



# The Angler

Newsletter

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The official newsletter of the Virginia Anglers Club

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Fred Murray with a big steelhead caught on a Lake Erie tributary

## November 22, 2022 Meeting 7PM

Doors Open at 6PM - Come early and talk fishing!

Speaker: **Robert Thomas**

“Fishing for the Canadian Grand Slam in Northern Manitoba” - *Northern Pike, Walleye, Lake Trout, and Artic Grayling.*

Location of meeting:  
Virginia Department of Wildlife Resources  
7870 Villa Park Drive, Henrico  
**Zoom Invitation information is on page 3**





# President's Message

Looking ahead to our future, I am excited as ever to be a Virginia Anglers Club member. The club is expanding with new events and new systems for leadership productivity, that are actually things the club has done in the past. As all things do, they change, and often times history repeats itself. In the following cases, it's repeating some of the best of the VAC's history.

The first example is the recent Oyster Roast & BBQ. On October 22, members, family and friends gathered at Ronnie & Dinkus Deane's house for the first VAC Oyster Roast in a long while. We had so much BBQ left over, it was served before the membership meeting four days later. As for the Oysters, well, once the professional shuckers got there it was only a matter of time, but every oyster was shucked and shared. It was a great time, and plans are being made for another one next year.

The second example is on the right track to solve a serious internal problem. The role of President has become harder to fill, and often times we do not know who is going to be President until the time one is needed. Starting in 2023, we will reinstate a three-position-rotation, culminating with the roll of President. Installing this system is another 'old way of doing things'. When I think about all the positives that come from knowing who our President will be years from now is why I opened with "I'm excited as ever to be a Virginia Anglers Club member."

Here is how it works...The President, Programs Chairman and

Angling Activities Chairman will each have a one year term rotating towards the presidency.

In 2023, the President will be Dinkus Deane. The Programs Chairman will be Cliff Phipps and Angling Activities remains Frank Hart. In 2024 Cliff will become President and Frank will take over Programs. In 2025, Frank Hart will be our President. There are always challenges with new ways of doing things, and the biggest one will be finding someone to take over Angling Activities each year. But .....

With so many capable members who could fill the Angling Activities role, this system should work. Frank Hart has done an outstanding job as Angling Activities chairman, and his passion has lead to a dedicated committee working on AA, building on it each year. Personally, I look forward to working with Frank more next year and helping the club achieve its goals of getting people together and fishing more.

Some new initiatives we talked about at the last Board meeting where quite enlightening for some of next year's goals. We are researching the ability to send text messages to members who wish to receive them ... texts announcing membership meetings and other special events we have during the year. This, like eCasts will be used as carefully as possible.

The idea of a five minute presentation at membership meetings on aspects of the club was discussed. This would help attending members (new and old) get a better understanding

of what the club is about ... who we are and what we offer.

In 2018 we had a membership meeting dedicated to discussing our club, and what we were doing right (and wrong) and what was important for the future. The top ideas from that meeting are still the same today and were probably the goals 60 years ago.

Fellowship came in on top. Inspiration, Information & Programs rounded out the top four. Through these, we can maintain our traditions and heritage through events such as the Oyster Roast, meetings with strong programming and education for the membership to make us all better anglers, but to also understand who and what the Virginia Anglers Club is.

I believe we have great ground work in place for the 2023 leadership to build on. We now know who is going to be our President all the way into the beginning of 2026. That gives us a huge advantage to move our goals forward each year. If you happen to be reading this and are no longer a member, or interested in becoming a member of the Virginia Anglers Club, I hope you consider joining or coming back as the club has incredible potential and should be a fun ride for years to come.

Take care, Happy Fishing and hope to see you at the membership meeting on November 22.

**Mike Ostrander**  
**Virginia Anglers Club, President**

# 2022/2023 Program Schedule

**November 22** - Robert Thomas, "Fishing for the Canadian Grand Slam"

**December & January** - No meetings.

**February 4** - Banquet

**February 28** - John Odenkirk from DWR, "The Lake Anna Striped Bass population"

Don't forget...  
We're on  
**FACEBOOK**



## **November 22**

### **Membership Meeting**

Doors open at 6pm so come early and talk fishing! Meeting starts at 7pm.

#### **Meeting location:**

Virginia Department Wildlife Resources - Boardroom  
7870 Villa Park Drive, Henrico, 23228

#### **or Join via Zoom**

Virginia Anglers Club is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

Topic: Virginia Anglers Club - November 22 Membership Meeting  
Time: Nov 22, 2022 07:00 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

#### **Join Zoom Meeting**

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81404734183?pwd=Wm5ZeGxWbCtpNHFLanFnUGloNTh-0QT09>

Meeting ID: 814 0473 4183

Passcode: 831226

# Oyster Roast & Barbecue

OCTOBER 22 - Oyster Roast & Barbecue get together at Ronni and Dinkus Deane's Home in Montpelier.



**A BIG THANK YOU**  
to Ronni and Dinkus for  
hosting the event at  
their house!

And a  
**BIG THANK YOU**  
to everyone else for all  
of your hard work in  
making this happen!



*"Who ate all of  
the oysters?"*



# NEW MERCHANDISE!!!

Just in time for the holidays!  
Get yours today before they're gone!  
We have limited quantities of each color for \$30 each.

