



THE CHUM LINE

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DATES TO REMEMBER

- March 7th: FSC Monthly Meeting, VFW. Quick Tips Seminar: 7:00 p.m. By Capt. Chuck Gleichmann will teach Knot Tying: loop knots and line to leader uniknot; Swap and Shop; Nomination of Officers; Guest Speaker: Jose Nunez on Oysters and Fish. See page 2.
- March 11th: New (and Old) Members Clinic, Herschel King Park (Location change due to hurricane damage to Hammock CC.) See page 4.
- March 18th: FREE Club Count the Spots Tournament. See page 5.
- March 27th: FSC Directors Meeting, Watson Realty, 7:00 p.m.
- April 4th: FSC Monthly Meeting. Nomination of Officers and 3rd Annual Smoked Fish Smoke-Off.
- April 17th: FSC Directors Meeting, Watson Realty.
- April 21st - 22nd: 21st Annual Spring Classic Tournament and Captains Meeting.



Beacon Report

In like a lion out like a lamb.... I hope not. Maybe with March we will get off the weather roller coaster of wind and weird fronts and get back to some more predictable dare I say easier fishing. March is a busy month with the swap and shop, New Members Clinic and Count the Spots Tournament. March also contains two of my favorite days, daylight saving time starts again on the 12th and the beginning of Spring on the 20th. It won't be long now till the runs of Spanish and blues, beaches full of pogie pods getting smashed by tarpon and kings.

Members I ask you start making plans this month to fish the Spring Tournament in April. If you can't fish it, tell everyone you see who may be interested and consider volunteering.

I also ask that we all consider nominations for President, Vice President, Sgt. at Arms, and Weigh Master as May elections draw closer. Nominations will be accepted at the March and April Monthly Meetings.
Chris Davy, President



IMPORTANT

- ✦ Membership dues are due by March 31, 2017.
- ✦ Club dues are \$60.00 per family and Membership runs from April 1, 2017 through March 31, 2018. Membership must be current to participate in the Year Long Tournament.
- ✦ Dues statements will be mailed, so if you are an existing member and do not receive a statement in the mail, please contact Gary Fisher at 386-693-4452 or at gfish108@gmail.com.
- ✦ Please review your membership information on the statement and make any changes or corrections.

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**March Fishing Forecast**

Capt. Jim Britton

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Inshore, we are starting to get reports of the beginnings of what promises to be a busy snook and tarpon bite. These reports are coming from southern Flagler county and northern Volusia county and are indicating that both soft plastics and suspending baits will do the trick. Trout can be targeted with your favorite soft plastic on a ¼ ounce jig head or by using live bait under docks and in deeper drop-offs. Redfish should start to actively roam around more as water temperatures rise. Therefore, targeting redfish around oyster bars with live or cut bait should make for an active trip on the water. Gold spoons and top water baits should work well also. During March, anglers will still be able to target keeper size black drum and sheepshead. Look for these fish in deeper holes and around structure. Your bait of choice should be either shrimp or fiddler crabs on a jig head or a fish finder rig.

Reports from Matanzas bridge, during February, were of mostly black drum and sheepshead. March should provide a more consistent bite from the bridges and the surf, with whiting, pompano, and blue fish showing up in numbers. Brined shrimp or clams, fresh shrimp, sand fleas, or Fishbites artificial bait on your favorite surf rig should yield a nice fish dinner!

Offshore reports from the ledge have anglers finding good numbers of wahoo either trolling bait over live bottom or high-speed trolling. Blackfin tuna are being caught on darker color lures and ballyhoo as well. Offshore anglers who visit some favorite bottom numbers should be on the lookout for large cobia roaming structure. To hook up these curious creatures live bait, cut bait or artificial eels will all do the trick.

