

## **Program**

Our next meeting is Wednesday, June 6, 2011. This will be our workshop for the June 9<sup>th</sup> Fishing Derby. Please get to the meeting early to help setup, about 5:30 or 6:00 PM. We are expecting a rather large crowd.

Note: There is no meeting in July or August. Next meeting is September 5, 2011.

**Check out our web site:** [www.great-lakes.org/vpsc](http://www.great-lakes.org/vpsc).

You are just a click away from pictures of Salmon and Walleye trips, previous news letters and more about our Villa Park Sportsmen's Club. You may also send information to be posted on the web site to [villaparksportsman@att.net](mailto:villaparksportsman@att.net).

## **BYOB Fishing**

Where's your favorite fishing hole? We'll schedule a trip. Talk to or call Joe Nutt, Gary Buehre or Adolph Janke.



May 9<sup>th</sup> BYOP Fishing at the Lombard Pond, Grace and North Avenue.

## **Scheduled Events**

**June 11 – BYOB Fishing Whalon Pond** Located on Royce Road about 1 mile West of Rt 53 (Bolingbrook/Naeville).

**June 15 – Salmon Fishing out of Kenosha.** Drive as a group on Wednesday. We will depart the harbor at about 6:00 AM. Cost is about \$120 for each of six people to cover fishing. A Wisconsin license is required. Call or see Joe Kubica for details.

**June 18 – BYOB Fishing Perch Fishing** Chicago Lakefont, Montrose Harbor.

**June 9 – Kids Fishing Derby at the clubhouse pond.** Volunteers are needed to help with setup and running the events.

**July 2– Salmon Fishing out of Kenosha.** Drive as a group on Wednesday. We will depart the harbor at about 12:00 Noon. Cost is about \$120 for each of six people to cover fishing. A Wisconsin license is required. Call or see Joe Kubica for details.

**July 11 - BYOB Fishing Shabbona Lake** Rt 30 east of I-39.

**July 24 – BYOB Fishing Chain of Lakes** Fox Lake IL

**September TBD - Salmon Fishing out of Kenosha.** Drive as a group on Wednesday. We will depart the harbor at about TBD. Cost is about \$120 for each of six people to cover fishing. A Wisconsin license is required. Call or see Joe Kubica for details.

## **Sun Times Midwest Fishing Report**

Click this link <http://www.suntimes.com/sports/outdoors/index.html> then click on 'Midwest fishing report'.

As of: May 30, 2012

**CHAIN O'LAKES AREA:** Triangle reported shallow bluegill are the top bite; try waxies rigged on ice jigs under small floats; catfish are improving (3-8-pound range) on stinkbait, crawlers or roaches; white bass are shallow but likely to move back to 8-10 feet; pike are fair around creeks. Walleye should improve as current picks up from upstream rains.

**DELAVAN/GENEVA LAKES, WIS.:** DELAVAN: Guide Dave Duwe reported outstanding fishing: largemouth on shore (inside weed line); bluegill are in 2-4 feet waiting to spawn; smallmouth are in 12; pike are on the weed lines in 16-18; walleye are on the deep weed line in 15-20. GENEVA: Duwe said rock bass are everywhere; bluegill are tight to shore; smallmouth are starting to spawn (8-10 feet); largemouth are around docks.

**FOX RIVER: WESTERN SUBURBS:** Sam Bennett said smallmouth are holding in summer patterns: fast deeper water days, tails of riffles evenings; dams are good, though crowded, as oxygen becomes important. Flatheads are improving, with Fox Valley Flatheaders founder Marty Jadura landing a 30-pound-plus; walleye are spotty. Alex Kiscellus did best in Montgomery area for smallmouth below riffles or at the bottom of swifter-moving chutes on 3-inch, white Power grub bounced off the bottom, but erratic jerkbaits like X-Raps have been producing for others as well as topwaters early and late.

**LAKEFRONT: CHICAGO:** Capt. Bill Kelly reported limits of coho a mile around the R4, east of the Car Ferry in 75-110 feet, east of Montrose, Diversey and the Carter Harrison in 80-120 and east of Burnham in 60-100 with some lakers, rainbows and kings mixed in. The coho are coming on small Dodgers and flies. Capt. Bob Poteshman of Confusion Charters reported in 75-125 there is "a hell of a band of fish" with coho, lakers and a few kings; Dodgers and flies best, surface on down. Perch are around, especially on the outside at Montrose, according to Park Bait, but it's spotty. Henry's also reported some starting at Burnham/Northerly Island, 39th and 63rd. Park Bait also reported some sheephead off Montrose. Bite is minnows or soft shells.

**WAUKEGAN:** Lori Ralph at Salmon Stop reported boaters working 70-120 straight out and south with Yellow Birds and Dodgers and flies or spoons for coho and some kings; in 120-170, there's big kings and lakers (some coho nearer the surface) on big white Dodgers and white flies. Perch are in 60-65 for boaters; a few are being caught by shore fishermen. **NORTH POINT:**

Poteshman reported good coho with some kings in 120-160; but there's also some fish sh allow on the beach. **RICHARD J. DALEY SPORTFISHING DERBY:** In June, the species are carp, catfish, perch, coho and chinook. Fish may be entered at Henry's Sports & Bait or Park Bait.

**SHABBONA LAKE:** Clint Sands at Lakeside said, "I have never seen so many walleye caught as the last few weeks." Best has been a crawler or leech; most are fishing the east bay. Bass have been consistent, starting to hit topwaters. Crappie are done spawning, moving back to cribs.

Bluegill are up spawning. Water is 74 degrees.

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We meet the first Wednesday of each month (except July and August) at 7:30 PM at the North Terrace Pond Clubhouse on Westmont and Terrace (approximately 6 blocks south of North Avenue and 3 blocks west of Addison) in Villa Park. Annual dues are \$30. Visitors or prospective new members are welcome - a \$3 fee is requested. If you are interested in attending or becoming a member please contact: Marty Kapolczynski at (630) 932-1923

