



Patchogue Fishing Club

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April Newsletter



Presidents Message

Happy Easter and Happy Spring! With all these April showers May should be a flowery month! Hopefully it will be a fish filled one too! Our first tournaments of the season are almost here. Details are in the Outdoor committee report.

The annual Chinese Auction and Pizza night in June is quickly approaching. We will gladly accept any fishing tackle/equipment that you no longer need or want as well as anything fishing related. More details will follow closer to the date!

Bill will be at the meeting this month so if you have not already done so, please bring your scales in to be calibrated.

See you at the meeting.

NEXT REGULAR CLUB MEETING WILL BE HELD ON:



April 28, 2011

Where: Blue Point Cottage

Time: 8:00 p.m.

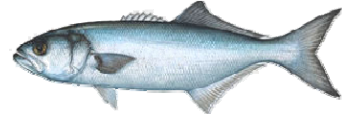
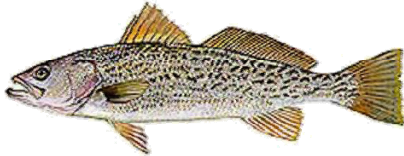
Coffee and donuts will be served

Committee Reports



Outdoor

Please mark your calendars for the first two tournaments:



PECONIC BAY

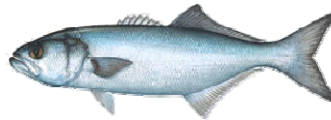
Species: Bluefish, Fluke, Weakfish
Date: Saturday, May 14th
Time: Sunrise – 4pm
Place: Peconic Bay - Route 105 Bridge to Bug Light
Weigh in: From 4 – 4:30pm at the Manhasset Avenue Launching Ramp (Gull Pond)
Prizes: 1st & 2nd place each species (3rd if no weakfish)



NORTH SHORE

Species: Fluke
Date: Saturday May 21, 2011
Time: Sunrise-4pm
Place: LI Sound Herod's Pt to Roanoke
Weigh in: Mattituck Inlet Ramp
Mattituck State Park
Sound Ave → left on Cox Neck Rd → Mill Rd → Past Capt Bob's
Prizes: 1st, 2nd & 3rd Place

SOUTH SHORE



Species: Fluke & Bluefish
Date: August 19th & 20th
Time: Sunrise Saturday to 4pm Sunday
Place: Fire Island Inlet to Shinnecock Inlet, Bays & Ocean
Weigh in: any time up to 4:30pm on the Sunday at J&J Tackle
Prizes: 1st & 2nd place



Indoor

We will be watching a Redfish fishing video at the meeting this month.



Scales

Bill will be at the meeting so remember to clean your scales, oil them up and bring them in to be certified. A reminder to all who participate in the New York Surf Fishing Contest, your scales must be certified by the club if you plan on practicing catch and release.



Fish of the Month

There were no winners for March.



New York Surf Fishing Tournament

I will have information packets available at the meeting for anyone who needs one.



Jackets

Ron continues to do a terrific job on this committee and is always working on offering new merchandise and alternative designs. Thanks Ron! We also have plenty of PFC mugs. If you would like a mug, please see me.



Historian

John reports that the album is up to date. We all look forward to seeing the latest addition of photos from the Awards dinner. Thank you John!



150 Club

150 Club tickets continue to be sold. So far there have been 83 tickets sold. If you would like to sell some tickets to friends or family, please see Carl.



Dues

Annual membership dues are now being collected. Similar to last year, we will be collecting dues and the obligatory 150 tickets together. So be prepared to pay for both. Dues are due as of January 1st, and have to be paid by the April Meeting to remain a member in good standing. Here are the rates for 2010 (No changes):

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*

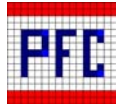
Additional 150 Club tickets will be available.

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



Newsletter

This year, again, anyone who has internet access will receive their newsletter electronically. We have done this in an effort to save money and time. 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

There have been a few glitches but Carl has been correcting them as they arise. The links to the Clubs pictures are no longer active. Carl is working to reconnect the pictures to the website.



April Birthdays

5th Charlie Moffett
 14th Joel Fumuso
 17th Ron Pfister
 20th Jenn Lelaidier

23rd Harvey Holmes
 25th Tom Pfister
 29th Mark Tutrani

Happy Birthday to All!



Good & Welfare

- Carl is scheduled to have knee replacement surgery on May 3rd.
- Delis Remien's mom took a bad fall and had to undergo surgery last Sunday. She is currently in rehabilitation.
- Heidi's brother underwent a second surgery on his back and is doing well.

Are prayers are with all for speedy recoveries!



Ladies Night

The committee will meet this week. Mark your calendars for Friday, November 4th, 2011. We will be at the Sunset Harbor from 7 to 11pm. Bingo will be back!



Picnic & Casting

Mark your calendars everyone for the annual family picnic and casting competition! As always it will be held at Cathedral Pines on Sunday, July 31st 2011. Casting begins at 8:00am. The Picnic starts at noon.

Upcoming Meetings



Regular Meetings

Type	Date	Time	Location
Business	28-Apr	8pm	Blue Point Cottage
Informal	26-May	8pm	Blue Point Cottage
Informal	23-Jun	8pm	Blue Point Cottage
Casting Picnic	31-July	8am Noon	Cathedral Pines
no meeting in August			
Business	22-Sep	8pm	Blue Point Cottage
Informal	27-Oct	8pm	Blue Point Cottage
Ladies Night	4-Nov	7pm	Sunset Harbor
Business	15-Dec	8pm	Blue Point Cottage