

Minutes  
Mass Bass Federation  
Directors Meeting  
Jan 19, 2010

Absent were; New England Bass Hunters, NorthEast Bass Anglers, Tri-Valley

Secretaries Report: Waived

Treasurers Report: None

Tournament Report: Dates are set. See website. There may be a conflict with a Northern Bass event.

Youth Report: Need donations. Mostly tackle for the kids to use. 78 have signed up thus far. We will be offering tickets to the Banquet for the two champions.

Conservation Report: Erik has 18 Recycle bins for used fishing line. Needs clubs to maintain them. He is also on the zebra muscle task force for the state. There is a boat ramp monitoring program, to look for evasive species. Quabbin boat tagging system will remain the same for this year. You may voice your opinion on CT out of state licensing thru NES website. CT state legislature may rethink the license price hike.

Travel Guide: Contact Erik Kaplan 413-348-4951, [kapp68@aol.com](mailto:kapp68@aol.com) We need \$\$ from advertising to support this program. \$350 full page b/w. \$750 full page color. Clubs need to submit their tournament entry forms to Erik in order to have them printed in the guide.

Scholarship Report: We have received 2-3 back already, pending grades.

Banquet Report: It will be Sat. March 6<sup>th</sup> @ Hilltop steakhouse in Saugus. Contact Mike Tamburello for tickets, \$25. 774-259-2110.

State Team Report: Projected opens pending permit-

April 17<sup>th</sup> Webster Lake

April 24<sup>th</sup> Congamond Lakes

July 10<sup>th</sup> Hinsdale NH (CT River)

Fish Offs: We did not get Sebago Lake. We are going to our alternate site of Ticonderoga, possibly out of South Bay Ramp. The dates are August 21<sup>st</sup> – 22<sup>nd</sup>.

Old Business: Club Permits, contact Bob Puishys. We will extend a Banquet invitation to the Boy Scout who did his Eagle Scout project through contact with our Youth Director.

Motion passed \$50, two tickets.

New Business: Conservation Grant (\$\$). We can work with PAB, Jack Sheppard, to perhaps get a ramp re-paved.

NorthEast and Bay State Bass will be handling the casting with kids @ the Springfield Sportsman's Show.

Clubs need to submit their members signed waiver forms and contact lists to the secretary.

Rich Hartley from DNR is available to speak to us at one of our meetings. He can talk to us about State Pins and certifying our scales.

50/50 raised \$70

Meeting adjourned at 8:35pm