Due to a scheduling conflict, this year the AIS Training, which the District holds for our volunteers as part of our EWM grant work, is being held in conjunction with the Three Lakes Waterfront Association's training.  As before, Stephanie Boismenue from Oneida County Land and Water Conservation Department will conduct the training.  But this year, it is being held on Virgin Lake, near Three Lakes.  If you'd like to attend, please contact Dan Butkus (email dan.butkus@yahoo.com, or 608-628-5151) to sign up.  Your attendance will count as volunteer hours towards the District's EWM grant as in-kind donation of time at $12/hr per person.

Date:  Friday, June 14, 2019

Time:  1:00pm

Duration: 1 1/2 to 2 hrs

Location:  Bob Borek's home on Virgin Lake, 6534 Safar Rd, Three Lakes, WI

Agenda:

* Steph – “Brief Introduction to AIS”
* Sandy – “AIS from a WI DNR Water Resource Management Specialists Perspective”
* Sandy – “Aquatic Plant ID”
* Sandy, Steph, & participants – Field training - EWM identification from the pontoons and see the rapid response divers in action.

As a reminder, this year two (2) EWM Blitzes are scheduled.  Due to the success of letting volunteers schedule their sections of the lake for convenience, and to avoid having bad weather for a scheduled blitz day, the District will again have a 2-week window to complete each blitz.

* Blitz 1 - June 29 thru July 14
* Blitz 2 - August 17 thru Sept 1

Contact Dan Butkus for forms and for securing your section of shoreline:  dan.butkus@yahoo.com, cell # 608-628-5151