



*It's Your Lake—Help Us Preserve It!*

## OLA Virtual Annual Meeting

Wednesday, April 28  
7 p.m.

*The meeting will start soon.  
Thanks for your patience!*

# **75<sup>th</sup> + 1 Annual Meeting for 2021**

## **April 28, 2021**

The OLA Board of Directors is pleased to announce that they will host our Annual Meeting this spring, despite the challenges of the covid pandemic. Our plan is to host a Virtual Meeting, using a Zoom platform, as well as a YouTube channel. Once we develop the log-in sequence, we will alert our membership through Facebook, our website, and our e-newsletters. We promise to make it as easy for you to participate as possible.

You can see that the evening is power-packed with a number of experts in their field. You won't want to miss it! In the meantime, **mark your calendars for April 28 at 7:00 pm**. We hope to see you there for a fun and informative evening.

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## **Agenda**

7:00 **Welcome**

7:05 **Business Meeting**

Treasurer's report	Lance Vella
Membership report	Bruce Schantz
President's report	Bill Girvan

**Q&A WILL FOLLOW AT THE END OF EACH PRESENTATION**

7:20 **Oneida Fish Cultural Station Update**

Manager – Bill Evans

7:35 **Oneida Fisheries Report**

Cornell Senior Research Associate – Dr. Randy Jackson

7:50 **Law Enforcement on Oneida Lake**

DEC Division of Law Enforcement Region 7 – Capt. Jim Boylan

8:05 **Current Status of Federally funded Cormorant Control**

Chief of the DEC Bureau of Wildlife – Jim Farquhar

8:20 **Oneida Lake proposed Fishery Regulation changes**

Chief of the DEC Bureau of Fisheries – Steve Hurst

8:45 **OLA 76<sup>th</sup> Conservationist of the Year Award – Matt Snyder**

9:00 **Drawing for Kayak and Go Pro**

One from Zoom attendance, other from membership at-large

### **ANNUAL MEETING COMMITTEE**

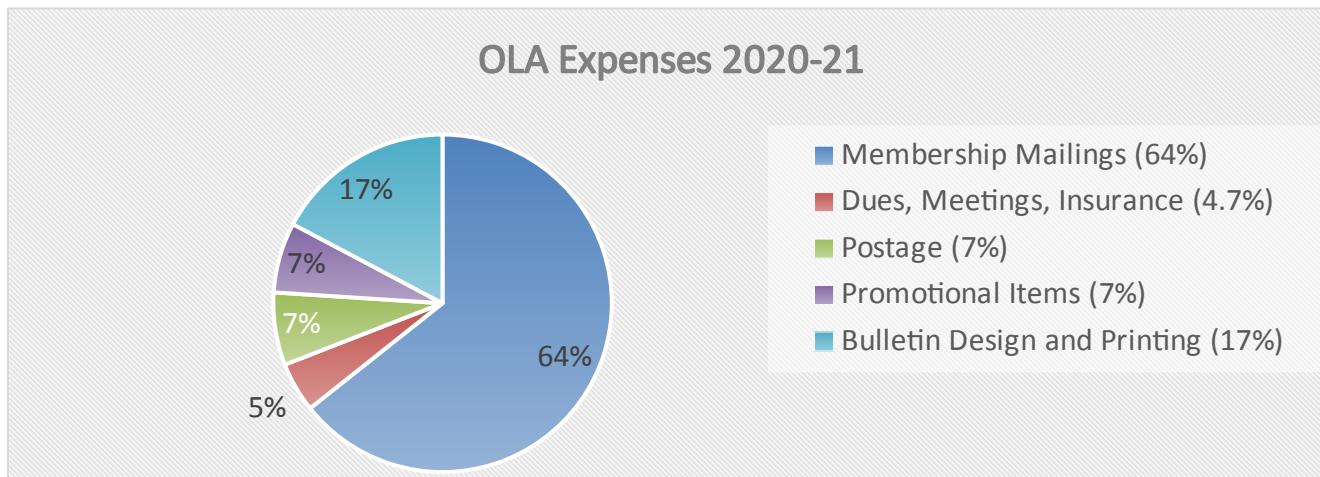
Tony Buffa MC, John Harmon, Rip Colesante, Ed Mills, Warren Darby, and Matt Snyder

A note on Board of Directors elections: Your Board of Directors has done our best to adapt to virtual meetings. We have been able to conduct most of our business as usual online, but not our usual election procedures for directors. OLA bylaws require an in-person, show-of-hands election at the annual meeting, which is not possible during a period of limitations on public gatherings.

# Treasurer's Report

*April 1, 2020-March 31, 2021*

- Revenue: \$36,585
  - Another good membership year
  - donations
- Expenses: \$25,762
  - membership mailings
  - meeting and sports show expenses (canceled because of Covid)





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