## FISHING BOARD MEETING NOTES

- Andy, Jesse, Luke

## FINANCIALS:

Current balance: \$4335

## **UPDATES:**

12/12: No December 2023 meeting.

1/9: Boat Captain Meeting went well. Numbers appear low for 2024. Made \$27 on MTB's.

2/13: Knot-Tying Meeting participation was low. \$362 worth of line given away. Paid Beau P \$270 lodging stipend for World Finals in LaCrosse. Sponsorship to date \$1800; Women Anglers, Dakota Marine, Junk Truck, & Impact Auto. Paid Flex Creative \$479 for 2024 web fees. Ordered 50 MTB's for new anglers. MNJBN registration now open per Jan 12<sup>th</sup> Commissioners meeting. Notes & updates from that meeting available in Coaches section of MN Jr Bass Nation website.

3/14: Flipping Contest participation was low. Sponsorship to date \$3300; added Valley Motorsports & The Heating Dude. 16 anglers registered to date; 1 paid.

4/9: Electronic/Mapping Session; wi-fi in school not working. Club BassMaster renewed;\$12. TBF renewals; \$51.50. Sponsorship to date; \$4300. Added LaBrash Plumbing & Dynamic Fire Protection. 5 additional angler registrations; 10 total paid.

## **NEW BUSINESS:**

All permits received; SE Metro Conference June 14<sup>th</sup>, St Croix/Pool 3; July 19<sup>th</sup>, Forest; August 2<sup>nd</sup>, Waconia. FHSFT should have six boats in Conference for 2024. One boat ineligible to advance as 2024 Graduates. Grad Open eligible.

HS Conference & Jr Open registration is open per 5/14 Commissioners Meeting.

Regional: 8/11, Lake Washington/Stella.

State TOC: Sept 7-8, Mississippi River Pools 4/5; Wabasha

22 registered anglers; \$4225 received – 18 paid, 1 owed. Two HS anglers doing LVFT only. One Junior doing LVFT & MNYFO derbies only.

\$720 to BASS, \$660 to MN Jr Bass Nation, \$51.50 to TBF.

Jerseys ordered; \$1816 – ETA 5/28. \$400 to CA Gear for 20 hats.

\$2000 to Jon A on 4/24; reimbursement for Bremer Visa gift cards. \$50 per card to Boat Captains.

Dave S has been voted to the board.

5/18 scrimmage went well – 4 boats attended. Next up 6/2. Jersey pickup/team photo meeting rescheduled for that day.

Regional SATT Pool 4 results; 19<sup>th</sup> & 33<sup>rd</sup>. LHD on 6/23.

Should have 4 Juniors boats for 2024. FHSFT Jr's fishing Tetonka qualifier on June 24<sup>th</sup>. State Jr TOC is 7/19 on Minnewaska.

Brother's Baits & Karl's went out of business. Looking at potentially making a bulk discounted tackle order. More on this to follow.

NEXT MEETING: Thursday, June 13<sup>th</sup>, 7pm at Farmington Lanes.