

Mass Bass Federation TBF, Inc.
Minutes, Directors Meeting
June 20th, 2006

7:32pm

Roll Call: Missing were Bay State, Cape Cod, Charles River, Classic Bass, Plymouth Rock, and Wachusett Bass.

Guest Speaker: Solar Bee. Water Circulation. Helps keep algae blooms from forming and in the process keeps certain non-native weeds from growing too.

Secretaries' Report: Waived

Treasurer's Report: Accepted as read.

Tournament Report: First and Second tournaments were held at South Watuppa and Barton's Cove. Winners and results are up on the web page. Check out the articles on our tournaments on the TBF web page as well. The next Trail event is Winnisquam. There is an additional \$5.00 fee to launch at this event. Make sure all your clubs teams are notified.

All the information regarding the State Fishoffs will be on-line next week. Applications will be due for the Fish-offs at the beginning of August. Peter MacLellan has some rooms for the Fish-offs available. Call him at 978-996-0550. You must have you're Boater Safety Course certificate if you are required to have one by NH state law, in order to operate you're boat.

Youth Report: Youth Tournament was successful. Winners are posted on-line. We will be sending these kids to the respective events they have qualified for. In order to do this, we need to vote an additional \$2500.00 for travel for these kids. Motion passed to add \$2500.00 for Youth travel to the Youth BFL All-American.

Conservation Report: We received handouts on the dangerous Northern Snakehead fish. Ron Washburn explained to us an initiative that the Feds are undertaking to educate us on what to do about this nuisance fish.

State Team: Next benefit Tournament is July 1st, a Saturday. Hope to see you all there.

Scholarship Report: June 1st was the deadline for scholarship applications. This year we received **three**. We will need to budget \$2100.00 into next year's budget to cover these.

Old Business: The Skeeter boat is here. We have an offer from Reynolds Marina to purchase the boat from us for \$xxxx amount. The Director's voted after much discussion, to accept this offer without bringing it back to the clubs. Based on the **Tax** implications and the prep and set-up fees and delivery charges, the Director's felt it would be more beneficial to take a lump sum and free ourselves of the burden. Motion carried with only one nay vote.

American Eagle thanked us for the support we gave to the PVA on the Charles River. Also, there is a Youth Tournament for handicapped children that will be held on the Friday of the BFL All-American, in Hartford, CT. this July. Come on by and show your support. The PVA Angler's will be weighing in their catches starting one hour before the BFL All-American begins it's weigh-in at the Tournament in Hartford.

New Business: None

50/50 Celtic Bass

Meeting Adjourned @ 9:10pm