

SMC FISH TALES

October 2007

OCTOBER CHAPTER MEETING

The speaker at our October 18th chapter meeting will be Captain Bob Bowes of the charter boat "Audrey B". Captain Bowes of Tall Timbers will be speaking about fishing the lower Potomac River. He will be sharing information about his boat, favorite rods, reels, lures, and methods. Plan to attend and bring your fishing questions. Try to come early and have dinner provided by Smokey Joes for a very reasonable price.

HOLIDAY PARTY

The Holiday Party will be Sunday, December 9, 2007 at Stoney's Kingfisher at 6 pm. The cost will be \$25 per person with a cash bar. Payment is required in advance so that we can be sure as to how many will attend. Please see us at one of the next two chapter meetings.

MARI

The MARI project continues to provide material for the fish reefs of the area. Point No Point is moving toward completion and several more loads are scheduled to be placed on the Cedar Point Reef. Planning has started to explore the possibility of placing material on the Little Cove Point Reef and at the Gooses.

LADIES' NIGHT

Ladies' Night at our September meeting was again a success this year. We had Candy Thomson of the "Baltimore Sun" as our speaker, special door prizes, and the opportunity for a good dinner. All had a good time.

CHAPTER PICNIC

On Sunday, September 16th at Greenwell State Park over 60 members and guests attended our annual picnic. The group enjoyed the crabs, burgers, hot dogs, and other contributed food while taking advantage of the park facilities on the bank of the Patuxent River.

MILITARY FISHING

This event was a success due to partnering with CCA-Patuxent River and VFW – California, MD. Those who attended from Walter Reed, Charlotte Hall and Pax River had a great time. Some had never fished in saltwater and had to be educated as to location of the park in relation to the bay, rivers and ocean. This year gave new life to this event and hopefully it will grow in the future.

CHAPTER COMMUNICATIONS

Check back for monthly issues of "SMC FISH TALES" or the chapter newsletter.