



Patchogue Fishing Club

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June 2005 Newsletter



We have several events scheduled throughout the summer months. This will be the last newsletter until September so there is quite a bit of information included.. The website will continue to be updated throughout July and August so please check it often.

The Freshwater Tournament took place on June 5th. Pickerel, perch and sunfish were the species caught. Oh...and one frisky, frightened bass which managed to escape. Congratulations to the winners, Jason Gehrke, Steve Gehrke, Andy Polcha and Leo DiDonato. Bill did a great job, as always, running the tournament and he generously donated the prizes again this year. Thanks Bill!!!!

The Patchogue Fishing Club is fortunate to have so many members who contribute in many different ways. There are members who serve on committees, those who contribute financially, those whose expertise benefits the club in a variety of ways and those who bring to the club years and years of fishing and other life experiences. It was brought to my attention last month that some members are having trouble hearing what is being said at the meetings. Several of our members wear hearing aids and still have difficulty hearing the discussions taking place. For this reason, I would appreciate members standing and addressing the membership face forward when recognized at the meetings. If we stand up and speak up everyone will be able to participate. Thanks for your cooperation.

NEXT REGULAR CLUB MEETING WILL BE HELD ON:

June 23, 2005

Where: Blue Point Cottage

Time: 8:00 p.m.



Coffee and donuts will be served.

Committee Reports

Ladies Night

Friday, November 4th at Sunset Harbour



Committee Reports (cont)

Scales



As of the May meeting, all personal scales must be 2005 certified. If you still need to have your scale certified, please contact Bill Rockwell at 286-2043(home), 834-2101(cell) or dbrock70@optonline.net.

Indoor



Cliff Bennett is scheduled to speak at the May meeting.

Fish of the Month



John Tighe is the winner for May with a 14lb. 2oz. weakfish. T.J. Kasten is the junior winner with a 10lb. 1oz. weakfish. Congratulations to both of them! (Again!)

Jackets



Tom has new tee shirts and will continue taking jacket orders. We will publish a price list for all available merchandise as soon as possible. Carl will be posting available merchandise on the website.

150 Club



The drawings began at the May meeting. We will have two drawings each meeting. There are about 30 unsold tickets at this time so anyone wishing to purchase extras may do so at the next meeting. All unsold tickets become the property of the Patchogue Fishing Club and if drawn, PFC will win the prize.

Picnic & Casting



The George Dietz annual picnic and the Jim Belmonte annual casting tournament will be held on July 31st at Cathedral Pines. Anyone who wants to help out should speak to Jason. See attached Flier.

Committee Reports (cont)

Outdoor

Important notices:



- If a small craft warning is posted for a body of water where a boat tournament is being held, the tournament will be cancelled.
- Any one interested in participating in the Blackfish Tournament scheduled for Friday, October 28th on the Celtic Quest, must make a non-refundable deposit of \$40.00. Jason will begin collecting the money at the June meeting. The boat only holds 20 people so first come, first serve.
- Tom Ganetis has requested help from members at the weigh-in. Please give him a hand weighing and recording. It's a big job, so don't be so quick to run off; stay and help. It's fun to see all the members and hear their stories and tell your own. Be sure to hang around and get your picture taken & sign your weigh slip.
- All winning weigh-slips will be submitted by the committee chairman. All other fish weighed in at a tournament must be submitted by the angler. Please be sure to write TOURNAMENT at the top of the weigh-slip. Thanks a million!

Most recent tournament:



PATCHOGUE FRESHWATER TOURNAMENT

Date: JUNE 5, 2004

Time: Sunrise to noon

Place: Mill Pond, Patchogue

Weigh in: Noon to 12:30pm at the East end of East 2nd St.

