



DECEMBER 2010

Presidents Message

It looks like winter is here and most people are done chasing muskies for 2010. I've moved all my stuff to my "man cave" and it's time once again to go through all the tackle, fix everything I broke, sharpen all the hooks and get ready for 2011.

Our November meeting was elections and our planning meeting. We built a good schedule for 2011 that will be very similar to our 2010 activities with the addition of a club booth at the February Michigan Muskie Show. We are in the process now of setting our program line-up for next year, which should be as good as ever. The club officer line-up for next year has a few changes from 2010. Max Machuta will replace John Oldfield as our RVP, and Tom Rankin has stepped down as our Newsletter Editor. Randy Parker will take over those duties. Manny Farley will be vacating the Merchandise Director position but has agreed to help out through the winter shows as we get our current inventory sold off. I want to personally thank John, Tom and Manny for giving time to the club. We also set the needed committees for 2011 which has been a great way to spread the work load and give everyone a chance to contribute a little time so we can all enjoy our participation in the club. The remaining officer positions stay the same from 2010 to 2011, and we have a good group of people willing to give time and support to everything we try to do as a chapter. Thanks to all.

Our annual Christmas Party is next Tuesday, December 14th at 7:00 PM at Original Joe's on the east side of state route 23 just north of Lewis Center Road in the Kroger Marketplace plaza. The club will be providing the food and non-alcoholic beverages and there will be a cash bar. If you would like to participate in the gift exchange, please bring a wrapped muskie related gift to the party. We will also be doing a raffle that will be earmarked to raise money for the Mid-Ohio Food Bank and a drawing for a rod and reel for those who served as club officers in 2010.

At the party we will review the year the chapter had including our biggest year contributing to the minnow fund, our charitable activities, our successful youth program, the great club tournaments and of course, a record number of fish reported. The 25th anniversary of the Central Ohio Chapter was one for the books.

I hope to see everyone at Joe's next Tuesday! Happy Holidays!

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December 2010

Membership Renewals

January– Ron Fisher, John Ryan

February– Chris Stayer, Brian Vinson

2010 COMI Christmas Party

When- Tuesday, December 14—7 pm

Where- Original Joe's– an American Pub- 6477 Pullman Dr., Lewis Center, 43035– off US 23 just north of Lewis Center Rd in the Kroger Marketplace area.

Food will be provided by the club and cash bar. Please bring a wrapped gift for the gift exchange.

Lunker of the Month

<i><u>MONTH</u></i>	<i><u>NAME</u></i>	<i><u>LENGTH</u></i>	<i><u>LAKE</u></i>	<i><u>DATE</u></i>
<i>January</i>	<i>Ron Murdock</i>	<i>32"</i>	<i>Alum Spillway</i>	<i>January 1, 2010</i>
<i>February</i>	<i>None</i>			
<i>March</i>	<i>Clyde Anderson</i>	<i>45.25"</i>	<i>Alum Creek</i>	<i>March 30, 2010</i>
<i>April</i>	<i>Randy Parker</i>	<i>48"</i>	<i>West Branch</i>	<i>April 23, 2010</i>
<i>May</i>	<i>Geoff Hetrick</i>	<i>45"</i>	<i>Alum Creek</i>	<i>May 16, 2010</i>
<i>June</i>	<i>Mary Arndt</i>	<i>53.25"</i>	<i>Lake St Clair</i>	<i>June 26, 2010</i>
<i>July</i>	<i>Miles Clary</i>	<i>51.5"</i>	<i>St Lawrence River</i>	<i>July 7, 2010</i>
<i>August</i>	<i>Mary Arndt</i>	<i>52.5"</i>	<i>Lake St. Clair</i>	<i>August 12, 2010</i>
<i>September</i>	<i>Gary Solomon</i>	<i>50"</i>	<i>Lake St. Clair</i>	<i>September 27, 2010</i>
<i>October</i>				
<i>November</i>				
<i>December</i>				



