

North Country Bronzebacks

Monthly Meeting Minutes

Date: December 14, 2012

Location: 117 Pine Street, Berlin (Denise/Gary's House)

Called to Order: 6:00 PM

Attendance: Randy Stewart, Denise Allain, Brian Emerson, Eric Grenier, Carl Cote

Secretary's Report: N/A

Treasurer's Report:

- Brian noted that dues will be \$80 per member, if you plan on fishing the STQT. Regular club dues will be \$20 per member. Members in attendance have paid as follows:
 - Brian Emerson - \$80
 - Eric Grenier - \$80
 - Gary Croteau - \$80
 - Randy Stewart - \$80
 - Carl Cote - \$80
 - Denise Allain - \$20
 - Christine Grenier - \$20

Tournament Director's Report:

- Brian mentioned that the Federation doesn't want clubs to schedule tournaments on NHBN Open dates. The current tentative Open dates are as follows:
 - May 4, 2013 – Ossipee Lake (Open)
 - July 13, 2013 – Lake Winnepesaukee (Open)
 - August 3, 2013 – Massabesic (Club v. Club)
 - August 17 & 18, 2013 – Lake Champlain (STQT)
 - October 19, 2013 – Lake Winnisquam (Open)
- All discussed potential lakes to fish this season. The lakes suggested are as follows:
 - Conway Lake
 - Moore Dam
 - Umbagog Lake
 - Ossipee Lake
 - Squam Lake
 - Partridge Lake
 - Wentworth Lake
 - Newfound Lake
 - Wickwas Lake
- Brian and Randy discussed submitting permits for this season. It was decided that we will wait until everyone gets their pick and work our tourneys into them.

Conservation Director's Report: N/A

Old Business: N/A

New Business:

- The club welcomed Carl Cote as a new member. Carl's contact information is as follows:
 - 8 Belair Estates Road
 - Fryeburg, ME 04037
 - carlcote175@gmail.com
- New officers were nominated and voted for the 2013 season. Club officers are as follows:
 - President: Brian Emerson
 - Vice President: Randy Stewart
 - Conservation Director: Denise Allain
 - Tournament Director: Eric Grenier/Randy Stewart
 - Treasurer: Brian Emerson
 - Secretary: Christine Grenier/Eric Grenier

NHBN News:

- There will be no "Lead Bill" in the NH Legislature in 2013. New language needed to be drafted and more study done before it gets reintroduced.
- The annual banquet is all set for Feb. 2, 2013 at the Executive Court Banquet Facility in Manchester. Tickets are \$30 each and must be purchased no later than January 23rd (@ BOD meeting). There will be approximately \$7,000 in prizes up for grabs including a Lowrance HDS-7 Touch, HDS-5, an I-Pad, Wii game system, Tempest & Fury props, Lew's baitcast reels, Doby's rods, marine oil and stabilizer and much more.
- NHBN will once again host a group in the BASS Fantasy Fishing contest with the highest scoring member receiving free entry into the STQT. (This will be the participating member with the most points after the last BASS event before our STQT.)

Meeting Adjourned: 9:30 pm