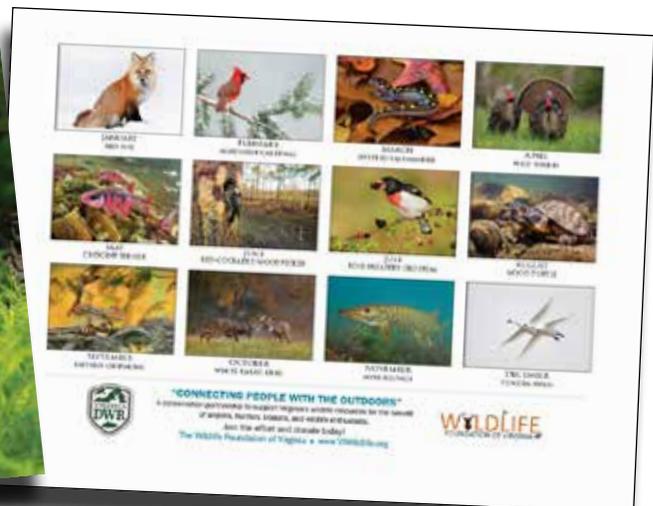
Hats will be available at the  
November Membership Meeting.  
November 22, 2022.

**GET  
YOURS  
TODAY!!!**

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## ANNUAL FUND RAISING DRIVE CALENDAR SALES RESULTS

**Don West** has once again lead a successful fundraising campaign for the Virginia Anglers Club. Through Don, the club sold 13 boxes of Virginia Wildlife Calendars (25 per box). The Club netted a profit of \$910. Cost per calendar was \$7.20 and we sold them at \$10 each ... a profit of \$2.70 per calendar! High Sales Stick was **Jeff Doughty** who sold 55 calendars himself!!



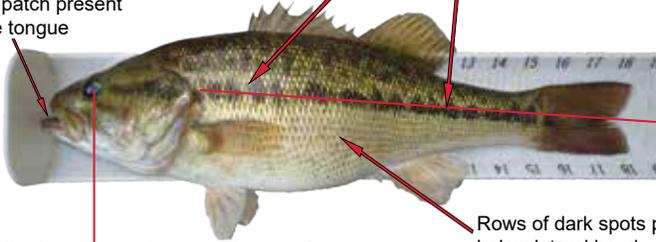
# VDWR FOR YOUR INFORMATION:

## So, How Can I Tell The Difference Between These Three Bass?

### **Alabama Bass** *INVASIVE*

Tooth patch present on the tongue

Dark blotchy lateral band present from head to tail



Lateral band

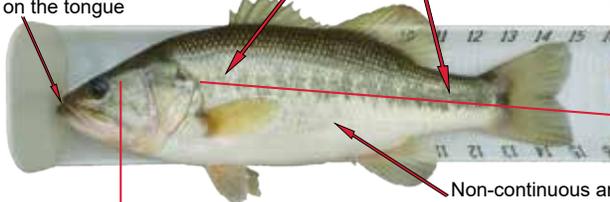
Jaw fully closed extends to middle rear of eye

Rows of dark spots present below lateral band

### **Largemouth Bass**

Generally lacks tooth patch on the tongue

More continuous lateral band from head to tail



Lateral band

Jaw fully closed extends past the eye

Non-continuous and uneven spots below lateral band if present at all.

### **Smallmouth Bass**

Often has 3 diagonal dark stripes extending behind eye across the gill plate

Dark vertical bars usually present along sides

Brown to bronze colored sides sometimes with a yellow or olive tint



Jaw fully closed extends to middle of the eye



CONSERVE. CONNECT. PROTECT

Set an example and  
**SAVE LIVES!**



**Virginia**

[SafeboatingCampaign.com](http://SafeboatingCampaign.com)

## **ALERT** **TROUT FISHERS:**

*Gill Lice Have Been Detected in Rainbow Trout in Virginia*



Fisheries biologists with the Virginia Department of Wildlife Resources (DWR) recently identified gill lice on rainbow trout in Blue Springs Creek, a tributary to Cripple Creek, located in Smyth and Wythe Counties. For more info go to:

[https://dwr.virginia.gov/fishing/trout/gill-lice/?utm\\_source=mailchimp&utm\\_medium=email&utm\\_campaign=nftf&utm\\_content=gill\\_lice](https://dwr.virginia.gov/fishing/trout/gill-lice/?utm_source=mailchimp&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=nftf&utm_content=gill_lice)

Check out the...

## **TROUT SLAM** **CHALLENGE** at



[dwr.virginia.gov/fishing/virginia-trout-slam-challenge/](http://dwr.virginia.gov/fishing/virginia-trout-slam-challenge/)

# News You Need to Know!

## Striped Bass Fishery Managers Deliver Cautious Good News

By Bay Bulletin / November 8, 2022

The fishery managers responsible for steering the Atlantic coast's rockfish population to safe levels announced some positive news—something we haven't heard lately in relation to rockfish.

