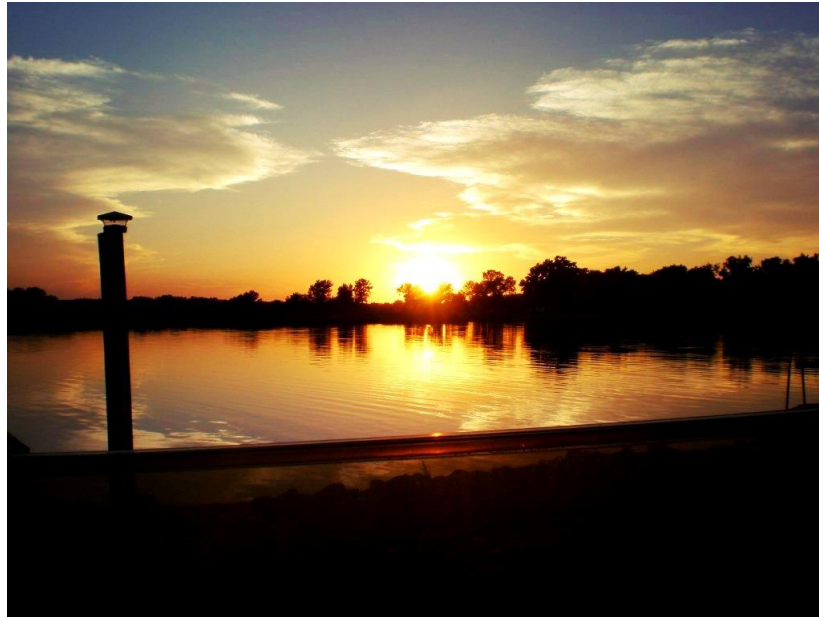


June 2022



Ericson Lake News & Updates

Get out the sunglasses and sunscreen, it's June and that means summer is here! Camping is in full swing and there are a lot of fun and exciting happenings going on at Lake Ericson. Come visit us.

[Visit our website](#)

Cornhole Tournament & Family Fun Day

Memorial Weekend the events committee held a Cornhole Tournament and Family Fun Day.

We had 16 teams compete in the cornhole tournament with several out of town teams. We look forward to growing the event next year. Winners were: First Place Aaron Nielsen & Christopher Nielsen, Second Place Jarod Rice & Cole Scheer and Third Place Terry Dozler & Chris Casteel. Congratulations! We look forward to seeing you next year.

Other activities included put-put golf



on the lake front, backyard foosball and ended the night with an outdoor movie showing Marmaduke, popcorn and cotton candy.

Proceeds from these events this year are going towards the duck races for Labor Day weekend.



Tornado Shelters

Tornado Shelters are in. For the past few years the events committee has been raising funds for storm shelters at the lake. 2019 & 2020 (flood & Covid) derailed the plans slightly, but in 2021 we were able to get back on track.

We were able to reach our goal and in early May two tornado shelters were installed. One is located near the horseshoe pit on the NW side of the lake and the second is located near the Terry Held Building on the east side of the lake.

The shelters got their first action less than a week after being installed on May 12th strong storms moved through the area with winds in the area up to 110 mph.

Playground Equipment Update

We have a **HUGE** update to announce for the playground equipment. We have received a \$5,000 donation from an anonymous lake member who will donate an additional \$5,000 if we can match \$5,000 in donations between now and September 15, 2022. Please help us reach this goal.

As a reminder the Farm & Ranch Raffle proceeds this year are going



towards the playground equipment.
Consider getting your tickets today.

Sara (Wadas) Fish is also selling t-shirts "Life is Better at the Lake" with the profit from the sales going towards the playground equipment. If you are interested in a shirt please contact Sara. Shirts are \$20 Each.



[Click to Donate to Playground Fund](#)

4th of July Events

Saturday, July 2nd

Pancake Feed at the ELC Building
Annual ELC Association meeting
Annual Bake & Craft Sale
Golf Cart Parade

Sunday, July 3rd

5th Annual Paddle Poker Run
Farm & Ranch Raffle Winners Drawn
Food Truck on the lake front
Fireworks at Dusk

Monday, July 4th in Ericson

Annual Parade in Ericson
Methodist Women's Dinner
Wagon Wheel Lunch Buffet
Jr. Rodeo at Rodeo Arena
Ericson VFD Street Dance

