



Big Catch Angler Association

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Special events in our fishing Club life:

1. **January 11th, 2009** BCAA club meeting at 3:00pm.
2. **January 25th 2009** –Big Catch Anglers Association Awards Banquet at The Empire Buffet in Matteson, IL 60443, at 4:00pm
3. **February 1st 2009** —Big Catch Angler Association Calendar year commence.
4. **February 8th 2009** BCAA club meeting at 3:00pm
5. **March 8th, 2009** BCAA club meeting at 3:00pm.
6. **April 13th to the 18th 2009**–Kentucky Lake Houseboat trip, fishing for Crappies, Catfish, and anything that bites our hook.
7. **April 19th, 2009** BCAA club meeting at 3:00pm.
8. **May 3rd, 2009** BCAA club meeting at 3:00pm.
9. **May 17th to 20th, 2009** Reelfoot Lake in Tennessee
10. **June 7th to the 10th, 2009**–Devils Lake, North Dakota
11. **June 14th** BCAA club meeting at 3:00pm.
12. **July 12th, 2009** BCAA club meeting at 3:00pm.
13. **July 19th to the 22nd, 2009**–Lake Erie Walleye Trip with Captain Hook



Big Catch Anglers Awards Banquet 2009

This years Big Catch Angler Association (BCAA) banquet will be even more exciting than our previous years. Our fishing club will hand out a host of awards, gifts and special recognition to members as well banquet attendees. This year's banquet will be a moment in history, a time that the world will stand still, just to hear us announce our Big Catch Angler of The Year for 2008. It will mark our 4th annual fishing club banquet, in which we crown our "Big Catch Angler of The Year", 1st runners-up, and 2nd Runners-up (win cash prizes and awards); while our 3rd, 4th, and 5th draw recognitions by certificates. Also, our hotly contested youth

Big Catch Anglers' Scholarship for High School Juniors and seniors



Elected Club Officers

Kingfish/President.....Paul Goosby
 Blue Gill/Vice President....Nelson Fluker
 Scribe/Secretary.....Ronald Adams



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division will adorn lavishly as we award them for their hard work in competing; in their category for, 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place. Tickets are \$20.00 a piece, and the dining will be at The Empire Buffet located at 4601 Lincoln Mall dr., 60443 @ 4:00pm. To purchase tickets, contact the Big Catch Angler Association Awards at 708-799-5444, and ask for Sam, or from any fishing club member.



As you well know, our fishing Club, the Big Catch Angler Association, is in the process of giving back to the community, in the way of a College Scholarship for a local area high school senior. We would like to make this award available for spring of 2009, but we need your help. We are currently selling T-shirts, for \$15.00 a piece, in which, \$5.00 will be secured for the scholarship. If you are a fishing club member, or a philanthropic individual, and would like to donate to the fund, any monetary denomination will be acceptable. We have collected \$300.00 so far, and would very much like to give 2 scholarships worth \$500.00 a piece. All donations can be mailed to Big Catch Angler Association, PO Box 2603, Country Club Hills, IL 60478. Check out our website www.bigcatchanglersassociation.com.





Lake Erie Walleye Trip July 2008



Huron Ohio Walleye and Perch trip September 2008



Winthrop Harbor June 2008 Salmon Trip



"I do have a big one," Get the net"



We caught the fish where's the beer



Lake Erie Walleye Charter Trip 2008

One of our club best fishing trips is in July when we go walleye fishing in Lake Erie, under the tutelage of Captain Hook fishing charter. Last July we took over 30 men, women and children with us, and stayed 3 days and nights.. Beyond the attempt to catch those succulent marble eyed wonders, I often ponder on what makes this trip so special. I thought it was the fact that you can bring your family; and even if the "wifey" does not like fishing , she could take in an occasional site, or maybe be tempted by one of those romantic voyages to the Lake Erie Islands for partying and wine tours. Rather maybe, it is the conformability of the condominiums that we stay in, a double Decker that sleeps 7 people, with 2 full bathrooms (showers etc.); and all of the major appliances for cooking the most delectable meal and watch cable TV. Could it be the great cookouts that the fishing club sponsors with a variety of meats, and treats that are paramount to no other pleasurable palette? As I got further in thought, I began to settle on the coming together of fishermen, and all of the camaraderie that brings, you know the completions for who caught the most or the biggest, or the occasion tales or fairy tales of past excursions, there is nothing like it, so come and join us for the fun.



