

## Truman - Mick & Jeff Schwent Take the Win

Tough tourney at Truman. Mother Nature has not been very good to us all year. Truman was no exception. Thunderstorms on Sunday were a curse for some and a blessing for others.

### Winning Anglers

#### **1<sup>st</sup> Place -- Mick Schwent and Jeff Schwent**

Neither angler weighed in fish on Saturday. Sunday was a totally different story. Mick weighed in two fish and Jeff weighed in a limit of 5. Total team weight was 20.09lbs. They took home \$168.00 for the first place win. Mick and Jeff reported they caught the 7 fish on Blue Fleck Power Worms.

#### **2nd Place -- John Luzynski and Dave McGarity**

John and Dave had another very impressive outing. Both anglers weighed in two fish for the weekend. They held the lead on Saturday and slipped to 2<sup>nd</sup> place on Sunday. They reported using Brush Hogs.

#### **3rd Place -- Terry Stanek and Bob Treadway**

Neither angler could snag a keeper on Saturday. Terry's 3.19 lb Hawg on Sunday was enough to lock them into 3<sup>rd</sup> place. Bob and Terry reported they used shad colored crankbaits.

	Team	# Fish	Weight	Kicker	Payout
1st	Greg Schwent and Jeff Schwent	7	19.84 lbs	4.89	\$168
2nd	John Luzynski and Dave McGarity	4	9.95 lbs	3.41	\$134
3rd	Terry Stanek and Bob Treadway	1	3.19 lbs	3.19	\$102
4th	Steve Carnal and Rick Armstrong	1	2.48 lbs	0	\$72
5th	Charlie Beach and Lori Luzynski	1	2.41 lbs	0	\$54

38 anglers caught a total of 18 fish. Please see link below for a complete list of the finishers.

[The Link Goes Here](#)

### Big Bass

#### **Saturday**

Saturday Big Bass was weighed in by John Luzynski at 2.65 lbs. John took home \$64.00 for Saturday Big Bass. John reported he caught the Hawg on Brush Hogs

## Sunday

Sunday Big Bass was weighed in by Jeff Schwent at 4.89 lbs. Jeff took home \$64.00 for the Sunday Big Bass and his fish also entitled him to the Big Bass Side Pot worth \$95.00. Jeff reported he caught the Hawg on a Blue Fleck Power Worms

## Angler of the Year

The top spot has changed hands, again. Jeff Schwent now holds the top spot. with 71 points. Jeff has placed in 4 Tourneys and has brought in 22 fish this season. One of them was the big bass of the tourney. Charlie Beach holds the 2<sup>nd</sup> place spot with 69 points. Charlie has placed in 4 Tourneys and has brought in 16 fish this season. Charlie also served as a Tournament Director for 2 additional points. Terry Stanek holds the 3<sup>rd</sup> place spot with 59 points. Terry has placed in 3 Tourneys and brought in 13 fish this season. Terry also served as a Tournament Director for 2 additional points.

Top Ten		
POS	ANGLER	TOTAL POINTS
1	Schwent, Jeff	71
2	Beach, Charlie	69
3	Stanek, Terry	59
4	Schumacher, Brian	57
5	Wakim, Pam	55
6	Shands, Greg	51
7	Treadway, Bob	50
8	Ray, Bob	49
9	Heinz, Greg	43
10	Lichius, Warren	43

## Truman Fishing Conditions

Lake Level -- 704.72, normal pool is 706.0

Lake Level Direction -- Steady to falling slightly.

Air Temp -- Sat – 73-87 deg, Sun 70-83 deg

Weather Conditions -- Sat – Cloudy Sun – Thunderstorms

Winds -- Sat – 0- mph ESE, Sun 6-13 mph S-SE

Barometric Pressure -- Sat 30.07 steady, Sun 30.06 rising

Moon Phase -- Waning Crescent



## Next Tournament -- Wappapello – Barrett’s Resort

Wappapello, how could you not go to that lake? Look at the history. The average catch per angler over the past 3 years is 5.3 fish. Yes, I said 5.3 fish per angler. Look at the winning catch per year below. You better bring your game to Wapp. It takes full live wells to take the top prize.

