



July 23rd, 2009 Sportsmen Bassmasters Meeting Minutes



Members Present:

~~Jim Battin~~
Paul Becka
Craig Belbeck
Jim Boettcher
~~Dan Bonneson~~
Mike Breuer
~~Mike Bureusa~~
Mike D'Aloia
~~Chris Glaze~~

Mickey Goetting
Ron Grav
~~Eric Hauge~~
Bill Young
Matt Hitzeman
Dave Huttner
Doug Thies
Carey Nordling
John Nugent

Howard Gilles
Dave Phelps
Dale Richardson
Bill Rineveld
Brent Schwab
~~Craig Strom~~
Mike Owens
~~Tyler Larsen~~

President's Report (Dale Richardson):

- Jeff Hoberg visited the club for his 1st meeting.
- Phil Burton visited the club for this 1st meeting.
- Terry Aten was back for his 2nd meeting.
- Dale gave John Nugent his seal of approval of being a great guy. Mike 2nd that thought.
- There are Sportsmen Bassmaster hats still available at \$10 a piece.
- Craig has distributed the big bass tags from last year.

VP's / TD's Report (Craig Belbeck):

- Next tourney on Big Marine. We will be launching from the north launch. Tourney hours will be 6:30 - 2:30 unless everyone is there earlier so get there early if you can.
- Thanks for Bill R. for running the tourney on Tonka.

Secretary/Treasurer's Report (Dave Huttner):

- Balance is \$969.80 at Wells.
- Current paid members stand at 26.
- Wrote checks for Big Bass (Bill Y., Dave H., John N.) and also \$50 to Craig for Tonka fee.

Internet Director (Mickey Goetting):

- Reminded to use link on website for Bass Pro Shops on our website when ordering.
- Stats will be updated on the website within the next few days.
- Reminder to get your creel surveys in please!

Special Projects (Bill Young):

- August 8th, Family Fishing event on Lake Marion. Need to figure out who is going and then what food item they are going to bring. Bill will be sending around an email to fill out to figure these things out.

Data Director (Mickey Goetting):

- Covered above.

Federation Rep (Paul Becka):

- If anyone is interested for a Fed Office position start giving it a thought. Paul can help you out if you are interested.

Education (Dave Huttner):

- Minnetonka Green Lake Recap

Conservation Director (Matt H.):

- Clean up went well on Tonka. Thank you.

Youth Director (Brent S.):

- Nothing to report.

Old Business:

- Reminder - If you want plaques, contact Dale. Cost will be about \$60 unless this is your first plaque for which the club will pay half the cost.

New Business:

- Mike suggested that the top 6 guys bring in the lures/baits that they used in the tourney they placed in.
- Terry Aten was voted in to the club.
- Next tourney will be on Big Marine from the north launch. There are no involuntary boaters. Pairings are as follows:
 - 1) Dale R. and Eric
 - 2) John N. and Terry A.
 - 3) Mike Breuer and Tyler Larsen
 - 4) Chris Glaze and Jim Battin
 - 5) Dave P. and Craig B.
 - 6) Ron G. and Howie G.
 - 7) Dan B. and Brent S.
 - 8) Paul B. and Craig S.
 - 9) Bill Y. and Mickey G.
 - 10) Dave H. and Bill R.
 - 11) Matt H. and Phil Burton (potential member)
 - 12) Doug T. and Mike OwensJim Battin may not fish as well so there may be room for Jeff as well.
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Next Meeting: August 27th, 7:00 pm, David Fongs.