

## RESULTS & NEWS – LATE APRIL 2009

### Table Rock Lake – April 25-26, 2009

Written by: Lori Luzynski

Location: Holiday Hide-A-Way Resort

Time: Sat: 7:00 AM – 3:00 PM Sun: 6:00 AM – 12:00 PM

Lake Conditions: Clear to stained

Lake Level: 917 (Normal 915)

Water Temp: 61 to 67

Air Temp: 79 to 82

Weather: Saturday overcast and windy / Sunday partly sunny and windy late

Winds: Saturday 15-20mph / Sunday 20-30mph

12 boats turned out at our Table Rock tournament. A total of 47 fish were brought to the scales.

### Tournament Results



**JEFF AND AMY SCHWENT TAKE THE WIN WITH 10 FISH WEIGHING 22.49 LBS.** Jeff and Amy were the big winners this weekend. Jeff was the only angler that had his limit on Saturday and then 4 more on Sunday. They reported catching their fish on brown jigs. They took home \$136.00 for first place. Great job Jeff and Amy!!



Second place was Greg and Andy Shands. They had a total of 8 fish weighing 22.32 lbs. They reported catching their fish on shakey head worms and grubs. Andy helped this achievement by coming in with big bass on both days. I honestly think he's been doing some practicing!! You should be proud Dad!! They took home \$104.00.



Third place was Pam Wakim and Bob Treadway. They had a total of 8 fish weighing 19.33 lbs. They reported catching their fish on Rapalas and Wooley Hogs. I'm not sure if that's a lure or a dance!! They took home \$74.00.

Fourth place was Mike and Brian Jankowski. They had a total of 6 fish weighing 12.97 lbs. Brian did a great job showing Dad how to catch fish. Another proud Dad (and Net Man!!) LOL They reported catching their fish on 4" Fish Doctors – watermelon seed color. They took home \$54.00.



**BIG BASS** goes to Andy Shands again and again!! Andy definitely kicked bass this weekend. Saturday's fish weighed 4.00 lbs. and Sunday's weighed 3.91 lbs. He took home \$44.00 for Saturday, \$44.00 for Sunday and \$60.00 for the side pot. I believe I heard that Andy and his Dad are doing so good this year that they've graciously offered to buy lunch for everyone next tournament at Pomme!! (just kidding) What great guys they are!! BTW, Congratulations Andy!! (And to share with everyone, Andy's secret, this honestly is what Andy caught his big bass of the weekend on!!! (Not the cigar but the inch and a half of what was left of his bait.)



Honorable mention for big bass: Warren Lichius – 3.26 lbs.  
Bob Treadway – 3.16 lbs.  
Dean Sullivan – 3.13 lbs.  
Jeff Schwent – 3.02 lbs.

**CONGRATULATIONS** to all the winners!!



Special CONGRATS to GWEN MCNEIL – Gwen was excited to weigh in her first fish at a HH tournament. Great job Gwen – way to go girlfriend!!

(See complete tournament results below.)

### **Giveaways**

Attendance prize winners were Warren Lichius, Greg Shands, Jeff Schwent, Jim Gross and Brian Jankowski. The free tournament coupon was won by Paul Berger. This tournament we gave out a free one night stay for one member at Nemo's Bridge Resort at Pomme de Terre Lake. Mike Jankowski was the big winner of this voucher. Congratulations Mike!!

## **Special Thanks To:**

First of all, thanks to our Tournament Directors Greg and Andy Shands and Ken and Gwen McNeil. Ken Jones was originally supposed to be TD on Sunday and had trailer issues (as we all know how these things can occur). At the last minute, Ken and Gwen agreed to fill in for Ken. Thanks Ken & Gwen.

Last tournament we gave out a one night free stay for one person at Holiday Hide-A-Way. Pam Wakim was the big winner. Another round of applause and a big thanks to Holiday Hide-A-Way for this and for the special pricing that they gave our members who stayed at their resort. Their hospitality was exceptional. And a special thanks to Nemo's Bridge Resort for the voucher they gave us. We truly appreciate what some of the resorts/marinas/restaurants are giving us to include in our prizes for the members.

## **Who's New?**

Well no new or returning members to announce this time. Please pass on the good word and sign up a friend/relative to share in the fun that we have at these tournaments. We even hope to catch fish at some of them!!

## **Club Events**

**DON'T FORGET THAT OUR NEXT TOURNAMENT AT POMME DE TERRE WILL BE OUR POTLUCK BBQ!** We have reserved a pavilion at Pomme State Park – Shelter House. We hope that everyone will join us for some fun events. We will be providing washers, music, etc. and BBQ will be around 5:00 pm. If you'd like to sign up and bring something (not required) please see Pam Wakim or myself (Lori). A big thank you goes out to Jones Tackle for providing the meat. All the information has either been emailed to you in a special flyer (for those members that have provided an email address) or please check out the message board on our website. We have some great giveaways!! Pomme State Park has graciously given us 2 free boat slip vouchers and one voucher good for \$30 gas. We also have a one night free stay to give away for both The Junction and Southfork Resort at Mark Twain Lake. We look forward to seeing everyone there!

## **Next Tournament**

Our next tournament will be at Pomme de Terre Lake

Location: Pomme de Terre State Park Marina

Phone: 417-852-4567 Sat. May 16th: 6:00 AM – 12:00 PM and Sun. May 17th: 6:00 AM – 12:00 PM

Tournament Directors: Saturday: Dean Sullivan/Dan Durbin Sunday: Terry Stanek/Lori Luzynski

## **About State Park Marina**

### **Your Host: Teresa**

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Directions: *From St. Louis*

Travel west on I-44 to Lebanon. Take Hwy. 64 west through Louisburg, passing the turnoff for Bennett Spring State Park. Continue right on Hwy. 64 toward Pittsburg. Turn left at Hwy. 64B.

