



ARLINGTON BASS CLUB NEWSLETTER August 2008

NOTES FROM THE PRESIDENT

TOURNAMENT DIRECTORS

If you need a partner for the upcoming tournament please call one of the tournament directors listed below, they will try to help you.

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Aug 5, 2008
ABC MEETING
7:00 pm
Cokers BBQ

Aug 9th & 10th
ABC Tournament
Lake Grapevine
Night Tournament
Sat. 4:00-12:00.
Sun. 1:00 – 9:00

COOKOUT
TBA

CONTACT
Joe Venable
817-277-0959

I would like to start this month's newsletter off on a sad note. Joyce LaHue lost her brother-in-law Tim Allen two weeks ago. My condolence goes out to you and your family. If there is anything that I can do Joyce, let me know.

Eagle Mountain turned out to be quite an adventure for some of us. Due to my stupidity I managed to miss weigh-in. That in itself would not be so bad, but I was at the boat ramp 20 minutes early. However, my missing weigh-in was not the real story: that honor goes to Gene Canney. This time it was not because he fell in the lake, it was much more serious than that. Gene spent a couple of hours Saturday night in the hospital with a case of Heat Stroke. I hope the ambulance ride to the hospital was worth it. Just how good is your insurance?

Besides that, everything else ran smoothly. Twelve teams competed and caught a bunch of fish. Once again, Bill Wilcox and Barbara Potts lead the way with an eight fish bag totaling 17.30 pounds. Bill also had big bass at 4.15 pounds.

Second place went to Jeff Franklin and Bubba Sanders with six fish totaling 13.10 pounds. Third place went to Scott Dubee and Gene Canney with a seven fish totaling 10.60 pounds.

After Eagle Mountain results the Top 6 is as follows-

1. Scott Dubee - 84.17 pounds
2. Bill Wilcox - 81.66 pounds
3. Barbara Potts - 64.21 pounds
4. Gene Canney – 58.78 pounds
5. Bubba Sanders – 56.41 pounds
6. Kevin Atkison – 49.71 pounds

Before I get to the August Tournament, I need to mention a couple of things. First thing is September 6 is the Kids Tournament at Joe Pool Lake. We all need to start helping Joyce out. If your not sure how to help, just ask Joyce and she will be more than willing to point you in a direction. This is one of the

most important things we do as a club and Joyce takes great pride in running it. Any help, no matter how small, would go a long way in making this a success. Remember, this tournament is not for us but for the future of fishing.

Second issue is that of the Board Nominating Committee. It is coming time for us to start looking for a new board. We need a few non-Board volunteers for this project.

Lastly, I would like to congratulate Scott Dubee and Dale Washington who won their region in the Media Bass.

AUGUST TOURNAMENT


Our next tournament will be the only night tournament of the year. It will be held at Lake Grapevine on Aug 9th and 10th. The hours will be 4:00 PM – 12:00 Midnight and then 1:00 AM – 9:00 AM. We will be launching from Oak Grove.

Grapevine is a slot lake. You can keep all fish except between 14- 18". Grapevine also has spotted and smallmouth bass.

AUGUST MEETING

Our next meeting will be Tuesday, August 5 at 7:00 PM @ Cocker's BBQ.

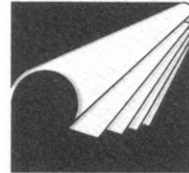
Our guest speaker will be Mark Jones. He will be talking to us about the BBT North Texas Classic on Lake Lewisville.



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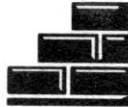
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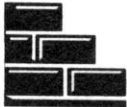
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