

**SCHROON LAKE
FISH & GAME CLUB
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Don Sage, President
Lee Surprenant, Vice President
Marie Dillon, Secretary
Tracy Hanchett, Treasurer

Art Belles, Director
Pete Mars, Director
Laurie Bruce, Director

Regular Meeting- May 11, 2010

Meeting called to order at 7:40 PM.

Officers present were Don Sage, President, Bunny Surprenant, Vice President, Marie Dillon, Secretary, Tracy Hanchett, Treasurer, Laurie Bruce, Director and Pete Mars, Director.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Don Sage.

The kitchen crew, Bunny Surprenant, Pete Mars, Nancy Dowling, Marge Foster and Soupy Surprenant were thanked and applauded for the delicious prime rib dinner.

The Minutes were read by the secretary and approved.

The Treasurer's report was read and approved.

Curt McCoy thanked the club for the use of the club for the scout's chicken and biscuit dinner. Eight boys attended scout camp. The boys will be heading to the camporee. June 10th will be the last meeting of the season for the scouts. A flag burning ceremony will be held at 7pm. All are welcome to attend. Contact Curt McCoy for further details. The cub scouts will be holding their annual pancake breakfast on May 30 from 7am – noon. Please come have breakfast and support the scouts.

Kate Huston reported on the 4th of July parade which will be held on July 3rd this year. It's only two months away and participation is still needed. Please call Kate if you are interested in entering a float. The Fish & Game Club will be entering a float again this year. Bunny's daughter Terri will be heading up getting the float decorated. Anyone wishing to help contact Bunny or Terri.

Ed Donley reported on the Veterans and Lions Club Memorial Day weekend. May 28th, Friday, at 10:00 the Veterans will have a dedication service for the Veterans Memorial Wall in the town park. All are invited to attend. Then a memorial service will be held in North Hudson at 11:00. On May 31, Monday, there will be a Memorial Day Service for the Veterans at the town park. Please call Ed Donley for more details. On Sunday, May 30th, the Lions Club will be holding its annual auction at the boathouse.

Pete Mars reported on the dam. The dam opens October 15 and closes by May 15. The dates to open and close the gates are mandated and set by DEC. All readings are normal for this time of year.

Don Sage reported on a new Lake Management Plan Committee that is drafting up a series of rules and regulations to be included in this plan. They are looking to include lots of Lake George's rules and regulations, plus a bunch of APA stuff. One thing they are trying to do is to impose a speed and noise limit/ reduction on the lake. A rough draft of these new regulations is in process. If you live or boat on the lake, they will affect you. If you have an opinion or questions regarding these new rules and regulations please attend the upcoming meetings and let your voice be heard. Call the Town Hall for a list of the committee members, upcoming meetings, and for more information. Joe Koch reported that at this time (summer) there are many out of town people that are speeding on the lake and have boats that are excessively loud/ noisy. He believes this is dangerous and someone could get injured or killed.

June 5, Saturday, the Ti Elks Club will be holding a Kids Fishing Derby in Ticonderoga at the ferry and boat launch site on Lake Champlain. Age groups are: 7-9, 10-12, and 13-14. The event is free with equipment and food for the entrants and others. Call the Ti Elks Club for more info. July 31 is the Schroon Lake Central School's 75th anniversary. The Fish and Game Club will hold a chicken barbeque at 5 pm. Please contact Don Sage for tickets to the barbeque. Punky Whitty asked for any nominations from the floor. No nominations were presented. The bar closing party will be held May 15. Thank you to everyone who came. The Fish and Game Club will hold its annual Kids Fishing Derby on July 31 at the town docks. 50/50 winner was Mike McKee. Congratulations Mike. He donated his winnings to the Fish and Game Club. A huge Thank You to Mike. Meeting adjourned at 8:10 PM. respectfully submitted, Marie Dillon, Secretary.

Reminders:

- *The bar will be open Friday nights only from 5-9 PM. It will be closed Memorial Day weekend.
- *Club email is slfgclub@yahoo.com

Dates to remember:

- *Next club meeting will be held June 8 at 6:30 PM. Dinner will be cold cuts and salads. Please contact Tracy at 532-7953 if you are interested in making a salad for dinner.

Please extend a Happy Birthday to the following members who have an upcoming birthday in June.

Fred Cesta
Joe Steiniger
Kristine Tribou
Vernon Smith
Nancy O'Brien
Jim Robbins
Stephen Will
Val DeCesare
Howard Vedder
Arlene Whitty
Marie Dillon
Bill Curcio
Joseph Kahl
Matt Keller

Happy Birthday to you all!