



Toledo Bend Lake Association

NEWSLETTER

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UPCOMING EVENTS

Document Shredding/LifeShare Blood Drive

June 13, 10 AM-2PM

TBLA Litter Pickup

June 19

7AM-10AM

JUNE 2020 ISSUE

Greetings TBLA Members! Hopefully, all are doing well in these strange times. Like most things, TBLA business is somewhat different lately. The TBLA Board of Directors met on March 19, 2020 and planned some events while canceling others. The State's Phase 1 for reopening business provides some opportunities for TBLA to accomplish a few things but we remain limited regarding large events. The Board dealt with the following matters on May 19th.

Hemphill Hornet Bass Club Scholarships-The Board voted to approve up to \$3,000 in scholarship funds for members of the Hemphill High School bass club.

Glynn Carver Memorial Scholarship-By the time this newsletter goes to print, the first Glynn Carver Memorial Scholarship will have been awarded in the amount of \$3,000 to Kylee Childress of Hemphill High School. Kylee plans to pursue a nursing degree from UT Tyler. Congratulations, Kylee! We wish you the best and look forward to seeing you take your place in the future of the Toledo Bend community.

Document Shredder/LifeShare Blood Center Blood Drive-Document shredding will be available to our Members on June 13, 2020 at the SCOA Toledo Center parking lot from 10 AM until 2 PM. This service is provided only for TBLA Members. Members can pull up to the shredder vehicle, turn over their boxed or bagged papers, and depart. Social distancing will be used to protect all participants. This is a great opportunity to dispose of those old musty papers that have been cluttering up your home.

LifeShare Blood Center will also be at SCOA Toledo Center on June 13, 2020 from 10 AM until 2 PM. Our Association has always recognized the importance of donating blood, but it is especially needed at this time. We hope that all able Members will answer the call to donate. As an incentive, the Board will draw from the list of donors to award a \$25 Visa gift card.

Membership Socials – Our Membership Socials for June and July are canceled. The next planned Membership Social is scheduled for August 8, 2020.

Litter Pickup-We will conduct our quarterly litter pickup on Friday, June 19, 2020. We will meet in the parking lot of SCOA Toledo Center at 7 AM for signup, assignment of areas, and distribution of bags and vests. If you have a favorite litter getter, bring it. If not, some will be available. Please try to attend as many hands make light work!

The next Board Meeting is planned for June 16th.

Lake Level – The Lake level is important to those with an interest in Toledo Bend. Real-time information on the matter can be found online at http://waterdata.usgs.gov/usa/nwis/uy?site_no=08025350 This information is updated every fifteen minutes.

The Sabine River Authority's guidelines for opening and closing the spillway gates appear in their *Operating Guide Rule Curve* document. This document can be found at <http://www.srala-toledo.com/page.aspx?menuId=28>

Toledo Bend Lunker Bass Program

Steven Prudhome of Zwolle, LA caught a 10.57-pound fish on May 2, 2020, and weighed it in at Buckeye Landing Marina. Steven’s fish is Lunker number 37 of the current season.

Henry West of Mermentau recorded Lunker number 38 of the season when he weighed his 10.8-pound fish in at Fin and Feather Resort on May 18, 2020.

The 2019-2020 Lunker year ends with 38 lunkers caught and released back to the lake to spawn and produce more potential Lunkers. Congratulations to these anglers!

The 2020-2021 Lunker year has begun. Get out there and getcha one!

2020 – 2021 52-Gun Raffle News – If you have any questions regarding the 52-gun raffle drawings, please contact Bruce Rogers by phone: 281-543-0184 or email: bruce.rogers@hughes.net.

2020 – 2021 TBLA 52-Gun Raffle Winners			
Date of Award	Guns	Number	Winner
04-24-20	Savage Axis II 30-06 with a scope package	329	Carney Chamberlain
05-08-20	Mossberg Patriot 300 Win Mag with a scope package	729	Troy Arabie
05-15-20	Ruger 10/22 Walnut Deluxe rifle	109	Bryan Duhon

You can help TBLA by asking a neighbor or friend to join us at TBLA. Please use this form to sign them up or to renew your membership for 2020.

TOLEDO BEND LAKE ASSOCIATION 2020 MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL OR APPLICATION.

Name (including spouse): _____

Business Name: _____

Street Address: _____

City, State, Zip Code: _____

Telephone (home): _____ Cell: _____

Email Address: _____

2019 Dues Please check one: _____ Individual (\$10.00) _____ Couple (\$15.00)
 _____ Business 1 yr. (\$25.00) _____ Business 10 yrs. (\$200.00)

Please indicate method of payment: Cash: _____ Check number: _____ PayPal: _____ Date: _____

*Make check payable to TBLA or Toledo Bend Lake Association and be sure to mark it as 2020 dues. Bring to our Social or mail to: Toledo Bend Lake Association, P.O. Box 1031, Many, LA 71449. You can also pay your membership dues through PayPal on the JOIN US page of the TBLA website at www.toledobendlakeassociation.com.

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