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MEETING MOVED TO October 24

The Regular membership meeting for October has been moved one week forward to October 24 due to Halloween. (The request to move the date came from the Fish Fairy who had a previous commitment)

The November meeting will return to the normal "Last Tuesday of the Month" schedule. (Nov 28)

Jim Bedford is the scheduled speaker for the upcoming October general member meeting. Anyone who has seen Jim present will tell you its one you won't want to miss.

Jim is the grand master of spinner bait fishing having refined many of the concepts used here in Michigan. He'll make you a believer in fishing spinners for steelhead and salmon in rivers and show you how to make your own spinners.

Cooler of Cheer raffle!!!!

It is time for the most popular fundraiser of the year. The Annual Christmas Cooler of

Cheer. The support of all of our members and friends has really made this a fun event. The lucky winning ticket will be drawn at the annual Christmas meeting on Dec. 19.

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 October and November meetings and you will have a shot at winning a gift certificate to West Marine or Gander Mountain.

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.

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COMING EVENTS

MEMBER MEETINGS

Tuesday, October 24

Tuesday November 28

Tuesday December 19

St. Pius K of C, Warren

RIVER TOURNAMENTS

November 4 Manistee 3-way

December 2 Ausable River & Surf

For more information call Doug Karakas at (248) 545-1181

BOAT TOURNAMENTS

TBD

CHRISTMAS MEETING

DECEMBER 19 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

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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 AREA STEELHEADERS Board of Directors will take place at the Christmas meeting. There are multiple openings for directors this year.

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

Interested parties should contact any board member at the October meeting. All you have to do is to fill out a short form stating your interests and how you can help. The candidate's info. will appear in the November issue of Fishin' Tales.

DINNER DANCE

Tickets to the Annual Dinner Dance can be purchased at the Christmas meeting. The dance will take place on February 10 at the K of C hall. Tickets are regularly \$60 per couple. Plus, if you purchase a table of 8 before the end of the year you will

also receive a special prize worth at least \$20.

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.