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## **NOVEMBER 27 MEETING**

The November meeting will be held on Tuesday, Nov. 27. It's Big Buck lie and Turkey night!

### **Cooler of Cheer raffle!!!!**

The Annual Christmas Cooler of Cheer is winding down. The lucky winning ticket will be drawn at the annual Christmas meeting on Dec. 18.

The lucky winner will receive a **128-quart cooler full of cheer, a big assortment of party snacks and \$100 in cash**; a prize well worth the one buck investment. As in the past, an incentive plan has been developed to encourage you to sell tickets for this raffle.

This year's cooler raffle will include incentive prizes for members who turn in at least \$20 in tickets early. Try to turn in tickets and or money during the Nov. meetings and you will have a shot at winning a gift certificate to Lakeside Tackle. Tom Moores was the winner of the Gander Mountain certificate in October.

Finally, the overall top ticket seller will win a really nice Portable **hand-held radio**. (This is a great boat tool, so you may want to talk to your crew and pool your results.) I have plenty of extra tickets for everyone who needs extra tickets. Please feel free to call me or see me at the meetings. From our Board of Directors and myself, we say thank you for your support.

Rob Golaszewski(810) 367-2186

## **CHRISTMAS MEETING DECEMBER 18 at our MEETING PLACE - 13 Mile K of C in Warren.....**

Mark this date on your calendar. It's the night we all find out who's been naughty and who's been nice....or something like that. Bring the entire family.

## **Board of Director Annual Elections**

The annual election for the DETROIT STEELHEADERS Board of Directors will take place at the Christmas meeting. There are six 3-year and 1 one-year openings for directors this year. Absentee ballots may be requested from Ray Banbury at least 10 days in advance of the meeting.

This is a chance to help direct our club and to give back some of what you have gained by being a member. (cont. page 2)

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## DNR Opens new Ramp on Lake St Clair

LANSING--Michigan DNR announced the opening of a new boating access site at L'Anse Creuse Bay on Lake St. Clair near Mount Clemens. The new Clinton River Cutoff Boating Access Site will have three skid piers capable of launching boats up to 35' into the freshly dredged channel.

A modern restroom facility also will be available next spring for launch ramp users. Directions: I-94 to exit 236 (Metro Beach Hwy), to Crocker Blvd., right to Jefferson, right (south) about two miles to the access site on the left. Launch fees: \$4 for daily pass, \$24 for annual pass.