Guest Speaker - Jose Nunez: Jose Nunez has a Bachelors degree in biology from the Universided Central de Venuezuella, Caracas and a Masters degree in Ecology from the University of California, Davis. Since 1994 he has been a researcher at University of Florida's Whitney Laboratory for Marine Bio-Science, except for a three-year appointment as the District S.T.E.M./Service Learning Coordinator for Flagler County Schools. Prior to that, Jose was a researcher working on aquaculture at the Hawaii Institute of Marine Biology University of Hawaii, and before that at the University of California, Davis. His research fields to date include aquatic ecology of lakes and rivers, aquatic toxicology, cancer research using fish as models, and aquaculture of fresh and saltwater fish (mahi mahi, red drum, black sea bass, clownfish, striped bass, sturgeon, channel catfish, minnows, Pacific threadfin), shrimps and bivalves (hard clams, Sunray Venus clams, arks and oysters). Currently, he is a part of the Osborne Lab where he manages the bivalve hatchery, conducts research on oyster reef habitat restoration, and heads the Matanzas River Basin Biodiversity Initiative (MatBio).

Jose will be talking about the importance of oyster reefs for our estuaries and our local fisheries, and the Whitney Lab's oyster reef restoration initiatives to enhance oyster populations in our area.



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Want to see pictures of you and your fish on the club Facebook page? Please send pictures in .jpg format to hotrod1282@gmail.com with information about the fish you caught (i.e. species, weight, tide, etc.).



Club member Pete Jiacik caught this hugh 40" Redfish off of his dock on the ICW. He caught it on a #1 hook with a shrimp using 10 lb. test line with a 20 lb. fluorocarbon leader. Pete returned his catch after the photo was taken. Congratulations!!!



Judy Gallo & Oscar Best



Jim & Sandy Sheehan

Facebook is another way to brag about a great catch. You can also submit photos to be published in *The Chum Line*. Send them to me (Ellen) at emscheurer42@gmail.com. I will keep photos with good resolution for possible inclusion in the 2018 Club Calendar. Include your name and details about your catch. Thanks and go fish!

Photos From CCA Florida February 2, 2017



Andy Block



Chuck & Wanda Radloff



Having Fun -
Chuck Gleichmann
and Chuck Radloff



Dana Synes &
Andrew Puskus



Jeff & Jeanne Rafter



Edie & Bill May



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NEW(AND OLD)MEMBERS CLINIC



Fishing Inshore, Local Waters, Intracoastal Waterway, and The Flats



WHEN: SATURDAY, MARCH 11, 2017

TIME: 8:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. WHERE: Herschel King Park (Off Colbert Lane)

LEARN YOUR 2017 YEAR LONG TOURNAMENT RULES

AND HOW AND WHERE TO WEIGH IN FISH

LEARN HOW TO FISH OUR WATERS FROM OUR CLUB EXPERTS:

8:00 - 8:30 COFFEE DONUTS WATER WILL BE PROVIDED

- 8:30 a.m. Chuck Radloff - Cast Net Demo. Learn "How To" and actually throw the net.
- 9:00 a.m. Capt. Jim Britton - Inshore Fishing. Lures to use, gear and rigging when fishing inshore and the flats.
- 9:30 a.m. Capt. Miguel Pandich - Kayak Fishing. "The Kayak Man" How to rig and fish from a kayak.
- 10:00 a.m. Capt. Chuck Gleichmann - How tide, current and weather affect the fish.
- 10:30 a.m. Tim Miller - Pier & Bridge Fishing. Techniques, bait and rigs to use.
- 11:00 a.m. Rita Waddell - Club Weigh Master. Discussion on Tournament Rules and weigh in slips.
- 11:30 a.m. Peter Bessette. Night Fishing.
- 11:45 a.m. Bill May. Support Our Sponsors.
- 12:00 Noon Hank Alper. Members Only Website.
- 12:20 p.m. Capt. Jeff Rafter, Pro Surf Master. How to fish local surf for success, which poles, reels, and tackle to use.

PERKS:



**Raffle for
Rod & Reel**



50/50

\$25.00 Show-Up Drawing

Sign up at the March 7th Monthly Meeting, VFW, or contact Walt Huresky by phone or text at 732-996-3899 or at wehuresky@gmail.com. Deadline is Thursday, March 9th.

