

Summit City Bass Masters Minutes

Date Sept, 4th 2007

At: Gander Mountain, Lima Road, Fort Wayne, IN

President:	Wendel Brown
Vice President:	Phil Scribner
Secretary:	Jim Graham
Treasurer:	Mark Kirk
Tournament Director:	Mark Kirk

Meeting Minutes

Minutes as taken by Jim Graham

In Attendance

Wendel Brown, Greg Rekeweg, Gary Sanderlin, Max Egley, Mark Kirk, Glen Edwards, Keven Galbreath, Mike Uptgraft, Rob Stroupe, Nate Fox, Jim Graham, Bill Hovermale, and Phil Scribner.

Treasurer's Report: as reported by Mark Kirk

General Fund	1,165.75
Civic Fund	21.00
Classic Fund	<u>332.50</u>
Total	1,519.25

New Business:

1. **Federation Meeting** - Bill Hovermale has attended the Federation meeting that was held on August 15, 2007. A detailed report will be published when Bill has a chance to type out his notes. There will be more info posted to the IBF web site. Here is a brief summary:

There are 3 Zone 1 fishermen that will advance to the Divisional on Lake St. Clair next spring. Over all Zone 1 did a good job of representing us in the state finals.

Also our own Bob Bruick finished 1st as a non-boater in the Weekend Warrior and will compete next year in the Bassfan National competition.

The Indiana Federation is looking at re-districting the Top – 8 finals for next year. This is will even out the state. As it stands one district had only 6 clubs competing in its Top – 8. It was mentioned that is costs the same amount of money to put on a Top – 8 for 6 clubs as it does for 10 or 20 clubs.

Paul Hollabaugh is stepping down as editor of the Indiana Bass News and Beverly Jenkins is taking over.

Following the switch to the FLW that Federation lost approximately 16 – 18 clubs. They note however, that the number of clubs is picking back up.

IBF dues have remained unchanged for some time now, and at present we should prepare and expect a raise in dues to be coming soon.

Next year there will be no exceptions to Top – 8 and State finals, All contestants must have a current FLW, TBF and IBF membership or they will not be allowed to compete. It costs the IBF an additional \$23.00 in insurance for each person that competes and doesn't meet those criteria.

A statement was made that if a guest was injured at a club function or tournament, that the club would not be covered by insurance. *Note: Bill Hovermale is going to contact the IBF for a clarification on this and report back to the club.*

2. **Classic Report** - Max Egley reports that he has reserved two cabins near the ramp for the classic on Patoka. Each cabin will accommodate 8 people. If you are planning on attending the Classic you need to contact Max ASAP. After the initial 16 beds are filled, there may be additional space on the floor if needed. The cabins are reserved starting Thursday Night. Patoka will be open for practice Thursday and Friday and the tournament will be Saturday and Sunday. Tournament Entry will be \$30.00 for both days and that includes Big Bass for each day. The expected drive time from Ft. Wayne is 4½ to 5 hours. Pairing will be drawn at the October Meeting.

3. **Klinger Report** – Nathan Fox reported that his winning lure on Klinger was a Fried Watermelon Sweet Beaver, rigged on a 1/8oz slip sinker. Great Job Nate. As a future note, according to the locals we hit the lake a little early, apparently the small mouths really crank it up in late September.

4. **Chapman Lake** – A motion was made by Mark Kirk for the Chapman Tournament to be rescheduled for Sunday October 21, 2007. Max Egley seconded the motion and it carried with none opposed. The pairings will be redrawn at the October Meeting. This is two weeks after the classic.

5. **All boaters** – All persons wishing to use their boat in a club tournament or function must supply a photocopy of their insurance declaration to the tournament director (Mark Kirk).

6. **High School Bowling Add** – Gary Sanderlin made a motion that the club would again run a ¼ page advertisement, at the cost of \$50.00, in the Fort Wayne High School Bowling League team booklet. This was seconded by Kevin Galbreath and passed with no one opposed.

Old Business:

Other notes

- **PO Box** – Jim Graham brought up a discussion that we discontinue the clubs PO Box. Jim recommended that we not renew the Box at a cost of \$72.00 / year as the only real piece of club business that he has gotten from the box in the year he has been checking it was a thank you card from Tournstone and the renewal notice from the US Post Office. All other mail as been of the “Junk” variety. It was decided that the club would bring this back up for discussion and potential after the first of 2008 when the renewal is due.

Tournament News

Tournament Director - Mark Kirk

[Chapman Rescheduled. October 21st, 2007](#)

Klinger Lake Official Tournament Results Aug 26, 2007

Weight	Place	Name	Points
4.64	1st	Nathan Fox	45
3.92	2nd	Greg Rekeweg	43
3.59	3rd	Gary Sanderlin	41
3.26	4th	Max Egley	39
2.60	5th	Kyle Winling - Guest	-
2.44	6th	Keith Schroder	37
2.40	7th	Bill Hovermale	35
2.49 (-.25)	8th	Jim Graham	33
1.62	9th	Kevin Galbreath	31
1.35	10th	Bill Alday	29
1.17	11th	Bob Bruick	27
1.11	12th	Phil Scribner	25
0.00	13th	Mike Uptgraft	5
0.00	13th	Mark Kirk	5
0.00	13th	Doug Haines	5
0.00	13th	Aaron Krider	5
0.00	13th	Barb Sanderlin - Guest	5

Un-official Coldwater Lake Tournament Pairings as of Sept 4th, 2007

We will meet at Fort Wayne Orthopedics at 5:45 am Saturday 15th 2007. We will depart FWO at 6:00 am. FWO is behind the Trolley Bar and Banditos on Dupont Road. The Tournament Hours are 7:30 to 3:00

Boat #	Boater	Non-Boater
1	Nathan Fox	Guest
2	Greg Rekeweg	Jim Graham
3	Bill Hovermale	Mike Uptgraft
4	Wendel Brown	Rob Stroupe
5	Glen Edwards	Guest
6	Bob Bruick	Kevin Galbreath
7	Max Egley	Doug Haines
8	Mark Kirk	Gary Sanderlin
9	TBA	TBA
10	TBA	TBA

Tournament Director - Mark Kirk

Tournament Committee Chairman - Mark Kirk

Note: This is a tentative pairings list and as such are subject to change, the tournament director has the only official pairings. The web site may not reflect any last minute changes and any discrepancies should be resolved with the tournament director. . *Remember*, it is the non-boaters responsibility to contact the boater prior to the tournament. If either the boater or non-boater is unable to attend the tournament, they are to contact their partner and the tournament director ASAP.