Prizes: 1st and 2nd for Bass, 1st and 2nd for Pickerel, and
1st and 2nd for the two biggest fish of any other species

Results:

Bass

No fish

Pickerel

1st Gehrke, Jason 2-2
2nd Gehrke, Steve 1-11

Other Species – Yellow Perch

1st Van Ginhoven, Neil 0-12
2nd DiDonato, Leo 0-11

Outdoor (cont)

Upcoming Tournaments:



PORT JEFFERSON FLUKE TOURNAMENT

Date: JUNE 19, 2004

Time: Sunrise to 4pm

Place: Herod Point to Smithtown Bay

Weigh in: Brookhaven Town parking lot, Port Jefferson

Prizes: Largest Fluke (1st, 2nd, and 3rd place)



SOUTH SHORE TOURNAMENT (STRIPED BASS, FLUKE, BLUEFISH)

Date: July 16 & 17, 2005

Time: Sunrise Saturday - 4:00pm Sunday

Place: South Shore (Between Fire Island and Moriches Inlets, including the bay and ocean between those two points)

Weigh in: Anytime during store hours at J&J Bait & Tackle until 4pm Sunday.

Prizes: 1st and 2nd Place (Fluke, Striped Bass, and Bluefish)

BLACKFISH TOURNAMENT

Date: October 28, 2005

Time:

Place: Celtic Quest

Weigh in:

Prizes:

A non-refundable deposit of \$40.00 is required. Jason will begin collecting the money at the June meeting. The boat only holds 20 people so first come, first served.

Upcoming Meetings



Regular Meetings

Date	Time	Location
23-Jun	8pm	Blue Point Cottage
no meeting in July		
no meeting in August		
22-Sep	8pm	Blue Point Cottage
27-Oct	8pm	Blue Point Cottage
4-Nov	7pm	Ladies Night Sunset Harbour
15-Dec	8pm	Blue Point Cottage

Directors' Meetings

Date	Time	Location
no meeting in July		
no meeting in August		
14-Sep	8pm	Cheryl & Carl Dippel
19-Oct	8pm	Tom Ganetis
16-Nov	8pm	John Tighe
no meeting in December		

*Hope to see you
at the next meeting!*

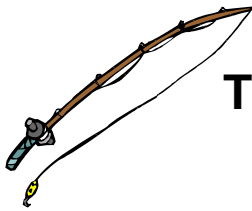
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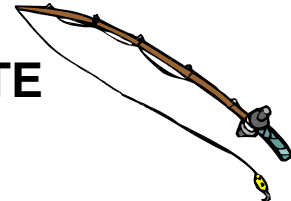
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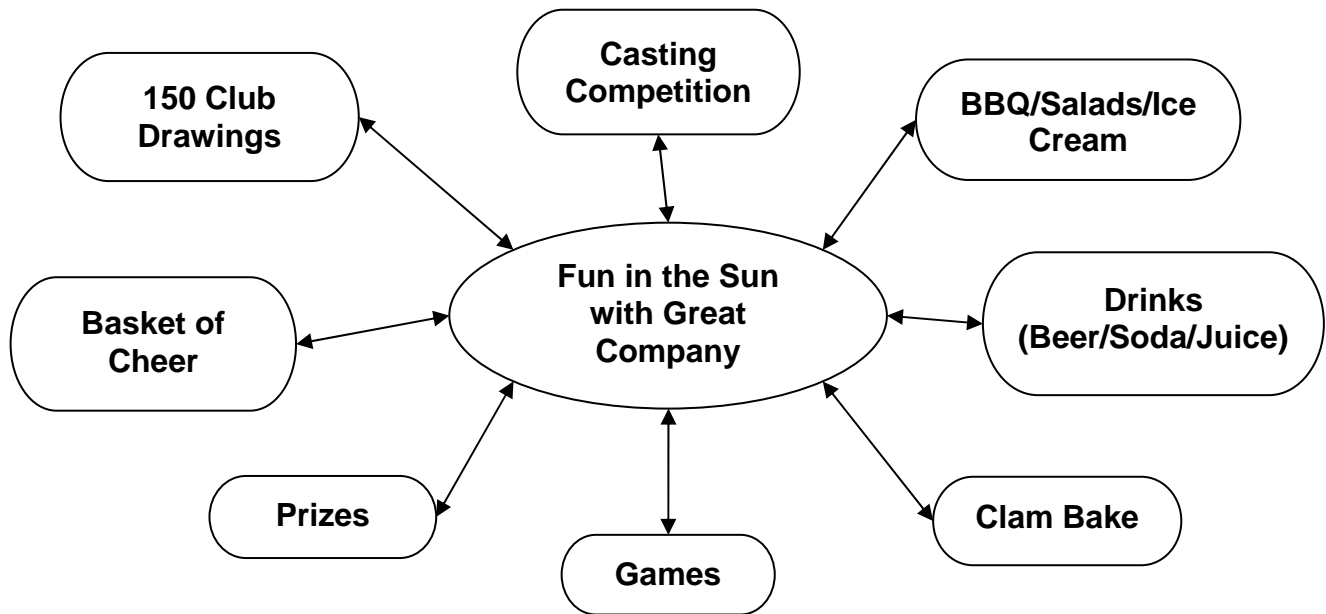


