



THE MUSKY NEWS



Newsletter of the Winnebago and Musky Club July 2024

UPCOMING MEETING - WEDNESDAY AUGUST 7TH, 7PM

There will be a regular business meeting agenda. The Boat Raffle ticket stubs, money and any unsold tickets must be turned in at this time. The DROP DEAD date for this to be in our hands is Friday, August 10.

If you have not sold any yet, time is running out.

We had a very successful day selling Boat Raffle tickets on Saturday June 29th at the Fond du Lac Farmer's Market. With the help of Jerry LaPine, MaryAnne Lapine, Greg Stubbe, and Bob Rennock we raised over \$600 in Boat Raffle Sales. This was hard work in the heat of the day please let them know how much their work is noticed and appreciated! The Boat Raffle is extremely important to the Club and the Alliance.



OUR LAST OUTING RESULTS

The last outing on Lake Poygan was won by the muskies. No muskies were reported. A couple of northerners were the only thing caught. 14 members participated. The bean feed at the Fin N Feather was excellent and everyone enjoyed the social event.

THE LAST REGULAR MEETING - JUNE 5TH

Jason Breeggemann, Wisconsin DNR Senior Fisheries Biologist presented an excellent program to the Club. Jason works out of the Green Bay Service Center serving Brown and Manitowoc Counties. He gave us an interesting discussion regarding the fishery history of Green Bay. His in depth discussion revealed the ups and downs of that fishery explaining the causes and effects of the health of this very popular fishing hole. Most of the problems have been a result of man-made habitat destruction. Jason talked about the research going on presently to help mitigate damage and where the fish are coming from namely some tributaries. Natural reproduction in the Bay is not easily proven.



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This program was very interesting especially to those that are presently fishing the Bay. We thank Jason for his presentation.

UPCOMING OUTING-JULY 26, 27, & 28-LAKE OF CHOICE VILAS OR ONEIDA COUNTY

The fishing hours are Friday, July 26 sunrise to Sunday, July 28 sundown. We will meet at Lumpy's Bar and Grill; 838 US-45 South, Eagle River, WI 54521 starting at 4 PM Saturday, July 27. Lumpy's is just south of Eagle River. Please RSVP to Jerry Lapine 920-517-0392 by, July 24 if you are planning to attend. Five dollars per person towards lunch. Send picture & text of fish caught during the outing to Jerry Lapine with time and date and length of fish to qualify for the FIRST FISH OF THE OUTING TROPHY. ALSO register your fish with the club by email to Greg Rubin (winnebagomusky@gmail.com). This is the registration that goes on our Club log and will qualify you to possibly win a cash prize at our annual banquet.



It would be appreciated if you let Tom LaPine (our Facebook Editor) know about your catch with a photo. Tom will then make a post on our Club's Facebook page. Email- (thebowman1@gmail.com) or text him (9205174420) so he can put it open Facebook. Hope to see you at the outing.

FISH REPORT by GREG RUBIN

05/05/2024	Wyatt Ziemer	34.5"	Bucktail	Little Green
05/09/2024	Luke Mueller	39"	Plastic	Elkhart Lake
05/26/2024	Owen Ziemer	41"	Bucktail	Wolf River
06/24/2024	Luke Mueller	37.5"	Bucktail	Big Arbor Vitae
07/06/2024	Eric Larson	35"	Bucktail	Big Sand

Remember members, register your musky catches and releases with the Club. It is easy to do. Send the data by email to; winnebagomusky@gmail.com within 10 days of your catch. It would also be nice to send a photo too.



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THE ANNUAL BOAT RAFFLE IS ON!

A CALL FOR HELP

On Friday and Saturday, August 9 and 10 we are planning to display the boat at the Waupun "Truck N Show". We need at least 10 Musky Club volunteers to man this event. The days will be long and no one should be expected to be there the whole time. Please give Dave Mace a call or text to let him know if you can help sell tickets. This should be an outstanding venue and opportunity to make some sales. Please call or text me ASAP with your intent to help. (920-960-4179). This is an outstanding and popular event you would probably like to experience personally.

We are nearing the end of selling raffle tickets for the Alliance Boat Raffle Project. WE NEED SOME HELP! Call Dave or text to volunteer (9209604179). Members, please do your part and sell some tickets for the Club. Thank you from the Club in advance for your help.

Currently, we have the following retail establishments selling tickets at their businesses, Central Barber-FdL, Tommy J's-Johnsburg, Fish Tails-Fox Lake, Lake View Bar & Grill-Little Green Lk, Heritage Ridge Travel Plaza-Waupun, Tavern on the Ave-FDL, Hansen's Badger Tire-FDL, and the American Legion- FDL. Please consider doing business with these businesses. They donate their time and space to us for this project which is our main fundraising project.



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WIN ME!



Grand Prize

**2024 Recon Boat Model 895 DC & Trailer
Powered by Mercury Outboard 115 XL Pro XS**

OR

\$25,000

2nd-10th Prize

Musky Fishing Reels

**Profits Used For Stocking, Research,
& Improving Musky Fishing in Wisconsin
Drawing to be held Sunday, August 18, 2024 at 1:30PM
Vilas County Fairgrounds, Eagle River WI**

**164 W. Forest St. Eagle River Wisconsin
(Need not be present to win)**

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Raffle Tickets Sold Here-\$5 each or 3 for \$10



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