



Michigan Bassbusters June 2011 Newsletter

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A Big Bass in the "lunker pot" is considered a fish that is 6 lbs. and larger

The top 5 fisherman in the club typically fish the State Fish-off.

June General Meeting

Men, our general meeting is being held on June 9th at 7:30 p.m. Please make sure you are on time so we can get out early. We have a few tournaments to sign up for: Lakeville Lake and Houghton Lake. If you have a form please make sure it is filled out entirely so that it makes it easier for the committee to pair up on the draw tournaments.

Here is what is on the agenda:

Golden Rule discussion and results

Big Bass (Lunker Pot). We discussed this for more than 35 minutes at the last meeting. If you want to be in the Lunker Pot you must pay before the start of the Lobdell tournament. See Bill Head or Jay Berwick only.

Youth Report: Jeff Throop. Jeff will get us up to date on the latest with the youth club results and up- coming tournament needs.

Jay Berwick: Treasurers Report.

State Championship

This year's captain is Kent Hart. Please make sure that you discuss with him if you are going to fish or not so he has ample time to make arrangements prior to the tournament. The state fish-off is being held on Saginaw Bay.

Facebook updates and discussions

If you have a Facebook account why not join us on line? Posting is private as long as you are invited to join the group. We post discussions, tournament ideas, results, etc., much like we have on the club website. It is safe and is **not open to the public** for viewing. Only Members are allowed to post and or see photos, etc. It's fun, private and an additional area to talk amongst just our club. This is not a Club site or endorsed by club members. It is an addition to Darren's private page and members can join if they want to but it is not required.

Chris Cucksey and Yamamoto Baits

FISHING IS FUN WITH BAIT THAT WORK!! See Chris if you would like to purchase Yamamoto Baits at a reduced price. Currently the retail prices at most stores range from \$6.99 to 7.99 up about a \$1-2 from last year. Chris has a set price for you and he can discuss colors, make, etc. Chris will be a great resource for you to buy your favorite Yamamoto baits and save money.



The Blind Clerk

A woman goes into a sporting goods store to buy a rod and reel. She doesn't know which one to get so she just grabs one and goes over to the register. There is a "sales associate" standing there with dark shades on. She says, "Excuse me sir...can you tell me anything about this rod and reel?" He says, "Ma'am I'm blind but if you will drop it on the counter I can tell you everything you need to know about it from the sound that it makes." She didn't believe him, but dropped it on the counter anyway. He said, "That's a 6' graphite rod with a spinning reel and 10 lb. test line...It's a good all around rod and reel and it's \$20.00". She says, "That's amazing that you can tell all that just by the sound of it dropping on the counter. I think it's what I'm looking for so I'll take it." He walks behind the counter to the register, and in the meantime the woman breaks wind big-time. At first she is embarrassed but then realizes that there is no way he could tell it was her...being blind he wouldn't know that she was the only person around. He rings up the sale and says, "That will be \$25.50." She says, "But didn't you say it was \$20.00?" He says, "Yes ma'am, the rod and reel is \$20.00, the duck call is \$3.00, and the catfish stink bait is \$2.50."

PAIRINGS FOR LAKE OAKLAND TOURNAMENT

1. Mike Nolan/Larry Coopersmith
2. Jason Hurst/Dale Knopsnider
3. Willie Rekuc/Paul Fletcher
4. Kent Hart/Joe Klym
5. Tim Mc Cafferty/Scott Tyrell
6. Mike Coopersmith/John Cole
7. Bert Littlejohn/Jeff Throop
8. Kirk Simpson/John Matheis
9. Bill Head/Jay Bise
10. Hank Montney/Nate Washburn
11. Ed Schiller/Dan Copeland
12. Chris Cucksey/Terry Melvin
13. Dave Long/Bob Daihl
14. Don Patton/Guest