

2006 Carter Lake Clean Up Event In Review

The Carter Lake Preservation Society conducted a very successful lake clean up event on April 8, 2006. A diverse group of close to 300 volunteers of all ages worked to remove trash and debris from the Carter Lake shoreline. Twelve teams walked the 6.7 mile shoreline in both Nebraska and Iowa, filling bags with trash and recyclables. Painstaking care was taken to pick up everything from large metal items to thousands of tiny pieces and shards of glass.

Volunteers started as early as 8:00 am walking the shoreline, breaking only for lunch (provided by generous sponsors) before heading back out to continue their clean-up tasks. The teams' collective efforts resulted in the removal of trash filling three 40 foot containers. They also removed over 300 tires.

The end result is a much cleaner and safer shoreline for Carter Lake residents and visitors to enjoy.



Planning & Preparation

The core planning committee of Bonnie Farr, Sue Williams, Mitzi Mossman, Joan Harder, Nan Bateman, and Jeanne Eibes have worked on getting the cleanup organized since the conclusion of the last cleanup in September of 2005. They spent countless hours raising money, organizing food and beverage for everyone, finding sponsors, and most importantly recruiting nearly 300 volunteers to clean up the lake. Without their tireless leadership, planning and dedication, this event would never have happened.



Special Forces Team

The special forces team of Doug Wallingford, Steve Wilbur, Kevin Seevers, Rollie Cape, Greg Smith, Mike Wallace, Tom Aldmeyer, Ed Aldmeyer and Chris Roseland did a tremendous job removing all the items that could not be picked up by hand. These items ranged from 55 gallon drums, several trees, a fuel tank from a locomotive, to more than 30 pilings which, with the lake at such low levels, could have caused severe damage to boats or fatal injuries to boaters, skiers and jet skiers. They should all be thanked for not only beautifying the lake but for also making it a safer place to boat.



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THANK YOU VOLUNTEERS!!!

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Our sincere apologies if we have accidentally omitted any names.

RECOVERY OF THE RARE & RUSTED



The Carter Lake Clean Up efforts uncovered many unique and antiquated items from the lower shoreline area of the lake including the items listed below.

- 1960 Comptometer (adding machine)
- 1 bundle of Sunday World Herald newspapers dated August 2003
- 2 - 3 guns that were in pieces and rusted
- 20 FT. container FULL of tires—approx. 300 tires
- Lots of 55 gallon barrels in various stages of decomposition.
- Rolled up mattress
- Clothes and shoes
- Lots of fishing "stuff"
- 1 large animal carcass
- Blue recliner
- Mesh fence
- 30 + pilings
- Lots of old glass pop containers and some antique glass bottles
- Bright green bowling ball
- Bikes of various sizes and decomposition.
- Antique metal roller skates-rusted and corroded
- Lots and lots and lots of broken glass of all kinds and colors
- Patio Umbrella
- 1 fuel tank from a locomotive
- Rusted out tool box....empty
- Jewelers briefcase - empty