## Tree Stumps Found on Lake Huron Floor

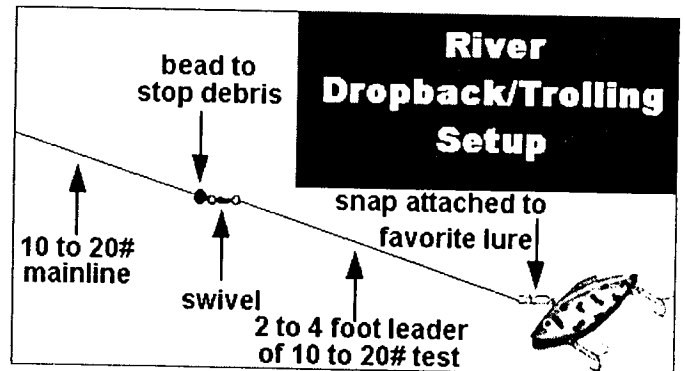
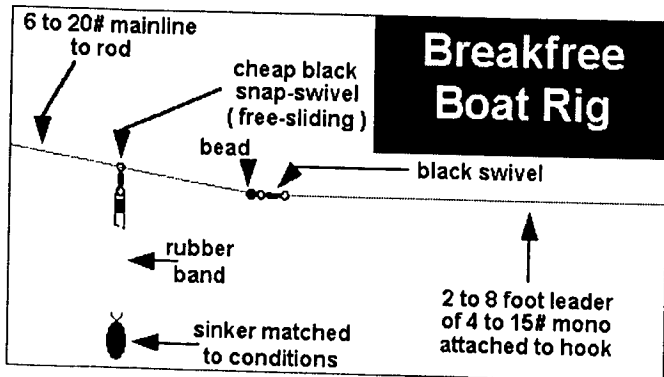
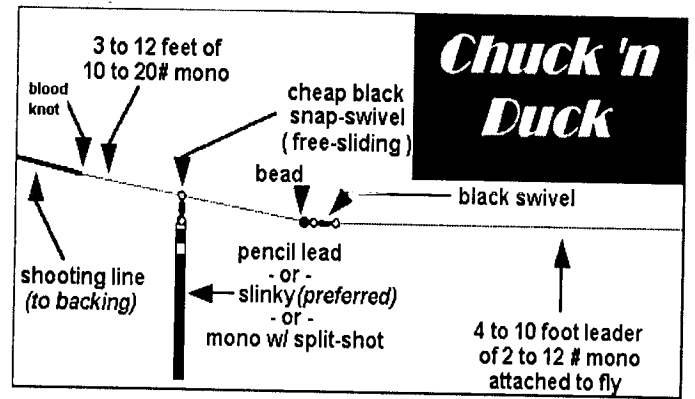
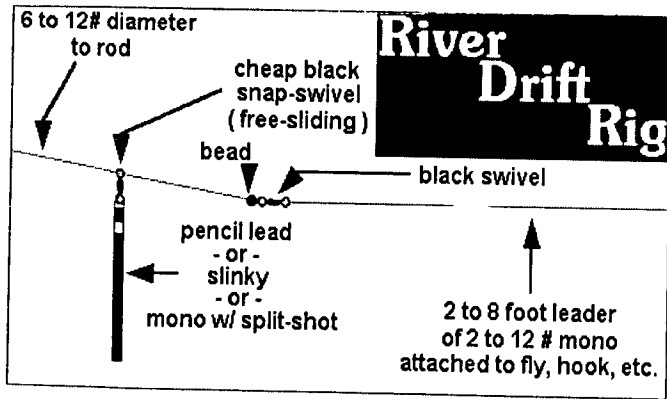
Scientists are investigating a forest of tree stumps 40 feet below the surface of Lake Huron in hopes of better understanding how the Great Lakes were formed. Scientists have been diving in the forest for the past five years. Aiding them have been Sea Cadet divers from the Great Lakes Division. The tree stumps, rooted in murky sediment more than 2 miles off the coast of Lexington, Michigan are being photographed and inventoried in 10-by-10-meter cells. The forest was discovered in 1993 by Garry Biniacki, a diving instructor who was looking for a shipwreck. (Now I know why I lost that cannon ball. Ed.)

## Photo Contest

There's not much time left, so don't forget the camera at the River, Surf and Piers! Our photo contest is in full swing. Contest photos will be on the board at the November member meeting. The Board will review them all with the winner picked at the December 11<sup>th</sup> Board Meeting.

Your photo could be posted on the web site and could be on the cover of the 2002 Annual.

The 2001 winner will be announced at the annual Christmas meeting on December 18th. Forward your prize photos as soon as possible to Bob Mitchell at [bmitchel@cecom.com](mailto:bmitchel@cecom.com) or to Linda Banbury or Ken Kuhar at one of our membership meetings.



**CLUB SPECIAL EVENT  
SPORTSMEN'S GAME  
DINNER**  
Salt River Golf & Country  
Club  
New Baltimore, MI

Announcing our annual  
Sportsmen's Game  
Dinner scheduled for  
March 9, 2002. For  
additional information  
contact Steve Hamilton  
at (313) 881-3871 or e-  
mail [gamedinner@  
detroitsteelheaders.org](mailto:gamedinner@detroitsteelheaders.org)

**Holiday Smoked  
Salmon Spread**

makes 6 servings

Ingredients:

- 1/3 cup cottage cheese
- 2 tablespoons plain yogurt
- 1/3 cup cream cheese at room temp.
- 8 oz. Smoked Salmon
- 1 tablespoon lemon juice
- 2 tablespoons minced scallions

Directions:

In blender, blend cottage cheese, yogurt, and cream cheese until smooth. Do not overblend. Set aside. In medium bowl, finely mash salmon with a fork. Add the cottage cheese mixture, lemon juice and scallions. Mix thoroughly. Chill several hours or overnight.