AND
THE ANNUAL JIM BELMONTE
CASTING TOURNAMENT



WHEN:
WHERE:
TIME:

SUNDAY, JULY 31
CATHEDRAL PINES
CASTING – 8:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.**
PICNIC – 12:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.



PICNIC FEES

Club Members:	FREE
Guests:	\$5
Guests (children):	\$3
Parking:	\$2

DON'T FORGET

- A Covered Dish
- Bottle for Basket of Cheer raffle

***Club members who would like to participate in the casting competition MUST be signed up to cast by 10:30 a.m. in order to be eligible to cast.*

Patchogue Fishing Club

2005 Annual Contest Standings

Total Boat		pts.
1	Holmes, Harvey	476
2	Fumuso, Joel	284
3	Tighe, John	14

Total Surf		pts.
1	Conwell, Vinny	356
2	Kasten, T.J.*	62
3	Jewell, Dylan*	10

Blackfish		lb-oz
1	Tighe, John	3-8
2		
3		

Bluefish Boat		lb-oz
1	Holmes, Harvey	9-7
2	Van Ginhoven, Neil	9-4
3	Maynard, Greg	6-3

Bluefish Surf		lb-oz
1	Conwell, Vinny	10-0
2	Kasten, T.J.*	6-0
3	Jewell, Dylan*	5-0

Cod/Pollack		lb-oz
1	DiDonato, Leo	5-0
2	Ganetis, Tom	2-8
3		

Striped Bass Boat		lb-oz
1	Fumuso, Joel	31-0
2	Holmes, Harvey	25-1
3		

Striped Bass Surf		lb-oz
1	Conwell, Vinny	18-0
2	Kasten, T.J.*	10-2
3		

Flounder		lb-oz
1	Ganetis, Tom	2-10
2	Tighe, John	1-8
3		

Weakfish Boat		lb-oz
1	Tighe, John	14-2
2	Conwell, Vinny	10-2
3	Ganetis, Tom	9-2

Weakfish Surf		lb-oz
1	Conwell, Vinny	13-12
2	Kasten, T.J.*	10-1
3		

Fluke		lb-oz
1	Dietz, George	9-15
2	Ganetis, Tom	7-14
3	Kasten, T.J.*	7-11

Kingfish		lb-oz
1		
2		
3		

Largemouth Bass		lb-oz
1		
2		
3		

Pickrel		lb-oz
1	Rockwell, Bill	3-8
2	Gerkhe, Jason	2-2
3	Gerkhe, Steve	1-11

Porgy		lb-oz
1		
2		
3		

Sea Bass		lb-oz
1		
2		
3		

Trout		lb-oz
1	Conwell, Vinny	2-8
2	Wasilewicz, Tom	2-4
3	Kasten, T.J.*	2-3

Tuna		lb-oz
1		
2		
3		

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If an error is found please contact the weighmaster.