Big Catch Angler Raffle Tickets

The Big Catch Angler Association is sponsoring its 4th Annual Raffle with some great gifts. Tickets are \$1.00 each and you have the opportunity to win the grand prize of a 19 inch LCD HDTV, 2nd winner an 8 mega pixel digital camera or \$50.00 in cash. You can pick up tickets from any Big Catch Angler Fishing club member or at New Leaf Hair Design, located at 4055 west 183rd Street Country Club Hills, IL 60478, 708-799-5444.

Baked Walleye Fillets

Ingredients

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- 2 lb. walleye fillets
- 1/3 c. chopped green onion
- 1/4 lb. mushrooms, sliced (1 cup)
- 1 tsp. salt
- 1/4 tsp. fresh ground white pepper
- 1 tsp. leaf marjoram, crumbled
- 2 Tbsp. dry white wine
- 2 tsp. lemon juice
- 1/4 c. shredded Monterey Jack cheese or mild Cheddar
- 1/4 c. fresh bread crumbs
- 1/2 c. (1 stick) butter or margarine, melted
- 2 Tbsp. chopped fresh parsley

Butter a baking dish, large enough so fish just slightly overlaps. Preheat oven to 400°F. Spread green onions and mushrooms over the bottom of the dish and place fish over top. Season with salt, pepper and marjoram. Sprinkle with wine, lemon juice, cheese and bread crumbs. Drizzle melted butter over the crumbs. Bake for 4 minutes, then loosely place foil over fillets; do not seal the edges. Bake an additional 7 minutes or until fish is done. This recipe has been generously contributed by www.fishingworks.com.

Reelfoot Lake May 2008



Big Catch Fishing Club Activities



Ron Adams, Passed Angler of the year 2006



Crystal Williams a previous door prize winner



Sammie Maxwell give our fishing club overview



Sam Steele, Paul Goosby & Tony Holder fishing for Salmon at Lake Michigan



Robert Jackson, "So why don't you join us for some fishing and fun".

Big Catch Angler Transportation Project



Through the kind heart of a philanthropic donor, Mr. Taylor of Taylor Funeral Corp. has graciously donated two 15 passenger buses to the Big Catch Angler Association for future club transportation.



We are in the process of restoration and maintenance of these buses, so if there is any club member who want to aid in this project, please Mr. Eddie Suber or Mr. Earl Ash.



The Update- Eddie's Lake Project

The Eddie's Lake Project, consist of donating funds to assist in the up-keeping of the beautiful 14 acre lake, on Eddie Suber property in Crete Illinois. Over half of our fishing club memberships utilize this fertile lake to the tune of thousands of fish caught every year. So join in the fun of keeping Eddie's Lake Healthy, the deadline for donations, any amount, will end April 1 2009, we current have a total of \$300.00. Contact Sam Steele or Mr. Clarence Huginnie @ 708-799-5444 for more information.

Words from our Blue Gill/Vice-president

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Beginning February 1, 2007, our fishing/budget/calendar year, we had 21 fishing club members; now we have 49 on our membership roll (that's 28 new members), with currently 47 members up-to-date in paying their club dues. Membership is \$12.00 a year for youth under 18 years of age, and \$60.00 a year for adults. The reasons to join our fishing club are varied, 1. Learn how to fish, and 2, to meet new friends, 3. Travel with friends to different areas in the mid-west states to fish, 4, learn survival skills for fishing and camping; 5, to bargain for a better price in securing overnight camping and fishing spots to just name a few. If you are interested in learning and having fun, please join our fishing club by contacting Membership Chairperson Larry Woolridge at Big Catch Angler Association, PO Box 2603, Country Club Hills, IL 60478. Thank you.

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