



Muskies Inc.

Fargo-Moorhead

Chapter

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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.

Wally Christensen.

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Attention

Even if you've entered your fish online, you must fill out an entry form for Shawn. Your fish will not appear on the Standings page if you do not. Please get all entry forms to Shawn as soon as you can. Thanks.

You can now join or renew your Muskies Inc. membership on the computer with a credit card. You can even donate to the Kermit Benson, Perry Smith, or Gil Hamm Funds.



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At our last meeting: I was unable to attend the October meeting but Shawn Earley was kind enough to keep me updated on some of the issues that were talked about. Thanks a lot Shawn. According to Shawn, this is what took place.

Mark Stenger mentioned that he received a letter from the Minnesota DNR thanking us for our \$1000.00 donation toward their dock purchase. The dock is for the Walker Lake fish hatchery located along the Dead River in Ottertail County.

Mark also noted that he had not heard anything regarding the public access on the south end of Detroit Lake. Hopefully it will be easier to launch from next season.

Marlo Sloan thanked our Chapter for helping with the "Women in the Outdoors" outing that we provided boats and guide service for. He said that they are already planning next year's event, and it's shaping up to be even bigger and better. Please keep that date open on your calendar to help out, as I hear it's a pretty good time.

Our biggest fundraiser of the year, Angler's Night, is going to be held on February 7th. We've sent in for our permits and things are starting to fall in place. We could sure use more help in manning booths, setting up, etc. It's really fun to work at the event, and the meal is usually fantastic. If you can't help out, please at least try to sell tickets or attend. With our ongoing fish stocking of Many Point Lake, we need all the support we can get. You may also go home a winner, as we give out dozens and dozens of prizes. We'll pass along more details as we get closer to February.

Make sure to attend our December meeting, as we'll have our annual election of officers, tackle auction, and Chili feed. It will be on Dec. 17th.

The 2008 Chapter Challenge will be held in the Bemidji area of Minnesota. The lakes included are Winnibigoshish, Big, Bemidji, Cass, Plantagenet, and Andrusia. Hope I spelled those right. The Challenge will take place in the last week of September, and it looks like the F-M Chapter will have at least two 6-man teams. There should be plenty of big fish caught, so mark your calendar if you're interested.

At the Next Meeting: We'll have our Summer Roundtable discussion.

Brad Waldera

President's Message

Hello All,
What a fall for fishing. Not only were there lots of fish caught, but BIG fish. The big fish were crazy in Oct - Nov and I felt lucky to share my bait, boat and time with so many of you. I got to witness about 20 releases this fall. I became a very good net man, you can ask John Skarie, and he'll tell you how good.

At the next meeting we will be accepting nominations for the Board of Directors and for officers. Please feel free to put your name in the hat. We need some more people to make this chapter work. There is more to MI than catching fish, so please try to attend the Nov meeting and consider one of the positions that will be available. Good Luck Fishing; there is still soft water.

Mark Stenger Pres 02

I decided to start a Fargo-Moorhead Chapter website. You can access it by the link listed below. Look in the latest news section to see the most urgent information pertaining to our Chapter, or to find information about subjects that we didn't have room in the newsletter to mention. Right now you can check out some information about our Chapter's RVP position. Thanks.

www.freewebs.com/fmmuskiesinc/

Upcoming Events

November 26- Regular meeting. West Fargo VFW 7pm.

December 17th- Regular meeting. West Fargo VFW, **6:30pm start**. Don't forget this meeting starts earlier than normal as we've got a lot going on. Try to be there.



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<u>Name</u>		<u>Name</u>		<u>Name</u>	
<u>Fish</u>	<u>Points</u>	<u>Fish</u>	<u>Points</u>	<u>Fish</u>	<u>Points</u>
Jason Benson		Kathy Sloan		Brady Crawford	
79	1625	7	143	5	107
Loren Crawford		DeAnn Grote		Evan Twa	
24	423.5	3	62.5	14	106
Jeff Cadwell		Kathy Crawford		Ryan Sailer	
26	414	1	21	6	52
Brian Penfield		Joan Stenger		Katie Crawford	
14	313.75	1	19	1	10
Ben Swanson		Jane Bartlett			
10	230.5	1	16		
Wayne Crawford		Karen Scheve			
12	206	1	16		
Brian Grote		Ruth Anderson			
10	196.5	1	13		
Jeff Bommersbach					
10	178.5				
Mark Stenger					
8	143				
David Hovda					
8	135				
Jesse Frolek					
7	123				
Ed Sweeney					
8	117				
Bill Anderson					
4	72				
Matt Aaser					
4	65				
Rod Aaser					
3	54				
Brad Waldera					
4	50				
Tim Schultz					
4	42				
Chris Schrom					
1	22				
Ron Teschner					
3	22				
Tom Gustad					
1	18				
Ray Sailer					
3	15				
Brent Bushy					
1	9.5				

<u>Master's Division</u>	<u>Lunker Of The Month</u>	<u>Pro Master's Division</u>
<u>Name</u> <u>Fish</u> <u>Points</u> Jerry Sondag 106 1991 Joe Hardy 214 1695 Brett Waldera 57 1079.5 Shawn Earley 51 928.5 Ted Eckel 28 245 Bud Anderson 25 240 Daryl Riley 5 83 Bob Collins 1 17	<u>March-</u> Jerry Sondag 35" <u>April-</u> Will Hardy 42" <u>May-</u> Jerry Sondag 38" <u>June-</u> Jerry Sondag 56" <u>July-</u> Brian Penifield 52" <u>August-</u> Brady Crawford 53" <u>Sept.</u> - Jerry Sondag 54.25 <u>Oct.</u> - Jerry Sondag 53" <u>Nov-</u> Mark Stenger 51.5??	<u>Name</u> <u>Fish</u> <u>Points</u> Will Hardy 22 270