**Membership Renewal**

Did you know you can renew by credit card on our web site? Go to [detroitsteelheaders.org](http://detroitsteelheaders.org)

**MANISTEE 3-WAY**

The annual Manistee 3-way tournament took place on November 4. Bragging rights came down to the Detroit Steelheaders Vs the Midland Steelheaders with Midland bringing in 36 lbs. to win.

The top steelhead for Detroit was caught by Joel Garinger with a nice 10 lb. steelhead. Doug Karakas caught a non-counting 11 lb. Brown.

**2002 Sport Shows**

It may be hard to believe but it's only a few months until the 2002-show season hits the Detroit Area.

There are three shows that the club will have its display booth at in 2002. Starting with Silver Dome Jan. 30 through Feb. 3, and then The Palace Feb. 21 through Feb. 24, and finally the Outdoorama Feb. 22 through Mar. 3.

As in the past we will need volunteers to man our booth at these shows. Sign up sheets will be available at the membership meetings from November through January. Working the club booth at the shows is a great way to meet people who share the same interests as you do, namely anything having to do with fishing and especially Trout and Salmon fishing. And it goes without saying that it provides an opportunity to see these two great shows and talk to the vendors, charter

operators, etc. and to many old friends the club has made over the years.

Please see me Mark Bevans at the meetings if you are interested in singing up to work at the shows. This year we will give every member who signs up to work our booth at the shows a small token of our appreciation; a new Detroit Area Steelheaders towel (one per person only. Sorry, no additional towels for signing up for all shows or for multiple shifts. Towels to be obtained at the booth.). Thanks for your help. Mark Bevans. For additional show information use the links found on our web site: [www.detroitsteelheaders.org](http://www.detroitsteelheaders.org)

**New WAAS GPS?**

Looking for a new GPS? Consider one that has WAAS capability. WAAS means Wide Area Augmentation System. To us laymen it means that your GPS will now be even more accurate.

A regular GPS unit is accurate to only about 100 feet. The WAAS units will improve this to less than 20 feet; more than enough to get back over that school of feeding kings or between the pier heads.

A WAAS ground station receives the initial GPS signal. It knows exactly where it is so it tells the satellite what correction needs to be made to the data. The satellite then broadcasts the correction necessary to improve accuracy. WAAS!

# COMING EVENTS

## MEMBER MEETINGS

Tuesday November 27

Tuesday December 18 (Xmas)

Tuesday January 29

St. Pius K of C, Warren

## RIVER TOURNAMENTS

December 1 Ludington Pier

January 12 Manistee River  
For more information call Doug Karakas at (248) 545-1181

## MISCELLANEOUS

GLSFC Annual Meeting  
Cabela's Dundee Feb 9  
Dinner Dance Feb 16  
Sportsmen's Dinner Mar 9

Interested parties should contact Ray Banbury (248) 542-8007 or

any other board member at the November meeting. All you have to do is to fill out a short form stating your interests and how you can help.

Announced candidates include:  
Linda Banbury  
Mark Bevins  
Doug Karakas  
Mary Karakas  
Tom Moores  
Bill Nutting  
Mark Stosiak

## DINNER DANCE

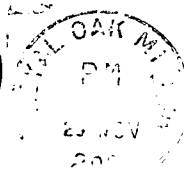
Tickets to the Annual Dinner Dance can be purchased at the Christmas meeting. The dance will take place on February 16. Tickets are regularly \$70 per couple.

The tickets are a real bargain when you consider they include food, open bar, dancing and a chance at the door prize. Be

sure to see Mary Karakas for tickets or call (248) 545-1181. This has been a fun filled event. If you haven't decided if you want to go, ask someone who was there in the past. I guarantee they will tell you that it's a great time. We will have a sit down dinner followed by dancing.

As in the past, there will be raffles for the guys and for the gals. (although many gals win in the guys raffle, too.) We are still in need of donations for prizes. If you can contribute, please see Doug or Bob Mitchell. These prizes do not have to be fishing oriented. We have had people donate crafts, services and other things that make terrific raffle prizes. (Some wives just don't want to win a fishin' rod.) Don't miss this chance to show your spouse a good time. It could go a long way toward making it easier to go fishing next summer.

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MEETING NOTICE - PLEASE DO NOT DELAY

