

2016 BAM Meeting Minutes

January 10, 2016

The meeting was called to order at 12:05 PM by President Geoff Henricks.

After a call for officer positions, there were no volunteers for an officer position and it was confirmed that all 2015 officers would carry over to 2016.

2015 BAM Officers

President: Geoff Henricks
Vice President: Wade Shelton
Treasurer: Gary Olsen
Secretary: Jeff Arends
Tournament Director: Matt Cunningham

- 1) Club Finances: There is a current positive balance of \$400.
- 2) All fees for 2016 are the same as 2015. Club Membership fee of \$35, and \$25 per tournament. Total payment required is \$235 and is due by May 1, 2016.
- 3) Geoff then discussed the BAM By-Laws and Tournament Rules. There were no changes made for 2016.
- 4) All members in attendance signed the Release of Liability at the January 10th meeting.
- 5) All members that will be using a boat must have proof of insurance documentation to Wade Shelton prior to the first tournament. A minimum of \$100,000 of liability insurance is required.
- 6) It was voted in that we would invest in a new scale for 2016. Matt Cunningham to coordinate. The approximate cost is \$400. If there is a BAM balance left over we will purchase new weigh bags for those that need them.
- 6) The tournament format that was agreed to for 2016.
 - (2) Two Day
 - (2) Team
 - (2) Singles
 - There will be (8) total fishing days.

7) The following schedule for 2016 was voted in by the attending members.

- 6/4 Charlevoix
- 6/5 Intermediate
- 6/18 White Lake (Team)
- 7/15 St. Clair (Single); note this is a Friday
- 8/13 Orion (Single)
- 8/27 Nepessing (Team)
- 9/10 Charlevoix
- 9/11 Clam Chain

The backup lake for the Single Tournaments is the Detroit River (Elizabeth State Park), and the Team backup lake is Sylvan.

8) The Classic dates were also voted on by the Club. The lakes will be determined by draw and selection after the last tournament.

- 9/17 Day #1 of Classic
- 9/18 Day #2 of Classic

Next Meeting is Sunday, February 28th at 12:00 PM, White Lake Inn.

Note: For those interested the Hasler Invite will be Saturday, July 9th.