**This is a great refresher course for the members, the family, or non-members.
Bring the kids, spouse, or significant other.**

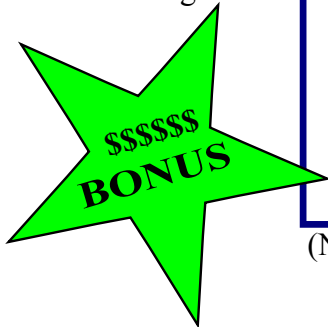
NOTE: This is an outdoor facility, so dress accordingly.



19TH ANNUAL FREE COUNT THE SPOTS FISHING TOURNAMENT - MARCH 18, 2017



Raffle tickets will be sold at the March 7th Monthly Meeting and at the weigh in.



P First Place: \$125.00
A Second Place: \$100.00
Y Third Place: \$75.00
O Fourth Place: \$50.00
U Fifth Place: \$25.00
T *Largest Redfish by weight \$75.00*
Show Up Raffle - \$25.00

(Note: Only one prize per person except for Bonus.)

FREE TO CLUB MEMBERS

50/50

50/50 tickets will be sold at the weigh in at Bings Landing.

FOOD

Let us know if you'll be there so that we'll have enough food and water!

- **NO CHECK OUT. FISH FROM 7:00 A.M. FROM ANYWHERE (NO BOAT NEEDED).**
- **WEIGH IN TIME 3:00 P.M To 4:00 P.M. AT BINGS LANDING. FOOD WILL BE SERVED!**
- **NONMEMBERS \$20.00 DONATION EACH, PAID IN ADVANCE AND MUST FISH WITH A MEMBER.**
- **NO GUEST FEE FOR JUNIORS (12 & UNDER) FISHING WITH A MEMBER.**
- **IF COMING TO THE WEIGH IN ONLY, YOU WILL NEED TO SIGN UP SO ENOUGH FOOD CAN BE PURCHASED. FOOD ONLY FOR GUESTS, \$10.00 DONATION.**
- **IN CASE OF A TIE, EARLIEST FISH WEIGHED IN COUNTS.**
- **ATTACHED SPOTS COUNT AS ONE SPOT (e.g. ●●).**
- **SIGN UP AT THE MARCH 7th MONTHLY MEETING or CALL PETER BESSETTE AT 386-931-7398 DEADLINE IS MARCH 15th.**
- **ALL FLORIDA STATE FISHING RULES WILL APPLY.**

Club Meeting Minutes 02-07-17

7:00 – 7:30 PM: **Captain Chuck Gleichmann** – Quick Tips on Inshore selection of rods, reels and line.

Pledge of Allegiance: Led by Dean Roberts

Treasurer's Report: Gary Fisher said we had a total of 280 members for 2016, goal is to be up to 300 members for 2017. He told the membership to get involved in our upcoming tournaments for this year. He also mentioned that tonight's guest speaker, Jim Britton, was one of the best guides in our area. We have \$13,100.00 in the checking account and most of the monies made last year, went back to charities, Kids' Clinic and our free member tournaments. This year's tournament prize monies will be raised to \$600.00 with an additional \$25.00 show up bonus. Chris Davy also told us that the club has been very successful and we had a great board of directors and past presidents. This year's tournaments will have better sponsors and gifts.

Weigh Master Report: Rita Waddell, said we had a great season last year. She gave us the Preliminary Results of the year long, angler of the year and lady angler of the year tournaments. These results are preliminary because there could be changes in the standings, especially if she gets any copies of the weigh in slips that were not previously received and the results would have to be recalculated. So, if you have any weigh in slips that you do not see were counted in the year long, please get a copy to her. The deadline for her to get all slips is 2/24/17, she also needs your full name on all slips that are made out. Chris told all the winners when they receive notice that they have won for this year, to let them know what prize they want to receive and how you want the jacket to be embroidered, they need that information ASAP so your jacket can be ready for the presentation.

Welcome Visitors/Recognition of Volunteers: We had 12 guests at tonight's meeting. Chris said the club thrives on our volunteers and we are thankful to have them. The following people have expressed interest in becoming part of our board of directors- Roy Lawson, Diana MacDonald, Fred Manzollilo, Scheyenne Welch and John Mount.