### Wappapello History

Aug, 2003 31 boats 325 fish total for the tournament (winning wt 20 fish = 17.45lbs).

Sept, 2004 27 boats 272 fish total for the tournament (winning wt 19 fish = 12.64lbs).

Sept, 2005 15 boats 182 fish total for the tournament (winning wt 20 fish = 17.77lbs)

<b>2005</b>			
	<b>Angler</b>		<b>Pattern</b>
1st Place	Bryan Walker	Jim Fanter	spooks, tubes
2nd Place	Greg Shands	Andy Shands	Brush Hogs
3rd Place	Russ Grobe	Troy Moore	Pop-R (clown)
<b>Saturday</b>			
<b>Sunday</b>			
Weather Conditions	Sunny		Storms
Air Temp	57-77 Deg		57-71 Deg
Lake Conditions	stained		
Lake Level	360.2		
Water Temp	75-83 deg		
<b>2004</b>			
	<b>Angler</b>		<b>Pattern</b>
1st Place	Russ Grobe	Neil Schultz	Rapala
2nd Place	Jim Fanter	Jim Fanter Sr	Zara Spook
3rd Place	Bob Ray	Lori Luzynski	White Spinnerbait
<b>2003 (August)</b>			
	<b>Angler</b>		<b>Pattern</b>
1st Place	Jim Fanter	Jim Fanter Sr	
2nd Place	Scott Grobelny	Jeff Tschannen	
3rd Place	Terry Stanek	Bob Treadway	

## **Directions to Lake – Wappapello – Barrett’s Resort**

Take I-55 south to U.S. Hwy. 67, Park Hills exit, at Festus. Travel approximately 77 miles or 1.5 hours to the town of Greenville. Remain on U.S. Hwy. 67 south for 14 more miles. Turn left onto Hwy. 172 east. Follow Hwy. 172 four miles to a stop sign where you will turn left. Travel one mile and turn right onto Hwy. 172 east. Hwy. 172 ends in the state park.

Contact information for Barrett’s: 573-222-8571 for cabins, 573-222-9860 for marina

## **Tournament Directors**

Special thanks to Greg Heinz, Dan Durbin, Bob Ray and Rob Cook for serving as Tournament Directors at Truman.

The TD’s for Wappapello are: Saturday – Brian Walker and Partner, Sunday – Pam Wakim and Bob Treadway.

All of the spots for Tournament Directors have been filled. Thank you for your participation. The Tournament Co-Chairmen have a waiting list for Tournament Directors. This list will be used to fill any new openings for Tournament Directors. Please contact Terry Stanek or Craig Gravatte, Tournament Co-Chairmen to put your name on the list.

## **New Members**

We’ve done it. We’ve broken our all time membership record, again. We now have 166 members. Welcome back to the returning 2005 members. The following is a list of club members who were not members in 2005. Please give them a warm welcome. Ken Hendrix, Andrea McFarland, Tori Schumacher and Buddy Stoneking.

## **Club Business**

Nominations for 2007 club officers will be taken beginning August 1<sup>st</sup> and ending August 31<sup>st</sup>. Members can nominate themselves. All nominees will be contacted the first week of September to confirm their nomination. Unopposed offices are approved. Opposed offices will be determined by a club vote. The term of office is one tournament season. The tournament season begins and ends at the conclusion of the annual Awards Banquet. All offices require that the nominee is a member in good standing. The office of President requires at least one previous term in any officer position. All other positions do not require a previous term in office. Positions available are President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer and two Tournament Chairmen. If you need more information or would like to submit a nomination please contact any of your 2006 officers.

## Insight – Big Bass Highlights

By Lori Luzynski

### **INSIGHT – WHO’S WHO**

Hawg Hawlers. Two of the reasons we come together: Fishing and fun! Why did we join this particular club? Where did we all come from? Who’s who in our club history? Did you know????

Terry Stanek has been in the club since the first tournament in 1988. He holds the record for “Most Big Bass Wins”.

