW on Labor Day

# Public Service category nominees

#### Heidi Bunk

Lakes Coordinator
 Dept. of Natural Resources, Southeast
 Region

#### Dave Ferris\*

County Conservationist
 Burnett County Land & Water
 Conservation Department

\* 2010 Nominee

# Public Service category nominees

#### Dale Hanson

County Conservationist
 Barron County Soil & Water Conservation Dept.

#### Deborah Konkel

Aquatic Plant Specialist
 Dept. of Natural Resources, West Central Region

#### Carolyn Scholl

County Conservationist
 Vilas County Land & Water Conservation Dept.

# Public Service category winner

**Carolyn Scholl** 

#### Vilas County Conservationist

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#### Carolyn Scholl (left) with Tiffany Lyden



#### **VILAS COUNTY** LAND CONSERVATION COMMITTEE AND LAND AND WATER CONSEPNATION DEPARTMENT

**IN APPRECIATION OF YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS** TO PROTECT AND ENHANCE WISCONSIN'S LAND AND WATER RESOURCES



August 8, 200 Y Date

Matthew J. Frank, Secretary Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources



Rod Nilsestuen, Secretary Wisconsin Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection

Pictured left to right: Sec. Matt Frank, Mary Platner, Carolyn Scholl, Sec. Rod Nilsestuen, & Rep. Dan Meyer

# Youth category nominees



- Boy Scout Troop 1035\*
   Berry Lake, Oconto County
- Girl Scout Troop 2724
  - Pewaukee Lake, Waukesha County
- Luke and Kyle Lenard
  - Clean Our Oneida Lakes (COOL) Club

\* 2010 Nominee

# 2010 Youth category winner

# **Boy Scout Troop 1035**

Shane Anderson's Eagle Project. Scouts conducted CBCW inspections and surveyed boaters at the Cecil boat landing.

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 Troop 1035 draws youth from the Underhill, Gillett and Suring areas in Oconto County.

 Rick Raatz is the Leader of Troop 1035.

#### 2010 Youth category winner Boy Scout Troop 1035



Scouts working with Tyler Raatz on his Eagle Project to conduct Clean Boats Clean Waters (CBCW) watercraft inspections at area lakes.







#### Tyler Raatz's Eagle Project

- Teams of fellow Scouts conducted Clean Boats Clean Waters (CBCW) watercraft inspections at landings in 3 counties:
  - Kelly, Finnegan,
     Christie, Berry, &
     Shawano Lakes
  - At boat landings on the Oconto River.

#### 2010 Youth category winner Boy Scout Troop 1035



Alex Wocking's **Eagle Project:** Troop 1035 is restoring a section of the Northern **Grace Youth** Camp's shoreland at Berry Lake, Oconto County.





## Alex Wocking's Eagle Project

- Restoring a section of shoreland on Berry Lake at the Northern Grace Youth Camp
  - Troop 1035 removed phragmites & other invasive plants
  - Transplanted native trees & shrubs from a local property
  - Mulched area with woodchips



# Alex Wocking's Eagle Project Boy Scout Troop 1035

- Restoring the shoreland buffer at Northern Grace Youth Camp on Berry Lake
- Project partners:
  - Camp Director
  - Staff at the Menominee & Oconto County Land Conservation Dept.
  - Berry Lake residents
  - Plus many others.

#### A special thank you! To all the people who work in so many ways to protect Wisconsin's legacy of lakes. Many are never formally recognized for their contributions, but they all certainly deserve our thanks.

Photo:

Tom Eddy & his Lakes Studies Students, Green Lake School District (2008 WI Lake Stewardship Award winners).

## An important reminder

Please nominate deserving individuals, groups, and businesses for the Wisconsin Lake Stewardship Awards each year.

Find nomination information online:

- www.uwsp.edu/cnr/uwexlakes
- www.wisconsinlakes.org