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**NEWSLETTER**

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### **HEAD HOOKER'S MESSAGE**

**PAUL WELLS**



Hi Guys

At our next meeting, we are not having a guest speaker because we have a considerable amount of business to take care of.

First thing on the agenda will be that we need to have a June 10<sup>th</sup> (June's meeting) date for membership dues to be paid. This needs to be done in order that we can update our Membership Roster and go to print with a new 2022 Membership Roster book.

Next, we are going to have to decide on how our derbies are going to be run. Bob Schmidt will be in charge of that part of the meeting.

We will have the raffle for the fishing pole and reel at this meeting. We will be selling raffle tickets for the fishing pole and reel and will hold the drawing afterwards.

A group of Jolly Hookers went to Whiskey Town for 3 days April 26-28. There were 3 boats: Ron Madsen's boat had John Frantz, Mike Devore, and Sam Osuna. Steve Milanovich's boat had Steve Paulick. Walter Van Hoy's boat had Walt and myself.

On our way to Whiskey Town, we all stopped at Granzella's restaurant in Williams and had breakfast.

Later, on the way, Walter had a blow out on his boat trailer. While we were changing the tire, Sam Osuna pulled over and helped us. Sam is always helpful and his help was very much appreciated!

On the first day, Walter & I got on the lake and after an hour and a half we caught 3 fish. Our day was cut short due to getting our line caught in the 9.9 prop. Later in the day, on Ron Madsen's boat (after his boat was on the trailer), John Frantz was going down the ladder getting off the boat and he missed the bottom rung on the ladder and fell cutting 2 fingers. He ended up in the emergency room until 1:30 am. They glued the cut on one finger using super glue to repair, and the other finger had to have stitches. I saw John the next morning at breakfast, he was pretty stiff and sore and was not feeling too good. They elected to cut their trip short and go home.

The second day, between the 2 boats, 12 Kokanee were caught. The two Steve's made a long day of it, fishing until about 7 pm. Walt & I quit early so he could replace his trailer tire. He was able to get one at Les Schwab and they, also, repaired his bent rim.

The third day, Walter and I went out and we caught a limit before heading home.

I really enjoyed the companionship of everyone! They are a great bunch of guys!

I am looking forward to seeing everyone at the meeting. Until then, "Keep your lines tight and your nets ready".

## FISHING CHAIRMAN'S REPORT

**BOB SCHMIDT**

Greetings everyone once again and I hope everything is doing well. I haven't heard if any of you went out and fished Camanche on the 12<sup>th</sup> and the Delta on the 19<sup>th</sup>. Unfortunately, I missed both of them. I couldn't make the Camanche outing because I already had prior commitment. I did get up at 4 AM to make my lunch and coffee and was getting ready to head to the Delta. When I got up I looked outside the weather was just cloudy and a light breeze. At 4:30 AM that all changed. I went outside to hook up the boat and never made it to the barn. It was a total down pour and with strong winds. I went back inside, sat down in my chair to wait it out. Unfortunately, I fell back asleep and when I woke up it much later than I wanted it to be. I looked at Doppler radar and it still showed some rain in Rio Vista area and more coming, so I decided not to go. I was kicking myself for the rest of the day because it turned out to be very nice day.

The month of May I want to make sure we have signup sheets and start collecting \$3 for the NDO and \$5 for our second outing for lunch. I would also like to plan your locations for the rest of the year. Since I will be repacking and getting supplies for the cooking boxes and ice chest, I'll host the first lunch. I plan on going back to having a weigh-in as before with but with a little different twist. I will explain it at our next meeting. The places I think we should fish for May we can determine at our next meeting. Some possible locations are the Delta, Berryessa, Camanche, and Folsom. Keep your eyes and ears open for some good reports.

