

**COVENTRY STATE OF THE LAKE FORUM
AGENDA
TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 2024 7:00PM
MILL BROOK PLACE
1267 Main St. Coventry, CT**

Welcome and brief updates from Coventry Lake Advisory and Monitoring

Health of Coventry Lake

Presenter:

Dr. Ben Burpee, GZA –Limnologist, Senior Technical Specialist

Question and Answers

Low Impact Development / Best Practices Within Coventry Lake Drainage Area

Panel discussion led by knowledgeable experts:

Lori Mathieu, Vice Chair of Coventry Inland Wetlands Agency and member of IWA's Low Impact Development Work Group

Steve Trinkaus, P.E. owner of Trinkaus Engineering specializing in land development and recognized for LID strategies

Savannah Kitchin, Town of Columbia Inland Wetlands & Watercourses Agent and Zoning Enforcement Officer

Question and Answers

Closing comments

Adjournment

Coventry Lake
SCUBA Hydrilla Survey
July 28th & 29th, 20

- *Hydrilla verticillata*
- Survey Track

Wangumbaug
Lake



HYDRILLA is in Coventry Lake

HYDRILLA is a problem species:

- Not Native to CT
- Highly Invasive
- Easily Spread
- Forms Dense Patches
- Grows Rapidly
- Displaces other aquatic plants

You Can Help Prevent the Spread!

Before Leaving the Launch:

- **Clean:** Inspect and remove all aquatic plants and other debris from boat and trailer and dispose of properly.
- **Drain:** All water.

At home or prior to your next launch:

- **Dry:** For a minimum of 1 week in hot/dry weather or a week in cool/wet weather.
- **Wash:** Everything that had contact with the water with hot high pressure water, a salt solution, 100% Bleach, 10% Bleach, or detergent.

For More Information About Clean, Drain, Dry
 Contact the
 Aquatic Division
 860-438-0038
www.coventrylake.org

IT'S THE LAW!
 Connecticut General Statutes § 26a-300b

STOP AQUATIC INVASIVES!

COVENTRY LAKE
 AWARENESS
 MONTH!

July Is *Protect Coventry's
 Treasured Jewels*

Coventry Lake Awareness Month

Swim Boat Fish Ski Paddle

Proclaimed by the Coventry Town Council

How well do you know your fish??

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A woman in a grey and yellow high-visibility jacket and blue jeans is talking to a man in a blue polo shirt and khaki shorts. The man is holding a clipboard and looking at the woman.

A man in a blue long-sleeved shirt and white shorts is standing with his arms crossed, looking towards the woman and the man in the polo shirt.

