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President's Message

February is flying by quickly and our Airboat show is right around the corner. We are planning some new things this year that should add some new excitement to the already largest Airboat & Buggy show of them all. For the first time ever, we will be bringing in the food trucks for a larger variety of food for the weekend, but we will still be serving our famous pork sandwiches. This will be our 2nd show with a concert venue and it has come with a lot of new challenges as we will be featuring Nashville recording artist Scott Collier. Along with Scott, we will also be featuring a local bluegrass band, Pine Island Express, on Saturday afternoon and then they will return Sunday afternoon to play before the awards presentation. We will also be going out to the Orange Blossom parade next weekend with the club store so come on out if you can.

Our joint cleanup date with the Dade club has been set in Area 3A north its going to be Saturday April 21st starting at 9am lets help pass the word so we can get a large group together that day to clean our levees and Stub canal boat ramp . This should be last time we will have the amounts of trash that we have seen in the past as there is a rule change beginning in June that stops the target shooting in the area and that should stop the vast amount of trash these folks leave behind. We will be bringing this up at the general club meeting for further discussion. There will also be a \$100.00 gift card awarded for the largest amount of trash collected by one of the folks helping out,

The EYCC signups are beginning this month, so if you would like to send your child for one week to summer camp please sign them up. We will only be sponsoring the first 15 kids that sign up. This year we will be sending club members children only; so if you're not a member, you will need to join the club to be considered for the summer camp. Also, this year we will only be sending the kids for one week and any additional weeks will be at the responsibility of the parents.

Our club dues are now due so please remember to send them in, or they can be paid at the airboat show or our meetings. The forms are included in the newsletter so let's get them current.

Lastly, this weekend we lost one of our own lifetime members, Mr. Ed Hall. He was a staple in our club for many years and he and his family handled the front gate of our show for many, many years. My thoughts and prayers go out to his family and friends. You will be missed my friend

Don't forget to come on out to our next general meeting Wednesday February 28th at 7pm at the Davie Woman's Club 6551 Orange Drive, Davie FL. I hope to see you all there.

Always remember be safe out there!

Brett Holcombe

President BCAHCC



Monthly Meetings

February 28th

General Membership Meeting at 7pm
Please arrive around 6:30 to get food and be ready.
Davie Women's Club, 6651 Orange Drive

Upcoming Events

February 24th- Free Bow hunting Class

Register [Here](#) for location information

February 24th & 25th

Palm Beach Airboat, Halftrack Conservation Club's
Airboat and Swamp Buggy Show
South Florida Fairgrounds- 9067 Southern Blvd.

February 28th 11am

Everglades Conservation and Sportsman Club's
68th Annual Wild Hog BBQ
50940 Loop Road, Ochopee FL

March 17th- 18th

BCAHCC Annual Buggy Show at Bergeron Rodeo Grounds

April 21st at 9am - Joint Club Cleanup Area 3A

August 25th

BCAHCC Annual Banquet at Tropical Acres Steakhouse.
Tickets will be \$65 each

FWC Youth Hunt Program of Florida

Open to Kids ages 12 to 17
Must have completed Hunter's Safety Course
and be accompanied by a parent or guardian
Click link below for more information
[FWC Youth Hunt Program Events](#)

Youth Hunter Education Challenge (YHEC) Events

Muzzle loading and Wildlife ID Class February 25th in
Lakeland FL Contact Jason.Tackett@myfwc.com for more
info

February 25th / March 10th Youth Spring Turkey Hunt Weekend

More information on these events, please [click HERE](#)

March 23rd- 25th STA3/ STA4 Alligator Hunt Huntmaster Jason Freeman

April 6th-8th STA2 Alligator Hunt Huntmaster Jon Paul Conti

Anyone interested in assisting in any of these hunts, please
contact the Huntmaster listed for particular hunt. Each
hunt will need 5 guides and the alligator hunts will need an
additional 5 assistants to make the hunts a success.

FWC is offering the Hunter's Safety Course for FREE in 4 different counties

(Required by all hunters born after June 1, 1975)
Click [Here](#) for more information and to register

Its Membership Time- Please make sure you complete
a membership application so we can update our
records. You can bring it to the General meeting on
February 28th.



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CURRENT MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION FORM

(Renewals Only)

CURRENT YEAR _____

Membership Type

YEAR YOU JOINED THE CLUB: _____

_____ Single Membership (\$35 Dues) _____ Family Membership (\$50 Dues)
_____ Life Member (Please update your information below and return)

Primary Member

Full Name _____ Date of Birth _____ / _____ / _____

Email Address: _____ Other: _____

Secondary Member (*Family Membership Only)

Full Name _____ Date of Birth _____ / _____ / _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Cell _____

Occupation and Employer

(Please update your information for our directory)

Occupation _____ Employer _____

Company Name _____ Phone _____

Website _____

Would you like to be added to our Club Member Directory? YES NO

Signature _____ Date _____ / _____ / _____

Do you belong to any other clubs? Which Ones? _____

Circle all that apply to you

Airboat Off Road Vehicle Wheel Buggy Full Track Buggy Half Track Buggy

Camp Owner Boating Hunting Fishing Other _____

The Club has many functions during the year. Please circle from the list below that you would be interested in helping with.