Kids' Clinic Feb. 19th: Chris will be setting up a table at this event which is being held at the old city hall building in Bunnell. This clinic is for under-privileged children and he requested that anyone who would like to help out or attend to come to it and get involved as a club member to help others learn about our club and to help teach the kids to enjoy fishing.

Black & Red Tournament, Saturday, February 25th:

Andy Block will chair this tournament. He told us the raffle prizes will be a Shimano rod and reel and some park passes to Gamble Rodgers Park, there will be a show up bonus, food will be club sandwiches. If you are fishing the tournament, please sign up on the sheet in the back, if you are just attending the weigh in, also sign the sheet, so he will know the count for the food, cost for a guest will be \$20.00 for fishing and they must fish with a member. If you are just eating, there will be a \$5.00 donation. The tournament will begin at 7 AM, weigh in will be from 3-4 PM at Bings Landing. If you fish in Volusia County, you can only keep

one redfish, in Flagler County you can keep two. Do not get caught in Volusia County with 2 redfish or you can be fined.

Spring Tournament: Chuck Radloff told us that there is a lot of work and fun involved in our spring tournament. Last year we gave a check in the amount of \$4,500 to Family Life Center to help abused families. Mike Crotts will also be chairing this tournament with Chuck. There will be posters printed and available at upcoming meetings. If we have a business that we can hang it in, please take some posters to help advertise this event. The captain's meeting will be at Tortugas and the weigh in will be held at Hidden Treasure, both located in Flagler Beach. They will need volunteers to help out in all areas. Chuck said he would like to find someone to replace him for next year's event. A volunteer sheet was passed out for the members to sign up to help out. We still need more sponsors, this tournament and the fall tournament are a big part of us giving back to our community.

Elections (Nominating Committee): Our nominating committee consists of Bill May, Andy Block and Jeff Rafter. The nominations for the offices of President, Vice President, Weigh Master and Sgt. at Arms will be held at our March and April meetings and voted on and sworn in at the May meeting. If you want to nominate anyone or are interested in any of the open positions yourself, at the March and April meeting, job descriptions and ballots will be available and go into the ballot boxes on the back table. These are important positions within the club and the board of directors will help guide you in any of these positions. Candidates will be voted on and sworn in at the May meeting. Absentee ballots will also be available. To be eligible for a position, you have to be 21 years of age and have been a club member for one year. Chris thanked Bill May for his work on obtaining new sponsors and retaining the past ones. Bill also told us about a new sponsor we have, Boaters Exchange, they are having a grand opening event on Feb. 11th from 10-4 and there are cards at the back table to get a free fish taco when you attend. Bill will have a list at the back table of our sponsors with their address and phone numbers. Please support these sponsors, they help us do what we do best.

New Members Clinic: Walt Huresky will hold the clinic at Herschel King Park on 3/11. We have 83 new member families and 293 family members. Donuts and coffee will be served from 8-8:30 AM, speakers start at 8:30 a.m. Speakers throughout the day will be Chuck Radloff, throwing a cast net, Capt. Jim Britton, fishing and equipment, Jeff Rafter, surf fishing, Capt. Chuck Gleichmann, inshore fishing, Miguel Pandich, kayak fishing, Rita Waddell, weigh master, Bill May, sponsors, Peter Bessette, night fishing, Tim Miller, pier fishing. It was mentioned that Tim got at 9.8 sheephead, good going, Tim! There will be a flyer in the Chum Line for this clinic with all the information on it. Last year's attendance was around 76 people and 4-5 new members were signed up. There is a signup sheet in the back and a volunteer sheet to sign up helpers needed for this event. the reds, he uses the same baits as the drum and also soft

