

Crabtowne Bassmasters  
Minutes of July 12, 2016

**Meeting Started:** 7:04 PM

**Meeting Adjourned:** 7:53 PM

**Attendance**

Present: Alan, Andy, Bill, Charlie, Chip, Dave, Franco, Glen, Harrison, Jason, Jim, Kevin, Steve, and Terry.

Absent: Ken, Denis, Fred, Mike.

**June 14 Meeting Minutes:** The agenda and minutes were distributed before the start of meeting. The June 14 minutes were approved (Franco, Andy motion).

**Treasurer's Report:** Terry reported that

Last month report balance: \$362.79 (5/28/2016 statement) and \$562.79 total

Month statement balance: \$536.79 (6/28/2016 statement) + \$26 cash = \$562.79.

Current available balance: \$562.79 + \$200 (Jason & Dave dues) + \$15 hat + \$18 big fish + \$140 (Mullet/Coverdale MHOpen) + \$80 (M. Draper MHOpen) = \$1,015.79.

**Southern Region Report:** July 7, Ken on vacation. Steve announced the Southern Region Open Tournament in Oct. 1 out of Smallwood. They will be posting information shortly. The new catch and release only rules for several rivers are NOT active, and may not be.

Volunteer for next meeting on Sept. 1 to be determined later.

**Conservation:** Fred absent; no report.

**Membership:** Dave Gurry's and Jason Sokoff's memberships paid tonight. We are 18 members (10/11 boaters w/out or with Dave's; 7/8 riders), so we will not recruit newbies for now. Terry needs to pay BASS and MBN fees for the new members ASAP.

**Unfinished Business:**

**Safety:** Kevin needs insurance forms for Charlie, Chip and Alan, and a boat photo for Harrison. Gemini Jerseys are being ordered. Steve will check on the status of our refund. New hats from MD Monogram are available for \$15 from Terry.

We have at least 8 rooms reserved for Lake Anna.

Web site profiles needed for Alan, Chip, Fred, Franco, Glen, Harrison, Mike, and Jason.

**New Business:**

Marshyhope Open: Jim & Alan, Andy & Denis and Dave and son are fishing it, so at least 5 members will not be working it. The worker bees will need to find others to fish somewhere, if they want, when not needed at the ramp. Steve handed out the entry form and old jobs list, which we checked. Changes include Charlie's as well as Steve's phone numbers on the emergency cards. Denis, Dave, Jason, and Harrison (and Jenn) will be removed from jobs. Alan and Charlie will get three (3) weighing baskets of equal weight to use. Otherwise OK as listed.

**Fishing Discussion:** Trap Pond discussion ensued, with squeaky buzz baits a favorite. Andy offered that pinching the rivet on the arm to make it squeal is a pro trick.

**Tournaments:** We drew for Black Hills on July 23: 1. Harrison, Kevin 2. Steve, Franco 3. Alan, Glen 4. Bill, Jason 5. Charlie, Terry 6. Chip, Denis 7. Dave, Fred 8. Jim, Mike 9. Andy, guest.

Steve handed out the worksheet for the paper tournament. Each boat should have a measuring board with at least ½ inch increments. No tape measures. Charlie is to check them for accuracy before launch. Right.

**Motion to adjourn:** by Andy and Alan at 7:53 PM.

Submitted by Terry Helser, Secretary