

Crabtowne Bassmasters
Minutes of October 13, 2015

Meeting Started: 7:01 PM

Meeting Adjourned: 7:50 PM

Attendance

Present: Steve, Glen, Bill, Charlie, Denis, Fred, Kevin, Terry, Harrison, Jenn, Ken, Dave Gurry and Mike C.

Absent: Alan, Jim, Franco

Sept 8 Meeting Minutes: The agenda and minutes were distributed before the start of meeting. The Sept 8 minutes were approved.

Treasurer's Report: Terry

Last month report balance (8/28/2015): \$938 -\$145 (Gemini) + \$29 (Big fish, hat)

Sept. statement balance: \$793 (9/30/15)

Current available balance: \$793 + \$29 cash = \$822

Southern Region Report: None

Volunteer for next meeting: Bill will attend 7 PM meeting, Nov. 4th @ Crofton Library.

Conservation: Fred reported on snakeheads in the upper Potomac.

Membership: Since Dave is present, he will just need to fish a tournament before we vote for membership.

Unfinished Business:

Steve is expecting his Gemini jersey shortly and Ken ordered his. It takes a month to deliver. Ken can help if you have trouble ordering online. Check your spam file, if you don't get a request to approve the order after submission.

The Marshyhope donations were sent to MBN Youth/HS program.

Safety: Kevin needs insurance forms from Harrison, Alan and Bill's new boat.

New Business: Steve noted we can get a box of Eagle One boat sprayers cheap.

We will nominate officers at the November 10 meeting, and discuss Bylaw changes. Votes to elect and adopt them at the December 8 meeting. Also come with tournament suggestions (like change from Lake Anna to Deep Creek for the Oct. two day one?).

Tournaments:

Steve discussed the Lake Anna tournament rooms. In 6 rooms: Steve/Charlie, Kevin/Jim, Terry/Bill, Denis/Andy, Harrison/Dave. For Friday pre-fishing: rally at Collington @ 7 AM; for Saturday, rally at 4:30 AM to launch at 7:30 AM from High Point Marina at Lake Anna. Sunday launch @ 7:30 AM. Back at ramp at 4 PM Saturday and 1 PM Sunday.

Upper Bay Tournament: Nov. 7th, Rally at Jumpers Shell @ 5:15 AM. Draw 1. Denis/Terry 2. Steve/Dave 3. Alan/Jenn 4. Charlie/Kevin 5. Jim/Mike 6. Harrison/(Dave Jr.?)

For the good of order (concerns, suggestions, complaints etc.): Dave asked about his son fishing with the club. Guests are welcomed on a space available basis. Their catch is weighed with members, but not counted for club awards. Members can join at 16, but don't tend to stay once life happens.

Mike asked if tides could be figured in to start times for tournaments. The answer is we already do, as far as possible. Dues will be \$100 for next year, again. Various suggestions were offered for rod/reel repair. Larrysrodandreelrepair@hotmail.com, Fredericksburg, VA; Marty's on Mayo Rd.; Tom's Custom Rods; Ken Preston rods in Pasadena. Ask Steve for details.

Motion to adjourn: Denis, second Jenn. Honored by mass exit.

Submitted by Terry Helser, Secretary