



March 26th, 2009 Sportsmen Bassmasters Meeting Minutes



Members Present:

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

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

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

President's Report (Dale Richardson):

- Guest Darcy Cross was at the meeting
- Casting Kids in Rogers took place.
- Federation booth at the Sports Show with many members helping.
- Rick Hill will be leaving the club.
- Craig Strom has his dues paid now.
- Ron's friend Dennis will now not be joining the club at this time due to some conflicts.
- Received some Rapala gear for testing which was passed out.

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

- Tourney rules to be gone over in April meeting.
- Got permit for Green Lake.
- Ordered nametags.
- Having some potential liability insurance problem issues Minnetonka. We are looking to have Federation look into this for us. Paul will take this to the Federation.

- Marion has been voted out due to fee requirements. A different lake will be chosen next meeting.

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Secretary/Treasurer's Report (Dave Huttner):

- Current balance is \$1,532.13
- Current paid membership stands at 25.
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Internet Director (Mickey Goetting) (not present):

- Although he wasn't here, he says that he is offering discounts on MJ Lures.

Special Projects (Mike Burcusa):

- Resort on Chetek available for stay for our first tourney. Talk to Mike Burcusa for more details.
- Mike will start planning on family picnic day for this year.

Data Director (Mickey Goetting):

- The "Mr. Bass Points" are posted on the club website and should be current with attendance and officer positions. Please review them and let Mickey know if they need corrections.

Federation Rep (Paul Becka):

- Federation Skeeter bids still being accepted until Friday the 27th at 9:00 PM.
- Looking for volunteers for JR TOC on Waconia, tourney 26th of June.
- Fed still looking for secretary. If you are interested see Paul.
- Bassinators doing lure drive. If you have baits, tackle, rods, to donate you can contact Jeff Nelson (Paul has his number).
- Minnetonka looks to be next TOC for 2010.
- Pokogama off limits on the 21st for TOC.

- Everyone needs \$300,000 liability policy reminder if you are using your boat in a club tourney.
- Rosters need to be in at the end of April for the club.
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Education (Mike Burcusa):

- Mike did a presentation on the physical and mental aspects of tournament fishing. Presented different strategies from several pros. He will email this out to all.
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Conservation Director (Matt H.) Not present:

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Youth Director (Brent S.): Not Present.

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Old Business:

- Paul will send in checks for TBS Shadow club.

New Business:

- Nominations for Marion lake replacement. Will vote next meeting.

Next Meeting: April 23rd. 7:00 pm, David Fongs.