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2009 EVENTS

April 23rd	Annual Fundraiser
May 9th	Anderson Pond Kids Fish-N-Fun (rain date 16th)
May 17th	Monthly Tournament & Fish Fry
June 7th	Monthly Tournament & Fish Fry
June 20th	Moose Lodge Outing
August 9th	Monthly Tournament & Fish Fry
September 13th	Monthly Tournament & Fish Fry

Scales & Tales

January's guest speaker was John Bruhn and Tim Cooper from the Waukegan Coast Guard Unit. They presented a video on cold water survival. His presentation, facts on survival in water below 60 degrees, actually film shown 45 degree water emersion. 1-10-1 is something everyone present will remember. You have 1 minute to regulate your breathing, 10 minutes of meaningful movement, and 1 hour till becoming unconscious.

Actually watching people spend time in this environment captivates you, your jaw drops and heart throbs as you observe the blasting shock to a person trying to move, float or even do simple tasks, like trying to climb into a boat. Things seem kind of o.k. but quickly notice their motion locking up, that is the physical aspect. Then you see panic, indecisive actions, yes even the mind starts to lock up.

Watching his video burns into your mind, you understand how and why people react. Of course having a life preserver on will help your chance of survival. Proven in the video. I recommend any and every outdoorsmen see this presentation. Kudo's to Gerald Vigansky for inviting John and his crew to our meeting.

February's meeting at the Moose lodge on the 1st will include the elections for President, Vice President, and 2 board members. **Mike Williams** offered to resume Treasure, **Denise Piquette** offered to resume Secretary. January's meeting members nominated **Todd Laba**, **Bill Robinson** and **Paul Davis** to run for the 2 board member positions, each had accepted to run. **Mark D'Aloia** was nominated and accepted to run for President and **Tom Zapp** was nominated and accepted to run for Vice President. Now is your chance to have a "say" and vote. Remember to vote you must be a member! Please pay your \$30.00 yearly dues!

The previous board meeting created a incentive for your dues and 2010 Banquet tickets. Normal banquet tickets are \$40.00 a piece, but for a limited time you can pay your \$30.00 yearly dues and get 2 banquet tickets for \$50.00. **This is a \$30.00 savings!**

February 20th will be the Awards Dinner at the Fireside, 2801-30th Ave. Price will be again this year \$30.00 a couple or \$15.00 each. Either pay at the Feb. meeting or as you arrive at the Fireside. Dinner will be at 6:30 and drinks served at 5:30. Please bring a small gift for our raffles.

2009 turned out a good year for the club. Donations toward the Kids Fish-N-Fun and the Rearing Pond has been astounding. Our advertising efforts has paid off. Sacrificed time and often thankless we must recognize, appreciate and thank our **board members along with Al Toenjes and Jim Zondlak**. Member numbers have maintained, repairs to the pond, a banner year for the Fish-N-Fun prove we have not only survived but overcome a gloomy economy. Not mentioning the **creation and growth of our new web site.**

Which reminds me. Winter months ahead many sportsmen while not on the ice often spend time on-line looking for information. If they hit our site we ant them to take interest. Please do send me pictures and stories you may have to put on the web. People love pics and stories. The web-site has no boundaries' and we can really put ourselves on the map, please take the time and send your info to [pbjuga@yahoo.com!!!!](mailto:pbjuga@yahoo.com)

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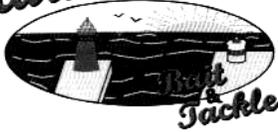
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During January's meeting I cried and whined about needing club pictures and stories to fill our web site, Andy Carraro came to the rescue and sent me some pics. As you can see above. I also had to throw one in of my Granddaughter. Jealous yet? Send me some of yours. Web searchers love big catches, pics on the water, family pics, and of course stories. Don't not know if you remember past stories about the "banana", or the fog and my mom turning on her porch light on for my safe return.



Thank you Andy! Once again take the time to send me some and I will get them into the hands of the web administrators.