Member Contest Forms

Please send all fish release forms to:

Randy Parker
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Central Ohio Muskies, Inc. Chapter 41 2010 Club Tournament Championship

Member	Jon Fisher Memorial Tournament Clearfork	Russ Dodridge Memorial Tournament Alum Creek	Summer Nite Bite Alum Creek	Fall Shoot-Out Alum Creek	Total
Jack Worline	10	78	78	171	337
Cliff Honeycutt	0	47	10	157	214
Rob VanGorder	10	44	10	74	138
Mark Steinert	41	76	10	10	137
Elmer Heyob	0	77	44	10	131
CJ Overmyer**	0	0	0	126	126
Mark Pauling	10	0	0	114	124
Fred Pearson	0	0	0	122	122
Kevin Short	52	10	10	46	118
Thurman Adair	92	10	0	0	102
Greg Hastings	0	40	0	45	85
Ron Murdock	10	10	0	50	70
Drenda Kemp	10	0	10	46	66
Brian Culbertson	10	10	0	45	65
Nathan Carter	10	43	0	10	63
Ron Fisher	53	0	0	10	63
Neil O'Brien	0	10	0	50	60
John Ratcliff	0	47	0	10	57
Tim Graber	42	0	0	10	52
John Oldfield	0	41	0	0	41
Bill Lambert	10	10	0	10	30
Carl Brophy	10	10	0	10	30
George Smart	10	10	0	10	30
Lou Spezio	10	10	0	10	30
Robert Smart	10	10	0	10	30
Chris Stayer	10	0	0	10	20
Clyde Anderson	0	10	10	0	20
Doug Dible	10	0	10	0	20
Jerry Stayer	10	0	0	10	20
Brian Vinson	0	10	0	0	10
Chuck Wilbert	10	0	0	0	10
Danny Schooley	0	0	0	10	10
Darrel Irwin	0	10	0	0	10
Greg Lauer	0	10	0	0	10
JoAnn Dible	0	0	10	0	10
John Wagner	10	0	0	0	10
Ken Jacobs	0	0	0	10	10
Max Machuta	0	0	10	0	10
Mike Ruffing	10	0	0	0	10
Mike Stumph	0	10	0	0	10
Miles Clary	0	10	0	0	10
Nick Graber**	10	0	0	0	10
Ray McMaster	0	0	0	10	10
Todd Geren	10	0	0	0	10

**Youth

**Central Ohio Muskies Inc.
Chapter Fish List**



Updated 11/30/2010

	1323 Releases	730 OH Fish	12762 Points
MASTERS DIVISION			
Mark Pauling	136	15	1516
Cliff Honeycutt	76	76	699
Ronald S Murdock	76	76	685
Geoff Hetrick	66	66	641
Maurice J Potvin	73	7	623
Jack Worline	64	52	597
Elmer W Heyob Jr	58	53	540
Steve Ault	41	41	421
Gary J Solomon	5	0	52
Ron L Fisher	2	2	27
MENS DIVISION			
Randy Parker	94	33	987
Clyde M Anderson	73	21	621
Tim Graber	36	1	378
Shawn Arndt	38	0	371
Charles Wilbert	24	13	309
William Lambert	29	23	271
Mark Steinert	28	13	249
Greg L. Hastings	27	27	247
Thomas N OBrien	26	26	240
Tony Crisp	31	31	226
George Smart	27	19	224
Mike Stumph	22	22	182
Rob VanGorder	17	13	164
Robert A Smart	16	15	136
Douglas R Dible	14	7	134
Lou Spiezio	11	11	86
Drenda Kemp	10	3	85
Douglas Grahl	8	0	82
Max Machuta	7	7	69
Greg Lauer	9	9	58
Miles Clary	3	0	55
Michael Ruffing	8	8	52
Brent Spence	5	4	51
J. Brian Vinson	4	2	48
Fred Pearson	4	4	43
Brian Culbertson	4	2	42
Jerry Stayer	4	0	42
Chris Stayer	4	0	39
Doug Dingey	4	1	39
Kevin Short	3	3	37
Ray Mc Master	4	4	35
Orville Bantz	2	0	32
Paul Lalonde	1	0	26
Bob Sisson	2	2	23
Christopher Mercy	2	0	23
Paul Dawes	2	2	23
Rick Aston	2	2	12
Brad Mitchell	1	0	11
Todd Jackson	2	1	11
Michael Waryck	1	0	9
Stephen Silbaugh	1	1	7

