



Patchogue Fishing Club

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September 2012 Newsletter



Committee Reports

Outdoor



The following are the results of the South Shore Tournament:

Fluke

1 st Place:	Joe Phelan	3-0
2 nd Place:	Neil VanGinhoven	2-10
3 rd Place:	Tom Ganetis	2-4

No bluefish were weighed in. Therefore, a 3rd place prize was added to the fluke category. Congratulations to all winners!

The following are the results of the Annual Snapper Derby:

As you can see...the August 26th Snapper Derby was a great success!



Member/Child Team Winners:

Andy Polcha and grandson, Sean Polcha
Rich Steinbart and son, James Steinbart

Adult Member Winners:

Chuck Moffett (Largest Snapper)
Rich Steinbart (Smallest Snapper)

NEXT REGULAR CLUB MEETING WILL BE HELD ON:



September 27, 2012

Where: Blue Point Cottage

Time: 8:00 p.m.

Coffee and donuts will be served

The weather for the Snapper Derby was great and there was a steady pick of snappers throughout the tournament. As usual, all kids received a prize. In fact, the kids were very excited to be able to pick more than one prize, which were all donated by Neil. The adult members also had a chance to win two \$50 gift certificates to Lombardi's on the Bay (also donated by Neil). In the end, Rich and Chuck were the lucky winners. A special thanks to Neil VanGinhoven for organizing a great fishing event for the club and donating the prizes!

Upcoming Tournaments



BLACKFISH TOURNAMENT

Date: Sunday, November 4, 2012
Time: TBD
Place: Orient Point (Fishy Business) – Captain Phil Kess
Weigh in: On the boat
Prizes: 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Place

Jason Remien will be collecting \$50 non-refundable deposits for the blackfish tournament at the September meeting. The boat will comfortably hold 12 people and approximately 8 people signed up for the trip already. Therefore, if you would like to participate in this tournament, please contact Jason Remien as soon as possible and/or make sure you attend the September meeting to hand in your deposit. Please keep in mind that the deposits are non-refundable, unless the trip is cancelled.

Any fall surf fishing tournament(s) will be discussed at the September meeting.



Scales

Bill Rockwell reports that only 18 members have calibrated their scales in 2012. If you have not had your scales calibrated yet, please make separate arrangements with Bill Rockwell to have them checked. Remember...all fish must be weighed in on a calibrated scale. If not your own, go to your nearest bait and tackle store.



Fish of the Month

Summer Fish-of-the-month winners will be announced at the September meeting.



“100 Club”

Believe it or not we still have not sold all of our tickets yet. If you have not done so already, please purchase or sell your two obligatory “100 club” tickets. If you would like more, please let Carl know, he'll be happy to give you some to sell.



New York Surf Fishing Tournament

Please remember to get any slips to Heidi by the 10th of the month!



Prizes

All prizes are up to date except for August South Shore Tournament.



Ladies Night

All is set for Ladies Night. Invitations should be going out soon so please be sure to RSVP ASAP!

Date: Friday, November 9, 2012

Time: 7-11 pm

Where: Sunset Harbor



2013 Dinner Dance

At this time we do not have someone to chair this committee. Please see one of the Board members if you can lend a hand with this important club event.



Picnic and Casting

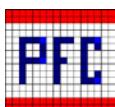
It's hard to believe that the 2012 George Dietz Annual Picnic and the Jim Belmonte Casting Tournament has come and gone already. The weather was perfect and both the casting tournament and picnic were a success thanks to the help and participation of many club members. As usual, we had lots of kids who could not wait to "run the races" and everyone seemed to enjoy the great food, prizes, and of course the company. Please remember that this event would not be possible if it were not for all the generous donations made by several of the club members.

Thanks to Leo DiDonato & Ron Pfister for donating the meats, Cheryl/Carl Dippel and Cliff Bennett for the beer, the Gehrkes for the ice cream (and of course Steve for performing the casting prize calculations), Neil and Irene VanGinhoven for the clams, George and Delis Remien for the corn, the Rockwells for bringing the balloons, Tom Wasilewicz and Vinny Smith for coming out early to help set up for casting, and all of the members who contributed to the wonderful array of tasteful dishes.



Newsletter

We will continue to send out the newsletter electronically in 2012. This is the preferred method of distribution. However, 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...we are no longer reading the minutes during the regular meetings but you can find them on website: www.pfc1938.com in case you are interested.

Birthdays



July

11th, James Steinbart*
16th, Zachary Wasilewicz*
21st, Jared Remien*

August

1st, David Bennett
10th, Sue Ganetis
16th, Frank Mazurkiewicz
26th, Jim Belmonte

September

9th, Peter Cilento
11th, Tom Wasilewicz
14th, Chuck Moffett
28th, Steve Gehrke

Happy Birthday to all the members who were born in July, August, and September!

Nominating Committee



The nominating committee will be meeting in October. If you would like to join us on the Board, please be sure to see one of the Board members at the meeting.

Upcoming Meetings



Regular Meetings

Date	Time	Location
26-Jan	8pm	Blue Point Cottage
no meeting in February		
22-Mar	8pm	Blue Point Cottage
no meeting in April		
24-May	8pm	Blue Point Cottage
no meetings in June, July, or August		
27-Sep	8pm	Blue Point Cottage
25-Oct	8pm	Blue Point Cottage
9-Nov	7pm	Ladies Night, Sunset Harbor
13-Dec	8pm	Blue Point Cottage