

NEWSPLETTER

Hawg Hawlers

Bob Oct

Next club meeting: (1992 date and site to be announced)

HAWG HAWLER CLASSIC TOURNEY RESULTS

The October "Hawg Hawler Classic" was a real success. As you will remember, this was a modified draw tournament. 19 anglers in 9 boats had a pretty good time. We drew for weigh in partners and discussed our strategies prior to take off. Saturday only produced 3 keepers. One by Tom Clark, one by Ken Price (Dan's dad), and one by Steve Rhea. Kens 2.57 lb bass was the big bass (so far).

Saturday evening after weigh in, we all gathered in Donna's club house for an awards ceremony. We had nearly \$400.00 worth of prizes to be given away, including a case of beer (was supposed to have been cold), and a ceiling fan. Everyone in attendance received a door prize. Some special recognition certificates were awarded for 1991 achievements by some of our members. They will be listed here to ~~embarrass~~ congratulate them one more time.

Highest ave wgt per fish - 4.46 lbs - Gary McFetridge.

Lowest ave wgt per fish - .35 lbs - Terry Gross - 5 fish.

2nd highest ave wgt per fish 3.50 lbs and BIG BASS TWICE - 1991 Ken Rueschhoff

Top money winner - Bob Treadway
Bob took money home in 6 of the 7 tournaments he fished
-HONORABLE MENTION - partner Terry Stanek came in 3rd - Terry won money in all 6 of the tournaments he fished.

MOST IMPROVED ANGLER - 1991
(no weight in 1990)

- Dan Durbin - 5.49 lbs
- Garry Hamm - 8.16 lbs
- team total - 13.65 lbs.

Lake Champions....

Mr. MARK TWAIN LAKE - Dan Price

Dan weighed in 3 fish for 11.73 lbs. and also won BIG BASS with a 5.69 lb. lunker. Dan and partner Mark Henry won the May tournament.

Mr. LAKE OF THE OZARKS - Kevin Leibler

Kevin Leibler weighed in 4 fish for 8.80 lbs. Kevin and partner Tim Adams won the September tournament.

Mr TRUMAN LAKE - Bob Treadway

Bob Treadway weighed in 4 fish for 7.82 lbs. and with his partner Terry Stanek won BOTH Truman tournaments this year.

Mr CLEARWATER LAKE - Dan Price

Dan weighed 7 fish for 5.94 lbs. Dan and Mark won this tournament also.

Mr. AVERAGE ANGLER - Fred Reece

Fred weighed 2 fish for 3.34 lbs total for the year, and this was as close to average as possible for 1991.

BIG BASS OF THE YEAR - 1991

Big Bass for 1991 was taken at Mark Twain Lake in May. It was caught on a dark colored salty craw in very shallow water, and it weighed 5.69 lbs. Dan Price was awarded a very nice plaque congratulating him on this very nice fish.

ANGLER OF THE YEAR - 1991

THE ANGLER OF THE YEAR FOR 1991 HAS THE FOLLOWING ACCOMPLISHMENTS.....

- He weighed in fish in 4 of the 6 tournaments he fished.
- He weighed in fish at all 4 lakes we fished this year. (Bob T. was the only other angler to do this)
- He placed in the money in 4 of the 6 tournaments he fished.
- He weighed in the biggest bass for 1991.
- Last years angler of the year, weighed 17.04 lbs in 8 tournaments. This year, in only 6 tournaments, he weighed in 21.82 lbs.

CONGRATULATIONS TO
THE HAWG HAWLERS
ANGLER OF THE YEAR
FOR 1991
DAN PRICE

Dan won a nice plaque stating his 1991 "Angler of the Year" title, and a club jacket (with logo) and the designation "Angler of the year - 1991".

BACK TO THE CLASSIC RESULTS.....

Sunday produced 4 more keepers, with Terry Broccard bringing in two of those. Frank Stanek and Terry Stanek caught the other two. This gave us the following results for the Hawg Hawlers October Classic.....

First place winners were....

Terry Broccard and Ken Price with 3 fish for a total weight of 6.92 lbs.

Second place winners were....

Terry Stanek and Terry Gross with 1 fish weighing 2.00 lbs.

Third place winners were....

Tom Clark and Dan Price with 1 fish weighing 1.91 lbs. Note that weight of 1.91 lbs before you look at 4th place.

Fourth place winners were....

Frank Stanek and Bob Treadway with 1 fish weighing 1.90 lbs. Yep, .01 pounds difference. Good thing we have an accurate scale and qualified personnel to operate it.

Fifth place winners were....

Steve Rhea and Steve Mertz with 1 fish weighing (sorry Steve I have to print it) 1.35 lbs.

All the rest of us tied for sixth place with no fish. But we had fun!

Ken Price won the big bass pool, with his 2.57 lb lunker.

- editorial -

I would like to take a minute to thank everyone who helped make 1991 another successful year for the Hawg Hawlers Bass Club. Our officers and tournament directors worked very hard to make each tournament fair, and also fun, for everyone. We had situations this year where we had to enforce rules that we have let slide in the past. But, that is the price of growth. In 1989 we had 16 members, in 1990 we had 36, and in 1991 we ended up with 55 members. We must be more structured now, than we have been in the past. We are very pleased with the growth of the club, and hope it continues through 1992. There are many changes in store for next year. Changes, we feel, will make the club more fun for everyone.

Most of all, on behalf of all the officers and tournament directors, I would like to thank the members of the club. YOU are the ones that made 1991 the successful year that it was. Without you, there is no Hawg Hawlers Bass Club.

See you all next year!

THANKS,
Greg