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## MEETINGS

### WHEN:

FIRST WEDNESDAY  
OF EVERY MONTH  
7 P.M. TO 9 P.M.

### WHERE:

BASS PRO SHOPS  
FRYING PAN LODGE  
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### AGENDA

#### DIRECTOR UPDATE

EVERYTHING YOU NEED TO KNOW  
ABOUT BEING A NON-BOATER  
CURTIS WELCH

2016 STQT REGISTRATION  
APRIL 6TH, 2016  
REGISTRATION DEADLINE

**PLEASE GET  
YOUR 2016  
DUES PAID**

## MEETINGS BY THE MINUTE

**February 3, 2016**

The meeting was called to order at 7:13. 5 guests and 33 members were in attendance. Micah Goldberg reported on the Awards banquet held at Maggiano's Tech Center, January 30th. 44 members and guests attended and the evening was a great time for all. The club thanks Micah for organizing another successful banquet. The banquet fee was approximately \$38.50 per plate and the club covered \$8.50 of that amount.

The Junior Club will hold it's orientation meeting at Bass Pro Shop March 5th from 9:00 am to noon. Curtis Welch, Juniors Director will be increasing the level of competitiveness this year and holding several Junior Tournaments.

The Treasurer's report via email was \$4,380.97. George Mauries will be working with the managers of the new Reuter-Hess reservoir south of Parker, Co. to develop a conservation and recreation plan for the reservoir. We hope to be able to place artificial structure in the reservoir in the near future. Event Coordinator, Tom Grace, has secured a date for the Spring Hot Dog and Brat fund raiser. The event will be held the second weekend of the BPS Spring fishing Classic February 21st and 22nd. A signup sheet was circulated and the

membership was asked to participate. Please see Tom to place any Rapala discount orders.

Curtis Welch spoke on cold water fishing techniques. Curtis mentioned his preferred method for fishing jerk baits, blade baits, rattletraps, tail spinners and jigging spoons. Several "secrets" were revealed and a hush fell over the room. Gary Schipporeit and Marin Marinov won the raffle, each walking away with a \$25 gift card. The raffle raised \$120. The new DBM Spring Collection is in and if your membership is paid see Steve Ehrman to claim your shirt. Hoodies are also available for \$25 and hats for \$20, see Steve for all your DBM Apparel needs. The May meeting will be held the second Wednesday in May. Please plan accordingly. It may be necessary to draw for the May 7 Aurora Tourney in April. Please plan on attending the April meeting if you are entering the draw. Tom Grace requested that fishing profiles be added to the web site and Troy Weisenberger will be managing that endeavor.

The club welcomes new members Jon Valpredo and Joel Bundick.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:25pm

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## 2016 Tournament Schedule

April 23rd  
Lonetree Reservoir, CO  
May 7th  
Aurora Reservoir, CO  
June 25th & 26th  
Merritt Reservoir, NE  
July 16th  
Pueblo Reservoir, CO  
August 20th (Nite)  
Horsetooth Reservoir, CO  
September 10th & 11th  
Flaming Gorge Res., WY  
October 1st  
Pueblo Reservoir, CO  
Megabucks  
October 15th & 16th - TBD



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