

Keowee Anglers Board Meeting January 20, 2011

Board Members Present: Carl Davidson, Bill Walker, Jim Muldoon, John Wilson, Bob Skipp, Dave Goeckel

Board Members Absent: Bob Stromberg, Larry Madden, and Dave Garrison

Guest – Ferd Kojis

Carl Davidson called the meeting to order at 9:30 AM at The Seneca Family Restaurant. The following were discussed by the Board –

- Carl Davidson reported the Keowee Angler lure covers have been completed and will be available at the February meeting for purchase. Carl and Ferd Kojis were instrumental in putting this order together.
- Ferd Kojis brought the new lure covers to the meeting, and Bill Walker was given replacements for the 6 lure covers he loaned the club for January awarding of the Longest Fish of 2011 prizes.
- Jim Muldoon indicated that he will no longer continue as Treasurer. John Wilson volunteered to replace Jim. It was decided that Carl Davidson, John Wilson, and Dave Garrison should be authorized to sign checks on behalf of Keowee Anglers. John Wilson will handle the details to implement this change. John will set up an account at Seneca Bank. Pat was using Community First.
- Jim Muldoon indicated that we have 91 paid members going into 2011 and that our current treasury balance is \$1,223.42. After taking into account the cost of Lure Covers delivered by Ferd the new balance will be \$1065.06.
- Bill Walker will be away from April 11th through May 3rd. Dave Goeckel volunteered to handle Bill's responsibilities during that period.
- Final registration for the May fishing tournament will be three weeks in advance of the tournament dates of May 4-5. Deadline for registration for May Tourney will be midnight April 10th.
- The Salem Lions' Blind Fishing Tournament will be held on May 7th. Details will be forthcoming at our monthly meetings. We will need a volunteer to coordinate our participation in this tournament.
- Bill Walker suggested that we consider holding a "fishing day" for students at the Tamassee School. The Board asked Bill to determine how many students might participate and investigate the school's insurance coverage for such an event. Bill will report back to the Board.
- Dave Goeckel outlined the program for the February club meeting as follows –

- There will be three simultaneous round table presentations of 15 – 20 minutes as follows – Carl Davidson on trolling techniques, Bill Walker on knot tying, and Ferd Kojas on tackle organization. It was suggested that we not use round tables since they restrict viewing and participating in workshop. We will try to use long table set up in a “V” or “U” arrangement.
- There will be a swap session where members may sell fishing related items. The Swap session will be held after the workshops.
- Dave Goeckel indicated that the new maps of Lake Keowee will be offered to the membership at the February meeting. We will place our order based on paid requests. The maps should be available at the March meeting. The new maps will come from Atlantic Maps and have been updated to include correct location of Greenville water inlet and new island numbering. The cost will be \$6.
- Dave Goeckel reported that 25 members have expressed an interest in attending a Ken Sturdivant seminar. Dave will set up a seminar date for later in the spring with Ken. The \$25 fee will be collected in advance from attendees at our March meeting.
- ADOPT AN ISLAND: Dave Goeckel stated that he, Dave Garrison and possibly Bob Stromberg will clean our assigned island this Saturday.
- Lake Sweep: Bill Walker said he would not be able to support the April Lake Sweep since he will be away.
- Bob Skipp stated that Pat Murphy has agreed to replace John Wilson as the other Lake Sweep Coordinator.
- Carl Davidson commented that the Board had accomplished a lot during 2010 and should be pleased with its performance. Bill Walker echoed Carl’s comment and stated that it was the result of Board members working in a cooperative manner.

The next Board Meeting is scheduled for February 10, 2011, 9:30 AM, at The Seneca Family Restaurant.

There being no additional business the meeting was adjourned.