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Welcome to the first Year Long Tournament reporting for 2017 in *The Chum Line*! As shared at recent Monthly Club Meetings, we are making available up-to-date postings of standings and other fishing information on the Members Only website (www.sportfishbase.com), and also will report the results of the Year Long Standings, as in the past, as data is received for publication in each month's *The Chum Line*. *The Chum Line* this month displays the fish that have been weighed in from 01/01/17 to 02/16/17. What is missing this month in our publication is the points leaders from the bottom of the sheets for each of the three categories – Both, Ladies, and Men. That information is available on the Members Only website. To view these results, click on Members Menu button – click Year Long Tournament button. On that screen, select the year (2017) and then the category (Ladies, Men, or Both). Scroll down and select the Accumulated Points button for the category you selected. Repeat for each of the other two categories. This process is still being tweaked by Hank Alper who will be adding species and other hurdles he will meet. Thank you for your patience while we continue to resolve the best and easiest way to share this information with everyone. Please let me know if you have any questions.

Rita Waddell, Weighmaster 386-585-0148 or rrdell@att.net

2017 Year Long Standings All

Species	First Place 10 Pts	Second Place 6 Pts	Third Place 5 Pts	Fourth Place 4 Pts	Fifth Place 3 Pts	Sixth Place 2 Pts
Amberjack						
Black Drum	Aby Moghanaki 9-10					
Bluefish						
Cobia	Mike Ringberg 33-12					
Croaker						
Dolphin						
Flounder						
Grouper						
King Mackerel						
Pompano(Florida)						
Porgy	Andrew Puskas 4-2	Dana Syens 2-13	Andrew Puskas 2-10			
Redfish	M.L. Lopez 6-12	Andrew Puskas 6-6	Dana Syens 6-2	M.L. Lopez 6-2	Lisa Moravec 6-1	Pat Gleichmann 6-1
Sea Bass	Dana Syens 1-8	Joaquinn Ruela 1-2				
Sheepshead	Tim Miller 9-10	Tim Miller 5-13	Tim Miller 5-4	Tim Miller 5-3	Tim Miller 5-1	Tim Miller 4-15
Snapper, Mangrove						
Snapper, Other						
Snapper, Red						
Snook						
Spanish Mackerel						
Spotted Seatrout	Brad Kayholm 7-8	Ana Pagliro 3-1				
Trigger	Dana Syens 3-11					
Tuna/Bonita	Gene Morrow 34-13	Dana Syens 6-2				
Wahoo						
Whiting	Aby Moghanaki 1-9	Greg Zvierko 1-3	Greg Zvierko 1-2	Aby Moghanaki 1-2	Aby Moghanaki 1-1	Aby Moghanaki 1-1

2017 Year Long Standing Men's

Species	First Place 10 Pts	Second Place 6 Pts	Third Place 5 Pts	Fourth Place 4 Pts	Fifth Place 3 Pts	Sixth Place 2 Pts
Amberjack						
Black Drum	Aby Moghanaki 9-10					
Bluefish						
Cobia	Mike Ringberg 33-12					
Croaker						
Dolphin						
Flounder						
Grouper						
King Mackerel						
Pompano(Florida)						
Porgy	Andrew Puskas 4-2	Andrew Puskas 2-10				
Redfish	Andrew Puskas 6-6	C. Gleichmann 5-13				
Sea Bass	Joaquinn Ruela 1-2					
Sheepshead	Tim Miller 9-10	Tim Miller 5-13	Tim Miller 5-4	Tim Miller 5-3	Tim Miller 5-1	Tim Miller 4-15
Snapper, Mangrove						
Snapper, Other						
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Spanish Mackerel						
Spotted Seatrout	Brad Kayholm 7-8					
Trigger						
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Wahoo						
Whiting	Aby Moghanaki 1-9	Greg Zvierko 1-3	Greg Zvierko 1-2	Aby Moghanaki 1-2	Aby Moghanaki 1-1	Aby Moghanaki 1-1

