

IMPORTANT

EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2013



New Catch & Release Program

Effective January 1, 2013, Birchwood Lakes Community Association, Inc., has instituted a Catch and Release Fishing Program in all four of our lakes.

- *Includes all fish species, no exceptions*
- *Applies to all four lakes (Upper, Lower, Middle, and East)*
- *Program to remain in effect for 2-3 years at which time it will be re-evaluated after fish surveys are conducted*

Fine for violation is \$100 per fish

At the December 8, 2012 Open Board Meeting, the Board of Directors approved a fine of \$100 per fish to anyone found in violation of this new program. The Board will assign this program to the Rules and Regulations at the January Board Meeting.