Missouri Muskies Newsletter
Pomme de Terre Chapter of Muskies Inc.

Todd Hardin has taken on the responsibility of submitting our chapter’s events to the News & Views section of the MI magazine. With Todd’s help we will now have regular submissions to this section. This section in the MI magazine keeps other clubs informed of our clubs activities, celebrations etc. Submissions to Todd need to be done by the 5th of every odd month. Please email Todd with your submissions at tehardin8@gmail.com

Merry Christmas & Happy New Year

November Activity
Saturday November 4th was our White Bass Outing. We had 4 boats show up for the event, there was not much enthusiasm to fish for white bass so fishing for muskie became the event of the day. No muskie was caught despite the favorable conditions.

King of the Lake competition concluded on Sunday November 5th. As with previous legs of the tournament no fish were caught. Jim Ashton took big fish honors by virtue of draw. There is no King of the Lake this year!!!!!!

Saturday evening’s club meeting agenda included officer nominations and discussion concerning the review of 2017-2028 Missouri Muskie Management Plan. We received good input from those in attendance along with input from members who were unable to attend. We submitted our review November 17th as requested by the MDC. We anticipate a response from the MDC concerning our review mid December.

December Activity
General meeting was held Saturday December 2nd. Our events calendar was set for 2018; the events calendar is toward the end of the newsletter.

Following are highlights from our meeting:

- Our club will award two $500 scholarships in the name of Fred Wehrli. Donations were made to our club in the name of Fred and the club has matched those donations. One graduating high school senior from Rossville Kansas & Hickory County will each receive $500 to use to help with expenses associated with attending a college or a technical school. James Smith is coordinating the scholarships.
- March 1st we will e-mail each current member a members list. **IF YOU WANT TO OPT OUT OF THE E-MAILED MEMBERS LIST YOU MUST CONTACT GEORGE DONNER BY FEBRUARY 15TH** george@missourimuskies.org
- There will be a regional club meeting in Kansas City area for members and non-members to attend. Steve Worstell & Joe Magerl are coordinating the event. Date & location are

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yet to be determined. If you have an interest in attending, contact Steve at sworstell@yahoo.com or Joe Magerl at joemag3552@comcast.net

- The No Ice Tournament has been discontinued due to lack of participation from out of state musky fisherman.

- The King of the Lake Tournament is on again for this year. Dates are May 20th (Day after Musky Mayhem) September 23rd, (Day after Guide for a Day) and last leg is November 3rd, (Day of our nominations meeting)

- Fred Wehrli Memorial Tournament is Saturday April 21st. See other email attachment for full details.

January 2018 Activity
Our club has a booth (#543) at this year’s Kansas City Boat & Sport Show. We need help manning the booth in 4 hour periods. Contact George Donner at 816-678-1623 or george@missourimuskies.org if you can help.

KC Sports Show Dates & Hours
January 18–21, 2018
Thursday - 2:00 PM - 9:00 PM
Friday - 12:00 PM - 9:00 PM
Saturday - 10:00 AM - 9:00 PM
Sunday - 11:00 AM - 5:00 PM

Chicago sports show is January 5-7th. There is a group driving up the 5th and returning the 7th; if you would like to carpool or car train along contact Wayne Humphrey at 314-440-2173. We will be staying at the Super 8 Motel in St Charles Illinois, 630-377-8388.

Red Wing has donated a 2019 one week’s stay all-inclusive in memoriam of Fred Wehrli. Denis and Robert Viscek were instrumental in obtaining this for us. We will be selling raffle tickets to win this prize with the drawing at the 2018 Fall Tournament Saturday evening banquet.

James Smith is chairing this raffle. Each member will receive in the mail 2 books of tickets to sell; we encourage your participation in this fundraiser. Tickets are $5 each or 5 tickets for $20.