*Submitted by John Page Williams and John Wetlaufer*

<https://chesapeakebaymagazine.com/striped-bass-fishery-managers-deliver-cautious-good-news/>

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## Omega Protein Supports Menhaden Quota Increase, Disappointed in Reallocation Increase in Total Allowable Catch is first since 2017

LONG BRANCH, N.J. – November 9, 2022 – Today, the Atlantic States Marine Fisheries Commission (ASMFC) unanimously voted to raise the coastwide quota for Atlantic menhaden to 233,550 metric tons, an increase of 20 percent. Omega Protein supports the Commission's decision, which is backed by the most recent and best available menhaden science. This decision also continued the ASMFC's pattern of conservatively managing the Atlantic menhaden resource by providing a large buffer to ensure the target harvest rate is not exceeded.

Despite the frequent demands from recreational fishing and environmental groups for a quota reduction or moratoriums, the ASMFC's decision accurately reflects the fact that the Atlantic menhaden population is healthy, and that the menhaden fishery is being managed sustainably.

The most recent menhaden stock assessment, released only three months ago, confirmed that the stock continues to not be overfished, and that overfishing is not occurring. This is consistent with previous ASMFC assessments that found that menhaden are not overfished. The Atlantic menhaden fishery is also certified sustainable by the Marine Stewardship Council.

The menhaden resource is the first on the East Coast to be managed using ecological reference points, which take into account the needs of the environment and predator species. The reference points, which were heavily advocated for by the same groups that have traditionally pushed for quota cuts, are part of a move towards ecosystem-based management of menhaden. A quota increase is fully compatible with these reference points and this new management approach.

"This increase in the menhaden quota is clearly supported by all of the available science on menhaden," said Ben Landry, Director of Public Affairs for Omega Protein. "The Commission made the right decision to support the future of the fishery and sent a strong signal that the ASMFC is going to follow the best available science."

However, Omega Protein is disappointed by the Commission's decision to not take into account any landings history prior to the 2018 fishing season in setting its quota. The commercial menhaden fishery first began in Virginia in 1878 and is economically essential to Virginia's Northern Neck. Omega Protein has always believed that expanding the menhaden fishery in other states should not come at the expense of existing fisheries.

We will continue to work collaboratively with the ASMFC to ensure the Atlantic menhaden population remains healthy and also to support the hard-working, blue-collar fishermen that depend on the fishery.

# VAC Committee Reports

## Conservation & Legislation Report

A broad coalition of state, regional and national sport fishing groups is organizing the Virginia angling community to attend the Dec. 6th VMRC meeting. Let fishery managers know that Omega Protein must be held accountable for net spills that waste public marine resources.

Your ongoing support is needed for the efforts to move industrial reduction fishing for menhaden out of the Chesapeake Bay, the largest striped bass nursery on the East Coast. This issue is critically important to anglers up and down the East Coast, but decision-makers in Virginia could be particularly influential in balancing the needs of sportfish with those of commercial harvesters. The Virginia Marine Resources Commission has almost reached the end of its limited window to enact policy changes this fall, but has so far failed to put the menhaden issue on the agenda.

Don't let the VMRC continue to gloss over Omega's recent net spills and fish kills: Join us in person at their upcoming December meeting to show your support for menhaden, striped bass, and our fishing opportunities.

**WHAT:** Anglers rally at the VMRC public meeting in Fort Monroe

**WHEN:** Tuesday, December 6, 2022 at 9 a.m. ET

All attendees will receive a special-edition TRCP menhaden campaign t-shirt!

Registration link (so TRCP can coordinate attendance for t-shirts): <https://www.trcp.org/action-alert/show-up-demand-action-menhaden-chesapeake-bay/>

For more info, contact:

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## Surf Tournament Report

Submitted by Buddy Noland

The best way to sum up the CHAC surf tournament is to think about going fishing, planning to go to your favorite place, then get there and another boat is already sitting there. You stop near there, but have to sit there and watch them catch fish, while you don't get any bites. We were within 200 feet of the tournament winner. They were on the stand next to us in the first round. Frisco Beach, low tide, which normally means few fish can cross the bar which is out of casting distance. The Surfside anglers club had a break in the bar right in the middle of their stand. They caught 37 fish for 120 points in that round. We had one bite during the round for 1 point. Its pure agony to watch the team next to you catch fish and you are not getting any bites. Same bait, same rigs and casting just as far. Guess this shows what is meant by the saying, location, location, location. The VAC team of Buddy Noland, Ryan Noland, Jeff Doughty, Fred Cousins, Bob Shepherd, and Danny Noland finished in 64th place out of 120 teams. Caught fish in every round, but not enough. This was the lowest scoring tournament that I can remember with only two teams scoring over 100 points. The 120 points the Surfside team scored in the first session would have been enough to win the tournament. Second place team finished with 109 points. Good fellowship, great food, and good spirits made it a enjoyable tournament. The VAC has had a team in every CHAC surf tournament that was held, this being their 64th year.



