

Fishin' Lines

June 2018

The Oswegoland Fishin' Fools is a multi-species fishing club. We meet the 1st Monday of each month at 7 PM in the Allied First Bank Building, 3201 Orchard Road, Oswego Visit us on the Web at: http://www.fishinfools.org

If you have an article to submit, please send it to me at: menoland@sbcglobal.net or if you would like help writing an article you can either email or call me at 630-730-3490. Thanks – Mike Noland

OSWEGOLAND FISHIN' FOOLS



PRESIDENT DON'S POND - ERING WHATS COOKIN!

Well summer is finally upon us, nice weather, prime fishing, vacations and of course cookouts with family and friends. Your fishing family is also having their cookout June 4th at the bank [6:30 - before the

regular meeting], burgers, brats and dogs along with drinks, potato and macaroni salad and chips will be provided by the club, several of us are bringing side dishes and if you have a favorite you're more than welcome to bring it, so come on out to visit with friends and help us have a great meeting.

-- Don D.B



P.J. Rathman takes the win at Heidecke

By Danny Cossich

It was a slow start to the day with overcast conditions and 10 Fishin' Fools showing up for the Event. Amy and Danny never got a line in the water because of motor troubles. Fearing the worst, it turned out to be only a spun propeller and not the lower unit. Paul ended up with 1635.165 points with a couple of bass and walleye along with a crappie. With three categories, he also earned himself 300 Bonus Points

2018 Heidecke Lake, IL Event Totals						Catfish
		Event	Longest	Total	Grand	Fish of
		Total	Fish	Inches	Slam	the Day
1	Paul Rathman,					
	Jr.	1635.165	19	76.5	3	0
2	Keith Wolf	369.28	16	16	1	0
3	Filipe Sanchez	215.46	14	14	1	0
4	Gene Walkling	98.28	18	18	1	0
5	Carl Fiorini	60.06	11	11	0	0
6	Bill Jorgenson	0	0	0	0	0

201	8 Angler of the Year	Best 4 Events Totals	Number of Events Fished
	Member's Name		
1	John Cox	2318.335	2
2	Paul Rathman, Jr.	1635.165	1
3	Amy Andrews	729.960	3
4	Jim Frohlich	719.395	2
5	Danny Cossich	463.070	3
6	Keith Wolff	369.280	1
7	Carl Fiorini	284.060	3
8	Filipe Sanchez	215.460	2
9	Gene Walkling	98.280	1
10	Ginny Banning	60.000	1

Keith Wolf caught 1 Walleye, Gene and Carl each had 1 White Bass and Phil had 1 Bass. The Fish of the Day was Catfish; however, none were caught. Although Mark "The Fishin' Machine" Corah and John Olivet did not compete, sources told me that they killed the fish on the other side of the bridge. Below are the results of the Event and Angler of the Year Standings:

April Fish of the Month



Angler: Jeff Nieland Fish: 20" Walleye Bait: Jig & Minnow Location: Oshkosh, Wi. When: 4/28/2018

Nice Catch Jeff!

Say it in Pictures!

Please send your fishing photos or your original articles to me, Mike Noland at: menoland@sbcglobal.net Thanks!

2018 Fishing Events

Date Location

April 14th & 15th Braidwood Lake Tournaments on both days launching at the North Ramp

April 28th & 29th Clinton Lake Tournaments on both days launching from the Marina

May 19th Heidecke Lake

May 20th (No Tournament) LaSalle Lake

June 2nd (No Tournament) Lake Jacksonville

June 3rd Lake Springfield

Sailboat launch

July 14th & 15th Big Green Lake, WI

Tournaments on both days

August 18th Spring Valley (Barto's Landing) August 19th Ottawa (Allen Park) Tournaments on both days

September 29th & 30th Winneconne (Landing on the Wolf) Tournaments on both days

October 13th & 14th Lake Kincaid, IL Tournaments on both days launching from Paul Ice Ramp

*We offer Tournaments to all members during Events when noted above. It's not required that you participate in the Tournaments. All Participants in the Tournaments are required to sign a Waiver prior to the Tournament start.

This is a reminder of our upcoming meeting on June 4th. There will not be a speaker but rather a social gathering and picnic. We will be cooking brats and hotdogs. The club will provide the dogs and brats, chips and soft drinks. If you

wish to bring a dish to pass around that would be fine. Hopefully we will all have fish stories to tell; perhaps like Gene Walkling's Heidecke Lake Striper or Carl Fiorini's Goby, also caught at the Heidecke Event.



Gene Walkling 18" Stripper

 $\label{eq:Bait:Dead Minnow Fished on the bottom} \\$

Caught: Heidecke Lake

Date: 5/19/2018



Carl Fiorini 5" Goby Bait: Jig & Nigh

Bait: Jig & Nightcrawler

Date: 5/19/2018