

Pentwater Sportfishing Association, Inc. News

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www.pentwaterpsa.org

Check out the web for the latest information on what the PSA is up to now!

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Minutes from PSA Annual Meeting in June.

>> Please read the PSA meeting minutes starting on page 4, 5 to stay informed.
Everyone is welcome to attend the meetings held at the Friendship Center @3pm in Pentwater.

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Your PSA 2019 Officers and Term Endings:

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Dan Gettings — Director Boat ~ Keeping It Reel	2019
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Steve Sauser — Director Boat ~ Fish Eagle	2021
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Brad Smith — Director Boat ~ Gray Fin	2019
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**When you see our PSA officers
please tell them Thanks!**

WIN AND BETTE MATTESON Annual "Big Fish" Contest

May 25 to August 23, 2019 (ends 9:00 p.m.)

Thanks to the generosity of Win and Bette Matteson, a plaque PLUS a cash prize of \$100 will be awarded to the winners of our Annual Big Fish Contest, listed below. These cash prizes are given in recognition and memory of our numerous PSA members who have contributed so much to our organization and our fishing family in Pentwater. Remember those who have passed with kindness and keep their memories alive with fish stories of past fishing exploits and great days on the Big Lake.

Current Standings

King Salmon	Lake Trout	Brown Trout	Steelhead Trout	Coho Salmon
Producer	Sculpin	Sculpin	Sculpin	Jamie II
Lyn Snider	Al Belson	Al Belson	Al Belson	Bret Almashie
25.6 lbs.	15.25 lbs.	6.6 lbs.	10.65 lbs.	6.10 lbs

Current Standings as of June 27, 2019



Producer - 25.6# King - 5/25/19



Sculpin - 6.60# Brown Trout - 6/22/19



Jamie II - 6.10# Coho - 6/29/19

Official PSA Scale Locations / Contacts for Weighing Your Catch

Dan Gettings — Keeping It Reel —(989) 948-3388 (at Charlie's Marina)

Capt. Dave German—Bad Habits Boat—(616) 889-4300 (at City Marina)

Capt. Brent Daggett—Sportsman Charter (at City Marina)

The Pines Motel—(231) 869-5128 (1 mile North of Town)



PSA MINI Tournament

June 29, 2019

The first Mini Tournament for the 2019 fishing season was a challenge for hardy PSA members taking on the Big Lake.

A nice number of boats, 11 total, had a beautiful day on the water, with fishing on the 'tough' side. PSA added \$100 to the total prize money, and with the 11 boats paying the \$10 entry fee, the total prize to be divided among the winners was \$210.

Results: Big Fish, winning 50% of the prize total, was Mike Havens, Big Foot Boat, with a 24.65 # King Salmon.

Most Fish, winning 30% of the win package was Steve Sauser, Fish Eagle Boat, with a total of 5 fish.

Mystery Weight of 8 pounds, winning 20% of the package, was Dean Jessup, Dean's Dream Boat, with an 8.2# Steelhead.

There were a total of 20 fish boated, weighing 160.7 pounds. Breakdown was: King Salmon, 14 fish with total weight of 128.1#, Lake Trout, 4 fish with total weight of 19.3#, Steelhead, 1 fish weighing 8.2#, and a Coho weighing 6.1#. Plus, the coho was added to the PSA Annual Big Fish Contest.

Next PSA Event: Ladie's Classic August 3

<http://www.pentwaterpsa.org/ladies-classic.html>

Get your team together and join the fun.

Call Lyn Snider—(616) 291-2568

Patsy Gettings—(231) 250-9737

\$15 entry fee—every boat wins a prize!

PENTWATER SPORTFISHING ASSOCIATION MEETING – June 15th, 2019

PENTWATER FRIENDSHIP CENTER

Directors Present: Dean Jessup, Patsy Gettings, Dan Gettings, and Brad Smith. Excused, Rob Bannink because of work schedule and George Cornell.

Meeting called to order at 3:05 p.m. by President Dean Jessup. With 4 directors present, we did have a quorum.

- A. The Meeting Minutes, from the May 18, 2019, were reviewed with no questions or revisions. Moved to approve by Patsy G, supported by Brad. Motion carried.
- B. Treasurer's Report: Patsy Gettings handed out report and went over it in detail. PSA has a strong checkbook balance after the Memorial Weekend Derby, from good profit on raffle ticket sales, and clothing sales. Brad moved, supported by Dan, to accept Treasurer's Report as presented – Motion carried.
- C. Membership Update. Current paid membership is lagging behind 2018, with just 48 paid members to date. Total for 2018 was 81. Discussion followed with Brad making suggestion to contact members that have not renewed membership. Brad and Dean will set up a program for contact.
- D. Committee Reports:
 1. Clothing – Dan Gettings – Good Derby sales of \$485. We still have good inventory for the remainder of this season.
 2. Channel Lights – Dean – with high water, most brackets are now under water and not able to be used. The light at private pier on inside channel, south side, has been placed.
 3. Newsletter – Dean talked with Kristy – computer problem is being fixed with hopes of newsletters getting back out soon.
 4. Ladies Classic – Patsy will confer with Lyn on needs.
 5. Bannink Lines Down – No report
 6. The first announcement for the Teach A Kid event has been sent via e-mail to all PSA members. Date set for July 13. Contact Dean to get your boat / team registered.
 7. Dean reported that the Annual Big Fish contest is up and running.