# 2022 ANNUAL AWARDS LEADERBOARD as of November 14, 2022

## PRESIDENT'S AWARD FRESHWATER

Species	Name	Weight	Line	Division	Points	Date	Location	Bait
CARP	GN CARTER	14-4	4	PLUG	356	2022-02-03	PIANKATANK RIVER, VA	Blade Bait

## PRESIDENT'S AWARD SALTWATER

Species	Name	Weight	Line	Division	Points	Date	Location	Bait
SEATROUT, SPOTTED	BL NOLAND	5-5	4	SPIN	425	2022-05-26	PAMLICO SOUND, HATTERAS, NC	Grub

## DIVISION AWARDS FRESHWATER

Species	Name	Weight	Line	Division	Points	Date	Location	Bait
CARP	GN CARTER	14-4	4	PLUG	356	2022-02-03	PIANKATANK RIVER, VA	Blade Bait
CATFISH, FLATHEAD	F COUSINS	29-14	6	GEN	349	2021-12-17	JAMES RIVER, VA	Cut Shad
TROUT, BROWN	M OSTRANDER	5-7	2	SPIN	339	2021-12-20	CRIPPLE CREEK, VA	Joe's Fly
TROUT, RAINBOW	F MURRAY	7-12	6	FLY	345	2021-12-20	CRIPPLE CREEK, VA	Mop Fly

## DIVISION AWARDS SALTWATER

Species	Name	Weight	Line	Division	Points	Date	Location	Bait
DRUM, RED	D HOWARD	48-11	50	GEN	162	2022-07-12	CHESAPEAKE BAY, VA	Bucktail Jig
DRUM, RED	B SHEPHERD	47-0		SURF	335	2022-05-20	SMITH ISLAND, VA	Cut Bait
FLOUNDER, SUMMER	C CLEVINGER	3-0	2	PLUG	250	2022-10-15	LITTLE CREEK, VA	Bass Assassin
SEATROUT, SPOTTED	BL NOLAND	5-5	4	SPIN	425	2022-05-26	PAMLICO SOUND, HATTERAS, NC	Grub
SEATROUT, SPOTTED	SC LEE	3-8	6	FLY	280	2021-12-28	PIANKATANK RIVER, VA	Streamer

## "HIGHEST POINT" SPECIES AWARDS FRESHWATER

Species	Name	Weight	Line	Division	Points	Date	Location	Bait
BASS, LARGEMOUTH	R HART	5-0	2	SPIN	333	2022-02-05	COHOKE MILL POND, VA	Blade Bait
BASS, SMALLMOUTH	S KNOX	3-14	12	SPIN	134	2022-04-06	NEW RIVER, NARROWS, VA	Jerkbait
BASS, WHITE	D HOWARD	1-8	6	GEN	107	2022-04-19	BUGGS ISLAND, VA	Live Minnow
BOWFIN	GN CARTER	4-5	2	PLUG	215	2022-03-16	MATTAPONI RIVER, VA	Blade Bait
CARP	GN CARTER	14-4	4	PLUG	356	2022-02-03	PIANKATANK RIVER, VA	Blade Bait
CATFISH, BLUE	S KNOX	61-0	20BR	GEN	314	2021-12-01	JAMES RIVER, VA	Cut Shad
CATFISH, CHANNEL	D HOWARD	5-8	6	GEN	104	2022-04-19	BUGGS ISLAND, VA	Live Minnow
CATFISH, FLATHEAD	F COUSINS	29-14	6	GEN	349	2021-12-17	JAMES RIVER, VA	Cut Shad
CRAPPIE, ALL	C CLEVINGER	1-4	2	PLUG	198	2022-11-06	PRIVATE POND, VA	White Grub
FALLFISH	D HOWARD	1-8	6	FLY	340	2021-12-06	SOUTH RIVER, VA	Golden Retriever
GAR, ALL	GN CARTER	12-4	12	PLUG	126	2022-02-03	PIANKATANK RIVER, VA	Blade Bait
MUSKELLUNGE, ALL	C DEANE	18-8	20	GEN	112	2022-07-26	JAMES RIVER, VA	Live Redeye
PERCH, WHITE	R HART	1-1	2	SPIN	279	2022-03-05	COHOKE, VA	White Grub
PERCH, YELLOW	C CLEVINGER	0-15	2	PLUG	246	2022-03-04	POWHATAN CREEK, VA	Blade Bait
PICKEREL, CHAIN	DL NOBLES	2-10	2	SPIN	262	2022-06-01	PRIVATE POND, VA	Crappie Jig
SHAD, HICKORY	F MURRAY	2-2	6	FLY	214	2022-04-01	JAMES, VA	Fred Fly
SUNFISH	DL NOBLES	1-1	2	SPIN	279	2022-02-22	PRIVATE POND, VA	Crappie Jig
SUNFISH, REDEAR	D HOWARD	1-4	4	GEN	125	2022-06-07	WESTERN BRANCH RESERVOIR, VA	Nightcrawler
TROUT, BROWN	M OSTRANDER	5-7	2	SPIN	339	2021-12-20	CRIPPLE CREEK, VA	Joe's Fly
TROUT, RAINBOW	F MURRAY	7-12	6	FLY	345	2021-12-20	CRIPPLE CREEK, VA	Mop Fly