2017 Year Long Standings Ladies

Species	First Place 10 Pts	Second Place 6 Pts	Third Place 5 Pts	Fourth Place 4 Pts	Fifth Place 3 Pts	Sixth Place 2 Pts
Amberjack						
Black Drum						
Bluefish						
Cobia						
Croaker						
Dolphin						
Flounder						
Grouper						
King Mackerel						
Pompano(Florida)						
Porgy	Dana Syens 2-13					
Redfish	M.L. Lopez 6-12	Dana Syens 6-2	M.L. Lopez 6-2	L. Moravec 6-1	P. Gleichmann 6-1	P. Gleichmann 6-0
Sea Bass	Dana Syens 1-8					
Sheepshead						
Snapper, Mangrove						
Snapper, Other						
Snapper, Red						
Snook						
Spanish Mackerel						
Spotted Seatrout	Ana Pagliaro 3-1					
Trigger	Dana Syens 3-11					
Tuna/Bonita	Dana Syens 6-2					
Wahoo						
Whiting						

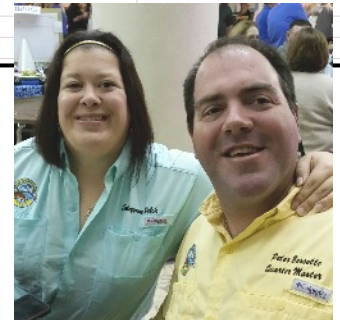
Continued Photos from CCA Florida (Coastal Conservation Association Florida) is an important organization that supports important issues dealing with our waters. Club members attended the banquet on February 2, 2017 and enjoyed good friends, good food, raffles, and a live auction. Some of us even won great items!!!



Pat and Chuck Gleichmann



Jeanne & Judy



Scheyenne Welsh & Peter Bessette



Jim & Claire McIntire



Gene and Shay Morrow

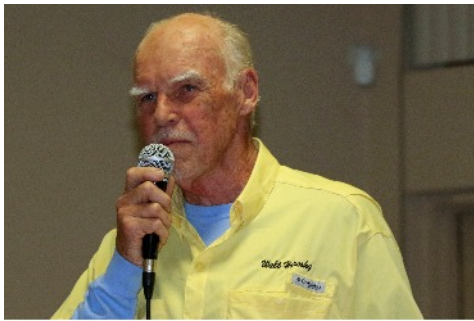


Rita & Hand Waddell

Break: (Minutes Continued From Page 6)

Speaker: Capt. Jim Britton is a local charter captain who is sponsored by Big Boys Play Toys and Honda Marine. Being our Free Black Drum and Redfish Tournament will be on Feb. 25th, he was asked to specifically touch on those subjects. He told us he uses soft plastic baits that are scented or a whole or half a crab for black drum. He takes off the legs and the shell, so the fish will get the scent of the crab. Black drum can be found around structures like bridges and docks, so that is where to look for them. The redfish can be found tailing in the shallower waters, but with the redfish, you have to sneak up on them and can't make a lot of noise or make a lot of splashing when you cast your bait out. For the reds, he uses the same baits as the Drum and also soft plastic, he rigs them as weedless so they will be able to drag through the oyster beds with less snagging. He also advised using Grand Slam artificial or Gulp baits. For beach fishing, sand fleas or clams are good bait. Black drum like live shrimp on a jighead or frozen or live shrimp with tails torn off to give them a scent.

If you are fishing a spot for awhile and you get no hits, move on and go to another spot. A good way to spot redfish is by sight fishing, you see before you cast, stand as high as you can and have a good pair of sunglasses to help see the fish. Best action for reds is at low tide, one hour before or after. If the water is dark, you would use a dark artificial bait and if the water is light, you would use a light artificial bait. Black drum don't feed and leave, they will stay around for awhile. Jim doesn't use swivels, only if he is using a gold spoon, then he uses a split ring and puts the spoon on with a uniknot. He also uses a 10 lb braid line with a fluorocarbon leader, make sure your leader has no nicks in it. Jim will be a speaker at our New Members Clinic on March 11th. If you missed this meeting, make sure to get to the New Members Clinic to hear his good advice on how to improve your fishing skills. **50/50 Winner: Guest Scott Dallman. Meeting Adjourned at 8:40 p.m.**



Walt Huresky Gave Details on the New Members Clinic on 03/11/17.



Bill May announced upcoming elections and new sponsor, Boaters Exchange.



Andy Block is Director of The Red and Black Tourn. and gives details.



