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Veterans Derby



The LSCWA's first veteran's derby was a great time and success. LSCWA club member Jeff kozloff planted some seed money to start a veteran's derby. So, November 24, 2024,

15 boats took off at 7 am for a shotgun start, always exciting.

I can speak for my boat and crew which were Nick and Hunter Markowski. We had a great time talking, joking and catching walleye, we boated 15 eyes. Bandits did most of the damage with various colors no rear hot color or set back.

All walleyes were donated and cleaned at the weigh in to be giving to the veterans housed at a facility located by Selfridge Air National Guard Base.

My boat placed in 4th position with 11.14 lbs. for three fish, .18 of a pound out of a money paying spot. Always next year as the saying goes.

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NAME	WEIGHT	LENGTH	POSITION	POINTS
JUST ONE MORE	7.57			
SWEET WATER	11.14			4.01 vet
Pursuit (2)	11.97		Big Vet	4.49 vet
Captain K's	8.83			
Mark Birkholz	9.08			
N-AUT-COLE	9.14			
DOROTHY E	9.06			3.04 vet
IVY ROSE	6.56			3.85
ESSENTIAL (1)	14.46		Big Fish	6.4 vet
FRIENDS UP NORTH	7.07			
RALPH BUSH	6.21			
Schramm Farms (3)	11.32			
DB 3	8.12			2.94
SOD FATHER	8.74			

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**MEMBERSHIP MEETING IS
December 18, 2025
at 7:30**

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is happening in and around the Club
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**CALENDAR OF EVENTS
WINTER 2024 - 2025**

December 4th Bod Meeting
December 18th.....General Membership Meeting
January 9-12 Ultimate Fishing Show
January 15thGeneral Membership Meeting
January 22nd BOD Meeting
February 2nd..... Kids Ice Outing
Lake St. Clair Metropark
February 19th.....General Membership Meeting
February 26th BOD Meeting

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BINGO

EVERY SUNDAY

Prizes are mounting every week. Come on out give it a try and support your club. Prizes total **\$2200** every night or more!

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*We are always looking for volunteers.
See Rich at our meetings or events.*

Treehouse Breakfast

By Richard Koch

December Treehouse Breakfast will be at Lake Breeze restaurant 35450 Jefferson on December 27th at 8am.

Treehouse Breakfast 2025 Schedule

Great Lakes Dining 36830 Harper 8am Jan 22nd

Country Inn 35229 23 Mile 8am Feb. 26th

Strawberry Fields 51070 Foster 8am March 26th

Bob Evans 45140 Corners Ct 8am April 23rd

South Side Grill 2769 9 Mile 8am May 28th

Dan's Diner 24820 Hoover 8am June 25th

Gus's Coney Island 50899 Gratiot 8am July 23rd

Leo's Coney Island 23815 Jefferson 8am August 27th

Apple Annies 28030 Gratiot 8am September 24th

Charlies 22315 Harper 8 Am October 22nd

Lake Breeze 35450 Jefferson 8am November 26th

Orange Peel 13522 22 Mile 8am December 29th.

350 CURRENT MEMBERS

MISSION STATEMENT

To protect, preserve, and promote the walleye fishing in Michigan through conservation, education, and enhancing fishing opportunities for all; celebrating our tradition since 1976.

MEMBERS:

DUES MUST BE CURRENT

TO FISH ALL DERBIES!

PLEASE SEE MEMBERSHIP SECRETARY

Presidents Corner



Season's greetings! With Thanksgiving past us now and looking forward to Christmas & the New Year ahead I'd like to look back before we look forward.

On November 23rd the LSCWA held its first Veteran's Classic out of the CROC boat access site with 15 boats registered to compete with one another,

most boats had a vet or two aboard. The event raised money through donations and the anglers donated fish to the Michigan Veterans Home in Chesterfield. After cleaning them and trimming them up, 61 pounds of walleye was donated with club members donating more from their freezers to bring the total to 80+ lbs! I would like to thank Jeff Kozloff of Hardscapes Construction for pushing this idea forward. Full recap of the event will come in the future.

The LSCWA was also at Dick Huvaere's annual Buck Pole on Nov 15-16th helping to raise money for the PATH foundation. Raffling off a pair of LEM vacuum packers we raised approximately \$200 to help youth & challenged individuals get out into the great outdoors.

Looking ahead now, the LSCWA's annual Christmas party is Dec 18th. For this pot luck event we ask you bring a dish to pass, appetizers are always welcome as is your favorite fish or game dish perhaps. The club will supply a couple of proteins, relying on our members to chip in with the rest. Please arrive early to help get organized and set up. Also at the party our annual awards presentation takes place with our derby winners, youth fishing champion, AOY and more.

Moving right along into January the Ultimate Fishing Show returns to Novi from the 9th-12th. We need members to help sell tickets and merchandise for the club as well as setting up and taking down our booth. Please see Don Murray to get your name on the list to help and get free access to the show.

The last item I'd like to share is huge, the Lake St. Clair Fishing Station has received a grant in excess of \$100,000 to put towards the construction of a fish cleaning station at the CROC boat access site! This puts us halfway there, maybe with persistence we can make the station a reality soon!

