

Fish-On Fishing Club of New Port Richey, Florida

President: Chet Jasak

Vice President: Terry Freeman

Treasurer: Mike Spanhel

2014 Committee Chairpersons:

Wish-to-Fish – Mike Spanhel

YMCA Fishing Festival – Chet Jasak

Main Street Clean-Up – Bernard Zanetti

After Holiday Party – Russ Thompson

Secretary: Jerry Sweet

Sergeant at Arms: Frank Bellizio Member at Large: Russ Thompson

Past President: Bob Manon

Club Picnics – Dave Taylor

Monthly Dinner Socials – Bob Manon

Club Tournaments – Jack Hexter

Fund Raising - Fred Morin

If you want to help on any of these committees, see or call the chairperson. They can use the help. Get involved in the Club Activities!!

November 2014 News Letter

General membership meeting: 28 members and 6 guests attended the October meeting. The members and guests gathered at 6:30 pm on October 7th, at the Gulf Landings Clubhouse to socialize. President Chet Jasak opened the meeting at 7:00.

Guests Attending were; Jimmy Bitzas, James Bonotto, Bryce Spaulding, Robert Baker, Rich Heimann, and Dave Cuddeback.

Signup Sheets: The Sign Up sheets for the Fall Picnic at Anclote Gulf Park, Dinner & Breakfast socials, Club Fall Fishing Tournament and Main street Clean-up were passed around.

The Program for the September meeting was presented by Todd Krohn who had invented a new saltwater lure. The Nekid Ball Jigz is a small ball attached to a treble hook with a short piece of chain. This type of connection allows more articulation of the lure when moving through the water column. Everyone present received a free sample.

WWW.FISHONCLUB.ORG Is a great place to direct people interested in knowing more about our club. Lots of information is available for anyone to see BUT if you go to the Members Area and put in your password there is much more information available. If you forgot the password you can call Chet @ 816-8991 or Frank @ 597-0741.

Member Profile Forms: To make it easier for members to contact one another for fishing events, we have developed a member profile form showing interest and experience among other things. This profile will be posted on the club website for member access only. We encourage everyone to participate and complete the form on the website under the Members area and Frank or Chet will put them up on the website for all members to see.

Fall Picnic Saturday Nov. 8 10:30am at Anclote Gulf Park. Club supplies the meat, beverages, dinnerware, and condiments. Members bring a dish to pass. Lots of fun with Bocce Ball, Horseshoes, ladder Ball, Corn Hole Toss, Casting contest. For more information call Dave Taylor 484-6767. Pavilion no 2 Look for Fish-On Banner.

The Fall fishing Tournament was held Oct.11 with a number of boats and new members entered. Weigh in was at Nick's Park in Port Richey. Here are the results;

TROUT

1st place Seth Monser 1lb. 7 1/4 oz. 2nd place Jimmy Bitzas 1lb. 5oz.

3rd place Larry Mock 1lb. 4 7/8oz.

MACKEREL

1st place Jimmy Bitzas 2lb. 1/8oz. 2nd place Mike Kaplan 1lb 13 1/4oz 3rd place Terry Freeman 11 5/8oz.

REDFISH

1st place Jim McCarthy 7lb 2 7/8oz. 2nd place Mike Brumley 2lb. 5 3/8oz.

The Fish of the Month Prize: was won by Frank Bellizio with a 12" Flounder.

Nov. 12 Dinner social will be at Ron's Bar-B-Q (5:30pm) at 9400 SR52 in Hudson

The October dinner social was at the Oaks Café in the Oaks Plaza Hudson, approx 20 Members and guests attended the popular event.



Monthly Breakfast Socials:

October's is scheduled for Thursday the 30th at the Oak's Café 8:30am

If you have any questions call Ernie @ 862-6047

Septembers breakfast was at The Broken Yolk, where 16 members and guests attended



Year Long Tournament: Mike listed the current standings

Nomination of Officiers: The floor will be open for nomination of officers. If you are interested in being more involved in helping run the club please contact one of the board members to let them know you are willing to help. Elections for President, VP, Secretary, Treasurer, Sgt. At Arms, and Member at Large will be at our February meeting.

50/50 Raffle: Was won AGAIN by Russ Thompson, Congratulations Russ!

Membership Attendance Raffle: won by Bob Shirley!

Next Club Meeting: Tuesday November 4, at 6:30 PM at Gulf Landings Clubhouse.

Next Board Meeting: Monday, October 20, at 7:00 PM at the Key Vista Clubhouse

Tip of the Month: Drying your boat shoes

After fishing all day, then washing the boat, in all probability, you probably have wet boat shoes. To dry them quickly, put them at the base of and in front of your refrigerator, in front of the vent at the bottom. The heat and air movement out of this vent will have them dry the next morning