



### Meeting

**Tuesday, October 14, 2003**

**Hilltop Restaurant**, 767 St. Andrews Rd. (corner of St. Andrews and Jamil Rd., near junction of St. Andrews and I-26. 7:00 p.m.

MSC's new meeting place features an inexpensive meal which includes beverage, refills & gratuity, so come early and plan to eat. For those not wishing to eat, there will be a \$3 charge...but you get free beverages & unlimited refills and the club won't have to pay a room fee. Please remember to go through the line and identify yourself as a member of MSC on your way in.

### Agenda...

**AGENDA: Plans for Annual Elections, MSC Boat Tournament and DNR Funding Project.**

**PROGRAM: Rod & Reels** - Maintaining and repairing tackle. Dos and don'ts when taking care of precious and often expensive tackle. Local tackle reps and Jim Goller.

**Don't Miss This!**

### 2003 Angler of the Year...

Standings after September...

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| 1. Ann Byrd           | 3990 pts. |
| 2. Lee Thomas         | 3901 pts. |
| 3. Forrest Byrd       | 3744 pts. |
| 4. Michael Spires     | 3697 pts. |
| 5. Brian Thomas       | 3637 pts. |
| 6. Tony Carroll       | 3320 pts. |
| 7. Danny Young        | 3250 pts. |
| 8. Joby Wetzel        | 3194 pts. |
| 9. Kyle Smith         | 3126 pts. |
| 10. Wynn Corley       | 3077 pts. |
| 11. Marshall West     | 3063 pts. |
| 12. David W. Jennings | 3023 pts. |
| 13. Claude Laney      | 3013 pts. |
| 14. James B. Lindler  | 2967 pts. |
| 15. Dan Derrick       | 2737 pts. |

**AC/Delco Voyager Lunker: Jeff Stewart, 23 pounds, 15 ounces (Caught 3/03)**

### Lady Angler Ann Johnson Wins In September...

MSC's Annual Lady Angler Tournament was held Saturday, September 20, 2003 out of Jakes Landing. Finishing in 1st place was Ann Johnson, with two stripers weighing 8 pounds, 10 ounces. Finishing in 2nd place was a regular in our MSC Lady Angler event, Claire Riley. Clair's two fish weighed 8 pounds, 9 ounces. In 3rd place was another regular Lady Angler winner, Gail Wright, with two stripers weighing 7 pounds even.

The AC/Delco Voyager Lunker winner was Dana Jeffcoat with a 5 pound, 4 ounce striper. Congratulations to the winners and all who participated! A special thanks to Sea Hunt Boats for sponsoring the event and to all who worked hard to make it a success. Thanks in particular to Lee & Kathy Thomas and all volunteers who work behind the scenes to make this event a success. Last but not least, thanks to our volunteer culinary expert Ted for his special touch in preparing the grilled chicken.

### October Boat Tournament one year ago...

The team of Brian Thomas and Michael Spires was hot even though the weather had cooled in October. The October event was a boat tournament, and the winners weighed in their four-fish limit of 26 pounds, 13 ounces to take first place. The first place team of Brian and Michael also took the AC/Delco Voyager Lunker award for the event with an eight pound, one ounce striper.

Finishing in second place was the team of Danny Young and Claude Laney, with a four-fish limit weighing 22 pounds, 14 ounces. The team of Billy DuRant and James Cassell rounded out the top three with a limit of four weighing 19 pounds, 13 ounces, good for third place.

### PRESIDENT'S CORNER...

WOW! Another great MSC Ladies Tournament was held last month and what a good time we all had. First and foremost, let me thank Lee Thomas and friends for putting this all together. Without lots of behind the scenes work, these events would not be possible. The weather was perfect along with the food and fellowship. It was probably best that the fish did not cooperate because if they had, some wives, especially mine, might enjoy catching fish and want to go every time! (Ha Ha.)

The year's slowly winding down and the AOTY race is still up for grabs. All it takes is for someone to catch that big fish to shake things up in the race.

Be sure to note that our next tournament is a boat tournament and will be held out of Dreher Island. I know that we have several members who would like to fish but don't. Since this is a boat tournament, how about looking around and inviting someone to fish with you who may fall into this category. It is a fun thing to do and you may get better acquainted with someone you know from attending meetings. If you have space on your boat to take someone or you want to fish with someone let me know at our next meeting and I will try and pair you up. It's FUN and that's what we're all about.

**Thanks...**

**Marshall West, President, 2003**

### 2003 Officers...

- President - Marshall West 951-3974
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                   - Terry Allen 808-0770
- Parliment. - Bob Marshall 798-0231

### Featured Member...



Deserving recognition this month is Treasurer James Cassell. James just spent time in Botswana, Africa, building a church as part of a group from Chapin Baptist. The people of Botswana are very poor, and it's commendable that James and others from his church took the time and energy to build a place of worship a continent away. Note the MSC cap on the young man above!

*Jim Goller, Editor*

### 2003 Tournament Schedule...

Date	Place	Time	Other
Jan. 18	Acapulco	7am-4pm	<i>1st event of 2003</i>
Feb. 15	Holiday Shores	6:45am-3:45pm	
Mar. 15	Dreher Is.	6:20am-until	<i>Boat Tournament w/MAW</i>
Apr. 19	Jakes	6:30am-3:30pm	
May 17	Jakes	7am-12 noon	<i>Kids Tournament</i>
June 21	Jakes	5:45am-5pm	<i>MSC/GSK/NSBA Event*</i>
July 18/19	Jakes	6:30pm-10am	<i>MSC-HydroGlow</i>
<i>All-Night DNR Conservation Benefit Open - NSBA Sanctioned**</i>			
Aug. 15/16	Jakes	6:30pm-10am	<i>All-Night Tournament</i>
Sept. 20	Jakes	7am-12 noon	<i>Ladies' Tournament</i>
Oct. 18	Dreher Is.	7am-4pm	
Nov. 15	Acapulco	7am-4pm	
Dec. 20	Acapulco	7am-4pm	<i>Double Points!</i>

*\*Open boat tournament co-sponsored with Greenville Striper Kings. Members may fish a tournament within a tournament. 4-fish per boat maximum weigh-in.*

*\*\*July 18-19: MSC / Hydro Glow SCDNR Benefit Open Night Tournament*

July 18-19, 2003, Jakes Landing, 6:30p.m. until 10:00 a.m. Special MSC DNR Conservation Open Tournament sanctioned by the NSBA. MSC tournament within a tournament. Hydro Glow will award \$250 each to 1st place and Big Fish...but ONLY if fishing with a Hydro Glow light. This is a boat tournament and start/end times may change.

**(Schedule is tentative, based on ramp access and other factors...always check in advance!)**

### MSC October Boat Tournament...

**Saturday, September 20, 2003**

**Boat Tournament**

**Dreher Island State Park: 7:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m.**

**4 Fish Maximum Weigh In Per Boat**

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