# 2022 ANNUAL AWARDS LEADERBOARD continued...

"HIGHEST POINT" SPECIES AWARDS SALTWATER								
Species	Name	Weight	Line	Division	Points	Date	Location	Bait
COBIA	RL WHITE	23-0	12	FLY	176	2022-06-01	OREGON INLET, NC	Crab Fly
DRUM, BLACK	B SHEPHERD	20-0		SURF	166	2022-04-25	SMITH ISLAND, VA	Peeler
DRUM, RED	B SHEPHERD	47-0		SURF	335	2022-05-20	SMITH ISLAND, VA	Cut Bait
FLOUNDER, SUMMER	C CLEVINGER	3-0	2	PLUG	250	2022-10-15	LITTLE CREEK, VA	Bass Assassin
KINGFISH (SEA MULLET)(ROUNDHEAD)	R HART	1-6		SURF	137	2022-11-05	BUXTON, NC	Cut Bait
MACKEREL, SPANISH	C CLEVINGER	2-8	4	PLUG	156	2022-06-25	BACK RIVER, VA	Bass Assassin
SEATROUT, SPOTTED	BL NOLAND	5-5	4	SPIN	425	2022-05-26	PAMLICO SOUND, HATTERAS, NC	Grub

"HEAVIEST" SPECIES AWARDS FRESHWATER								
Species	Name	Weight	Line	Division	Points	Date	Location	Bait
BASS, LARGEMOUTH	C PHIPPS	7-11	8	SPIN	256	2022-02-26	COHOKE MILL POND, VA	3.75 Inch Swimbait
BASS, SMALLMOUTH	S KNOX	3-14	12	SPIN	134	2022-04-06	NEW RIVER, NARROWS, VA	Jerkbait
BASS, WHITE	D HOWARD	1-8	6	GEN	107	2022-04-19	BUGGS ISLAND, VA	Live Minnow
BOWFIN	GN CARTER	4-5	2	PLUG	215	2022-03-16	MATTAPONI RIVER, VA	Blade Bait
CARP	R HART	29-7	16	PLUG	334	2022-02-12	COHOKE , VA	Jerk Bait
CATFISH, BLUE	S KNOX	61-0	20BR	GEN	314	2021-12-01	JAMES RIVER, VA	Cut Shad
CATFISH, CHANNEL	D HOWARD	5-8	6	GEN	104	2022-04-19	BUGGS ISLAND, VA	Live Minnow
CATFISH, FLATHEAD	S KNOX	42-8	20	GEN	251	2022-07-06	JAMES RIVER, VA	Live Bluegill
CRAPPIE, ALL	GN CARTER	1-12	6	GEN	142	2022-07-07	BEAVERDAM RESERVIOR, VA	Hair Jig
FALLFISH	D HOWARD	1-8	6	FLY	340	2021-12-06	SOUTH RIVER, VA	Golden Retriever
GAR, ALL	GN CARTER	12-4	12	PLUG	126	2022-02-03	PIANKATANK RIVER, VA	Blade Bait
MUSKELLUNGE, ALL	C DEANE	18-8	20	GEN	112	2022-07-26	JAMES RIVER, VA	Live Redeye
PERCH, WHITE	R HART	1-1	2	SPIN	279	2022-03-05	COHOKE, VA	White Grub
PERCH, YELLOW	GN CARTER	1-6	16	PLUG	137	2022-03-07	MATTAPONI, RIVER, VA	Blade Bait
PICKEREL, CHAIN	B BROUGHTON	3-10	6	SPIN	211	2022-04-15	SANDY RIVER RES., VA	Rage Swimmer
SHAD, HICKORY	SC LEE	2-4	8	FLY	199	2022-04-04	JAMES RIVER, VA	Murray Shad Fly
SUNFISH	DL NOBLES	1-1	2	SPIN	279	2022-02-22	PRIVATE POND, VA	Crappie Jig
SUNFISH, REDEAR	D HOWARD	1-4	4	GEN	125	2022-06-07	WESTERN BRANCH RESERVOIR, VA	Nightcrawler
TROUT, BROWN	M OSTRANDER	5-7	2	SPIN	339	2021-12-20	CRIPPLE CREEK, VA	Joe's Fly
TROUT, RAINBOW	F MURRAY	7-12	6	FLY	345	2021-12-20	CRIPPLE CREEK, VA	Mop Fly
WALLEYE	C PHIPPS	2-6	6	GEN	87	2022-06-11	NORTH ANNA RIVER, VA	Corn

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DRUM, BLACK	B SHEPHERD	20-0		SURF	166	2022-04-25	SMITH ISLAND, VA	Peeler
DRUM, RED	D HOWARD	48-11	50	GEN	162	2022-07-12	CHESAPEAKE BAY, VA	Bucktail Jig
FLOUNDER, SUMMER	C CLEVINGER	3-0	2	PLUG	250	2022-10-15	LITTLE CREEK, VA	Bass Assassin
KINGFISH (SEA MULLET)(ROUNDHEAD)	R HART	1-6		SURF	137	2022-11-05	BUXTON, NC	Cut Bait
MACKEREL, SPANISH	C CLEVINGER	2-8	4	PLUG	156	2022-06-25	BACK RIVER, VA	Bass Assassin
SEATROUT, SPOTTED	SC LEE	5-8	6	SPIN	366	2022-06-03	PAMLICO SOUND, NC	Grub



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## NEW CLUB RECORDS FRESHWATER

