Nov 12, 2017 Newsletter

Notes from the Office of the President

Well, another Bass Tournament Year has ended for our club. Our last tournament was at Bob Sandlin. The lake did not give up any big fish stringers but there were plenty of little fish to go around. Congratulations to all the winners.



I would like to acknowledge our Angler of the Year, Ryan Caines. What a great year for him. He's a great example of "it's not how you start, it's how you finish" that counts. I would also like to acknowledge our "Rookies", Logan Slaughter and James Bailey, for this year. They definitely proved they know how to fish. I definitely see a great future for these BassMasters.

A final note: I can say, because I lived it yesterday, lost a big fish and lost tournament. When you hook a big fish, you need to take control and don't let the fish control you.

Yours for better fishing, J.D.

Up Next:

Our Annual Banquet on Dec 2 at 7:00 pm will be at Spring Creek BBQ at 3608 S Cooper St in Arlington. Bring a little extra cash for the raffles, 2018 membership, food. It will be a great time!

Membership:

We will be accepting 2018 memberships for DFW Bassmasters starting today. Regular Club membership is \$15 (\$5 for 65 and over) and \$65 (optional for TBF Federation)

Treasury:

Our current treasury balance is \$905.52

2018 Rule Change and Officer nominations:

2018 officer nominations: Pres=JD Elliott, Tourney Director = Danny Joienr, Treasurer=Bennie Anderson, Vice Pres= Greg S or Ron M or James Bailey Rule Change Proposals=1. First and Last cast at certain time and then 30 minutes to get in line for weigh-in. 2. Team Tourney will be \$60 per team, no matter if you only have 1 person. 3. No more Trailering. 4. Eliminate the \$300 funding for TBF Top 6 Fall Tourney

TBF Federation:

There will be a 2 man Team Tournament(\$80 entry fee per team per tourney day) on Lake Waco Nov 18 and/or Nov 19 for all 2017 and 2018 TBF members. Please get with Danny if you need additional info

Calcutta:

The current \$62 will carry over to next year

Annual Banquet:

Dec 2nd annual banquet at 7:00 pm at Spring Creek BBQ 3608 S Cooper St in Arlington.