

Minutes of May 14, 2015 New Jersey Bass Federation Regular Meeting

The meeting was called to order at 8:02 p.m. by Vice President Doug Peabody. President Mike Hart and Treasurer Forest Honeywell were not in attendance.

The following chapters were not in attendance: Blazin Bass (excused); North Jersey; Over the Ridge; Warren County.

The Minutes from the February 12, 2015 Federation meeting were read by Secretary Angiulo. The minutes were accepted via motion/second.

The Treasury Report was read by Vice President Peabody in Treasurer Honeywell's absence. The report was accepted via motion/second.

Tournament Director Dave Frost indicated that the Team Tournament is ready to go. There will be three flights coming in at 3:00 p.m., 3:15 p.m. and 3:30 p.m. We will start at 6:00 a.m. or earlier if everyone is ready and there is safe light. There will be single boats to accommodate possible breakdowns, etc. On Wednesday by 4:00 p.m. all boats must be **out of the water. There will be a meeting at the ramp at 4:30 p.m. that day.** Make sure you have all applicable licenses. Discuss that with your daily partners prior to the event. Please discuss a game plan in the morning with your partner. Also, discuss splitting the costs. The check in will be at the T-Dock. At the end of the day, you **MUST CHECK IN AND RETURN YOUR FOB** containing your boat number. Failure to do so will cause you to be disqualified. If any angler pulls out of the event between day 1 and day 2, that club will also forfeit a corresponding angler.

Tournament Director Frost also indicated he could still use someone to pull the tournament trailer to the point events. The trailer puller gets a free entry as well as \$125. If they do not fish, they receive \$225. Secretary Angiulo reminded anglers to enter early for the Candlewood event, as the deadline is May 29.

Show Director Rich Boyko thanked all the individuals who helped him with the Suffern Show, and indicated that the Federation raised \$508. He also indicated that many show attendees indicated interest in fishing with the Federation. The next show will be at the Pequest Hatchery in September.

Vice President Peabody indicated that the Federation still has open positions for Executive Officer and Conservation Director.

The raffle for a TBF rod was won by Hunter Orecchio, Jason Orecchio's son. The Federation collected \$104.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:51 p.m.

Submitted by Nick Angiulo, Secretary.