



Toledo Bend Lake Association NEWSLETTER

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UPCOMING EVENTS

TBLA MONTHLY SOCIAL

AUG 3, 7:00 PM

SCOA TOLEDO TOWN

LUNKER PROGRAM REPLICA DISTRIBUTION

AUG 19

TBA

SCOA TOWN

LIFESHARE BLOOD DRIVE

SEPT 20

9:00 AM- 2:00 PM

SCOA TOWN

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MEMBERSHIP UPDATE – TBLA’s next Monthly Social will be Thursday, August 3, 7:00 pm, at the SCOA Building located at 29275 La Hwy 191, just north of Toledo Town. The doors will open at 6:30 pm, and the meal will begin at 7:00 pm. The entrée will be fried chicken, and we ask that those attending please bring a side dish or dessert to complete the meal. Our guest speaker will be Many Mayor Robert Hable. Please ask a neighbor or a friend to join us and we look forward to seeing you at the social. Please renew your membership if you have not already done so.

TBLA BOARD OF DIRECTORS – The Nominating Committee led by Gaynell Goodeaux is actively seeking eligible members who are interested in serving on our Board of Directors. Our next board election is in October, and we anticipate that we will have at least one vacancy that we need to fill, possibly two. If you are interested in serving on our Board of Directors, please contact Gaynell Goodeaux at 337-842-7814 or Gary Moore at 281-798-7131.

TOLEDO BEND LUNKER PROGRAM - The 2022/23 Lunker Program concluded on Sunday, May 21. This year’s program includes 57 Lunkers. The Replica Distribution for these 57 Lunkers will take place on Saturday, August 19, at the SCOA Toledo Town Facility. Preliminary times are 1:00pm-3:00pm. Final times will be communicated as soon as they are finalized. This year’s Lunker class is anchored by the new Lake Record 15.67- pound bass, which was caught by Mr. Bill Cook. Our membership is welcome to attend this event. Refreshments will be provided at the distribution.



52-Gun Raffle News – The 2023/2024 Gun Raffle is now underway. Thanks to those who bought gun raffle tickets. Please contact Bruce Rogers by phone: 281-543-0184 or email: bruce.rogers@hughes.net if you have any questions regarding the raffle.

2023 – 2024 TBLA 52-Gun Raffle Winners			
Date of Award	Guns	Number	Winner
6/30/23	ATI SX 12 GA O/U Shotgun	293	Joey Bigler
7/7/23	Ruger American .308 Black Rifle	855	Ted Dove
7/14/23	Mossberg Patriot 6.5 Creedmoor Rifle	890	Rick Rowe
7/21/23	Mossberg 835 Ulti Camo 12 GA Pump Shotgun	905	Keith Dubrock

SRA/LAKE LEVEL– The Lake level is important to those with an interest in Toledo Bend. Real time Lake Level Information can be found online at SRA LA’s website. You can also find The Sabine River Authority’s operating guidelines in the Engineering Section of their website.

The published operating plan for Toledo Bend /SRA Joint Operations allows for managing the lake level by power generation to a lake level of 168’ msl from May through December. The Lake Level is currently 170.21’ MSL. The lack of rain and extremely hot weather are beginning to impact the Lake’s level.

SRA News – As reported in our last newsletter, the Sabine River Authority of LA (SRA-LA) is considering a long-term contract for the annual out-of-state sale of 600,000-acre feet of water from Toledo Bend. We have nothing new to report on this issue at this time.

TBLA DUES – **TBLA dues are PAST due now for 2023. Please renew your memberships now if you have not already done so.** You can also help TBLA by asking a neighbor or friend to join us at TBLA. Please use the form below to sign them up or to renew your membership for 2023.

TOLEDO BEND LAKE ASSOCIATION 2023 MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL OR APPLICATION.

Name (including spouse): _____

Business Name: _____

Street Address: _____

City, State, Zip Code: _____

Telephone (home): _____ Cell: _____

Email Address: _____

2023 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 **2023** 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.

BU POSTER ORDER FORM

To purchase the 2023 poster, please complete this form and return it with a check to TBLA, PO Box 1031, Many, La. 71449. Make checks payable to TBLA.

NAME:			
ADDRESS:			
CITY:		STATE:	
TELEPHONE:			
EMAIL:			

Please indicate if you prefer a framed or unframed poster with the number of each type you are ordering and any preference for poster number(s).

QUANTITY	TYPE	PREFERRED NUMBERS	PRICE
	UNFRAMED		\$20 EACH
	FRAMED		\$40 EACH
	GICLEE ON CANVAS	NA	\$200 EACH
<i>Giclee's will be framed with a brass name plate</i>			

Only unframed posters can be mailed. Please add \$11.00 to your total cost for up to 3 posters ordered per order form.

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