For those who went to Whiskeytown fishing I hope you guys had a good trip. I look forward to hearing some good fishing reports. I will be at Shasta Lake from April 28 to May 1. Two days pre fishing the lake and then fishing the 2 day Kokanee Power Derby. I have never fished this lake before and I hope I have beginners luck. First place can be as much as \$2000, second \$1400 and third \$1000 with a pay out to 20<sup>th</sup> place. I'll let you know how I did at the next meeting. Once again be safe out there and good luck fishing.

## SECRETARY'S MESSAGE

**JOHN KINSLOW**

Hello to all. Hoping you and your families are well and to those who are not, that your all better soon. The

following are those mentioned at last month's meeting regarding the Sunshine Report.

Lloyd Willoughby, ongoing medical issues.  
Maureen (Steve) Nelson, recovery (back surgery).  
Al Glaser, recovery (broken hip).  
Linda (Tom) West, medical issues.  
Al Smith's daughter, recovery (broken leg).  
John Franz, healing (finger stitches)

Tim Lipscomb, passing of his wife Cathi

### On another note:

Want to take the opportunity to thank Gary Cole for being our April guest speaker. Great to see Gary out as he continues with his ongoing medical treatments.

Thanks again Gary for your continued support of the Jolly Hooker Fishing Club and all you do for Kokanee Power.

## TREASURER'S REPORT

**BEN LASALA**

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| <b>Treasurer's Report By Ben LaSala April 2022</b>                                  |                |
| <b>Starting Balance</b>   | <b>\$1,738</b> |
| <b>Income</b>   |                |
| Breakfast   | 480            |
| Non-eaters  | 20             |
| Membership Dues   | 1050           |
| Hat Sales   | 60             |
| Raffle Ticket Sales   | 80             |
| <b>Subtotal</b>   | <b>1690</b>    |
| <b>Expenses</b>   |                |
| Breakfast   | 360            |
| Raffle Prizes   | 26             |
| Derby Pot   |                |
| Guest Breakfasts  |                |
| Monthly Bank Fee  |                |
| Insurance   |                |
| <b>Subtotal</b>   | <b>386</b>     |
| <b>Ending Balance</b>   | <b>\$3,042</b> |

***Willamette & Columbia Rivers:  
Rick Schrichfield***

I took my boat up to Oregon and fished for six days at the beginning of April. I fished with a guide my first day out on the Willamette and he did an excellent job teaching me about presentation and where fish hold in different tide conditions. He invited me to join him and his partner the next day on the Columbia out of Gleason launch by the airport. The number of 24'-26' foot sleds launching before sunrise was incredible. I have never seen that many boats on the water as the Columbia spring run was closing that day. I fished the Willamette River through five or six fishing zones from below Oregon City down to the Columbia River and the head of the Multnomah Channel.

I was fortunate to catch a spring Chinook salmon and had a couple of other chances. One good reason was Walter Vanhoy's son Roger was with me and did an outstanding job. Really enjoyed spending two days on the water with Roger. Roger lives relatively close by in Battle Ground Washington.

Learned a lot about areas to fish, trolling patterns, rigging cut plug and whole herring and three different boat launches. An amazing fishery and so scenic.

Pictures of a fish, lodging, the Willamette River as it heads through downtown Portland to the Columbia.



## ***Collans Lake Report:***

***Virgil Loken***

On Monday April 25<sup>th</sup>, Bob Bonner, Walter Van Hoy and I went out with guide Cal Kellogg ( Fish-Hunt-Shoot) on Collins Lake. Walter landed the largest fish @ 6+ Lbs. We landed 13 additional trout, averaging 3-2 Lbs. Good day of fishing! ( Cal will be forwarding pictures ).

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## **2022 Steering Committee**

|                                   |                     |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------|
| <b><u>Head Hooker</u></b>         | <b>Paul Wells</b>   |
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| <b><u>Secretary</u></b>           | <b>John Kinslow</b> |
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| <b><u>NDO Chairman</u></b>        | <b>Walt Summers</b> |