#### **Centennial Bass Club of Northern Colorado**

### **December 4, 2012 Meeting Minutes**

## **6:16** Call to order (Barbee)

Treasurer's Report (Ford)

FMO \$4438.29 CBC \$4095.05

FFS \$727.67

## **6:18** Tournament Director's Report (Driscoll)

24 anglers to fish the CBC Bassmaster Classic

12 boaters, 12 non-boaters

Classic = Wilson, KS May (2)3-5

Classic contenders, be on the lookout for an e-mail from Bill Driscoll to discuss the format.

Classic qualifying for next year - continuing discussion.

## **6:23 FMO** (Wilson)

FMO meeting prior to regular meeting to discuss timeline, and forming committees.

Committees to be formed: Permit, Registration, Logistics, Raffle, Silent Auction

Interested? Contact Bill Wilson.

Next FMO meeting is Jan. 9<sup>th</sup> at 5:00pm

# 6:30 Guest Ben Swigle Fish Biologist for Colorado Parks and Wildlife

Ft. Collins - Boulder including Boyd, Carter, Lonetree, Horsetooth, Lon Hagler, etc

Habitat buckets are best served at smaller waters.

New ponds opening SE of Jayhawker Ponds

Available funding to put a project on "steroids"

Motor Boat Access Grant 25% matching (in-kind for labor \$20 per hour)

Fishing is Fun Grant 25% matching

Loveland Fishing Club will donate

Ditch Companies at Lonetree and Lon Hagler are on board

3 things a fishing biologist can do to improve fishing:

- 1. Stocking
- 2. Regulations
- 3. Habitat

Bonny boat Ramps & docks. Put 'em to use? (Wheedleton)

With Ben Swigle on board, projects will have a smoother and faster timeline.

Survey Results on lakes that Ben handles will be posted late December DPW site.

Aug-Oct is the optimum time for structure install.

Jan. 1 deadline for decisions on contributing.

Info on grants handed out and will be given to new CBC Conservation Director. (Laber)

Should the club ask BASS Nation for funds to improve habitat?

## **6:51 CAST** (Wilson)

Bagging for tips (Dec.  $15^{th} - 16^{th}$ ) still needs volunteers.

Contact Bill Wilson if you are interested.

#### CAST cont'd

High School kids to help? Kiwanis club (Key Club) to help?

Details will be coming (Barbee)

JR's to help?

## **6:54 JRs** (Villa)

Recent meeting

High School format for kids in that age bracket starts this year

Schedule discussed

State Team Championships in May most likely.

Frank will let everyone know once he knows.

Discussion about raising fees for JRs

Entry fee for state tournament?

Kids will be making their own boater arrangements.

Phone calls to boaters willing to help incoming.

### **6:57 B.A.S.S Nation** (Villa)

No longer Federation Nation now known as B.A.S.S Nation.

Proposals still on the table.

Frank sent out e-mails but if you need more info contact Frank Villa.

Series and points preferred.

Cash and Prizes preferred.

Sign up with a partner to fish state team event.

40 guys (20 boats)

Payout to 20 places

2 day tournaments

## 7:10 New Business (Barbee)

### **Officer Nominations and Confirmations**

President: Perry Flot \*passed\*

Vice President: Mike Mullarkey \*passed\*

Secretary: Jeff Nielsen \*passed\* Treasurer: Jim Ford \*passed\*

Tournament Director: Bill Driscoll \*passed\*

Team TD: Juli Driscoll (Amend by-laws to add Team TD at next meeting)

Youth Director: Chad Brekke Asst Youth Director: Frank Villa Activities Director: Craig McMillin

B.A.S.S Nation reps: Mike Hubbard and Frank Villa

FMO Chair: Bill Wilson

Conservation Director: Dustin Laber (add CD to website)

Webmasters: Perry Flot and Jim Ford

#### 7:22 Schedule

Explanation of split tournament (Lonetree/Lon Hagler)

Schedule as is \*passed\* Dependent on permits

### 7:27 Gas Money

Non-boater gas money to be collected and split among boaters discussion.

Keep it as is \*passed\*

## 7:30 Meetings and Venue

Next meeting Wednesday Jan. 9<sup>th</sup> @ Pappy's

Do we need a different venue due to noise, accommodations, etc?

Should we look at different day of the week?

Will the trivia and loudness continue at our current venue?

Send new venue suggestions to Perry Flot. Discuss at next meeting.

# 7:36 Angler of the Year/State Team Qualifier (Villa)

Should club pay entry fees for top two in the AotY standing to the STQT?

Wait until CO B.A.S.S Nation figures their stuff out before making a decision.

### 7:44 New Business cont'd

Passing of Gary Dyekman's mother. Gift? Donation to charity?

## 7:47 Charity Donations (Wilson)

United Way = no admin costs

**Empty Stocking Fund** 

Food Banks

**ALS** Association

\$300 to ALS \*passed\*

\$100 to Weld County Food Bank \*passed\*

\$100 to Larimer County Food Bank \*passed\*

\$100 to Loveland Food Bank \*passed\*

\$100 to Empty Stocking Fund \*passed\*

## 7:56 Christmas Party (Flot)

Saturday December 8<sup>th</sup> @ American Legion Hall 2124 CR 54G Fort Collins Sign up on the website.

White Elephant gift exchange (\$20 max.) Each person attending brings 1 gift

- **8:00 Member Applications** (need 6 turned in to keep club in good standing) \*done\* Get 'em turned in along with your club dues (\$57)
- 8:01 Save your raffle tickets for a chance to win big bucks in the spring!
- 8:02 Adjourn