



**26<sup>th</sup> Annual Loon Count**

**Saturday, July 18<sup>th</sup>, 2009 from 7:00 to 7:30 a.m.**

**Official Count Information –REQUIRED**

Please record only those adults and chicks seen in your count area from 7 to 7:30 a.m., and **mark the locations of all birds seen on the enclosed map**. If there is no map enclosed, please sketch a rough outline of the lake on the back of this sheet.

**Please mark the maps with:** “A” for adults with time observed  
 “c” for chicks with time observed  
 “X” for your observation point (if counting from shore) *or*  
**dashed lines** for your observation route (if counting from a boat)  
 “N” for known nest locations (Don’t search out if not known!)

Region \_\_\_\_\_ Town \_\_\_\_\_ County \_\_\_\_\_

Lake \_\_\_\_\_ Total # of Loons: Adults \_\_\_\_\_ Chicks: \_\_\_\_\_

**Additional Information - OPTIONAL**

# of adults seen in your count area *the week before* the count: \_\_\_\_\_ and *the week after* the count: \_\_\_\_\_

# of chicks seen in your count area *the week before* the count: \_\_\_\_\_ and *the week after* the count: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of known nests used this year: \_\_\_\_\_

Visibility and weather conditions: \_\_\_\_\_

Additional comments: \_\_\_\_\_

**Counter Information**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

*If your address has changed since last year, or you are a new counter, please fill in address information:*

Summer Address (if mail received):

Winter or Year-round Address:

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Zip

Zip

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Approximate dates: \_\_\_\_\_

e-mail\*: \_\_\_\_\_

*\*include only if you want to receive loon-related e-mail messages and action alerts related to loons and lakes*

***Please return your count form and map to your coordinator by August 1. Thanks for your help!***