

LIKBF Meeting

5/2/23 8:15pm-9:50pm

- Introduced New Member
- Tournaments
 - Spring Fling
 - Went over who the Top 5 were
 - Top 3 went over how they caught fish
 - Flipping a worm
 - Finesse fishing
- **OPEN**
 - 39 Anglers
 - Joe Doherty- Won Free 2023 Membership
 - Andre- wacky worm, neko rig
 - Anthony Prudente- First Win, wacky worm, chatterbait- cove 1-1.5' of water
 - Largest 1st Place Payout \$750
- **Stocking Pleco & Upper Mills**
 - 150 Bass 10"-12"
 - 1,000 Minnows
 - Have permit to stock until 2025
 - Still raising funds
 - Stock in Fall again? Getting Info
 - Trying to make a Healthy Fishary
 - Going to do a 50/50 Raffle
 - Share Go Fund Me Link!
 - Talked to VP of Pleco
 - Rent facility for Open in Summer? Getting Info
- **Money**
 - 289- Checks
 - 196- TOC Belt
 - 138- Tin Tags
 - 250- Open Awards
 - 280- Ross
- Went over what you get for your membership
 - Plaques
 - Checks
 - Top 5 Free Jersey
 - Chance to go to KBF Nationals

- 2024- Guntersville, Alabama
- **Challenge Series**
 - Top 3 Payout
- **Eliminator Series**
 - Need 16 people- currently have 14
 - Ricky Jay Won Last Year
 - Winner will Qualify for TOC
- **Team Series**
 - Went over that is runs in conjunction with LIKBF Elite Series (First 6 Events)
 - Team Challenge Series will count your best 5 Elite Tournaments out of 6
 - Do Not sign up if you do not plan to fish all of the events. It is not fair to your teammate.
 - One person CAN carry the team.
 - Top anglers will not be pared up with each other.
- Side chatter needs to stop! If you have questions about club stuff contact a board member.
- We will be posting the minutes of the meetings on the website- Members Only area. Password for Members Only section is in the email from Fishing Chaos when you paid your membership.
- Discount codes are in the Members Only section.

OPEN DISCUSSION. Speak Up!

- We discuss a lot at the meetings.
- It is Important to come to the meetings.
- ***Inflatable PFD***
 - Still allow?
 - KBF allows Coast Guard Approved Inflatables.
 - Not Banning.
 - CO2 cartridge needs to be charged and screwed in fully so seal is broken.
 - CO2 guage lets you know when you need to change it.
 - Check Indicartor!
- Liability Issue for LIKBF?
- We want everyone to be safe.
- Take what you need from the club (friends, competition, fun fishing)
- What you put in is what you will get out of this club
- Need Auto-Inflator PFD
- **Recommend PFD:**
 - Chinook NRS
 - Astral PFD
 - Fishing online has them- we get a discount

- ****Mandatory**
 - o 360 light for Outboard Motor Lakes
 - Have to have to launch before sunrise
- Motor on Kayak (Red/Green) lights
 - o Different in every state- Do your research
- Send to Michelle:
 - o Proof of fishing license
 - o Registration of Motor
 - o Invasive Species for CT (If you have a motor.)
 - o Boater Safety Course- For CT- If you have a motor
- You DO NOT want to get DQ for not having your paperwork in order.
- It affects points in you get DQ
- Send License and other info before Tournament

Eliminator

1. Mark F. vs Joel N.
 2. Anthony P. vs Todd F.
 3. Wayne Z. vs Luis V.
 4. Paul W. vs Freddy W.
 5. Sean P. vs Luis F.
 6. Rich R. vs Andre L.
 7. Marco R. vs Ricky S.
 8. Rob S. vs Joe D.
- 2 Elite Series Tournaments in May
 - Winner of Elite Series Qualifies for TOC
 - o No Roll Downs

BREAK

- 50/50
- Raffle
- ***TOC**
 - o Spring Fling & Summer Slam
 - ✓ Roll down for Top 5 otherwise it is burned
 - o No roll downs in Elite Series
 - o * Anthony Paranello- TOC Spot
- **TOC**
 - o Winner of Team Series gets a spot
 - o Qualified Anglers:

- ✓ Neil Premo
- ✓ Paul Withjack
- ✓ Luis Villigas
- ✓ Rich Ranieri
- ✓ Mark Fehner
- ✓ Ricky Jay
- ✓ Daniel Wall
- ✓ Anthony Notarberta
- ✓ Chris Sawczyk
- ✓ Andre Lemos
- ✓ Jack Bolobanic
- ✓ Marco Rodrigues
- ✓ Paul Bonnette
- ✓ Anthony Prudente
- ✓ Anthony Paranello
- **TOC**
 - ✓ \$1,000 for 1st Place
 - ✓ Belt & Battery 12V 54AH
- NY Inventational- Same Lake as TOC
 - Top 10 of club will qualify for Inventational

Teams

1. Luis Flores & Mark Fehner
2. Rob Speruta & Anthony Prudente
3. R Jay Cardinale & Anthony Noteraberta
4. Mike Welch & Paul Withjack
5. John Willie & Rich Ranieri
6. Michelle Doye & Ricky Jay
7. Marco Rodrigues & Luis Villegas

**** During Tournaments only Call/Text board for emergencies**

- 50/50- \$70- Anthony Noteraberta
- Crate- Andre
- \$170 Total to club
- Pleco Cleanup Sat May 13 @ 9am
- * No Special Identifier for Team.
- **Eliminator Series**
 - Both people agree on code
 - If no one catches 12" fish you can agree to submitting less than 12" fish or if you catch a different species (ex: pickeral).

- Look at rules
- You can make up some of your own rules
- You choose time, location & length of Tournament.