

LAKE MURRAY SENIORS BASS CLUB DECEMBER 2008

BUSINESS MEETING

The December meeting was held on the 12th at Macedonia Church. There were 52 members in attendance. Our president, Bill Sturm, called the meeting to order and the following were items of discussion:

- Remember those who are sick: Marion Maner was at the meeting and thanked everyone for the support shown him following his accident; Bud Krengel was also at the meeting; and Russell Burke is having heart problems.
- A 50/50 raffle was held for \$60 and Bill Lee was the winner.
- Sam Gray asked the club their desires on the December Tournament since the weather forecast was for high wind and rain. A motion was made to fish on Tuesday, the 16th, and the motion passed.
- Bud Dalton asked our blessing and lunch was served.
- Willie Crocker passed out information for the past year and the new year for the Pacolet Club. The 2009 schedule will be Murray, Wylie, Greenwood in rotation for January through October and the fish off will be in November. Cost is \$20 dues and \$40 per boat.
- There was a discussion on the \$25 no boater fee. The final decision was to leave the fee as is for now.
- Stokes Trainor donated \$50 to the club for a new vehicle that was purchased by Ken Sullivan.
- A question was asked about the final cost of the lap top purchased by the club. Dave Slaughter reported that the club spent \$300 and the remainder was made up by several members of the club. The lap top is now in use.
- Someone suggested that the membership roster be posted on our web site. The consensus of the club was to not post the membership roster.
- The draw for our December tournament was completed. Twenty two boats are scheduled to participate from 8:00—2:00. Launch and weigh in will be at the store ramp.
- The meeting was adjourned.

Merry Christmas and
Happy New Year

Tournament Results

Our December 2008 tournament was held on the 16th out of Billy Dreher State Park and 44 members participated. Twenty two boats were scheduled to depart at 8:00. However, due to heavy fog, the launch was delayed until 10:00 with weigh in at 4:00. It turned into a nice day. The results were 45 fish caught at an approximate weight of 68 pounds. Three limits were brought to the scales. There was one dead fish.

The winner's were:

First Place:	John Berta and Mike Bailey	4 Fish	9.22 pounds
Second Place:	Willie Crocker and Ed Murphy	5 Fish	6.67 pounds
Third Place:	Sam Gray and Joe Fleming	5 Fish	6.16 pounds
Fourth Place:	Bill Lee and Jim Safley	2 Fish	6.06 pounds
Fifth Place:	Burl Fleming and Tom Weigand	3 Fish	5.78 pounds
Sixth Place:	Earl Mueller and Earl Greenaway	5 Fish	5.62 pounds
Seventh Place:	Wayne Fulmer and Kerry Harte	3 Fish	4.67 pounds
Eighth Place:	Roger Thompson and Clint DeBrand	2 Fish	3.83 pounds
Ninth Place:	Dave Slaughter and David Larrabee	3 Fish	3.74 pounds
Tenth Place:	James Fulmer and D J Laffey	3 Fish	3.61 pounds

Big Fish:	Bill Lee and Jim Safley	4.89 pounds
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Congratulations!!!

Next Tournament is January 15th

Tournament Director News

The next “one on one” will be held on January 8th from 8:00 — 2:00.

Rules for the “one on one”:

1. Tournament fee is \$20 per person of which \$5 goes to Big Fish.
 2. A seven hour tournament starting at Safe Light.
3. The tournament is only open to participants over 55 years of age.
 4. If you fish with a partner, fish must separate at all times.
 5. If you come in late, you are disqualified.
 6. One pound penalty for a dead fish.
 7. A quarter pound penalty for a short fish.
8. Pay out is as follows: 1—5 participants, 100%; 6-10 participants, 60% and 40%; 11-15 participants and over, 50%, 30%, and 20%.

For Sale

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Hats are available in several different colors.

Contact George @ 803-532-6364.

2008 CLUB BANQUET

The 2008 Banquet and the January business meeting will be held on January 10, 2009 at Macedonia Church. The time will be 6:00 PM. The menu will be Baked Chicken or Roast Beef, mashed potatoes, squash casserole, green beans, two desserts, rolls and drink. The cost will be \$9.00 per person. If you have not made a reservation and wish to attend, please call Jim Cushman not later than January 5th at 803-360-4350. We will need to give John Matthews a firm count on the number who will be attending.