

Minutes

Mass Bass Federation Directors Meeting

March 20, 2012

7:40pm

Secretaries Report – Waived

Treasurers Report – Our yearly audit has been completed by our accountants. Motion to pay bills. Passed.

Tournament Report – The Team Trail is accepting deposits for entry into the tournaments. Check the website for dates. Sign up is with David McNary.

Website Report – Message board is up and running.

Conservation Report – None. (Do not use lead baits until the new law has been overturned. Conservation officers will be checking at tournaments.)

Youth Report – The Student Angler Federation will have a High School Championship event On **June 30<sup>th</sup>**, at Webster Lake (if fewer than ten boats pre-register) **or** CT. River Hartford (if over ten boats pre-register.) This event qualifies HS anglers to the National HS Championship for MA. CT. and RI.

The **Youth Open Tournament** will be @ Wequacket Lake on April 28<sup>th</sup> (limit 24 boats).

Clubs assigned to specific Youth Events to fulfill the youth requirement are:

5/19 Mashpee – Allstate, Bass Addicts, Boston Bass, South Shore, Minuteman.

6/16 Barton's Cove – Green Water, Wildside, Forge Pond, Assabet Valley,

8/18 Cochituate – Xtreme Bass, Good Spirit, A-1 Bass, Blackstone, Classic, Buzzard's Luck

Scholarship Report – Two checks have been given out thus far for the school year.

State Team – Open Tournament on April 14<sup>th</sup> @ Mashpee/Wakeby (25 boats only). Gave out 50/50 raffle tickets to the clubs.

Old Business – Have not received back the club member equipment list from all clubs yet. Boat, motor, electronics, trolling motor. We need to give this info to our sponsors.

We made \$225 on RI "talon" raffle. Sign up for Ranger Cup and Cabela's Angler Cash contingencies.

New Business – Waiver is on the website. Must be signed and turned in by every club member. **Pure Fishing** discount is offered quarterly thru the TBF Store. Dream Team Rally – everybody was mailed a packet describing this. Mass can have one of these tournaments. We need to decide if there is any interest from our members at club level. Directors bring back reports from your club meetings.

Charitable nominations receiving \$250 were voted on and are:

PVA

Operation Graduation – Oxford

Kaprellian Scholarship Fund

Toys for Tots – Whitman

Vex Robotics Teams (Worcester Regional HS)

DARE Tournament

Upton Grange

Lake Attitash Watershed Association

Adjourned 8:30pm