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**Sunshine
Committee**

With regret I must inform you Kevin Starks of 47 had passed away at his residence on Dec 22nd. We truly will miss him, warmest thoughts to his family. Respectfully.

Jack Springer was at the Jan. meeting and is looking well sfter his heart surgery. You could feel everyons sigh of relief to see his infamous smile again. Jack wish's to thank Kip and Jim Peterson for manning the Fly Tying class's.

Team Experience Outdoors

(Article written by James Athey Educated Anglers site)

As a group, the anglers of the world are comprised of people of all ages and from all walks of life. For some it is a sport for recreation and relaxation to be enjoyed on occasion. Some are so passionate about piscatorial pursuits that they center their lives around fishing and to others, gathering the finned fruits of nature is a means to live.

The techniques employed by anglers to catch fish are nearly as numerous and varied as the faces and backgrounds of the anglers themselves as it seems that everybody has their own way of doing the little things. With all the vast differences most of us have one thing in common. The seed of our love for fishing was planted in us by somebody in our lives and if we were lucky, that seed was tended by one or many mentors as it grew.

I count myself truly fortunate as I have been blessed with many mentors over the years, people that recognized my love of fishing and willingly gave of their time and their knowledge. Foremost on the list would be my father whose patient, tireless efforts to keep me baited up and tangle free were required in Herculean measure because even at the earliest age I just didn't want to quit... ever. There are many wondrous gifts that a parent can bestow upon their children but the gifts of time and knowledge in the art of catching fish surely rank near the top. Thanks Dad, it meant the world to me.

There are many opportunities to be a fishing mentor besides teaching your own children to fish. There are too many children of others that will, if left untouched, never have their eyes opened to the wonders we fishermen take for granted. To me that constitutes atrocious neglect. If the opportunity presents itself I hope you'll seize the chance to expose some kids to fishing as someone once did for you. It will enrich the rest of that child's life exponentially as well as do wonders for your soul.

There are countless adults that are in desperate need of what we have to offer as well. There are those that weren't fortunate enough to be reached when they were children and those that do fish but would like to fish more or better. Maybe it's a neighbor that doesn't know how to bond with his kids or is stressed out from his career. Perhaps it's a single mother that remembers the fun she had fishing when she was a child and wants to share that with her kids but isn't sure where to start. It might be a fisherman asking questions on a fishing message board about something that you have knowledge in. We as fishermen have a lot to give to the benefit of the world and the beauty is we that we can have fun doing it.

In today's world of increasing detachment from the natural, it is critical we halt the march away from the true order of things. At the rate we're going, outdoor skills like catching fish will be as vestigial as our appendixes in a few generations. People have become fixated and entrapped by the plastic, concrete and steel world of our own creation to the point that they are prisoners or slaves to it. Deadlines, power ties, reports, promotions, overtime, traffic, the list goes on; the pressure builds; something's got to give. It has been suggested that buying the world a Coke is the answer. I offer what I feel to be a better solution. Let's teach the world to fish!

I read once that the true measure of a day's fishing isn't the weight of the fish caught but rather the weight lifted from our shoulders and from our hearts. That being the case it is plainly evident from watching the news on any given day that the world could use some of what we've got, a little time and knowledge about the art of catching fish.



Kenosha Sportfishing & Conservation Association

Monthly meetings 7pm every
1st Monday of each month.

Moose Lodge 286
3003-30th Avenue
Kenosha, WI

All are welcome to attend!

Inquiring about membership, e-mail:
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February 26 - 28, 2010**Madison**

Expected to draw over 20,000 visitors, the Madison Fishing Expo features a diverse lineup of fishing tackle, equipment and boats from the industries' leading manufacturers and dealers. The Madison Fishing Expo is an all volunteer, non-profit organization that donates all of its show proceeds to fund fishing related projects throughout South Central Wisconsin. This show is the largest of its kind in the Midwest. Since 1985, the nonprofit Madison Fishing Expo has donated over \$550,000 to various projects and organizations to improve fishing in Wisconsin!

