



Patchogue Fishing Club

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June Newsletter



Presidents Message

Welcome to the 2010 summer season! It seems that our lives are busier than ever and most of can say we pass ourselves coming and going. If what we have to do can wait until tomorrow, maybe we should all try to slow down and breathe a little. Vow to make the time to take your kids or grandkids out and catch fireflies, roast some marshmallows and make S'mores, go fishing, or spend the day at the beach doing absolutely nothing but making memories with your families.....These are the important things in life.

On to other things...our second annual Chinese Auction/Pizza night is this Thursday. This fun event will start at **7:30**. **If you have any tackle or other items you would like to donate to the Auction, please bring them with you.**

Our next Tournament will be held on June 27th. Please see the Outdoor committee report for additional details.

Lastly, be sure to mark your calendars for July 25th for our annual Family Picnic. More details will follow.

See you at the meeting.

Heidi LeLaidier

NEXT REGULAR CLUB MEETING WILL BE HELD ON:



June 24, 2010

Where: Blue Point Cottage

Time: **7:30 pm.**

Pizza and soda will be served and we will also have coffee and dessert!

Committee Reports



Outdoor

The North Shore Fluke & Porgy Tournament was held June 5th, 2010. There were 7 participants. The winners are as follows:

Fluke: 1st Place: Mark Tutrani 3lb 12 oz

2nd Place: No winner

Porgy: 1st Place: Tom Ganetis 2lb 2oz

2nd Place: Joe Phelan 1lb 12oz

CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL THE WINNERS!

Our next Tournament will be:



FRESHWATER

- Species: Large Mouth Bass, Chain Pickerel, any other freshwater species
- Date: June 27, 2010 (NO freshwater fishing license needed last weekend of June)
- Time: (Sunrise – 1 hr) to 11:30am
- Place: Great Patchogue Lake (aka West Lake & Mill Pond)
- Weigh in: 11:30 am to 11:45 am at the East end of East 2nd St. ([map](#))
- Prizes: There will be a first and second place prize for each of the above categories and each participant will be allowed to weigh-in his or her largest fish in each category. A participant must be a club member in good standing and **CAN** end up winning 1st or 2nd place in each category. Prizes will be awarded at the Annual Picnic.



Indoor

We will be having a Pizza Party and Chinese Auction Night this month! If you have anything that you would like to donate, please bring it in. The meeting will start promptly at **7:30 pm** so we will have plenty of time to have Pizza, socialize, take care of business and have the Chinese Auction.

Alex Segarra, one of our members and owner of Furci's Brick Oven Pizza Trattoria in Bayport, has again graciously agreed to donate the pizza for this event. Thank you Alex!





Fish of the Month

Fish of the month winners for May are:

Tom Ganetis: 10lb 4oz Bluefish
David Bennett (Jr.): 1lb 15oz Flounder

CONGRATULATIONS TOM AND DAVID!

Weigh Master

Weigh Boards are up to date. Just a reminder, please be sure to check the regulations for the fish you are targeting. For your convenience, the last page of the newsletter has all the current size and bag limits as well as the seasons.



CONSERVATION

Tom reports that the bad news is the oil situation in the Gulf. The good news is there are plenty of Porgies being caught in the Sound!



Prizes

Winners from the North Shore Tournament and Fish of the Month will be awarded their prizes at the meeting.



150 Club

We are hoping the remaining tickets will be sold at the meeting so we can start the drawings.



Dues

If you have not paid your dues yet, you must do so before you can weigh in any fish for this year. Please see Carl at the meeting.

Adult Member + two 150 Club Tickets.....	\$80.00
Senior Member + two 150 Club Tickets	\$65.00
Spouse + two 150 Club Tickets.....	\$60.00
Life + two 150 Club Tickets	\$20.00
Junior Member	\$25.00*

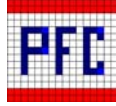
Additional 150 Club tickets will be available.

*Junior members are not obliged to purchase 150 Club tickets.



Newsletter

Anyone without internet access will receive their newsletter in the mail. If you have any problems with the electronic delivery please call Carl at 289-6934. He will be happy to help you.



Website

Remember you can find tournament info, weigh board standings, download weigh slips and find links to other fishing related info on our website: www.pfc1938.com.

June Birthdays



6th Ed Harrold
18th Kyle Reisert
30th Jason Gehrke

Happy Birthday to all those born in June!



Good & Welfare

Guy and I would like to announce that our daughter Jen's boyfriend will be graduating from ODS at the Naval Academy in Newport, Rhode Island. We are very proud of him!



Ladies Night

Mark and Toni will not be moving as previously planned and have volunteered to do Ladies Night this year! More details will follow as they become available. Many thanks to Mark and Toni for agreeing to come out of "retirement" and chairing this popular event!



2011 Dinner Dance

John and Vivi have again graciously agreed to chair this committee. They have secured Saturday, March 19, 2011 for our annual Dinner Dance, so please mark your calendars! Many thanks to John and Vivi for continuing to chair this great event!