Celebrate the
4TH OF JULY
IN ERICSON

Saturday, July 2

PANCAKE FEED ★ 8-11 AM
AT THE ERICSON LAKE CORP. BUILDING

ERICSON LAKE ASSOCIATION MEETING ★ 10 AM
AT THE ELC BUILDING

BAKE & CRAFT SALE ★ 11 AM - 2 PM
AT THE ELC BUILDING

GOLF CART PARADE ★ 5 PM
AT ERICSON LAKE

Sunday, July 3

5TH ANNUAL PADDLE POKER RUN ★ 1 PM
12:30 PM CHECK IN & ONSITE REGISTRATION

**ERICSON LAKE FARM & RANCH
RAFFLE WINNERS DRAWN** ★ 3 PM

FOOD TRUCKS ON THE LAKE FRONT

FIREWORKS OVER LAKE ERICSON ★ DUSK
FOR MORE INFO ON LAKE ACTIVITIES, VISIT WWW.LAKEERICSON.COM

Monday, July 4

PARADE
10 AM LINE UP AT THE OLD GRADE SCHOOL ★ 11 AM START ON MAIN STREET
FOR MORE INFO, CONTACT TOSHA MURDOCK AT (308) 750-2099

METHODIST WOMEN'S DINNER
FOLLOWING THE PARADE AT THE ERICSON FIRE HALL

THE WAGON WHEEL LUNCH BUFFET
FOLLOWING THE PARADE, CLOSING AT 3 PM

JR. RODEO ★ 1:30 PM
AT THE RODEO GROUNDS
FOR MORE INFO, CONTACT ANGIE FENNER AT (308) 653-3125

**ERICSON VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT
FUNDRAISER** ★ 6 PM - MIDNIGHT
WITH SHOOTER JAXX & THE JAMES LEE BAND



5th Annual Paddle Poker Run

Sunday, July 3rd @ 1:00 PM

\$20 / Person

Prizes awarded to top 3 hands in
Adult & Kids Divisions.

Pre-register online before June 19th
for free t-shirt.

Farm & Ranch Raffle Winners will be
drawn at the conclusion of the Paddle

**Paddle Poker Registration
& T-shirt Orders
Click Here**



Poker Run.

For more information click on the registration link or visit:
www.lakeericson.com

If you are unable to make it to the paddle poker run, but would like a t-shirt. You can pre-order only until June 19th.

Stick around afterwards for the Fireworks.

Farm & Ranch Raffle 2022

Get your tickets now!

1 for \$10 or 3 for \$20

4 Winners will be drawn on Sunday, July 3rd after the Paddle Poker Run.

Get your tickets at the following businesses:

- *Hungry Horse Salon - Ericson
- *Ranch Cafe - Ericson
- *Wadas, Inc - Ord
- *Kayton International - Albion
- *Sapp Bros - Elgin

Or you can get your tickets online below:

[Get Your Tickets Here!](#)

Lake Ericson Farm and Ranch Raffle

All Proceeds to Go Towards Buying New Playground
Equipment for Levander Park at Lake Ericson - Ericson, NE

Grand Prize	1 st Place	2 nd Place	3 rd Place
• Free Semi Service (up to \$500)	• 12V Battery Charger	• IH 766 Pedal Tractor	• Yeti Style Cooler
• JD 88-410 Pedal Tractor	• 5 Gallons of 15W-40	• 5 Gallons of 15W-40	• 1-30lb Propane Tank Refill
• 5 Gallons of 15W-40	• 5 Gallons Hydraulic Oil	• 5 Gallons Hydraulic Oil	• 1-20lb Propane Tank Refill
• 5 Gallons of Hydraulic Oil	• 1-30lb Propane Tank Refill	• 1-30lb Propane Tank Refill	• 15 Tubes of Grease
• 1-30lb Propane Tank Refill	• 1-20lb Propane Tank Refill	• 1-20lb Propane Tank Refill	• 21 Piece Socket Set
• 1-20lb Propane Tank Refill	• 15 Tubes of Grease	• 15 Tubes of Grease	
• 15 Tubes of Grease	• \$100 Gift Card to Bomgaars	• \$50 Gift Card to Bomgaars	
• \$150 Gift Card to Bomgaars			

Tickets 1 for \$10 or 3 for \$20

Winners to be Drawn
Sunday July 3rd, 2022

Limited Number of Tickets to be Sold
Winners Will be Contacted by Phone
Need not be Present to Win