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1919 Alliant Energy Center Way
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Contact Information

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Event Date Detail**2/26/2010-2/28/2010**

Fri 4-9pm, Sat 9am-7pm, Sun 9am-5pm.

Mike Zukowski Memorial Ice Derby

Lakes Benedict & Tombeau

Saturday, February 7th 7:00 AM - NOON

Prizes for Largest Fish of the Day!

Walleye, Bass and Northern

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Lunch: Noon - 1:00 PM

\$20.00 per person

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Kenosha Sport Fishing**February 1st Program**Featuring

MIKE STEFFES, tournament fisherman and owner of Warrior Lure Co., will talk about his company and using his products to catch more salmon and trout.



Visitors are welcome - no charge

Meeting starts at 7:00 PM

Kenosha Moose Lodge

3003 - 30th Avenue

Kenosha, WI

Kenosha Sportfishing & Conservation Association

For information, contact Jerry Vigansky at 262-945-4710 or jervig@tds.net

Warrior Warrior was recently added in Dec/07 and was one of our top sellers for the Christmas season. SpoonMaster offers both the painted and "Hot Glo" Warrior's. Here's some information from Warrior President Mike Steffes.

Introducing the new Warrior Magnum, a totally redesigned trolling spoon....In designing our spoon there were three features we concerned ourselves with. First is the wider end than most spoons have, we added a deeper cup with a complete radius on the hook end. This not only allows a left and right rolling action, but also an up and down snap, whether being trolled at slow or fast speeds. We are a family owned and operated company and we invite you to become part of our family by using our products to help you increase your catches! Tight lines....Mike Steffes, President. (article from the Warrior website)

**March's Club Meeting will hold our Swap Meet**

March 1st is the day to sell, buy, swap your fishing and boating gear. Or what have you! Between now and then put aside items you wish to part with. Make a list of your future needs. Last year turned out very well. Racine's Salmon Unlimited and many others took place. A few vendors also shown up. A great opportunity to explore new avenues and not "break the bank". Any questions please contact Jerry Vigansky.

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We Expanded Our Tournament Lakes Fishing Will Be Allowed On Any Kenosha County Inland Body Of Water!!

Next Party --February 27, 2010

The Kenosha County Tavern League will be having its 6th annual Ice Fishing Party, Saturday February 27, 2010. Fishing will be on all Kenosha County inland waters. Fishing will be between the hours of 4:00 am - 12:00 pm. Trophies and cash prize awarded for 1st, 2nd, 3rd in the following categories - Northern Pike, Bass, Walleye, Perch, Bluegill, and Crappie.

Party begins at 10:00 AM at Marino's County Aire. Live music, food, raffles, BEER, and alot more fun to be announced!

SafeRide will be available all day during the **Biggest Ice Fishing Party in Wisconsin.**

Tournament Registration:

We have expanded the Tournament to any inland body of water in Kenosha County, the registrations satellites will be limited to three locations in the 2010 Tournament.

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Tournament Rules & Regulations:

Entry Fee- \$10.00 per person
Fishing 4:00 am - 12:00 pm for: Bass, Walleye, Northern Pike, Crappie, Perch, and Bluegill
Live or Artificial Bait
All Fish Judged By Length
All State Regulations Apply
Fish Must Be Caught The Day Of The Tournament
Time Of Registration Will Be The Tie Breaker

Contact Info:

For more information, please us at info@kctl.org

Wow, two postings only a few days apart? He must really have nothing to do. No, I apologize for not posting more, and I will try to do it more often in the coming year. I have found out now that there are at least two people reading my rantings. I fished lower Twin yesterday. Drilled many holes. Tried many depths. Tried many baits, tricks, tools. Talked with and fished with people who are not rookies by any means. And, as you may have guessed. It just plain sucked. (Mom says I should keep the vulgarity out of these postings, but...) Many people I talk to will no longer fish Kenosha County lakes. I am starting to get disillusioned myself, and I'm Mr. Optimistic. I mean, when you can't go out on a nice day drill a few holes and at least catch some dinks, or even potato chip size Bluegills, what is the world coming to. Places that have always produced at least some fish in the past are now being crossed off lists for good.



