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September.....2013

**CALL TO ORDER:** President Harvey Holmes called meeting to order at 7:32

**GUEST IN ATTENDANCE :** Fred's good friend, J.T. (Mr. Thames)

**NEW MEMBER(S):** Sam Erwin and his son Tyler....Welcome !

**SECRETARY REPORT/NEWSLETTER:** The August meeting minutes were filed and accepted.

**TREASURER'S REPORT:** Report was read, and accepted

<b>Treasurer's Report</b>		
<b>August 2013</b>		
<b>Treasurer's Report: Aug. 2013</b>	<b>BANK</b>	<b>PETTY CASH</b>
Balance Forward	9451.69	60.00
Total Income:	5188.00	\$0.00
Total Expenses	3427.630	\$0.00
Ending Balance	11,212.06	0

**Tournament Report : August 17 @ Choke Canyon**

<b>Division:</b>	<b>Place:</b>	<b>Name:</b>	<b>No. of Fish:</b>	<b>Weight:</b>
<b>Open</b>	1 <sup>st</sup>	Gabe Gawlik, Jr.	1	1.59
	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Fred Beard	1	1.39
	3 <sup>rd</sup>			
<b>Ladies</b>	1 <sup>st</sup>			
	2 <sup>nd</sup>			
<b>Jr. Boys</b>				
<b>Jr. Girls</b>		N/A	N/A	N/A
<b>Heavy Team</b>		Gabe Gawlik, Jr./Ken Schmoekel	1	1.59
<b>Heavy Couple</b>				
<b>Big Bass</b>				
<b>20 Members ?-- 2 Fish- 2.98 Pounds</b>				

**Next Tournament is Sept. 14<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> : at Amistad \*\*\*3 Fish Limit**

**Weigh in is at the Box Canyon ramp at 4:00 on Sat. and 2:00 on Sunday.**

**OLD BUSINESS:**

**TOP 8 Fundraiser Fish Fry:** Sat. September 7<sup>th</sup> ...starts at 4:00 PM....Food served at 4:30, Plates cost \$5.00...keep your meal tickets as there will be two prize drawings !!! There are other Items to be raffled, and auctioned off. Water & tea provided, but you can BYOB. Chicken leg Quarters, pork steaks, and sausage are the main menu items.

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Charlie Sievers, Jr. handed out the first shipment of Rayjus jerseys to those present that ordered them. If you ordered after July 20<sup>th</sup>, that shipment should arrive within the next two weeks; you will be contacted when they arrive. If you would like to order a Rayjus UCBC jersey, call Charlie Sievers, Jr. (210-394-8909 –cell) for instructions, or E-mail him...clsjr@gvec.net

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We discussed forming a committee to research ways to improve our annual Fish Fry Fundraiser. Four people volunteered to serve on that committee....Harvey Holmes, Fred Beard, Steve Connelley, and Bumpy Jurica. Fred reported that one improvement had already taken place, as he has been able to secure the Scherz VFW Hall next year for free ! New developments will be reported at future meetings.

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**NEW BUSINESS:**

Registration Forms were passed out for City. Reminder : The club voted last month to have a member's Registration fee (\$30.00) paid for by the club. The \$5.00 Optional Big Bass Pot was not included; you have to pay out of your pocket for that. If you were not at the Sept. meeting, but would still like to register for City Tournament, contact Dave Cole (H-210-658-16135 or Cell-210-274-1588)

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President Harvey Holmes asked the club members to start considering nominations for Sportsman of the Year.....lets not wait until the last minute, like we did last year. He also suggested forming a committee to garner possible candidates for club Officers.

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**METRO REPORT:** Charlie Sievers, Jr., Randi Wayland, Dave Cole, and Scott Hutzler, and Steve Connelley were present at this meeting.

Eight out of ten clubs were represented. Treasurer's report : Balance forward \$21,522.69. Expenses : Donation to ARC, \$200.00; donation to Boysville, \$200.00; and General Liability Insurance, \$1.051. Ending balance : \$20,071.69.

