

Crabtowne Bassmasters
Minutes Oct. 12, 2010

Meeting Started: 7:01 PM
Meeting Adjourned: 7:42 PM

Attendance:

Present: Steve, Fred, Roger Sr., Sam, Jeff, Denis, Jim Pitt, Jim Adair, Dan, Alan, Glen, Dan
Absent: Jack, Roger Jr., Joe, John, Jim A, Jeff

October Meeting Minutes: Approved as written

Treasurer's Report: Fred distributed the treasurer's report that was also summarized in the meeting agenda. Bank statement and checkbook accounts were reconciled at \$570.94. Available funds were \$582.94 consisting of the bank balance and \$12 petty cash. Treasurer's report was approved.

Southern Region Report: Steve presented the report of the September meeting. MFBN 2011 membership list was sent to all clubs for updating. MFBN dues are \$50 for a club and \$20 for each member. Ed Riley will represent MD in the BASS National tournaments. The by-law change on term limits passed. Next meetings: Oct – Fred; Nov – Joe, and Dec – Roger Jr.

Conservation: Fred reported on the Waterworks Park initiative. He also reported that the Mattawoman Watershed Society group is once again becoming very active.

Old Business

Safety: Denis presented his boating safety report, indicating that Jim Adair and Alan still need to provide their insurance papers.

Bylaws: Steve reminded members that discussion and proposed bylaw updates will start at the November meeting. We'll try to wrap-up the bylaws by the January meeting.

Officer Elections: Nomination for 2011 position will be solicited at the next meeting with a vote in December.

New Business

2011 Dues: \$80 dues are dues payable by the December meeting.

Membership: Steve indicated that some non-boaters are not participating in our tournaments and as a result, Boaters are frequently being forced to fish as Riders. He indicated that we need to recruit more Non-boater members. Steve will update the website indicating we're looking for Riders.

Fishing: There was brief discussion on the Sassafras tournament, where only 5 fish were caught.

Nov. 6 Potomac Tournament Draw*

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| 1. | Jim Adair | Joe |
| 2. | Jeff | Fred |
| 3. | Jim Pitt | Doug |
| 4. | Roger Sr. | Dan |
| 5. | Sam | Denis |
| 6. | Alan | Open |
| 7. | Steve | Open |

* As an exception, It was agreed my club members that Boaters could fish 'solo' if not paired with a Rider, pending 2011 bylaw discussion on how we should handle this matter going forward.