Airboat Show Banquet Cook Outs Fundraising Club Trailer (Retail Sales)

Attending Conservation Meetings Picnic Island Maintenance Club Camp Maintenance
Public Information Parades Youth Hunts Other _____

Please complete and return with dues payable to: **Broward County Airboat, Halftrack and Conservation Club**

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Date Approved _____ / _____ / _____ Method of Payment _____

39TH ANNUAL

March 17th 11am-11pm

\$15 per person Saturday

March 18th 10am-5pm

\$10 per person Sunday

AIRBOAT SHOW & FESTIVAL



\$25 Entry fee to enter your Airboats, Buggys and Tracks
Each registered vehicle will give you a chance to win \$1k Cash



\$1k Drawing for a participating Buggy or Track

\$1k Drawing for a participating Airboat



Winners will be drawn at awards presentation on Sunday, Must be present to win
Bergeron Rodeo Grounds * 4271 Davie Road * Davie FL



The Fulltrack Conservation Club of Dade County's

SHOTGUN RAFFLE



**Beretta A300 Outlander Semi Automatic 12 Gauge
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Winner will be drawn at the Broward Airboat Club's Buggy Show

March 18, 2018 at 2pm at Bergeron Rodeo Grounds

Winner Need Not Be Present

Winner must pass federal background check to receive firearm.

Tickets available through club members, and at Buggy Show Event

Call John Rosier (954) 806-6323 for more information

Full Track Conservation Club of Dade County Snipe Hunt

It was a Great Day to be in the Glades

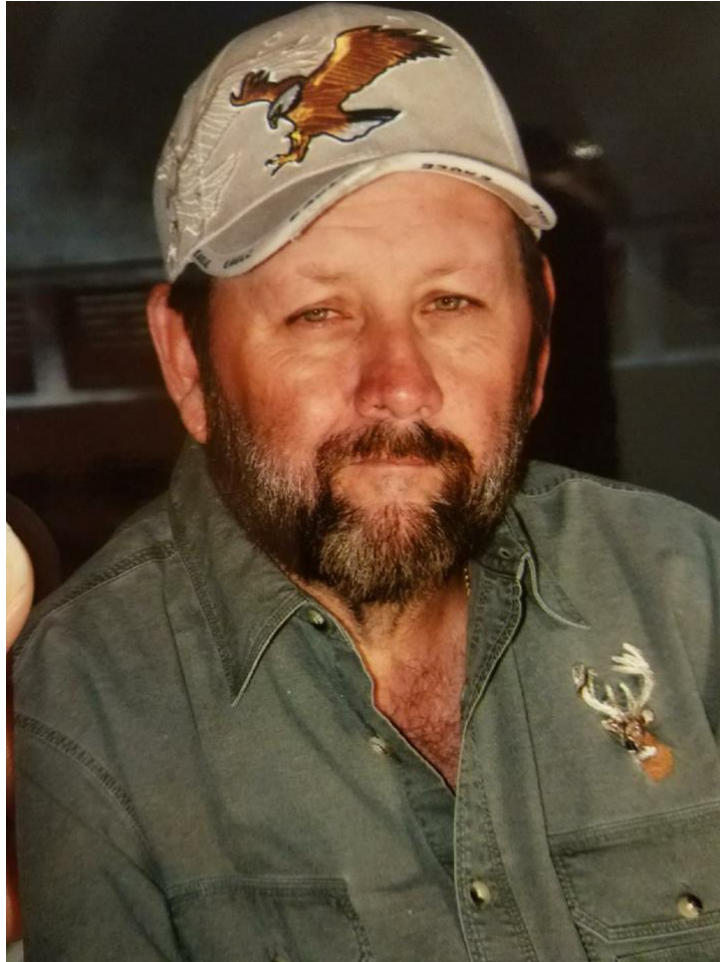
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To View all of the photos please visit the club Facebook page @DadeFullTrackClub



There were snipes hunted,, raffles, & a 50/50 drawing, live music, good food & great friends





Our dear friend and lifetime club member Ed Hall, passed away on
Saturday, February 10, 2018.

Ed gave many years of service to the organization and notably ran
the front gate each year for the Airboat Show for the last 20 years.

Our thoughts, prayers and deepest condolences go out to the Hall
family.

Rest in Peace Ed, you will be truly missed.

Membership Business Directory

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Day-Week-Month rentals available

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1. I will respect the rights of all users of the recreational waterways of the State of Florida, on public waters and on adjacent private property.
2. I will be considerate and courteous at public vessel launch ramps and docks. In an effort not to disturb other boaters, I will launch and retrieve my vessel promptly.
3. I will always operate at a safe speed in posted "No Wake" zones.
4. When approaching the shoreline, I will be especially aware of swimmers and other water vessels near the shoreline.
5. I realize that my vessel's equipment, ability, weather conditions, and especially other vessel traffic should determine my vessel speed.
6. In case of an emergency, I will volunteer assistance.
7. I am aware that my vessel creates air propeller wash and will use idle speed near the shoreline and in the close proximity to boat ramps.
8. I will ensure that all passengers in my vessel are equipped with safety equipment, including life vests and required safety equipment.
9. I will avoid unnecessary disturbance of wildlife and will not enter posted "No Trespass" areas.
10. I will pay close attention to the engine sound levels that my vessel may create and be aware of how others on the shoreline will react to it.
11. I will not litter and will bring back all trash. I will be careful in handling my fuel.
12. I will not interfere with or harass others. I realize that people will judge all airboaters by my individual actions.