Bob Deangalis
Owner of Harborside
Bait & Tackle

In front of where Mad Dan's used to be on Elizabeth was always good for gills, though mostly small, you would connect with a nice one frequently enough to keep you interested.

Ten feet of water on Camp lake was always a good place to take a kid, or beginner to get the ball rolling for their ice-fishing future. Last year, if you remember, I struck out there as well.

I'm trying to teach the kid I fish with how to watch his line for the negative bites-(when the fish don't pull down on the bait but actually push it up, or just hold it in their mouths instead), and I can't even do that when I only catch maybe two fish on an outing.

Wouldn't it be nice to have a place close by to catch a nice mess of good sized gills?

I don't think that's asking for a lot- Muskies, Walleyes, of course these are too much to ask for, but Bluegills? They're supposed to be the fish you are supposed to keep according to all the conservationists, and we can't even connect on them around here. At least I can't anyway, but I'm resolved to keep trying. If for no other reason than to keep you, my loyal readers, informed on the goings on in Kenosha County, and maybe Walworth later in the season.

Next time out... well I'm not going to tell you yet because?

- I want to keep you in suspense until I post again.
- If I find a spot I'm going to keep it to myself so no one else fishes it out.
- I don't want to look like a rookie again if I strike out.
- Have no clue where I'm going to try next.

Most likely it's C. If I kept good spots to myself it wouldn't exactly be good for business would it? Besides that's not me.

A.? I doubt anyone is in suspense over what is posted here.

D.? You're right also because I have no idea where to try next. But I'll get together with my gang of cronies and see if they have any ideas and try again. Maybe I should call them team Harborside, or Ice Team Harborside- it seems like everyone else has teams lately maybe I should form one too.

Ice Conditions- as of today ice in the county is at least 7 inches thick and it was very solid.

In the harbor- it is pretty good in the Southport Marina, and it is pretty solid out from the boat launch ramps in the harbor, but not very far out into the harbor itself. This morning the main harbor channel was locked together, but that can change at a moments notice and it is NEVER walkable. The only reason I mention it here is because somebody called and asked me.

These cold nights should keep the ice good now for a while.

Good luck to you if you get a chance to get out there and drill some holes. It beats watching T.V. Later- Bob

P.S. Special thanks to Rick W. and Timmie S. who brought back my auger with the rope pulled off. I only know it was in one piece when they walked away with it yesterday. I'm guessing it was Rick. Besides, Timmie did get my snowblower started so he is off the hook.
(article from the Harborside Bait and Tackle)

Local legislators' work to prevent the spread of invasive species is now the law.

(Article from the GLBR)

Gov. Jim Doyle late last month signed into law invasive species legislation written by Senator Bob Jauch, D-Poplar, and Rep. Nick Milroy, D-Superior.

The comprehensive legislation strengthens enforcement of restrictions on the transportation of aquatic invasive species. It was a high priority during the citizen led Superior Days effort for several years. "Unchecked spread of aquatic invasive species poses economical and ecological peril to Wisconsin waters and increased enforcement authority is one of the keys to preventing that damage," Jauch said.

This legislation has been long sought by the Wisconsin Association of Lakes that worried Wisconsin's law didn't go far enough to prevent the movement of invasive species from one lake to another, he said.

The lack of a statewide law resulted in a patchwork of local regulations. This bill significantly increases our statewide efforts to control the spread of these damaging invasive and exotic species that choke our lakes and waterways, Jauch said.

The new law establishes statewide enforcement on transport of invasive species and is patterned after a similar law that has had success in Minnesota. The law gives any law enforcement official authority to remove aquatic animals and plants and issue a fine if there is non-compliance with a removal order.

Despite economy, tackle and fishing license sales up 8%

(article from the GLBR)

State DNR agencies reported, as of September 1, 2009, a 7.7% positive change in the number of licenses sold year-to-date compared to the same months last year. The same states also saw a seven percent increase in the number of licenses sold in July 2009 compared with July 2008.

