

**KEOWEE ANGLERS BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING
November 18, 2008
CHEERS RESTAURANT**

Members Present: Carl Davidson, Larry Madden, Jack Ciupak, Pat Murphy, John Wilson, Bob Skipp, Jim Muldoon, Bill Walker, Dave Goeckel, John Ishler

Carl Davidson welcomed Dave Goeckel and John Ishler as program co-chairman for the 2009 calendar year.

Pat Murphy reviewed the results of the member survey. See attachment

It was decided to keep the Spouses Appreciation Dinner and the new program chairman will try to find a place that might generate more interest. Entertainment and dancing might be added to generate more interest.

Bill Walker reviewed the results of his records of Tournament Winners. There are 86 members of which 49 have won prizes. Six members have come in fourth place once. One third of the membership have fished and not won prizes.

We reviewed last month's decision to hold three random picks tournaments and one pick your own partners tournaments for the 2009 Calendar Year.

After a good deal of discussion it was decided by a majority vote to change the tournaments for the 2009 calendar year to two pick your own partner tournaments and two random pick tournaments with the first and last tournaments being pick your own partners and the second and third tournaments being random draw partners. In the last tournament which is a "pick your own partner" you cannot pick the same partner as you had in any of the previous three tournaments during the calendar year.

The rules for the tournaments are as voted on at the last Board meeting.

Angler of the Year award will be given as voted on at the last Board meeting.

The Board voted not to establish the Keowee Member of the Year.

Jim Muldoon reported that we had 87 members for 2008 with a balance of \$ 848.78. Twenty five members have paid their dues for 2009.

Jim Muldoon will send out a notice that the 2009 dues are due.

Larry Madden reports that all is good with the Web Site.

Lake Sweep – no report

Name Tags – Jim Muldoon will give Pat Murphy a list of new members needing name tags. Pat Murphy will get the program from Jack Ciupak and attempt to print the tags.

Pat Murphy will send out a notice to the membership of our next regular meeting on December 4th to be held at the Keowee Key Club House with a presentation by Jean Lightner of DNR on “The effects of Cross Breeding of Bass in Lake Keowee and other lakes.”

There was a general discussion of possible speakers for next year. The first meeting will be held on Thursday January 9th instead of Thursday January 1st.

The next Board Meeting will be held on Tuesday December 16th at Cheers.