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At our last meeting: I wasn't able to attend the June meeting, but Shawn Earley was kind enough to send me the minutes regarding what was discussed. Thanks Shawn.

The "Women in the Wild" outing was discussed, and apparently everything is shaping up very well. It seems that quite a few people have already signed up to volunteer their boats and guide service, but we could always use more. If you'd like to be a part of this event, contact Kathy Sloan or a member of our Board and let them know.

The Chapter Challenge was discussed. If you are attending the Chapter Challenge, you NEED to get Brian Grote your shirt size immediately so he can get the order out. His phone number is listed on the left side of this page.

Brian talked about our Veteran's outing saying that there was a good turn out. He said some nice fish were caught as well.

Wednesday Night League is under way. I haven't been able to attend any of the events yet so I may not have all of the figures, but here are a few totals so far. On Detroit Lake on the first night the winner was Shawn Earley with a 52 inch fish. On Lake Sallie Rod Aaser caught a 52 inch fish and Greg Harvey caught a 45 incher. Jim Wolters caught a 38.5 inch Northern on Sallie. We'll have more on League next month.

John Skarie says it looks like we will have 24 members fishing the Chapter Challenge this year. He made a Motion that we buy an ad in Muskie magazine regarding the Challenge, as long as we didn't spend more than \$500.00, and it was approved.

John Skarie made a Motion that we give Brett Waldera \$300.00 to use toward the purchase of lures for the Chapter Challenge, and it was passed.

Bob Collins stated that he has been having a great time taking seniors out fishing on Detroit Lake with the "Let's Go Fishing With Seniors" pontoon. He says our money that we donated to the program is going toward a good cause.

Brad Waldera-Editor

Wednesday Night League Dates

July 29th Pelican Lake August 5th Detroit Lake

August 12th Pelican Lake September 9th Detroit Lake

September 19th Finale'

You may fish Detroit, Pelican, or Sallie on the final day with the angling hours from 8am-2pm. We will meet afterwards at a location to be determined later. Good luck to all fishing League this season.

2009 Muskies Inc. Chapter Challenge

The 2009 Chapter Challenge will be held Aug. 26-28 on Minnesota's Leech Lake, and based out of Grand Vu Lodge. The cost is \$225 to stay Sunday -Sunday, or \$50.00 per night. Docking fees are included in that. We have one full 9-bedroom cabin with 7-Man Hot Tub and also a private bar with seating for 30 people. We'll be getting another cabin as well. Grand Vu Lodge and Anderson's resorts have donated a weeklong stay for 4 people as a raffle prize, which is good at any of their resorts on Leech Lake.

Photos

As Photo Editor for Muskie I am always looking for pictures for the magazine. If you've got some big fish pictures or just some interesting shots, please e-mail them to me at bradwaldera@yahoo.com Thanks. Brad

Chapter Website

If you haven't checked out our Chapter website yet, please do so and tell me what you think. There is information available there that is not featured in the monthly newsletter due to space limitations. Please check it out occasionally so you can find out the latest information about our Chapter happenings.

www.freewebs.com/fmmuskiesinc/

Membership Renewal Reminder

If your name is listed here, your membership to Muskies Inc. is due to expire within the next 30 days. Disregard this notice if you've already renewed. Thanks.

Bill & Sharon Fletcher
Bernice LaPash
Jeff Samson

Derek Grote
James Loberg
Karen Scheve

Upcoming Events

July 27- Regular meeting at the West Fargo VFW, 7 pm

August 15th- Women in the Outdoors event. More info to come later.

August 26-28, 2009- Chapter Challenge at Leech Lake.

Wednesday Night League

Shawn Earley won the first League outing on Detroit Lake with a 52 inch fish. Rod Aaser caught a 52 inch fish on Lake Sallie, and Greg Harvey caught a 45 inch fish on Lake Sallie. Try to attend if you can.

At The Next Meeting

We will talk about the 2009 F-M Chapter Lake of the Woods trip, the Muskies Inc. Chapter Challenge, and Wednesday Night League. Be there.

To make your own Sunrise/Sunset/Moonrise/Moonset Calendar

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