



Western Bass Club

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WBC News July 2012

President's Report



Rodney Heupel, President

Hello Western Bass Club members and guests,

Already the Fourth of July is behind us; the permit applications for next year's tournaments have been submitted. Tonight the stories of the Box Canyon Reservoir tournament were fun to listen to, sure made conducting the monthly board meeting a challenge. The good times had by those who attended are going to be the stories told for years to come at all club functions. I heard more stories of the good potluck dinner and camp life, even the weather was mentioned more than that of the fish caught. There was one common theme I

heard, Box Canyon is a place everybody wants to go back to. So the year 2014 is the year I predict Western Bass Club will be back over there. I will personally plan now on taking a 2013 vacation over there. These good times of memories created and a chance to fish new water is the best part of being an active member of Western Bass Club. I see one advantage of the state requiring our permit applications being submitted almost a year in advance, we can choose destinations where the fishing and vacation opportunities are great for all in the family. With such an advance in the time frame this gives us the time to put in for vacations, make reservations for our stay and budget for the event.

With summer finally here the Western Bass Club will be active with the "Take a Warrior Fishing" event on JBLM, the Jack-n-Jill tournament, monthly club meeting and Fish-In. Looking forward to seeing you at one or more of the activities.

Rodney Heupel
President, Western Bass Club

Meeting Minutes

Dan Mowry, Secretary

General Member Meeting Minutes 6/20/12

The meeting was called to order at 7:06 P.M. There were 16 members present. The Minutes from the previous meeting were read and approved. We also had one guest, Mike Garret, Welcome Mike.

Special Events: Jim Owens thanked all who participated in the "Fish n' Kids" event. He had a signup sheet for the "Wounded Warrior" event, which will be held on July 14th. He needs at least 60 boats, and would like to take out at least 100 soldiers. This will be a family event with a B-B-Q and lunch for all. Details will be on the web-site, and in the newsletter. Be sure to help with this event if at all possible, it is for a very worthy cause.

Entertainment: Henry Dover gave a demonstration on advanced jig making techniques. We wish to thank Henry, for the presentation. He can get anyone a discount on jig making supplies, and will bring catalogues to the next meeting.

V.P./Tournament Director Report: This weekend will be at Lake Pend O'relle. The driver's meeting will be a 5:00 A.M. All details are on the web site. Drive careful and have fun, we will be looking forward to a report on the fishing on this new spot. Lake selection for next year's tournaments were held at this month's meeting and including the on-line votes, the following Lakes were voted in for the year 2013.

Month	1st Choice	2 Choice
April	Lake Washington	Lake Sammamish
May	Potholes	Moses Lake
June	Riffe Lake	Banks Lake
July	Banks Lake	Lake Roosevelt
August	Lake Chelan	Sprauge Lake
September	Banks Lake	Lake Riffe
October	Lake Washington	Lake Sammamish

Terry will submit all selections to the State before the deadline, and has received a check from John to pay for them.

Treasurer's Report: We have \$2214.90 in the bank, and all bills are paid and up to date.

Ambassador Report: The June fish-in was cancelled due to circumstances beyond control. The next fish-in will be July 21st at Black Lake.

Greeter/Green Slip Report: The following people turned in green slips for the Month. Bob Cone got a 3.3lb SM from Lake Washington on a Senko, Bonnie Ward got a 3.8lb SM from Lake Washington on a Senko, Christy got a 3.8lb LM from Lake Offet on a Who Daddy, Larry got a 5.2lb LM from Banks Lake on a Senko, Bonnie got a 5.3 LM from Lake Washington on a

Senko, Carl got a 5.6lb LM from Lake Offet on a blue/black swim jig, and big fish was caught be Dan C from Star Lake. A 7.2lb LM on a jig & craw.

Entertainment: Next month we will have Than Hatch, speaking on Summer Fishing Tactics.
Old Business: Angie should be receiving the Solar Bat order any day, and will let everyone know when they come in.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:37 P.M.

Don't forget that ancient Babylonian Proverb.

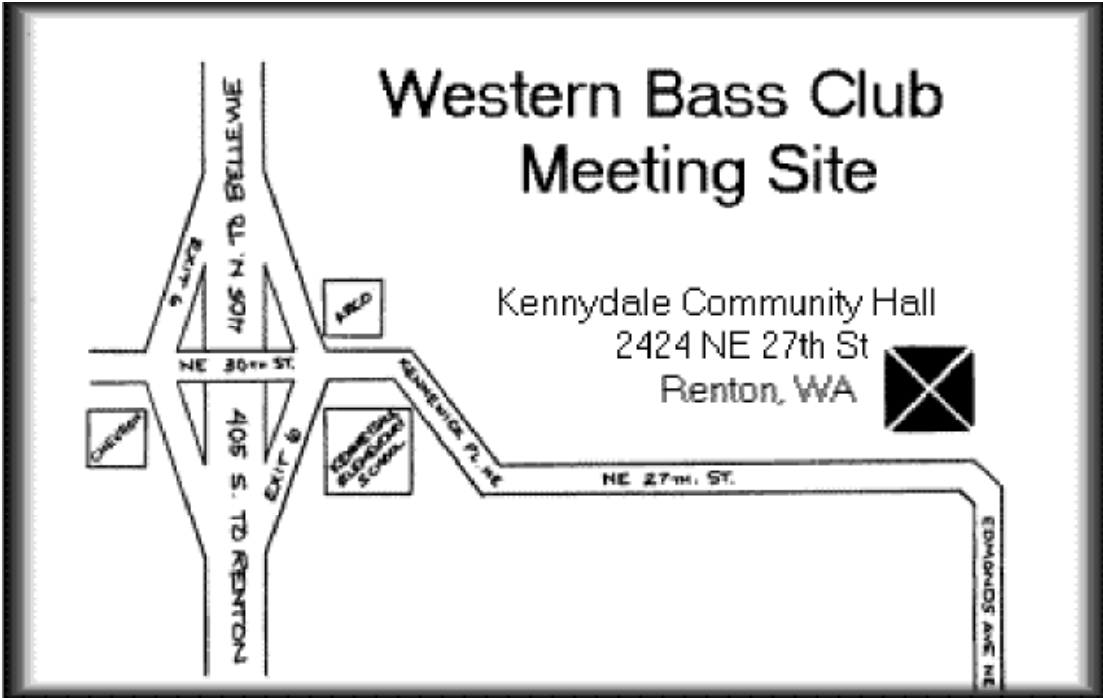
"The Gods do not deduct from man's allotted span the hours spent in fishing."

And did you see the bumper sticker on Larry's new truck?

"WANTED: Attractive young Widow with house or trailer, pickup truck and BASS Boat. Send Pictures of Bass Boat."

Meeting Information

Date: Third Wednesday of each month
Time: 7:00 p.m.
Location: Kennydale Community Center
2424 NE 27th
Renton, WA



Western Bass Club Membership Form

Spouse, children under 18, and grandchildren are also members with your paid annual dues.

NEW MEMBER AND MEMBER RENEWAL FORM

Name (please print) _____

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City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Birthday _____ NEW MEMBER / RENEWAL
(please circle appropriate choice)

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Name _____ Birthday _____

Name _____ Birthday _____

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Member Signature _____

Date _____ Check Number _____

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