Blairstone Forest_Pond Report. January ~ February, 2023 (midori)

January

- * Water supply periodically Set on Timer
- * Water supply 'OFF' due to rainstorms_ 01/21/Sun and 01/27Fri
- * Tree trunks/ branches removal from pond (excluding large, heavy debris)_ 01/29/Sun

February

- * Selective pond shoreline treatment (EcoBoost)_02/06/Mon
- * Visual inspection of pond water (McGlynn)_02/14/Tues
- * Follow up visit to collect water Samples for Testing, on Site Oxygen Testing_02/27/Mon

 Recommendations: Organic Treatments for long-term benefits for Forest environment
 (NOT heavy metal based, chemical treatments, as such treatments are non-biodegradeable,
 permanently remains in the environment)
- * Review surplus native plants Kiki purchased from Tall. Nurseries_02/16/Thurs
- * Tree trunks/ branches removal from pond (excluding large, heavy debris)_ 02/26/Sun

Inquiries/ Requests to BFHOA Board:

- * <u>Inquiries</u>: Budget Specifications_ \$3,000 Pond Water Quality Mngmnt? \$750 Pond Committee? \$2,500 Pond Path Project?
- * <u>Budget Requests</u>: procurement for monthly Organic treatments (includes algaecide), remunerations for tests/consultations (McGlynn)

<u>General Requests to ALL BF Residents:</u> Please use all fertilizers, pesticides, herbicides, etc...responsibly. Less is more...

(Instead of quick-fix inorganic/chemicals, please consider using Organic treatments, OMRI listed)

Our Pond Ecosystem continues to support a diversity of fauna, flora and micro-organisms. (Waterfowls are getting ready to nest by the pond...)