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## **GUYS' CLUB NEWS**

The July 15 Guys' Club breakfast will be held at the Patio Restaurant and starts at 8 am. All committee chairs should be prepared to present their reports. Certificates of completion for the 2008 Guys' Club Continuing Education program will be distributed at the breakfast (program attendance not required).

***Guys' Club Living Sculpture:*** One hundred semi-clothed Guys' Club members will form a "living sculpture" on the Lakeside Dock on Monday July 14, at 7 pm, hoping to raise awareness about the intersection of climate change and men's issues.

The photo shoot will be made by Yabetta Lookaway, the New York artist famous for his pictures of semi-nude gatherings in public settings worldwide. This shoot is meant to draw attention to the effects of global warming on Lake Erie's shrinking glaciers as well as creating an awareness of male struggles within Lakeside over the past 100 years.

"The melting of the glaciers is an indisputable sign of global climate change," said the environmental group GreenStuff, which is co-sponsoring the Guys' Club event. They said most Lake Erie glaciers would disappear by 2080, if global warming continues at its current pace. The tip of one of the last glaciers on Kelly's Island can still be seen from the Lakeside dock on clear days. GreenStuff Director, Les Izbettor, lamented, "It is likely that only the glacial grooves will remain on Kelly's island limestone, assuming Lafarge doesn't blast away the limestone for use in McMansion construction in Lakeside.

This upcoming Guys' Club event, which follows Lookaway's previous shoots in London, Mexico City and Amsterdam, is designed to sensitively portray men and the environment, GreenStuff officials noted. All Lakesiders are invited to an open discussion session following the living sculpture. Temperatures during the shoot are expected to hover around 75 degrees. For sure, the photo shoot will be canceled if the temperature dips below 65 degrees. Members are requested to wear their cleaned and pressed Guys' Club boxer shorts for the shoot.