This is YOUR club, be part of it!
Rich Benson, President LSCWA

Keith Krych Trade A Trip

Time to start thinking about the trade a trip again. We have tentatively scheduled the Battle Creek Steelheaders to come here on March 29, 2025. I am waiting to make sure the American Legion hall is available on that date for the fish fry but will not hear back until after the deadline for this article. Once I have confirmation I will make the March 29th date firm and we will go ahead as planned. We are hoping to go to St. Joes on Arpil 26, 2025. Again it depends if the boat club is available for their fish boil or not and their board does not meet until next month to confirm that date. My hope at this point is that we get better weather than we had this year. One of our members pointed out on our last fishing expedition that I was lousy at picking days that turned out fishable. I hope he is wrong. Also we are changing up the format this year and will have a team drawing for each captain. Each team will have a number assigned them and placed in a hat. Numbers drawn will be assigned to each captain and I will make sure each team knows who the captain is and his phone number. If you are new and unaware of the format for the trade a trip we have the BCSH over for a day of fishing for walleyes and we go there for salmon fishing. You do not need to participate in both trips just sign up at our next meeting and I will handle the rest.

Dick Huvarere Buck Pole Contest 2024

Opening day of the 2024 deer season, the LSCWA trailer and club members were at the Dick Huvaere buck pole contest. The LSCWA has helped the buck pole contest raise monies for the (p a t h) foundation.

(PATH) is the shortern version of pass along the heritage, a group that tries to get kids interested and into hunting, fishing activities.

Culb President Rich Benson is shown in the pic presenting a check to the (PATH) representative on opening night of the 2024 deer season.



Take A Veteran Fishing

By Mike Roush

Sunday, November 24, L.S.C.W.A. held their first "Take A Veteran Fishing Day". At day's end many Walleye were cleaned and bagged . Prize money was distributed to the winners (heaviest 3 fish turned in per boat). Many good stories were shared. A huge thank you to all that participated, especially to the crew that cleaned the fish.

But the best was yet to come. On Monday Dec 2nd these fillets (approximately 60 pounds plus 25 pounds donated by Richard and Joann) were delivered to the Michigan Veteran Homes on Sugarbush Road, Chesterfield Township. In addition, because of generous donations from Steve Grasso Trucking and Eric from Macomb County Veteran's Treatment Court, we were able to purchase and donate many items on the Veteran's wish list.

A thank you also to Maxine at Michigan Veteran Home for the informative tour she gave us of the facility. Helping to deliver our donation were the following personnel : Dick Benson, Dan Schmidt, Eric Sear and myself.



Maverick Parzynski Despain,

By Richard Koch

This young boy will receive his trophy fish (19 ¾ sheehead) Mounted by St. Clair Flats Taxidermy on December 18th at our LSCWA Christmas party. Maverick is a two time winner at our annual kids summer fishing event.

2025 Ultimate Fishing Show

Who wants a fishing show, me for sure? Well I have good news for us walleye junkies, and it's the Suburban Collection Showplace in Novi. The dates for the show this year are 9 January thru 12 January 2025.

The fall season is approaching and not too far behind is winter. I know some people don't like winter, but there is a somewhat bright spot of winter, and it's the Ultimate fishing show. This show helps to make winter a little more tolerable for some and exciting for others. The exciting part is all the ice fishing equipment, the other part is winter is fading and open water fishing is around the corner.

The show has something for everybody, if nothing else it helps with cabin fever. You can see the latest new equipment to help catch fish, and see fishing shops from all around the state.

The club will have our booth at the show to showcase the club's activities offered to members. If you would like to help the club's booth selling raffle tickets and promote the club, contact me. I will have a sign up sheet at December meeting.

L.S.C.W.A. Raffle Time 2025

By Mike Roush & Dan Schmidt

Our club raffle honoring Ron Sharp is upon us again. Dan Schmidt and I have been working hard to make this raffle one of the best ever! We incorporated some of the suggestions that you members noted on the cards passed out a few meetings ago. This year there will be a choice of five prize packages. The first ticket drawn will have their choice of prize, the second ticket drawn will have their choice of one of the remaining 4 prizes and so on for the remaining 3 prizes. The prizes are as follows: 1.) Custom boat cover (\$1800 retail value); 2.) Fishing package (\$650 retail value); 3.) After the Catch (\$400 retail value); 4.) Fall Boat Maintenance package (\$250 retail value); 5.) Fishing Charter (\$500 retail value). Any one of these packages can be won with a mere \$5.00 ticket!!

In addition, everyone that buys or sells 10 tickets has a chance to win \$100 cash in a separate drawing.

Starting at the January meeting we will bring the prize packages to the meeting so you can see the items in each package and we will explain any details and answer questions. We will also begin selling tickets at this meeting.

Dan and I would like to thank the following companies & organizations for making this event possible: L.S.C.W.A., Rose Marine Service, Grosso Trucking & Supply, and Hook One Bait & Tackle. Remember - this is your club. Please support us and good luck!!

Lure Tree Raffle

A tradition that we've done for years at our Christmas party is our lure tree. Members donate new or gently used fishing tackle that we then sell tickets to the members at the party, one winner takes all! Please bring in a new or gently used item or maybe even a handmade one to donate to participate in this fun raffle at December's meeting.



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Annual Kids Ice Fishing Event



By Bob Barnes

The Lake St Clair Walleye Association’s annual kid’s ice fishing event is February 2, 2025 at Lake St Clair Metro Park North Marina Picnic Shelter L from 9 am – 2 pm, check our website for updates (LSCWA.NET).

The LSCWA Kids Ice Fishing Event is a free (park entry fee is required) and open to all children, prizes for all the kids, food and soft drinks too. Children must be accompanied by a parent. Fishing poles and bait will be supplied. So dress warmly and bring your children and grandchildren out for a day of fun in the winter sun.

Event is contingent on safe ice conditions. Please check our website LSCWA.NET and Facebook for updates on ice conditions.



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