#### **First Place – Most Big Bass Wins (11) – Terry Stanek**

1	2.40	July	1988	Mark Twain Lake
2	3.88	July	1990	Truman Lake
3	3.98	October	1994	Truman Lake
4	4.58	April	1994	Table Rock Lake
5	7.10	April	1997	Lake of the Ozarks
6	7.20	April	1997	Lake of the Ozarks
				<i>Big Bass of the year - 1997</i>
7	2.25	June	1998	Pomme De Terre Lake
8	2.31	June	2002	Stockton Lake
9	3.10	September	2002	Lake of the Ozarks
10	1.87	September	2004	Wappapello Lake
11	6.76	April	2005	Table Rock Lake
				<i>Table Rock Lake Record</i>



#### **Second Place – Most Big Bass Wins (8) – Greg Heinz**

1	2.50	September	1988	Mark Twain Lake
2	2.42	May	1990	Truman Lake
3	1.54	July	1992	Pomme De Terre Lake
4	4.52	September	1992	Lake of the Ozarks
5	2.84	June	1997	Kentucky Lake
6	1.64	July	1998	Wappapello Lake
7	2.63	June	1998	Stockton Lake
8	2.04	July	2001	Pomme De Terre Lake



#### **Second Place – Most Big Bass Wins (8) – Bob Ray**

1	4.99	March	1991	Clearwater Lake
2	4.15	July	1994	Pomme De Terre Lake
3	2.68	June	1995	Lake of the Ozarks
4	2.61	April	1998	Lake of the Ozarks
5	1.64	July	2000	Pomme De Terre Lake
6	4.68	October	2003	Lake of the Ozarks
7	4.69	August	2004	Truman Lake
8	7.12	April	2005	Lake of the Ozarks
				<i>Big Bass of the Year - 2005</i>



#### **Fourth Place – Most Big Bass Wins (6) – Gene Reim**

1	7.40	April	1995	Lake of the Ozarks
				<i>Big Bass of the year - 1995</i>
2	3.47	July	1995	Pomme De Terre Lake
3	2.52	March	1998	Clearwater Lake



4	6.39	April	1999	Lake of the Ozarks <i>Big Bass of the year - 1999</i>
5	4.83	October	2000	Lake of the Ozarks
6	5.85	September	2000	Truman Lake Lake <i>Lake Record - Truman Lake</i>

**Other Big Bass Notable Achievements:**

Two Time Winners of **Big Bass of the Year:**

Mike Schaefer	1989/1990
Gene Reim	1995/1999
Brian Robinson	1996/2002

**HH BB Lake Records:**

Clearwater	Josh Zelnis	7.96 lbs.	March, 2004
Lake of the Ozarks	Gene Reim	7.40 lbs.	April, 1995
Pomme de Terre	Scott Mertz	6.34 lbs.	June, 1996
Truman	Gene Reim	5.85 lbs.	Sept., 2000
Table Rock	Scott Phelps	6.80 lbs.	April, 2003
Wappapello	Bill Sheller	5.13 lbs.	July, 1999
Mark Twain	Mark Schaefer	6.60 lbs.	April, 1989
Stockton	Tom O'Connor	6.28 lbs.	June, 2000
Bull Shoals	Paul Boehme	4.50 lbs.	April, 2004
Kentucky	Jay Petero	4.59 lbs.	June, 1997
Shelbyville	Jack Tschannen	3.87 lbs.	June, 1993
Mississippi River	Steve Roberts	5.23 lbs.	July, 1995

***Smallest BIG BASS*** Ever Weighed In,  
in a Hawg Hawler Tournament is:  
Fred Saenger – Wappapello Lake  
(2000) – 1.41 lbs



The ***Smallest FISH*** ever weighed in,  
in a Hawg Hawler Tournament is:  
Chuck Beach – Wappapello Lake (2000)  
– .01 lbs



Well, our year has only 2 tourneys left. Who will have the Big Bass of the Year?? The race is on!

Trivia Question for some of you “Old Timers”: Who’s fished the most Tourneys since 1988?  
(answer next month)

Stay tuned to next month’s newsletter for more insight. Who holds the top 3 records for “Angler of the Year”? Will someone change history in 2006?

No matter what, just remember: Whether you’re making records, breaking records or just out for a little fun, competition and camaraderie, you are an important part of this club!