Fishing license sales increased at a faster rate in the 1st quarter of 2009 compared to the 2nd quarter. Increases of 20% or more were common in the first quarter. However, a larger volume of sales occurred in the second quarter — the peak period for license sales nationally — and had a greater effect on the year-to-date sales trend than first quarter license sales.

In general, more fishing licenses are sold during the 2nd quarter than any other time of the year. Reasons for the 2009 license sales increases range from a slow economy, allowing people more time to engage in outdoor activities, to recreational fishing being a lower cost alternative to other forms of recreation.

Salmon in Rice Paper Wrappers

- 2 teaspoons sesame seeds
- 3 tablespoons reduced-sodium soy sauce
- 2 tablespoons finely chopped scallions
- 1 tablespoon chopped fresh cilantro plus 12 sprigs
- 2 teaspoons rice-wine vinegar
- 2 teaspoons finely chopped fresh ginger
- 1 teaspoon sugar
- 4 8-inch rice papers (see Ingredient note)
- 1 pound salmon fillet, about 3/4-inch-thick, skin removed, cut into 4 portions
- Freshly ground pepper to taste
- 2 teaspoons canola oil

1. Toast sesame seeds in a small dry skillet, stirring, over medium heat, until golden and fragrant, 2 to 3 minutes. Stir together soy sauce, scallions, chopped cilantro, vinegar, ginger, sugar and the sesame seeds in a small bowl.

2. Fill a large bowl with very hot water. Working with one sheet at a time, dip rice papers in water until completely softened, about 10 seconds. Place on a towel to drain. Arrange 3 cilantro sprigs attractively in the center of each rice paper. Season salmon with pepper and place over the cilantro sprigs. Fold the rice paper over the salmon to enclose it.

3. Heat oil in a large nonstick skillet over medium-high heat. Place the salmon packages in the skillet, seam-side down, and cook for 1 1/2 minutes. Turn and cook for 1 1/2 minutes more. Remove from the heat and let stand, covered, for 2 minutes then serve with the dipping sauce.

Ingredient note: Rice papers are handy wrappers, commonly used in Vietnamese cooking. You can buy them at Asian markets, large supermarkets or order them through the mail. They keep indefinitely on your pantry shelf.

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February 2010

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 Meeting & Elections @ the Moose 7pm	2 Fly Tying Gander Mt. 6:30 to 8:30	3	4	5	6
7 Mike Zukowski Memorial Ice Derby	8	9 Fly Tying Gander Mt. 6:30 to 8:30	10	11	12	13 Stoneface Ice fishing Derby
14	15	16 Fly Tying Gander Mt. 6:30 to 8:30	17	18	19	20 Awards Banquet at Fireside
21	22	23 Fly Tying Gander Mt. 6:30 to 8:30	24	25 Board meeting at the Zoo	26 Madison Fishing Expo	27 Kenosha tavern league fishing Derby
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Fish Caught Near Mike Williams Slip !!!

(Article from the GLA Magazine written by Christopher Buck Atteberry)

Christopher Buck Atteberry teaches 5th grade at Millburn School in Wadsworth Illinois. Chris and two other anglers shared the Harbor this Presidents Day when he noticed the line slowly move off the reel. Using 6 pound mono the fight ensued. Nearly 25 minutes the brut passing the hole held me in awe. With help from the other anglers, a careful gaff in the jaw brought him up. A scale on hand shown 24.3 pounds and measured 32 inches, after a few pictures the fish was carefully lowered back into the hole. Then with a swat of his huge tail he was gone.

January/February's edition of Great Lakes Angler held this article and Travis Becker brought to my attention that the area of the picture was near my boat, but sure it is closer to Mikes!

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Next Meeting:

**February 1st 7:00 P.M.
At the
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Guest Speaker
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Next Board Meeting: Jan. 28th and Feb.25th
@ the Zoo

2010 dues are required to vote in February's meeting Awards banquet on Feb 20th

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