

Anglers United Newsletter April 2025



Hello everyone! Summer will be here before we know it.

The first of our few events is our open Anglers board meeting that will take place Friday, April 18th from 1130 - 1330 in the conference room at our local library on McCullough. If you're interested in the inner workings of Anglers and perhaps getting more involved - this is a great opportunity.

Western Outdoor News' Striper Derby will be the first weekend in May. The Striper derby brings many opportunities and challenges. This year, the Derby will take place at the Nautical Inn on the Island. For those of you not familiar with what happens, Friday afternoon brings registration for the Derby fishermen and Saturday and Sunday the competitive days with an awards ceremony Sunday afternoon. Saturday, many of the fishermen have no way to store their fish so they "donate" them to who ever wants them. If you're interested in having some Stripers, **BRING YOUR ICE CHESTS** and ice to be used to keep the fish as fresh as can be. Sunday too is a good day to bring ice chests and ice. Many of the fishermen will take their catch home but again, many do not.

The Striper Derby is one of the best opportunities for Anglers to increase our billfold. We need volunteers at weigh- in for the fish and we also sell our T shirts, encourage membership and our biggest area is our "Fifty—Fifty" contest. Marilyn Butcher and Lynda Kristofferson have volunteered to head that but they can always use more help.

The awards ceremony will take place at the Nautical Inn conference center Sunday afternoon. That's where we get to wave our flag about what Anglers does and give the winners of the 50-50 their cash. It's also very interesting to see who won what.

That's all for now, More to come after the Striper Derby.

From the Vice Presidents Desk



It was a perfect day for Anglers Picnic, we had a great attendance and so much yummy food, as I always say our members really know how to cook. Speaking of cooking, THANKS to Conrad and Judy for getting the burgers, hot dogs and other goodies, and for doing the cooking. We raffled a metal solar agave cactus, had a 50-50 and lots of door prizes. Alan Tyson won the 50-50 and Johnita (his wife) put it away for safe keeping.

Anglers fishing Seminars were a big hit, we had record numbers in attendance and gained several new members. The fishing guides offered guided fishing trips for Anglers to raffle at the seminar which brought money to help us continue putting habitat in the Lake. Thank you Jim Hater for putting these seminars together.

I want to thank Lou Pesout, our treasurer, he brought it to my attention that many of our members were not receiving newsletters and Angler notifications. I compared my list to his and found several members not on our e-mail list. I enjoyed calling the folks and had a great time talking to everyone so thank you Lou. If you know of any members who are not receiving e-mails or newsletters please contact me at dean.nmare@gmail.com or 303-594-8670







Johnita Tyson

Standing room only at the fishing seminars





Selling raffle tickets for guided fish trip





Wanna buy a T-shirt????





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