



# T H E BASSIN' N E W S

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2015  
EDITION

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**OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER OF THE DENVER BASSMASTERS**  
B.A.S.S. FEDERATION NATION, CHAPTER #812

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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 UPDATES

THE NED RIG  
GARY SCHIPPOREIT

FUNDRAISER RESULTS  
AND FT. CARSON SIGN UP  
TOM GRACE

PUEBLO TOURNEY RECAP

CLEAR LAKE RECAP (DIVISIONALS)

2015 STQT  
ENTRY FORMS & PAYMENTS

WE NEED BOATERS  
**FT. CARSON  
KIDS DAY**  
SATURDAY JUNE 20TH

## MEETINGS BY THE MINUTE

**April 1, 2015**

The meeting was called to order at 7:08 pm there were 32 members and 2 guests present. George Mauries, Conservation Director, reported that the habitat project is still pending final approval and scheduling from DOW officials. When the project receives final scheduling the membership will be notified. There was discussion regarding the "No Cull Rule" recently adopted by the Colorado Division of Wildlife. We will review our Open Tournament rules and seek a clarification on possession and if you could possibly hold more than 5 fish in a Team situation and return the unweighed fish to the lake.

Juniors Director, Curtis Welch, announced that 30 kids attended the orientation meeting on March 28th. The first outing will be April 18th at Swift Ponds. The membership was asked to assist with the event.

Tom Grace, Event Coordinator, circulated a sign-up sheet for a Hot Dog and Brat fund raiser to be held April 11th and 12th at BPS. Tom asked the membership to remember the CAST and Ft. Carson events planned for June 6th and June 20th. Wright McGill and Rapala discount programs are in effect, please direct orders and questions to Tom Grace.

Austin Howard spoke on Tournament Fish Care. Austin mentioned fish care additives, Rejuvenate and Catch and Release, and suggested using these products whenever water temperatures rise. Make an effort to maintain clean live wells and efficient pumps. Care should be taken when handling fish to not damage the slime coat and always avoid contact with the carpet of the boat. Proper fish care will result in lower mortality and more fish in everyone's future. We will be

selling raffle tickets to win a boat. The meeting was in recess at 7:53 and resumed at 8:10.

Folds Of Honor will be raffling a new Triton boat to raise funds to support their organization. Tickets are \$10 Contact Brandon Genova for additional details.

Jack Chaney won the raffle, taking home a Skeet Reese Combo. The raffle raised \$55. The High School Raffle, 10 Strike King crank baits, raised \$105 and was won by Brandon Cosselman. Herb Turner did not "tell you what".

The meeting was adjourned at 8:55 pm

Steve Ehrman - Secretary

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## DBM MEMBERS IN THE NEWS!



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Give Larry Triplett an attaboy when you see him. Larry was one of two anglers to catch a limit on all 3 days of the 2015 B.A.S.S. Nation Western Divisional. He ended up in 3rd Place overall, only 1-2 behind overall leader Tim Johnston of MT who had 50-14. Larry's headed to Monroe, Louisiana to Nationals. Go Larry!

Ryan Wood Qualified for the first ever Bassmaster High School All-State Fishing Team. Wood is a junior at Legacy High School. Last year, he won the prestigious Costa Bright Future Scholarship award, and has several tournament wins to his credit, including the 2013 Bassmaster Junior World Championship.



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April 25th  
Pueblo, CO  
May 16th & 17th  
McConaughy, NE  
June 27th  
Aurora, CO  
August 15th  
Horsetooth, CO  
August 29th  
Lonetree, CO (nite)  
September 12th & 13th  
Wilson, KS  
September 26th  
Boyd, CO  
October 17th & 18th  
Megabucks TBD

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