



MAY 2010 NEWSLETTER

Presidents Message

The month of May is upon us and some of the best fishing of the year is ahead in the next couple months. Both Alum Creek and Clear Fork have produced some big fish for some of our club members so far this year. 2010 should be another great year for the club.

Our April meeting was a success and thank you again to Elmer for putting on a great presentation. It was great to see so many of the new members at this meeting as well. It seems we have not scared many of you off just yet. We had a lot of people sign up to take advantage of our "take a new member fishing" offer and we are slowly but surely trying to work off that list. If you signed up and haven't gotten a call yet, please hang in there and we will get you hooked up for a trip soon. If any of you "regulars" haven't had a chance to take a new member out yet, please get in touch with Cliff Honeycutt and he will get you set-up with someone.

Our first tournament of the year is in the books and congratulations to Thurman Adair on two nice fish. The fishing was tough on Sunday, but three huskies out of six fish on Saturday is always a good result. Our next tournament is the Russ Dodridge Memorial on June 5-6 which will be held on Alum Creek this year. Thanks to tournament director George Smart for making all this happen.

Next up is our May 11 meeting at PJ's and we have some gentlemen from Kentucky Chapter 45 who are planning on talking to us about Caesar's Creek tactics. They will also field any questions you have about Cave Run or Green River. I recently saw one of the guys, Marc Grattan, on Alum Creek and they had just released a 47.5" fish. We might just pick his brain about Alum as well!

The Chapter Challenge at Salt Fork us just a week away on the weekend of May 15-16. Our chapter is the host of this year's Challenge. A lot of people are planning on heading to this event and many are camping at the park. Let's put some of the information that John Dennis shared with us in January to good use.

A lot of fish reports are starting to come in and we'd like to encourage everyone once again to enter your fish in the Muskies, Inc. Lunge Log on-line as well as making sure you record your effort and catches on the MAL. I did a demonstration of how easy it is to enter fish in the Lunge Log at our last meeting and we are more than willing to help anyone who wants to change over from paper submission. We are trying to streamline the system a bit, but please know that you can still mail your forms to Randy Parker or give them to me at a meeting. You also need to submit a paper copy for any 50" fish as well, even if you entered it on-line.

Our website can always use some new content and message board topics. Please post your questions and reports, and if you have any suggestions on how to make the site better, please email them to Randy.

Last but not least, I would like to put a call out to everyone to help look for sponsorship for our Youth Event which will be July 15 at Whetstone Park of Roses. Each year we try to raise financial support for this event and there are many companies and organizations out there that have community support funds available. This is such a great event for the kids that attend and we want to make sure we stock plenty of fish in the pond and they all leave with a good meal and a rod and reel. If you work for a company or know of an organization who may be willing to make a donation to this event, please solicit their support and let me know if I can do anything to help you make it happen.

See you on the water,

Rob

PRESIDENT

Rob VanGorder
(740)225-1152
rcv@kokosing.biz

VICE PRESIDENT

Cliff Honeycutt
(614)212-2551
alleycatlures@yahoo.com

TREASURER

John Oldfield
(740)548-7727
joldfield@insight.rr.com

SECRETARY

Brian Culbertson
(614)274-3674
Culbertson.12@osu.edu

REGIONAL VP

John Oldfield

MEMBERSHIP

Tom Rankin
(614)459-6396
tsrdds@ameritech.net

MERCHANDISE

Manny Farley
(740)548-7961
Deemanny@insight.rr.com

WEB / RELEASE CHAIR

Randy Parker
(216)644-0014
rparker1818@yahoo.com

TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR

George Smart
(937)642-9315
gksmart@embarqmail.com

PR / YOUTH / PROGRAM / MAGAZINE

Elmer Heyob
(937)642-1868

NEWSLETTER EDITOR

Tom Rankin

Membership Renewals

May– David Lloyd, Chuck Wilbert, Sharon Wilbert

June– Cliff Honeycutt, Richard Miller, Neil O'Brien, Carl Uinch

July– Robert Dunbar, Greg Hastings, Ken Jacobs, Dillon Lauer, Eva Lauer, Greg Lauer, Leslie Lauer, Paul Lemire, Dave Morosky, Greg Rustemeyer, George Smart, Lou Spezio, Raymond Stout