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Raffle Details
The club is grateful to Mike and Anne Bartlett, owners of Red Wing Lodge for this generous donation; and to Denis & Robert Viscek who are responsible for getting the donation from Red Wing Lodge.
Red Wing Lodge is a fishing and hunting resort located in Sabaskong Bay, on Lake of the Woods in Morson, Ontario Canada. They have clean, comfortable cottages with access to the ultimate fresh water lake in the world! If you are looking for World Class Muskie fishing, look no further! We also have great Walleye, Northern Pike, Small Mouth Bass, Crappie and Perch fishing close to the lodge. The structure in this area of the lake is second to none and that is why most of their customers return, year after year.

Prize Details
- 1 Week Stay
- Cabin for 4
- Dock & Launch Fees Included
- Non Transferable
- No Cash Value

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- Drawing Held October 6th 2018 at Pomme De Terre Muskie Fall Tournament Banquet
- Need Not Be Present To Win
- Must be Used By December 31st, 2019
- All Proceeds are used to support the conservation projects by the club.

Raffle tickets are $5 each, or $20 for a book of 5. The tickets are in books of 5, if individual tickets are needed, use a book for singles.

Information concerning the raffle is printed on the front and back cover of the books.

**Name and phone number are all that is needed.**

Mail completed raffle tickets and checks to:
James Smith
10583 W Castlegate Lane
Bois D'Arc, MO 65612
Phone# 417-689-3574
Make checks payable to: **PDT Chapter of Muskies Inc.**

**Other Stuff**

**Show Me Muskie Forms are due February 1st**

Help the Missouri Department of Conservation evaluate muskie fishing in Missouri by turning in your "Show-Me Muskie Trip Record" forms. **IT IS VERY IMPORTANT THAT YOU COMPLETE AN ENTRY FOR EVERY DAY FISHED FOR MUSKIES IN MISSOURI, REGARDLESS OF SUCCESS.**

**Show Me Muskie Project**

This is a program sponsored by the Missouri Department of Conservation, supported by our club, which gathers angling data on Missouri muskies. The data is used to measure the success of Missouri’s Muskie Management Plan. The plan provides a framework for developing and maintaining high quality muskie fishery for anglers in Missouri. The Show Me Muskie Project, a statewide volunteer muskie angler catch reporting system, was initiated in 1996 to gather catch data useful to fisheries management biologists and to help evaluate the muskie plan. The goal of the plan is to catch a 36” or longer muskie every 20 to 40 hours of angling. This goal can be documented most efficiently by you keeping records of your muskie fishing results and reporting them annually to the Show Me Project Coordinator. Please participate; your input is valuable in maintaining or improving the quality of Missouri’s muskie fisheries. A copy of the form is at the end of the newsletter.

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SHOW-ME MUSKIE PROJECT
DAILY TRIP RECORD FORM
IT IS VERY IMPORTANT THAT YOU COMPLETE AN ENTRY FOR EVERY DAY FISHED FOR MUSKIES IN MISSOURI, REGARDLESS OF SUCCESS, PLEASE, ONE FORM PER PERSON PER LAKE.

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COMMENTS

PLEASE RETURN COMPLETED FORMS ANNUALLY, BY FEBRUARY 1, TO:

Mike Anderson, Muskellunge Program Coordinator
Missouri Department of Conservation
3500 S Baltimore
Kirksville, MO 63501
(573) 225-0506, ext. 6536
michael.anderson@mdc.mo.gov

You will also find and print blank copies of the fishing report form for your 2017 Muskie fishing season online at [www.mdc.mo.gov](http://www.mdc.mo.gov) by searching for “Show-Me Muskie Project”

You may also submit your 2017 fishing log form via email by sending them to michael.anderson@mdc.mo.gov

2018 Pomme de Terre Chapter of Muskies Inc. Calendar of Club Events

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Mike Folkert is the newsletter editor for 2014. If you have any questions or comments, please let him know – mfolkert@jackhenry.com or 417-489-2838. If you have articles or want to participate in creating the newsletter – the more help, the lighter the load. Please check out our website at MissouriMuskies.org for more information about our chapter and events.

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