Species	Name	Weight	Line	Division	Points	Date	Location	Bait
BASS, WHITE	D HOWARD	1-8	6	GEN	107	2022-04-19	BUGGS ISLAND, VA	Live Minnow
CARP	GN CARTER	12-0	6	PLUG	250	2022-02-03	PIANKATANK RIVER, VA	Blade Bait
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CATFISH, FLATHEAD	F COUSINS	29-14	6	GEN	349	2021-12-17	JAMES RIVER, VA	Cut Shad
CATFISH, FLATHEAD	S KNOX	42-8	20	GEN	251	2022-07-06	JAMES RIVER, VA	Live Bluegill
CRAPPIE, ALL	GN CARTER	1-12	6	GEN	142	2022-07-07	BEAVERDAM RESERVIOR, VA	Hair Jig
FALLFISH	D HOWARD	0-14	6	SPIN	159	2022-09-23	SOUTH FORK SHENANDOAH, VA	TRD (Green Pumpkin)
FALLFISH	D HOWARD	1-8	6	FLY	340	2021-12-06	SOUTH RIVER, VA	Golden Retriever
GAR, ALL	GN CARTER	12-4	12	PLUG	126	2022-02-03	PIANKATANK RIVER, VA	Blade Bait
MUSKELLUNGE, ALL	C DEANE	18-8	20	GEN	112	2022-07-26	JAMES RIVER, VA	Live Redeye
PERCH, YELLOW	GN CARTER	1-6	16	PLUG	137	2022-03-07	MATTAPONI, RIVER, VA	Blade Bait
PERCH, YELLOW	GN CARTER	1-0	6	PLUG	181	2022-03-03	MATTAPONI RIVER, VA	Blade Bait
SUNFISH	T FRANCO	0-12	6	SPIN	136	2022-02-23	COHOKE POND, VA	Single Blade Spinner /Grub
SUNFISH	C CLEVINGER	0-12	2	PLUG	197	2022-06-05	PRIVATE POND, VA	White Grub
TROUT, BROWN	M OSTRANDER	5-7	2	SPIN	339	2021-12-20	CRIPPLE CREEK, VA	Joe's Fly
TROUT, CUTTHROAT	D HOWARD	10-1	12	FLY	419	2022-02-23	PYRAMID LAKE, NV	PWT

## NEW CLUB RECORDS SALTWATER

Species	Name	Weight	Line	Division	Points	Date	Location	Bait
DRUM, RED	D HOWARD	48-11	50	GEN	162	2022-07-12	CHESAPEAKE BAY, VA	Bucktail Jig
DRUM, RED	B SHEPHERD	10-4	4	FLY	256	2022-09-17	HUNGARS CREEK, VA	Clauser
MACKEREL, SPANISH	C CLEVINGER	2-8	4	PLUG	156	2022-06-25	BACK RIVER, VA	Bass Assassin
SEATROUT, SPOTTED	SC LEE	3-8	6	FLY	280	2021-12-28	PIANKATANK RIVER, VA	Streamer
SHARK, OTHER	D HOWARD	100-0	30	GEN	111	2022-04-07	ATLANTIC OCEAN, FL	Mullet

## YOUTH FRESHWATER

Species	Name	Weight	Line	Division	Points	Date	Location	Bait
CATFISH, BLUE	MASON VANOY 7_12	38-0	12	GEN	264	2022-04-05	JAMES RIVER, VA	Cut Shad
SHAD, HICKORY	ASHER BROUGHTON 0_6	1-8	4	SPIN	142	2022-04-09	APPOMATTOX RIVER, VA	Shad Dart

## YOUTH SALTWATER

Species	Name	Weight	Line	Division	Points	Date	Location	Bait
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## NON-LOCAL AWARD FRESH OR SALTWATER

Species	Name	Weight	Line	Division	Points	Date	Location	Bait
TARPON	RL WHITE	0-0	6	FLY	562	2022-06-21	CAMPECHE, MEXICO, OTHER	EP Fly



# 2022 ANNUAL AWARDS LEADERBOARD

NEW MEMBER AWARD								
Species	Name	Weight	Line	Division	Points	Date	Location	Bait
BASS, LARGEMOUTH	C PHIPPS	4-9	2	SPIN	304	2022-01-06	COHOKE MILL POND, VA	2 Inch Swim Bait
CARP	C PHIPPS	11-2	6	GEN	185	2022-06-11	NORTH ANNA RIVER, VA	Corn
CRAPPIE, ALL	C PHIPPS	1-7	4	SPIN	179	2022-04-13	COHOKE MILL POND, VA	2 Inch Swim Bait
PERCH, YELLOW	C PHIPPS	0-14	2	SPIN	230	2022-06-18	RAPPAHANNOCK RIVER, VA	Grub
PICKEREL, CHAIN	C PHIPPS	3-8	6	SPIN	204	2021-12-03	PRIVATE POND, VA	3.5 Soft Plastic SwimBait
TROUT, RAINBOW	C PHIPPS	5-5	2	SPIN	332	2021-12-21	CRIPPLE CREEK, VA	Mini Jig
WALLEYE	C PHIPPS	2-6	6	GEN	87	2022-06-11	NORTH ANNA RIVER, VA	Corn
<b>Total</b>					<b>1521</b>			



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## Board of Directors - 2024

(Filling in for Dinkus Deane who becomes President)