Chapter Fish List-Cont

WOMENS DIVISION			
Mary N. Arndt	23	0	240
Margaret Pauling	22	0	198
Sharon Potvin	17	0	187
Sharon Wilbert	7	0	95
JUNIORS DIVISION			
Christian Overmyer	21	5	248
Nick Graber	9	0	61
John G Dible	4	0	48
Luke Ault	3	3	36
Luke VanGorder	4	0	26
Rory VanGorder	2	2	14
Josh Jackson	1	0	9
Kyle Honeycutt	1	1	7
Marah Overmyer	1	0	7
Dillon Lauer	1	1	6

Online Fish Entry Instructions

Steps to enter fish online:

Go to www.muskiesinc.org

Click on the Members Only tab

Log in using your 5-digit Muskies Inc. membership number

If you are logging in for the first time, follow the instructions on the MI website to establish a log in and password

Once logged in, click the link to online fish submission

Fill in the online version of the release form with all necessary information. Remember that we only report fish to MI that are 30 inches or more

Once you have all the necessary information entered, click submit fish. Once you submit, it will give you a 6-digit lunge log ID number. Once you get this number, you have entered your fish successfully.

If you are entering more than one fish, your information will still be in the form. Simply over-type that information with the information for your next fish and click submit again. That will give you another ID number.

Be very careful not to submit a fish twice.



Muskie Angler Log

The Muskie Angler Log was developed in partnership with the Ohio Muskie Anglers as a resource for Ohio Muskie anglers and to support muskie management efforts in Ohio by providing valuable muskie catch data to the Ohio Division of Wildlife

<http://www.ohiodnr.com/muskielog/welcome.aspx>

Events for 2011

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- January 11** **January Meeting at PJ's (Topic TBD)**
- February 5-6** **Michigan Muskie Show**
- February 8** **February Meeting at PJ's (Topic TBD)**
- February 25-27** **Ohio Muskie Show**
- March 8** **March Meeting at PJ's (Topic: Lure Auction)**
- March 12** **Club Banquet at Hoggy's Polaris (Alt Date 3/19)**
- April 12** **April Meeting at PJ's (Topic: Muskie Fishing in Ohio - Elmer)**
- April 30 -May 1** **John Fisher Tournament at Clear Fork**
- May 10** **May Meeting at PJ's (Topic TBD)**
- May 14 - 15** **Chapter Challenge at Salt Fork (COMI Host)**
- June 4 - 5** **Russ Dodridge Tournament at Alum Creek**
- June 14** **June Meeting at Alum Creek**
- June 17** **Nite Bite Outing at Alum Creek**
- June 24 - 26** **Ray Demers Tournament at Lake St. Clair**
- July 12** **July Meeting at Alum Creek**
- July 14** **Youth Fishing Event at Whetstone Park of Roses**
- August 9** **August Meeting at PJ's (Topic TBD)**
- September 13** **September Meeting at PJ's (Topic TBD)**
- October 8 - 9** **Fall Shoot-Out at Alum Creek**
- October 11** **October Meeting at PJ's (Topic TBD)**
- November 8** **November Meeting at PJ's (Topic: Elections and 2012 Planning)**
- December 13** **December Meeting – Christmas Party**

Picture of the Year



53.25" - Great fish and a great picture for Mary Arndt