



MoMuskie News July 2009

Reetz's Pieces

By President Roger Reetz

Where have all the people gone? The Muskies are still here. The same people donate time, money and food to put on events and outings for your benefit. Musky Mayhem and Prime Time were a big disappointment to those guys and gals who worked and donated to make the day a good experience for the members. We need your participation, to continue the Pomme de Terre chapter of Muskies Inc. We need you at the meetings as well as the events. I promise the meeting will be 30 minutes or less, and everyone will have an opportunity to speak.

The bulk of the tactical work of P de T of M I is done by

two local fellows; Gary and Earle, i.e.... news letter, web site, MO. Conservation contact. Earle is a RD of MI. They both sell advertising space, in our annual tourney flier and the news letter. In his spare time Gary is also membership chairman, and keeps a member list on his own P C. Incidentally this list is backed up by Wayne. Then there is Denis, yes, it is one N, from his home in Baldwin, MO. He can get it done what ever it is, regarding our organization. Pomme de Tour is coming up in July and August. Earle and Coach two professional guides will seat you comfortably on a pontoon boat and show you where the

muskies live; yes they stay in their own neighborhood. These two fellows are providing their guide service's to our chapter for free. Come learn the tricks of the trade.

Dan Bodas, Dennis Edelhuber, James Smith, & Jim Cullen, of Janesville, Are our new members. Come to an event and get to know 'em. Dan knows the lake quite well. Dennis has a great boat and might be looking for a partner for some events. Smith is a champion steak broiler and serves a mean fillet and Cullen, get him close to Muskie's and watch him go. See you at the dock.



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NOTICE

Lake Biologist, Dale Cornelius, is leaving us. Dale is now assigned to Stockton Lake until his retirement. Dale will be missed. In his place is Craig Fuller and I am sure we will have a great relationship with him.

Prime Time & Pomme de Tour

By Earle Hammond

For those of you who missed the Prime Time, you missed a good time. There were two muskies caught. Earle Hammond caught a 44" and Bill Hill caught a 38". Todd Hardin caught a 5 LB bass while casting a Believer. Mary Hammond and Audrey Neely provided the desserts at the meal which was cooked by Chef Fred Wehrli.

The next event coming up will be Pomme de Tour. In this event members are welcome to join by notifying Earle Hammond. We will load up a couple of pontoon boats and take you around the lake showing the spots that muskies are frequently caught and released. We will also tell you about the brush piles

and bottom structure, about the contours of the bottom and put on lure demonstrations. This is a free event, the only thing we ask is that you bring your own lunch and drink and chip in at the end of the day to help pay for gas. We will be on the Lindley Arm so a lunch will be handy.

Pomme de Tour Leaves State Park Marina At 8 AM

Update On Handicapped Dock

We received an email from Dale Cornelius in response to our inquiry regarding the new handicap dock being placed in the lake at the Bolivar Landing.

There have been numerous delays in this project caused by weather related problems and high water.

The project is now scheduled for completion in the fall of this year, barring no other setbacks.

Cost overruns have plagued the Conservation Department and the Corps of Engineers, but the project is still moving forward.

We have been promised that we will receive plenty of notice to help arrange with the publicity for the dedication of this worthwhile project.

Additional habitat is also being placed around the dock and promises to insure great fishing from the dock.



Earle and a 44" Caught During The Prime Time Outing June 6th



Earle and a 43.5" Caught On June 15th Also Had A Client Catch A 45" On June 9th

**GETTING CLOSER TO
TOURNAMENT TIME. BOY IS IT GOING BY FAST!!
MAKE SURE YOU GET YOU TOURNAMENT ENTRY
FORM TURNED INTO WAYNE HUMPHREY AS SOON
AS POSSIBLE SO WE CAN MAKE PLANS FOR THE
DINNER, GRAB BAGS AND OTHER GOOD THINGS
THAT ARE ASSOCIATED WITH THE TOURNAMENT.**

**PLANNING ON THE POMME DE TOUR?
PLEASE CONTACT EARLE HAMMOND AT
417-993-0035 SOON SO WE WILL KNOW
HOW MANY PONTOON BOATS TO HAVE.
THE DATE IS JULY 18, GOING DOWN THE
LINDLEY ARM THIS TIME.**

Water temperature has reached 80 degrees. Just as the lake was reaching normal pool we received a bunch of rain that raised the lake 3' overnight. Gary, Audrey, Mary and I are going to a lake meeting with the COE Tuesday to find out the details of the improvements the COE is going to make this fall to the lake, we will update you when we find out.

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Here are some of our sponsors that are sponsoring our tournament.

While at the lake we urge you to frequent them and let them know that you are part of the Pomme de Terre Chapter of MI.

**GET THOSE ENTRY FORMS
TURNED IN EARLY**

- January 7-11** Kansas City Sport Show
- February 6-8** Columbia Sport Show Meeting
- February 11-15** St. Louis Sport Show
- March 7** Chapter Challenge, Meeting, Dinner at Pomme
- March 21** Chapter Challenge backup date
- April 4** Crappie Outing with shore lunch & meeting
- May 2** Muskie Mayhem, meeting & meal
- May 16** Trolling Party
- June 6** Prime Time Tournament, lunch & meeting
- July 18** Pomme de Tour on Lindley Arm
- July 25** Kids Day – State Park Marina meal & meeting
- August 15** Pomme de Tour Pomme Arm
- August 23-29** Chapter Challenge – Leech Lake
- September 19** Guide For A Day, meal & meeting
- October 2-4** Fall Tournament
- October 17** Guide For A Day, meal & meeting
- November 7** White Bass Outing, meal & meeting
- December 5** Planning Meeting 10 AM meal

For further information on these activities please check the website. For those who do not have access to the web please call either Gary 417-852-7126 or Earle 417-993-0035 and we will send you a copy of the activities fully explained.

**POMME DE TERRE CHAPTER OF MUSKIES, INC
MEMBERSHIP FORM - Chapter #5**

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Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home Phone _____ Cell _____

Email _____

DOB (Required) _____ Junior DOB _____

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Any questions call 417-852-7126

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