A Guest Speaker was present : Greg Riddle from Shoreline Boat and RV Repair. He has a shop in Smithville, Missouri, Tulsa, Oklahoma, and his newest shop in Pflugerville, Texas. He was at

the meeting to let clubs know about his business...basically fiberglass and gel coat work. You can contact Greg with the following numbers : (p) 512-251-1200, (f) 512-251-1203...or by E-mail : GregR@ShorelineBoatandRV.com

Entry Forms for the METRO tournament were given out. Brandon Beck volunteered to run the "Calcutta". Dave Cole volunteered to be the Weigh Master.

Registration will remain at \$30.00 with OPTIONAL \$5.00 for Big Bass pot ( \$1.00 of which goes into the Stripper pot). Disregard the last sentence in rule #8, as this was not deleted from last year's rules.

\*\*\*Payout for the METRO Tournament will be : 1<sup>st</sup> Place - \$300.00 ; 2<sup>nd</sup> Place - \$200.00 ; 3<sup>rd</sup> Place - \$150.00; ....

4<sup>th</sup> through 7<sup>th</sup> place - \$100.00, and every other 7<sup>th</sup> slot afterward will receive \$100.00 (up to 131<sup>st</sup> place).

The last five places with a fish weighed will win \$50.00 each.

Brenda asks each club for one volunteer to help at the tournament. (David Glenney is UCBC's Volunteer). A couple of items that Brenda stressed were : 1. Make sure your rig and trailer are parked within the lines, if you launch at Diablo East. 2. Read your Entry Forms closely for weigh-in times Saturday and Sunday, 3. METRO is using mesh bags for weigh-in...keep your fish in that bag in your livewell until you pull up to the scale.

Wayne Tauer of Rebel Bass Club is seeking corporate sponsors for the METRO Tournament.... Sponsorships are \$200.00, and your company's name will appear on the METRO T-shirt given to each participant. Contact Wayne at the Boat Shop...210-659-7410

Steve Connelley extended an invitation to the clubs present to attend the TOP 8 Fundraiser at his house on September 7<sup>th</sup>.

Randi Wayland gave a TABC report.

The next METRO meeting is September 18<sup>th</sup> , 2013 at 7:30 at the Universal City VFW.

## **TABC REPORT:**

**The State Tournament** is the last weekend in September at Sam Rayburn Reservoir. All functions will take place at the Umphrey Family Pavilion. Friday Sept. 27, registration begins at 4:00 PM and ends at 7:30. Next, at 7:31 , the Captain's Meeting will begin. The meal Saturday night is at the Umphrey, weigh-in both days is at the Umphrey, and the Awards ceremony Sunday afternoon will be there, also. The main problem encountered, this year, is that the Chamber of Commerce is only allowing for the use of the Pavilion, but TABC is having to pay for the meal....\$4,000.00 ( an item that used to be paid for by the C of C. UCBC still needs to pay for the entry fee for this event.

\*TABC has added a separate Ladies division, and a separate Junior Division ( 18 years old and under )for club members that are not in the Top 8...and there is no entry fee. The winners of each Division will win a Trophy. Go to the TABC website to get registered for this.

**Miscellaneous :**

- Scott Hutzler is donating a \$25.00 gift card to UCBC as the UCBC Door Prize at METRO. Mrs. Patricia Tibbit donated 10 rod and reel combos to Randi Wayland for her Boysville and ARC events. One of the combos was a “Custom” rod made by Larry Rabe of Rockport, Tx. with an Abu Garcia 6500C4 Reel. It’s a Saltwater set up. Randi is donating it to the club to be used as a Raffle item either at the METRO Tournament, or at next year’s Annual Fundraiser....depending on the value of the Rod and Reel.
- **Who has the UCBC Banner ??????**

**Meeting adjourned at 8:10**

**Charlie Sievers, Jr.  
UCBC, Secretary**