

KEOWEE ANGLERS BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING  
October 15, 2009  
CHEERS RESTAURANT

Board Members Present: Bill Walker, Pat Murphy, Bob Skipp, John Wilson, Larry Madden  
Board Members Absent: Carl Davidson, Dave Goeckel, John Isler, Jim Muldoon  
Guests: Bob Stromberg, Ferd Kojis, Vern McAfee

Vern McAfee expressed his concerns that we did not have standard method of measuring fish for our Fishing Contests. Vern suggested we all use a bump stick type ruler running the closed head against the bump head and measure to the end of the tail.

Everyone agreed that this was a good idea and there was a great deal of discussion on how to get this accomplished. One idea was for the club to purchase an amount of these type rulers and make them available to the membership. Bob Skipp offered to check with a couple of companies in Greenville to see if we could get a volume discount.

Any action on this change was tabled until the next meeting when we had a larger number of our Board Members present...

Bill Walker

We have 9 teams signed up so far for the November Tournament. A new Notice will be sent out. Dave Goeckel will run this tournament.

The Fishing class will be taught by Bill Walker from 9 AM to noon on Tuesday October 20<sup>th</sup> at room 200/2003 at the St Marks Methodist Church. At the present we have 17 people signed up and waiting reply on others.

John Wilson/ Bob Skipp

All sections were covered for the Lake Sweep . All have reported in except for one.

Larry Madden

Larry was asked to prepare the Web site to accept votes for Member of the Year. There was some discussion on how to best present this to the membership. Bill Walker expressed his concerns of having the vote for Member of the Year through the Web Site if there was no easy way to control the number of votes cast by each Board Member. This needs to be discussed and resolved at the next meeting.

We have had no volunteers to be nominated for any of the positions on the Board.

Pat Murphy gave the Treasurer's Report in the absence of Jim Muldoon

2009 Membership in Good Standing -91

2010 Members to date: 5

Bank Account Balance - \$ 829.61

Cash on Hand - \$ 20.00

Available Funds - \$849.61

Bill Walker expressed his opinion that we should go back to measuring the top 5 fish for our tournaments. There was a great deal of discussion on this topic with various opinions.

Larry Madden suggested two prizes for the longest individual fish and two prizes for the longest 5 fish with only one prize given to any one team.

It was suggested that a written proposal be submitted for discussion at the next board meeting.

Next Board Meeting is on Thursday November 12<sup>th</sup>.