

Save *OUR* Lake



A Subcommittee of the Grindstone Cottage Owners Association



Lake Winnipeg continues to experience health issues due to excess nutrients that lead to dense blooms of algae.

YOU can make a difference.

Watch the quantity of Water you use, how you use it and what you flush down the drains. Look for phosphate-free cleaning products in all forms and use eco-friendly fertilizers.

Reduce, Re-use and Recycle.

The Grindstone Cottage Owners Association has donated \$500 three times now to the LWRC and our **Save Our Lake** sub-committee continues working to help people understand the health issues facing Lake Winnipeg and what we can do to help. We have therefore developed a listing and sources of phosphate free products other than those found in stores. This can be obtained by contacting us at saveourlake@shaw.ca and you can pass the information around your area or group.

A number of other action groups have already joined us in supporting the research and education work of the **Lake Winnipeg Research Consortium** that uses the *MV Namaq* to undertake the important data-gathering surveys each summer in the North and South basins of the Lake. The ship will be out again this year, so watch out for that big blue vessel.

We challenge **you** to make a **donation** as an individual, family, cottage owners group, business, community or municipal organization. Thanks for your support!

Send your cheque to LWRC, PO Box 1289, Gimli, MB R0C 1B0.

Use Water Wisely.....it all leads to the Lakes
It's up to each of us. Do your part!