## **Pomme de Terre History**

2008

1 <sup>st</sup> Place – John Ward/Rick Schroder	19 fish	27.20 lbs.	Jigs
2 <sup>nd</sup> Place – Brian and Kelly Robinson	16 fish	20.48 lbs.	Tubes
3 <sup>rd</sup> Place – Lori Luzynski/Terry Stanek	13 fish	17.61 lbs.	Brush hogs
Big Bass – Tom O'Connor		4.66 lbs.	Senko

2007

1 <sup>st</sup> Place – Kelly and Brian Robinson	15 fish	21.61 lbs.	Custom made topwater baits
2 <sup>nd</sup> Place – Dan and Paul Ketterer	7 fish	17.35 lbs.	White spinnerbaits, brush hogs, 10" worms
3 <sup>rd</sup> Place – Dave Sona/Larry Berry	10 fish	12.70 lbs.	Brush hogs
Big Bass – Dan Ketterer		6.27 lbs.	Spinnerbait

2006

1 <sup>st</sup> Place – John Ward/Mark Boyette	14 fish	24.93 lbs.	Brush hogs, 7" worms
2 <sup>nd</sup> Place – Steve Williams/Brian Schumacher	11 fish	21.41 lbs.	Spinnerbaits
3 <sup>rd</sup> Place – Joe Voss/Del Williams	7 fish	12.05 lbs.	Crankbaits, worms, lizards
Big Bass – Steve Williams		5.02 lbs.	Spinnerbait

## **From the President's Boat**

Written by: Mike Jankowski

Not long ago, a guy I work with brought his 5 year old son to the office. I knew his son liked to go fishing so I struck up a conversation asking him if he was anxious to go fishing now that it was spring. The little guy said yeah but he qualified it saying he didn't like all the time he spent not catching fish. Now, I consider myself somewhat of an expert on what to do when not catching fish since I'm usually the one not catching fish. I told him there were lots of other things to do while fishing.

I proceeded to tell him I enjoy hearing and watching nature all around me, the birds singing, deer and turkeys in the woods and all the little critters running around the lake. He looked at me and said he had a secret to going fishing and without hesitation he said the best way to go fishing is without any girls. After picking myself off the floor from laughing so much his dad qualified it saying mom goes along and talks and talks and according to his son she scares away all the fish.

Later on I started to think about the interruptions and distractions we have in our daily lives that keep us from hearing the birds sing, seeing wildlife run in the woods and yes missing the bite of a keeper bass. Believe me I know it has nothing to do with fishing with girls, but it does have a lot to do with the world in which we live. These uncertain economic times with many of us keeping our fingers crossed that we will still have a job tomorrow and not knowing if our retirement will still be there when we need it has put us in a situation where our thoughts are a million miles away.

We all need a means to escape the challenges life throws at us each and every day. I hope everyone looks at each tournament as a means to break away for a little while and enjoy a little friendly competition and the opportunity to brag about catching a few keeper bass. To have some fun in the company of others who just like them are looking for that little escape.

I want to say Thank You to each and every one of you for spending your time with us.

Mj

**HAWG HAWLERS WEIGH IN DATA SHEET**

LAKE: **TABLEROCK LAKE**

DATE: **25-Apr-09**

BOAT #	TEAM MEMBERS	SATURDAY			SUNDAY			TOURNAMENT TOTALS			
		# OF FISH	WEIGHT	BIG BASS	# OF FISH	WEIGHT	BIG BASS	# OF FISH	TOTAL FISH	TOTAL WEIGHT	PLACE
3	Jeff Schwent	5	13.63	3.02	4	8.86		9	10	22.49	1
	Amy Schwent	1			0		1				
12	Greg Shands	2	14.12		1	8.20		3	8	22.32	2
	Andy Shands	3		4.00	2		3.91	5			
11	Pam Wakim	3	14.70	3.16	2	4.63		5	8	19.33	3
	Bob Treadway	3			0		3				
5	Mike Jankowski	0	9.05		1	3.92		1	6	12.97	4
	Brian Jankowski	4			1		5				
7	Warren Lichius	1	1.76		2	8.62		3	4	10.38	5
	Frank Musial	0			1		1				
4	Dean Sullivan	1	3.48	3.13	2	5.19		3	3	8.67	6
	Dan Durbin	0			0		0				
8	Terry Stanek	2	4.85		1	2.46		3	3	7.31	7
	Lori Luzynski	0			0		0				
9	Richard Beckham	0	2.27		0	4.29		0	3	6.56	8
	Jason Sportsman	1			2		3				
10	Dave Jett	1	2.58		0	0.00		1	1	2.58	9
	Paul Berger	0			0		0				
1	Ken McNeil	0	1.62		0	0.00		0	1	1.62	10
	Gwen McNeil	1			0		1				
2	Josh Chapman	0	0.00		0	0.00		0	0	0.00	11
	Mark Chapman	0			0		0				
6	Jim Gross	0	0.00		0	0.00		0	0	0.00	12
	Joni Gross	0			0		0				

SAT BIG BASS **4.00**

SUN BIG BASS **3.91**

TOURNAMENT BIG BASS **4**