

Fellow Angler,

I would like to take this opportunity to tell you a little something about the Hawg Hawlers Bass Club. The club was started in 1988 by Hussman employees as an independent organization to provide Hussman employees with an opportunity to fish tournaments and expand their fishing skills. The Club originally consisted of 8 members. The Club has since opened it's membership and for 1991 has grown to 55 members.

The organization is governed by five elected officers (President, Vice-President, Treasurer, Secretary, and Membership Chairman) whose main responsibility is to organize tournaments, allocate Club funds, and provide the membership with all necessary information relating to tournaments.

Membership in the Hawg Hawlers Bass Club can be secured for a membership fee of only \$10.00 per year. Tournament entry fees are \$40.00 per boat per tournament and includes \$5.00 per boat applied to a "Big Bass" pool.

The Club conducts eight tournaments per year; one per month during the months of March through October. The tournaments are formatted as "Buddy Tournaments", each boat consisting of a two-man team. The tournaments are held at Missouri lakes and are conducted on weekends. The tournament hours generally run from 2:00 PM until dusk on Saturday, and from daylight until 1:00 PM on Sundays to provide the participants with sufficient time to travel to and from the lake event. The members participating in the tournaments are given the opportunity to win cash awards and attendance prizes.

In addition, the final tournament of the year, deemed "The Hawg Hawlers October Classic", requires NO ENTRY FEE to all members participating in at least one tournament during the tournament year. The winning team members of the October Classic are awarded trophies to commemorate this event. Also awarded at the October Classic are plaques recognizing the "Angler of the Year" and the angler netting the largest tournament bass during the year. The "Angler of the Year" is also presented with a Club jacket acknowledging his accomplishments. In addition, if you should decide to become a member, you will be receiving the Hawg Hawlers Newsletter on a monthly basis throughout the tournament year.

So, if you decide that the Hawg Hawlers Bass Club, providing small club competitive fishing and organization of sportsman sharing a common interest, is the thing for you, simply complete the form in the back of the attached Club Tournament Rules and detach and mail along with your membership fee to Dan Durbin, 6359 Honeybee Ct., Florissant, MO. 63033.

Looking forward to hearing from you. GOOD FISHING!

Sincerely,

Greg Heinz, President Hawg Hawlers Bass Club