2010 Events

May 11 - May Meeting at PJ's

May 15 - 16 Chapter Challenge at Salt Fork

June 5 - 6 Russ Dodridge Tournament at Alum Creek

June 8 - June Meeting at Alum Creek

June 25 - 27 Ray Demers Tournament at Lake St. Clair

July 9 - Nite Bite Tournament at Alum Creek

July 13 - July Meeting at Alum Creek

July 15 - Youth Fishing Event. Whetstone Park of Roses

August 10 - August Meeting at PJ's

September 14 - September Meeting at PJ's

October 9 - 10 Fall Shoot-Out at Alum Creek

October 12 - October Meeting at PJ's

November 9 - November Meeting at PJ's. Topic: Elections and 2011 Planning

December 14 - December Meeting and Christmas Party



Member Contest Forms
Please send all fish release forms to:
Randy Parker
Chapter Release Chairperson
4660 Greenview Ct.
Avon, OH 44011



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
Thurman Adair	92				92
Ron Fisher	53				53
Kevin Short	52				52
Tim Graber	42				42
Mark Steinert	41				41
Bill Lambert	10				10
Brian Culbertson	10				10
Carl Brophy	10				10
Chris Stayer	10				10
Chuck Wilbert	10				10
Doug Dible	10				10
Drenda Kemp	10				10
George Smart	10				10
Jack Worline	10				10
Jerry Stayer	10				10
John Wagner	10				10
Lou Spezio	10				10
Mark Pauling	10				10
Mike Ruffing	10				10
Nathan Carter	10				10
Nick Graber**	10				10
Rob VanGorder	10				10
Robert Smart	10				10
Ron Murdock	10				10
Todd Geren	10				10

**Youth



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>

Central Ohio Muskies Inc.

Chapter Fish List

As Of: 4/29/2010

Masters Division	Releases	OH Fish	Largest	Points					
Elmer Heyob	17	17	39	135					
Steve Ault	8	8	46	94					
Cliff Honeycutt	11	11	45	88					
Ronald S Murdock	12	12	36	81					
Jack Worline	8	8	38.5	66					
Mark Pauling	6	6	38	47					
Maurice J Potvin	1	1	38	12					

Mens Division	Releases	OH Fish	Largest	Points					
Randy Parker	11	11	48	114					
Rob VanGorder	7	7	40	53					
Tony Crisp	5	5	41	38					
Brent Spence	3	3	40	31					
William Lambert	6	6	32.25	30					
J. Brian Vinson	3	2	37.5	27					
George Smart	4	4	33	22					
Clyde M Anderson	1	1	45.25	19					
Robert A Smart	2	2	37	16					
Todd Jackson	1	1	32	6					
Mark Steinert	1	1	31	5					
Mike Stumph	1	1	31	5					
Rick Aston	1	1	31	5					

Junior Division	Releases	OH Fish	Largest	Points					
Luke Ault	1	1	33	7					
Rory VanGorder	1	1	32	6					

111	110	48	907
Re-	OH	Largest	Points
leases	Fish		

MUSKIES INC.



2010 SALTFORK CHAPTER CHALLENGE MAY 15TH & 16TH ALL CHAPTERS WELCOME

- * NO ENTRY FEE
- * SHORE LUNCH SAT 1PM @ CAMPERS BEACH
- * CAMPING ENCOURAGED (SECTION G)
- * LONGEST MUSKIE WINS THE TRAVELING TROPHY
- * MONITOR MARINE 71 OR CB 17
- * EACH MEMBER BRINGS A COVERED DISH
- * HOSTING CHAPTER PROVIDES MAIN COURSE
- * EACH CHAPTER DONATES 5 LURES
- * FREE DOOR PRIZE RAFFLE
- * EVENT HOURS 7AM SAT TO 4 PM SUN
- * FOR MORE INFO EMAIL:
WORLDGONEMAD@MSN.COM
[HTTP://MUSKIE_GUY.TRIPOD.COM](http://MUSKIE_GUY.TRIPOD.COM)
- * COME FISHIN WITH US !!!!



Photos of the Month



Randy Parker caught a 48" er April 23 . The 40" fish on the bottom was one of 3 fish caught on the following day at West Branch