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# Fishing Memories 2022

Eric Webster



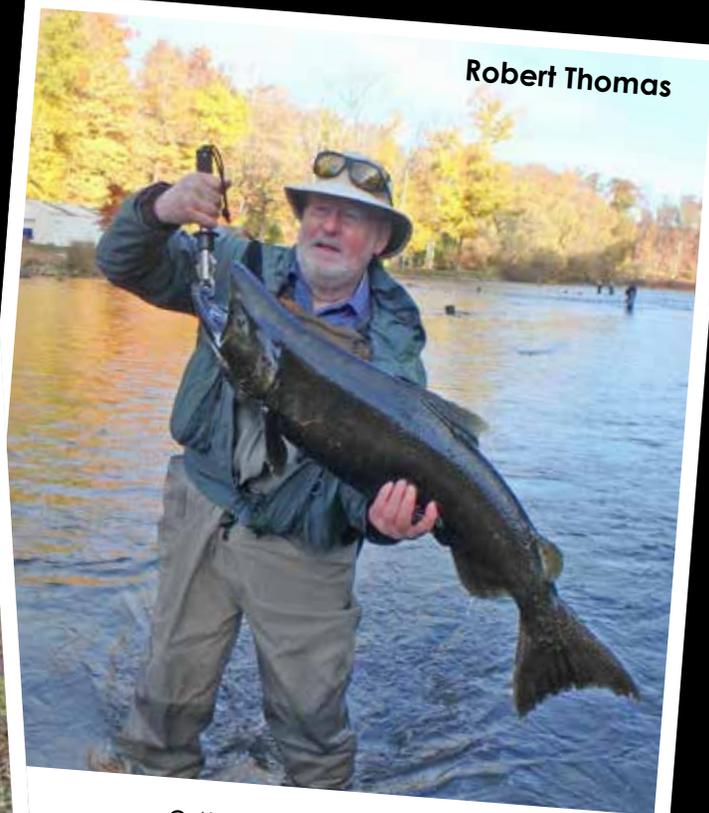
South River Rainbow

Fred Murray



Steelhead

Robert Thomas



24lb King Salmon  
Oak Orchard Creek, New York

Mike Ostrander



Brown Trout on the Wataga River, TN

# Fishing Memories 2022



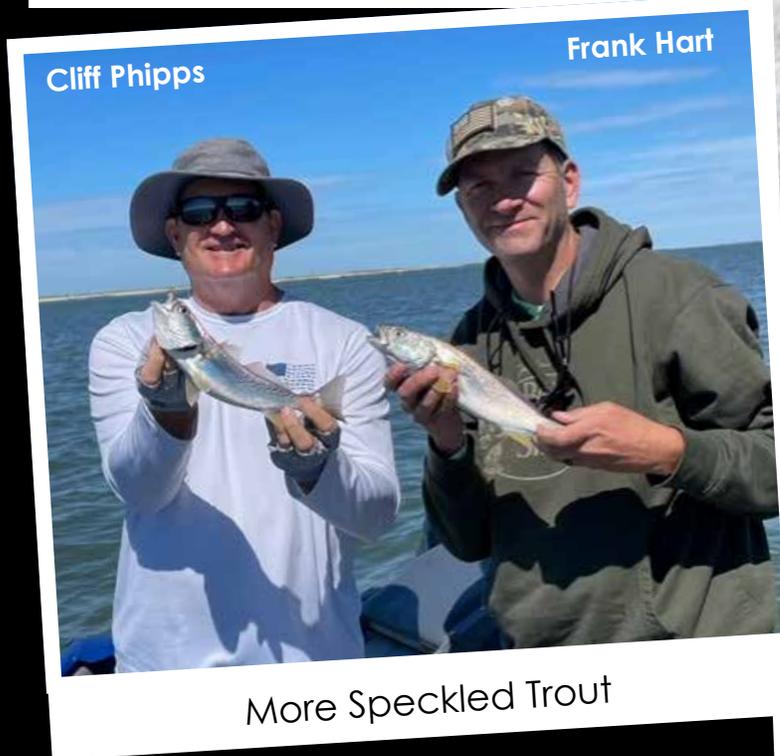
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Largemouth Bass, 5lb 6oz