Picnic & Casting

Mark your calendars everyone for our annual picnic and casting contest to be held on Sunday, July 25th. As always it is a Rain or Shine event! Please see attached flyer for details and take a moment to place it on your refrigerator so that you don't miss out on the fun. Please note that we will have to charge everyone a small fee to attend the picnic this year. Unfortunately, Suffolk County raised the park fees by over \$200 and although we have many great donations year after year it will be difficult to make up this difference without charging members and their guests.



Scales

If you still have not had your scales certified, contact Bill to set up a time to do so.

Unfinished Business

There are still 7 tickets available for the Ducks Game on August 20th. Please see Cheryl at the meeting if you are interested in going.

New Business

Neil VanGinhoven made a motion that the 50th Anniversary Trophy, which has not been awarded over the past two years due to weakfish not being caught, be changed. If no one catches a weakfish, the weight of a fluke will be substituted. All other requirements will remain the same. The motion was seconded, and after discussion, passed unanimously.

Upcoming Meetings



Regular Meetings

Type	Date	Time	Location
Informal	24-Jun	7:30	Blue Point Cottage
Casting Picnic	TBD	8am Noon	Cathedral Pines
no meeting in August			
Business	24-Sep	8pm	Blue Point Cottage
Informal	22-Oct	8pm	Blue Point Cottage
Ladies Night	TBD	7pm	TBD
Business	17-Dec	8pm	Blue Point Cottage



RECIPE CORNER

CLAM DIP

- 4 cans minced clams with juice
- 2 c bread crumbs (low or no salt)
- ½ c butter (1 stick)
- 1 c grated Romano cheese
- ½ tsp oregano
- 1 ½ tsp parsley
- ½ to ¾ lb provolone or mozzarella cheese
- Pepper and hot sauce to taste

Mix together all ingredients except provolone or mozzarella cheese. Place in pie pan. Top with mozzarella or provolone. Bake at 350 degrees for 20-25 mins.

ENJOY!

Recipe courtesy of Tom and Elizabeth Wasilewicz



Marine Recreational Fisheries Regulations

With all the changes in the regs as of late, here are the current ones for your information. As updates are made available, this list will be updated as well. NOTE: All measurements are total length.

BLACKFISH: SIZE: 14 inch minimum. BAG LIMIT: 4 (four) fish per day.
SEASON: Jan 17-April 30 and Oct 1- Dec 20.

BLUEFISH: SIZE: No size limit. BAG LIMIT: 15 (fifteen) fish per day; however no more than 10 may be under 12 inches. SEASON: Open all year.

COD: SIZE: 22 inch minimum in state waters. BAG LIMIT: No bag limit.
SEASON: Open all year.

FLUKE: SIZE: 21 inch minimum. BAG LIMIT: 2 (two) fish per day.
SEASON: Open: May 15 through Sept 4.

FLOUNDER: SIZE: 12 inch minimum. BAG LIMIT: 2 (two) fish per day. Season: Open only April 1-May 30 in all Marine waters.

POLLOCK: SIZE: 19 inch minimum. BAG LIMIT: None SEASON: Open all year.

PORGY: SIZE: 11 inch minimum. Party Boat Anglers: Season: June 8-Sept 6:
10 (ten) fish per day. Sept 7- Oct 15: 40 (forty) fish per day
Private/Rental Boat: SIZE: 10.5 inch minimum. Season: May 24-Sept 26: 10 (ten) fish per day.

SEA BASS: SIZE: 12.5 inch minimum. BAG LIMIT: 25 (twenty five) fish per day
SEASON: May 22-Sept 12

STRIPED BASS: ALL MARINE WATERS SOUTH OF GW BRIDGE: SIZE: 1(one) fish per day 28-40 inches and 1(one) fish over 40 inches*. SEASON: April 15- Dec 15.

*Party/Charter Boats: 2 (two) fish per day 28 inch minimum.

HUDSON RIVER NORTH OF GW BRIDGE: SIZE: 18 inch minimum BAG LIMIT: 1(one) fish per day. SEASON: March 16-Nov 30.

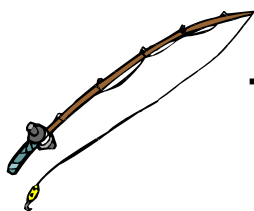
WEAKFISH: SIZE: 16 inch minimum. BAG LIMIT: 6 (six) fish per day.
SEASON: Open all year.



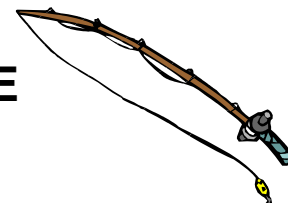
MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR THE:
2010
GEORGE DIETZ ANNUAL
PATCHOGUE FISHING CLUB



PICNIC



AND
THE ANNUAL JIM BELMONTE
CASTING TOURNAMENT



WHEN: SUNDAY, JULY 25
WHERE: CATHEDRAL PINES
TIME: CASTING – 8:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.**
 PICNIC – 12:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.



PICNIC FEES

Adults: \$5
 Children: \$2
 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.*