



PIKE LAKE SPORTSMAN'S CLUB NEWSLETTER OCTOBER 2025

Dedicated to working with the DNR to protect and enhance the water quality of Pike Lake and it's fishing inventory. The Club also encourages the promotion of all water sports and recreational activities.

MEETING: OCTOBER 6, 2025
PLACE: Whitey's Place (Garage)
START: 5: 30 for Setup/socialize - 6:00 Meeting

President: John
Vice-Pres: Chris
Secretary: Jerry
Treasurer: Jason

The Annual Club Fish Fry was held last month on Friday, Sept. 12th at the Pike Lake State Park so there is no monthly meeting to report on. There were about 33 members and their guests present.

TREASURER'S REPORT

CHECKING \$5,740.01
SAVINGS \$5,915.98

(This report is from the September Newsletter)

ANNUAL FISH FRY:

If you missed the Fish Fry that was held on Friday, September 12th at the State Park – North Pavilion, you really missed a great time!
As always there was plenty of delicious “side dishes” (we barely had enough room on the “food” table for them all! Thanks to everyone that brought a dish! Almost forgot to mention the desserts! All were delicious!!)
Chris once again brought a delicious batch of fish chowder. (Thanks Chris! I bet I takes a lot of time to put together!!! Very Good as always!)
Thanks to Dan for bringing the deep fryers!
A big THANK YOU to Jim and Whitey for breading and frying up all the fish! (Of course I saw that your wives were very busy with the breading – so a big THANK YOU to them too!) (Whitey – You were right that this breading was much better!)
Thanks Steven for bring all the plates, napkins, forks & knives and table cloth, etc. Also, all the “refreshments and ice, etc. for the “bar” setup. (A lot to think about and a lot to carry! Good thing you have a truck!)
Once again, THANK YOU to everyone that helped!! (Oh yeah! And the weather cooperated too!)
Can't wait until next year!!

ELECTIONS:

Normally we would have had our elections at the August meeting but since we had a small turn out, a motion was made to delay the elections until the October meeting hoping to have a better turnout. The motion passed.

Also, since the meeting, Joe and Deanne sent an e-mail and requested that their names be removed from the ballot. Joe was listed to run for Club President and Deanne was listed as Club Secretary.

So before our elections next Monday, we will be looking for someone to replace them on the ballot as both John and Jerry have said that they would like to “retire”! Unless there are any other additions or changes before the elections, the ballot is as follows:

- President: -**
- Vice-Pres.: - Steven**
- Secretary: -**
- Treasurer: - Whitey**
- Sargent-at-Arms: – Nick**
Marko
- Board Members: Dan**
Chris
John
Jim
Bruce
Sue
Dan

Note: There are 4 Board Members up for election.

Before the elections, if someone is interested in having their name added or removed from the ballot, they can do so before the election. Please consider the “open“ positions!

MEMORIAL BENCH:

As I reported in the last Newsletter the Memorial Bench was installed on Aug 21st. I had a chance to check up on the bench when I used the launch recently. It looks good and is in a place nice and solid. I have a few pictures of the view from the bench if anyone's interested.

DUES ARE NOW OVER DUE:

Annual Club dues are now over due! It was agreed that we keep the Annual dues at \$35.00! If you missed the August meeting or didn't pay your dues then, please pay soon! Whitey said that we need to keep the savings account over \$5000 or we are charged a fee to keep the account!

(Boy! Such a deal! Where else can you go for \$35.00 and receive a great, all you can eat meal and drinks for \$35.00! And that is 12 times a year yet!!! Spread the word!)

CHEFS:

Last month was our Annual Club Fish Fry so there were many "Chefs". Once again GREAT JOB everyone!!! This is always one of the best meals!

UPCOMING CHEFS:

October – Whitey [redacted] and Jim [redacted]

November – Deanne and Joe [redacted]

December – John [redacted] and Chris [redacted]

January - Jerry [redacted]

Also, Please let us know if you plan to attend!!!

(Please let us know by Saturday or before!!!!)

John– [redacted] or [redacted]

Jerry – [redacted] or [redacted]

DATES TO REMEMBER:

October – Monthly Meeting at Whitey's Garage. We will be having the elections that we put off at the August Meeting! Still time to be nominated for a position or take your name off the ballot! (Remember that John is definitely not returning as President!)

November – Monthly Meeting at ????

December – Monthly Meeting at ????

50/50 WINNER

SUE [redacted]

\$42 FOR THE CLUB AND \$42 FOR SUE!!

(WHAT SUE AGAIN???)

If any Club Member wants to look up older Newsletters and other Club information you can find it at pikelakesportsmans.club.