Chuck Radloff takes the floor to speak of the Spring Classic in April.



Chris Davy hands over \$185 to 50/50 winner Scott Dallman.



Rita Waddell explains Year Long Rules to Club angler.



With the Black & Red Tourn. on 02/25 Capt. Jim gave some great tips at the 02/07 Monthly Meeting.



Guest Jim Britton displays one of his favorite artificial baits.



Preliminary Year Long Winners

The February 7, 2017 Monthly Meeting was a very busy meeting. Issues dealt with upcoming Black and Red Tournament, February 25, 2017 as published last month's *Chum Line*. Peter Bessette will be running the Count the Spots Tournament on March 18, 2017 and Walt Huresky will be running the New (and Old) Members Clinic on March 11, 2017. We are also starting to put together the 21 Annual Spring Classic Tournament this is scheduled for April 21-22, 2017. In addition to all this, it is election time and time to renew FSC Membership. So - we are pretty busy and would appreciate any help in any way. Please volunteer whenever you can.

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FSC NOMINATING BALLOTS FOR UPCOMING OFFICERS' POSITIONS

If you would like to nominate someone for any of the four positions that will be voted on at the May 2nd Monthly Meeting, please fill in that person's name on the appropriate ballot and mail it to Flagler Sportfishing Club, P.O. Box 353383 Palm Coast, FL 32135-3383.

All ballots must be received before the April 4th Meeting.

FSC Nominating Ballot for Weighmaster

Job Description for Weighmaster

SECTION 5: Weighmaster shall serve as chairperson of the Fishing Committee and official weighmaster at all club sponsored tournaments; shall keep current knowledge of all federal, state and local rules and regulations pertaining to all species of fish that qualify for club tournaments and records; shall determine locations for official club weigh stations and shall provide certified scales at each such location; shall, with the assistance of Fishing Committee members to be appointed by the President, promulgate and/or modify or amend Club Year Long Tournament Rules, which shall include a list of the locations of all official club weigh stations, and shall publish said rules to the general membership; shall, prior to each monthly meeting, collect weigh slips from each official weigh station and submit a timely monthly report to the Board of Directors and to the editor of "The Chum Line" for publication; shall maintain all weigh slips regardless of clarity or discrepancy; shall update, on a monthly basis, current standings for the Year Long Tournament and shall submit a monthly report to the editor of "The Chum Line" for publication.

Your Nomination for Weighmaster: _____

FSC Nominating Ballot for Sergeant-At-Arms

Job Description for Sergeant-At-Arms

SECTION 6: Sergeant at Arms shall lead the membership in the Pledge of Allegiance at the commencement of each monthly meeting; shall keep order and decorum during all meetings by enforcing Roberts Rules of Order; shall be knowledgeable of all Club By-Laws.

Nomination for Sergeant-At-Arms: _____

FSC Nominating Ballot for Vice President

Job Description for Vice President

SECTION 2: Vice President shall assume the functions of the President should the President become incapacitated or otherwise be unable to perform his duties; shall preside over all meetings at which the President is not present; shall assist the President in all public and official functions; shall be official spokesperson for the club in the absence of the President; shall receive reports of committee chairmen.

Your nomination for Vice President: _____

FSC Nominating Ballot for President

Job Description for President

SECTION 1: President shall preside over all meetings at which he or she is present; shall appoint members of the Board of Directors, as set forth below; shall appoint special committees when deemed necessary; shall be an ex-officio member of all committees; shall vote only if his vote is needed to break a tie; shall assign tasks to Board members and shall maintain a close working relationship with the Board of Directors and club members; shall represent the club at public and official functions; shall be official spokesperson for the club; shall appoint an independent auditor to audit the financial affairs of the club at the end of each fiscal year; shall present an annual report to the membership at the end of each fiscal year outlining the activities and highlights of the previous year.

NAME OF YOUR NOMINEE: _____



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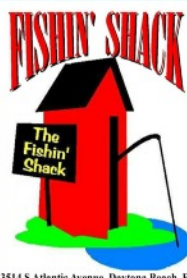
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