PSA MEETING MINUTES CONTINUED – June 15th, 2019

- New Business:

- A. The matching fund program for the Village Fish Cleaning Station during Derby time was a giant success. With the PSA match of \$250, PSA will donate \$1000 to the Village at the next Village Council Meeting. Thank you PSA members for your contribution to this important fixture in Pentwater.
- B. Earlier this day (June 15), the First Annual Kids Water Safety Day, set up by Marine Officer Tim Simon, was a large success. PSA supported this effort, which allowed the free distribution of 90-life vest to kids along with the Oceana Sheriff's office cooking over 400 hotdogs. Interactive displays were available for kids from Oceana County Sheriff Department, MI DNR Conservation Officers, Pentwater Village Police, Pentwater Village Fire Department, and U.S. Coast Guard.
- C. Dean noted the Mini Tournament is set for June 29. After discussion on how we could help promote this event, Dan move, with support from Brad, to increase the PSA donations to the Mini Tournaments to \$100 for this year. Motion carried. Registration will remain at \$10 / boat, and the % split will also remain.
- D. Dean led discussion of MD Derby review.
 - 1. Pasty presented a detailed / itemized report for all income including: 39 boats registered, 24 boats entered the 50/50 Challenge, collected \$375 in memberships, sold 651 raffle tickets, and had \$485 in clothing sales. A special 'THANK YOU' to Amy Sharp for assisting Patsy on covering all the registration items.
 - 2. Dan coordinated the weigh-in schedule to insure all times were covered.
 - 3. Dean noted main sponsor 'Thank You's' have been sent and Bruce K and Dean are working on the local consolation prize donation Thank You's

Meeting was adjourned at 4:10 p.m.

Respectfully recorded by Dean J, for George Cornell, Secretary - PSA

PSA 'Teach A Kid' Fishing Day—July 13, 2019



Jenna with PSA President Dean Jessup, after weighing in her 1st place 14.6# Lake Trout.

Visit the web site for more pictures and information.

<http://www.pentwaterpsa.org/home.html>

With 12 boats inviting 26 kids for a big lake fishing trip, the Pentwater Sportfishing Association 'Teach A Kid' Event was another great day on the Big Lake.

The catch was all Lake Trout, with 25 fish boated by the kids. Grand Prize, Biggest Fish, was a 23.15# Lake Trout, landed by Trenton on the 'Keeping It Reel' boat.

A special THANKS to Cabela's for being the major sponsor of the event with prizes donated to reward the top fish boated by the kids.

Pentwater Sportfishing Association—Membership Application / Renewal Form

Fee: \$10.00 Self/Boat \$15.00 Self & Spouse

Date: _____

Mail To: PSA Treasurer, Patsy Gettings

P.O. Box #173, Pentwater, MI 49449

Name:

Spouse (If applicable):

Mailing Address:

City, State, Zip Code:

Phone Number:

E-Mail Address:

Boat Name:

Membership (Circle one) Self—\$10.00 Self/ Spouse—\$15.00

\$

* Voluntary Donation for Channel Lights

Amount of Donation: _____

\$

* Voluntary Donation for Youth Programs

Amount of Donation: _____

\$

* Voluntary Donation for PW Fish Cleaning Station

Amount of Donation: _____

\$

Please check this box to receive your

Newsletter via e-mail:

E-mail: _____

Total

\$

I would be willing to assist on the following PSA

Sponsored Event: (check boxes that apply)

Memorial Weekend Fishing Derby May 25, 26 & 27

Pentwater Ladies Classic Derby August 3

Youth 'Teach A Kid' July 13

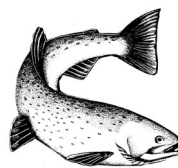
Bannink's Lines-Down Derby August 31

Channel Lights: (Placement in June -
Removal in Oct)

Willing to assist please contact—info@pentwaterpsa.org

***** Membership Sign Ups *****Please use the form at the left to sign up for the
2019 fishing season.In accordance with PSA By-laws, membership
payment is due on January 1st and carries thru to
December 31, each year.If you would like to receive your newsletter via e-mail
please check the box on your form and list your
current e-mail address.Patsy Gettings, 'Keeping It Reel' boat is the PSA
Treasurer and will be pleased to send your member-
ship by return mail.If you need to verify that you have sent in your 2019
dues or just wish to contribute to PSA, call Patsy at
(231) 250-9737 or use PSA e-mail:

info@pentwaterpsa.org

For Fishing Tournament &
'Big Fish' Information go to:**www.pentwaterpsa.org***Thank
you*

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Pentwater Sportfishing Association

Calendar of Events

PSA Meetings are held at the Pentwater Friendship Center at 3:00 p.m. ~ Everyone is welcome!

Mini Tournament Weigh-Ins will be held at the Village Marina at 1:00 p.m., any member can participate.

Boater Safety Classes are free & held at the Pentwater Yacht Club.

May 5: Install Channel Lights

May 18: PSA Board Meeting @3pm

May 25: Start of "Big Fish Contest"

May 25—27: Memorial Weekend Fishing Derby

June 15: PSA Board Meeting @3pm

June 29: PSA Mini Tournament

July 11 & 12: Boating Safety Class

July 13 PSA Youth "Teach A Kid" Event

July 20: PSA Board Meeting @3pm

Aug 1 & 2: Boating Safety Class

Aug 3: Ladies Classic Fishing Derby

Aug 9 - 11: Pentwater Homecoming

Aug 17: PSA Mini Tournament

Aug 23: End of "Big Fish Contest" — 9 p.m.

Aug 24: Potluck Dinner / Annual Meeting @3pm

Aug 31: Bannink's Lines Down Fishing Derby

Sept 1: Rain Date for Derby

Sept 21: PSA Board Meeting @3pm

Oct 5: Remove Channel Lights

Dec 31: Pay 2019 PSA Membership Dues (Reminder)