

March 12, 2019

Dear 2019 Northern New York Bassmaster Member:

Instead of having another meeting before the 2019 season starts, there is a couple of things that I feel we need to have addressed and voted on before we hit Champlain. I ask that you please vote either yes or no to both questions, and please return by **May 1, 2019**, to my home address of:

**2008 State HWY 184
Heuvelton, NY 13654**

First, when I renewed our club insurance for the 2019 season, I have received the enclosed release for people to be able to fish in our club who are under 18 years of age. Angela did call and spoke to Emil DeLuca, to question receiving this release. Our insurance company does allow people who are under 18 years of age to fish as long as the parent (s) sign the enclosed weaver. They actually encourage it. According to our rules and regulations it states that no one under the age of 18 is allowed to become a member. I believe this was changed when we acquired the insurance policy. With this updated information, please answer the following question:

- _____ (YES) I believe we should change the age requirement from 18 to no age listed, to be a member or alternate in the Northern New York Bassmasters Club, as long the release is signed by the parent (s) of the child. **One member will need to be over 18 in the Team no exceptions.**
- _____ (NO) I believe this rule should stay the same as it reads now of having to be 18 years of age in order to be a member or alternate in the Northern New York Bassmasters Club.

Please print and sign your name on the lines below, and date.

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Secondly, with one less tournament this year then last year, we also need to have a vote on to have a throw away tournament or not. This is to only include the regular season, and has nothing to do with our two day tournament. Please answer the following question:

- _____ (YES) I want to still have a throw away tournament for the 2019 fishing season.
- _____ (NO) I don't want to have a throw away tournament for the 2019 fishing season.

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If you have any questions, please feel free to call my home, 315-344-7196.

Thank you,