Carter Clevinger

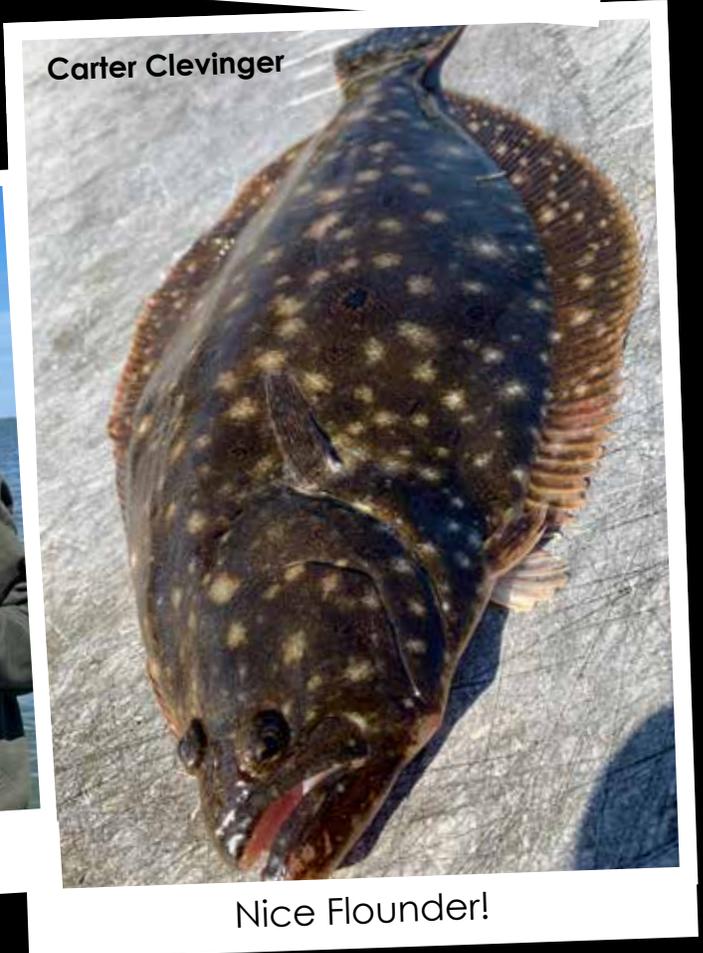
Speckled Trout



Cliff Phipps

Frank Hart

More Speckled Trout



Carter Clevinger

Nice Flounder!

# Fishing Memories 2022

John Gorman



Striped Bass out of the Piankatank



Frank Hart's First Brown Trout!

Frank Hart



Sea Mullet!

John Gorman



A couple of 8lb catfish from the Piankatank caught on minnows.

# Fishing Memories 2022



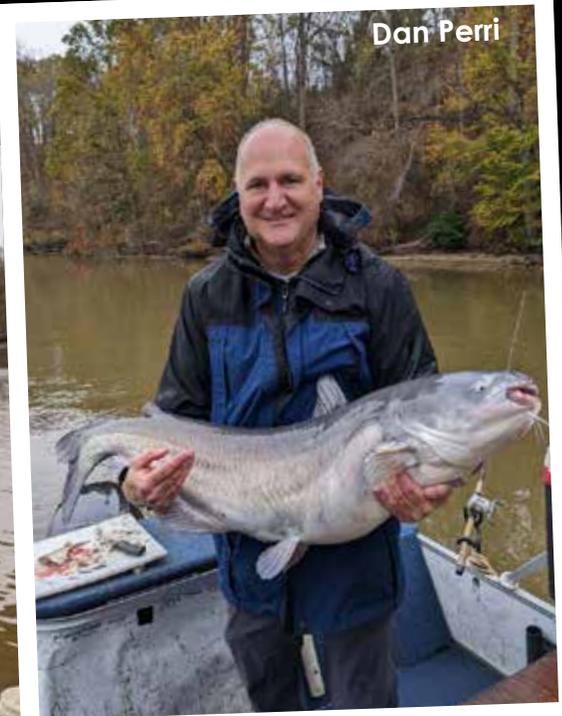
Dan Perri

James River Flathead Catfish, 30-10



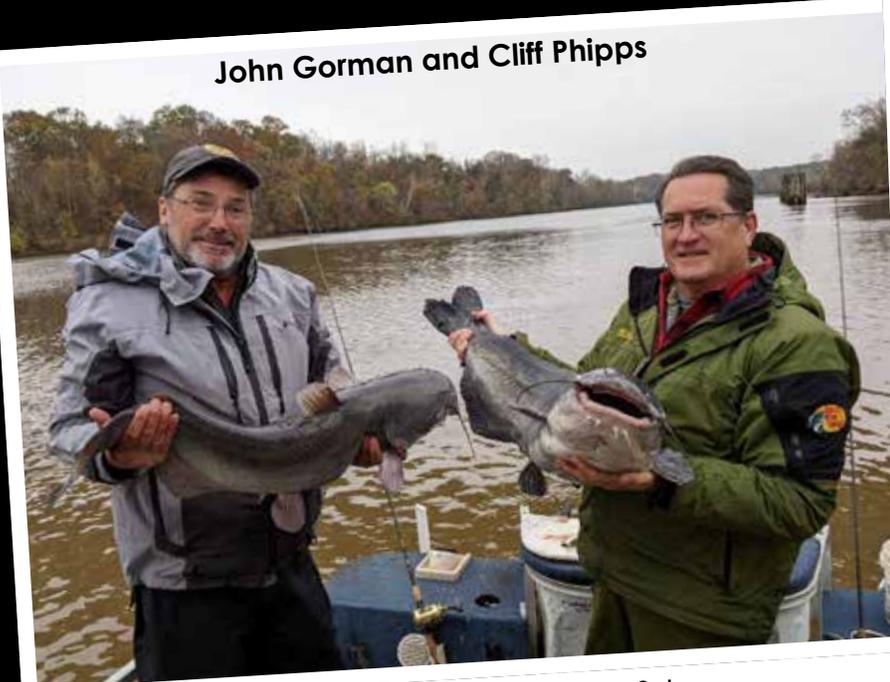
Cliff Phipps

Big Blue catfish



Dan Perri

James River Blue Catfish



John Gorman and Cliff Phipps

James River Blue Catfish