



# PATCHOGUE FISHING CLUB REGULAR MEETING MINUTES



Date: **September 27, 2007**

Meeting called to order by President at: **8:15 p.m.**

After the pledge, the following committee reports were discussed:

## OUTDOOR

Tom Ganetis reported on the issues with this year's Snapper Derby due to the boat race outside the Patchogue River. Club members and their guests ended up fishing at different locations. George Remien identified the names of all the children that participated and prizes will be awarded to all. Tom suggested that the snapper derby be held at the Sands Pit next year. Several members agreed that this area was fixed up and would be ideal for the club's tournament.

Heidi reported on the upcoming surf tournament. She had information packets for those members that planned on participating in the tournament.

Jason Remien announced that the blackfish tournament was booked. John Caruso and Matt Werner provided some details on the trip. Additional information will be included in the October newsletter.

## INDOOR

Jim Belmonte did a great job speaking to club members on past PFC casting tournaments. Specifically, he provided details on the Yankee Stadium baseball toss and actually had an example of one of the baseballs used in the contests. Thank you Jim for sharing some great PFC history with the current members.

## NEW YORK SURF TOURNAMENT

No report.

## CONSERVATION

Jim Smith provided some updates on the current regulations.

## SCALES

No report.



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## WEIGH MASTER

Carl reported that two club records were broken over the summer:

Matt Werner broke the Amberjack record with a 44 pound 8 ounce fish

John Caruso broke the Mackerel record with a 11 pound 8 ounce fish

## Fish of the Month

	Month	Name	Fish	Weight
Senior	June	Harvey Holmes	Striped Bass	47-9
Senior	July	Harvey Holmes	Striped Bass	38-11
Senior	August	Leo DiDonato	Striped Bass	35-0
Junior	August	Kyle Reisert	Striped Bass	13-0
Senior	June	Harvey Holmes	Striped Bass	47-9

Congratulations to all fishermen!

## PRIZES

George Remien handed out prizes for all of the summer tournaments. At this point, the club is all caught up.

## RULES & RECORDS

No report.

## JACKETS

Ron reminded club members that there are not limits on the amount of jackets or sweatshirts to place an order.

Heidi returned \$200 to the club from sales of the new PFC mugs at the picnic.

## CUSTODIAN

No report.

## HISTORIAN

No report.



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### NEWSLETTER

No report.

### GOOD & WELFARE

No report.

### PUBLICITY

No report.

### DINNER DANCE

**Jim Smith is looking for a volunteer to chair the 2008 Dinner Dance. Please see Jim if you are interested.**

### PICNIC & CASTING

Jason Remien provided an update on the 2007 George Dietz Picnic and Jim Belmonte Casting Tournament. Thanks to all of the wonderful donations the picnic only ended up costing the club approximately \$30. Details were provided in the newsletter.

### LADIES NIGHT

No report.

### 150 CLUB

Three (3) drawings (July, August, and September) were made during the break. John Tighe wrote out checks for all of the winners.

### UNFINISHED BUSINESS

No report.

### NEW BUSINESS

A nominating committee was chosen to pick the 2008 slate. Members included Jason Remien, Heidi LeLaidier, and Matt Werner. The proposed 2008 slate will be announced at Ladies Night.



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## BILLS & COMMUNICATIONS

No report.

## RECEIPTS OF THE MONTH

Carl reported on the following receipts of the month:

Mugs: \$200  
Shirts/Hats: \$31  
Picnic: \$20  
Total: \$251

## TREASURER'S REPORT

Balance on September 26<sup>th</sup>, 2007: \$2,388.11

It was moved, seconded and voted to adjourn meeting at: **9:20 p.m.**



Respectively submitted,

Recording Secretary