Tickets Available at the Following Locations

- Hungry Horse Saloon - Ericson
- Ranch Cafe - Ericson
- Wadas Inc. - Ord
- Kaytons - Albion
- Sapp Bros. - Elgin
- Cyndi Schure-Humphrey @ 308-539-2255

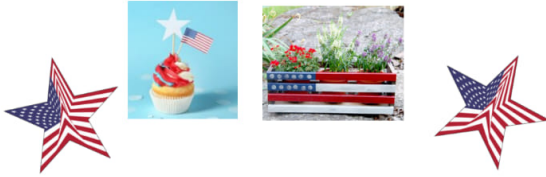
Thank You to Our Sponsor's

Proceeds from the raffle will be going towards adding playground equipment at the lake



Ericson Lake Bake & Craft Sale

Saturday, July 2nd
11:00 am to 2:00 pm



Drop off your baked goods or crafts between 8:00 - 11:00
Contact Cyndi Schure: 308-539-2255



Pancake

Breakfast Feed

Saturday, July 2nd
8:00 AM – 10:00 AM

ELC Building / Carousel

FREE WILL DONATION

ALL PROCEEDS GO TO UPDATING
PLAYGROUND EQUIPMENT



Later Events

Labor Day Weekend

2nd Annual Husker Tailgate Party
2nd Annual Duck Races

December 2nd & 3rd

2nd Annual Trail of Lights Ride
Through Christmas Light Display on
Back Trail

More information to come.





Spotlights

Fireworks

Over the years Ericson Lake has been the go to place to go on 4th of July for fireworks. This past year the cost of fireworks has increased by almost 40%. Farmers & Merchants Bank and Ericson Lake plan to put on the same amazing fireworks show as usual. If you would like to contribute to the fireworks fund, please click on the button to donate. There are also donation jars for fireworks at the local businesses in Ericson.



[Click Here to Donate to the Fireworks](#)

Safety

The speed limit around the entire lake is 15 mph. We have had an influx of speeding and careless driving with vehicles and ATV's already this year. There are a lot of young kids playing and riding bicycles around the lake along with adults and pets walking. Please obey the 15 mph speed limit and have a discussion with your kids and guest to obey the posted speed.



Trail of Lights



December will be here before we know it. We will be getting geared up and preparing for our 2nd annual Trail of Lights Ride Through Christmas Light Display Fundraiser this summer. If you would be interested in helping up organize this event, would like to decorate your own scene, have lights you would like to donate or have a generator that you would like to lend for the event please let Cyndi Schure, Ashley Kaiser or Nicole Levander know.

Camping Reservations



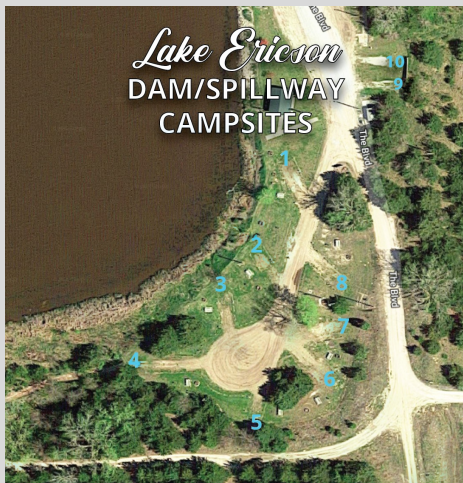
Minimum stay of 2 nights for electrical reservations - \$30 per night

(Maximum stay of 14 days)

There are 30-amp campsites for \$30 per night and 50-amp campsites that are also \$30 per night (50-amp sites: Campsites #2, #6, #7 and #8 at the Dam Campground and Campsites G, H and J at the River Campground)

All camp sites are back in ONLY....there are no drive through sites.

Tent camping is also available at two locations. No reservations required - first come first serve. Cost is \$10 per night per tent. (no minimum stay)



Camping Payments

Payment must be received within five (5) days, if paying by a check or immediately if paying by a credit card, after camping reservation is made to guarantee your site. If payment is not paid within this time, you will lose your spot.

Please mail payment to:
Ericson Lake Corporation
P.O. Box 27
Ord, NE 68862

Make checks payable to Ericson Lake Corporation. Checks, cash, money orders or credit card via PayPal invoice only. We will take your credit card over the phone, however will run it through PayPal and will be an extra \$5 service fee.



You can reach us in the office between the hours of 8:00 and 5:00 at (308) 728-3132