



THE MUSKY NEWS



Newsletter of the Winnebago and Musky Club April 2020

NOTICE! The regular April 1, 2020 meeting of the Winnebago and Musky Club is cancelled. This cancellation is due to the Coronavirus.

NEWS

March 2020 was a busy month for the Club. The Sportsman's Rummage Sale did occur on March 21. The Club ran the food concession stand and we had excellent member participation as usual. We operated in the black and created a profit of \$914. Thanks to all the members that pitched in with their help.

The planned Awards Banquet, as you all know, did not occur as planned. Lots of work has been done to bring the Awards Banquet to you. However, the "Virus" forced the Club to cancel and postpone the 2020 banquet to a later undetermined date. The banquet committee is unable to provide a new date yet, but will work to declare a new time and place as soon as it is feasible. Those of you that have paid the banquet fee may choose to have the Club hold your banquet money for a time to use towards the new banquet, or have your prepaid banquet amount returned to you now. Call or text Scott @ 920-948-2283 with your wishes regarding the return of your banquet fee. The Club's desire is to announce plans for the banquet as soon as the government gives a clearance for groups to gather. If you have any suggestions or feelings regarding this banquet's venue or time please let Scott know by calling or texting him at 920-948-2283. Hopefully this country's coronavirus epidemic is short and everyone avoids it.



WMC MUSKY STOCKING PROJECT UPDATE

The Muskellunge Club of Wisconsin, an Alliance musky club from Waukesha, is sharing fish from their allotment with our Club and Milwaukee Chapter of Muskies Inc. We are close to having our stocking program implemented on Big Green Lake. We are hopeful that the actual stocking will occur between April 3 and April 6. The actual timing for the stocking is determined by the hatchery. We do not have control of this timing. We also have to contend with the social distancing. Volunteers





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would provide manpower and boats to disperse the fish. We want to scatter the fish in the lake. ARE YOU AND YOUR BOAT AVAILABLE ON A DAYS NOTICE? If so, please call Scott Klapperich 920-948-2283 or Dave Mace 920-960-4179 to discuss your availability.

BOAT RAFFLE TICKETS

This is another impressive Ranger Boat and the tickets are an easy sale. We have tickets. We need your help selling them. Call Scott at 920-948-2283 to make arrangements to get tickets to sell. We had a great year last year. It would be nice to beat that record with your help this year.

YOUR ORDER IS IN

Scott has received the order for WMC shirts and hoodies. People should text or phone Scott and he will make arrangements to get them to you before the banquet on the 21st (920-948-2283).

REMINDER – Dues are Due

2020 WMC dues are due now. There are a large number of 2019 members that have not renewed yet . If you have not paid, we hope that you have just overlooked the 2020 year due to the interruption of the COVID-19 crisis. The dues are \$20 for a single membership and \$25 for a family membership. The address to send the dues is: *Winnebago and Musky Club*, P O Box 1735, Fond du Lac, WI 54936. If your personal contact information is different than last year, just put a slip in the envelope with your check indicating any changes, otherwise just say, "No Changes."



**WIN THIS
BOAT-MOTOR-TRAILER**



Grand Prize

**2020 Ranger Boat Model 1880MS Angler & Trailer
Powered by Mercury Outboard 150 XL Pro XS**

2nd-10th Prize **Musky Fishing Reels**

**Profits Used For Stocking, Research,
& Improving Musky Fishing in Wisconsin
Drawing to be held Sunday, August 23, 2020 at 1:00PM
Vilas County Fairgrounds, Eagle River WI
164 W. Forest St. Eagle River Wisconsin
(Need not be present to win)**

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Raffle Tickets Sold Here-\$5 each or 3 for \$10