

# AUGUST 2023



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Dear COMI Members,

July was another busy month for the club. We had our July meeting at the Galena Boat Ramp. After a short meeting, several members went out and caught some nice fish, despite the heavy boat traffic.

July 13th was the annual youth event. We had a great turnout this year and the weather ended up being perfect. I think we gave out around 75 rods and reels. Several catfish were caught. Thanks to everyone that volunteered for this event. It was a hit with the kids.

Our meetings start back up in August and they are back to PJ's. Cliff Honeycutt will be doing a presentation on Tips to make your time on the water more productive. Thanks Cliff for doing this.

August 12th is our second ODNR Conservation Day coordinated by Kyle Chapman. Please contact Kyle for further information.

The Fall Season Kickoff will be held at CJ Brown on September 9th and 10th.

Thanks to Turk for running the August meeting as I will be in Northern Manitoba on a pike trip. I will see everyone back in September.

Be safe on the water!

Thanks,

Greg



# For Your Information...



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Greetings Muskie Inc. club officers-

This letter is to make you aware of a new application within the Muskie Angler Log. For some time, Muskies Inc. clubs have expressed interest in sharing catch data reported in the Muskies Inc. Lunge Log with Ohio's Muskie Angler Log. Clubs recognize that some of their members choose to report their catches only in the Lunge Log and capturing this data in the Muskie Angler Log would be beneficial.

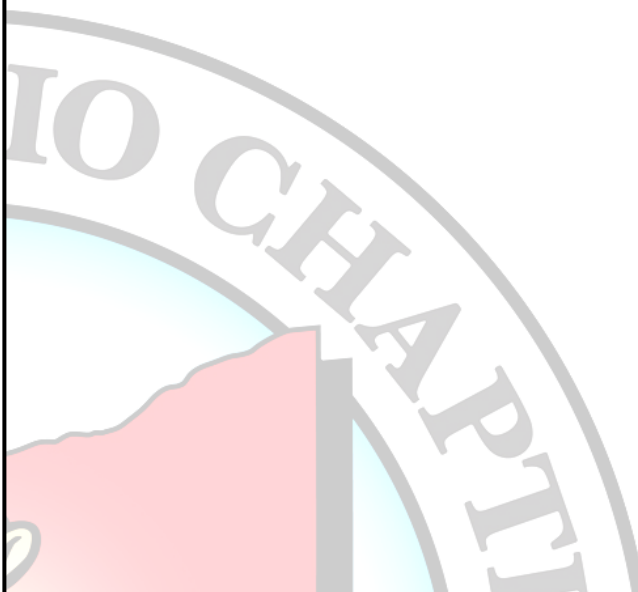
We are excited to announce that there now exists a method for sharing Ohio Muskie catch data reported in the Lunge Log with the Muskie Angler Log – it is called the [Lunge Log Data Sharing Program](#). The program was developed in collaboration with leaders from Muskies Inc. and is designed to integrate **angler approved** Lunge Log catch data with the Muskie Angler Log. We ask that you please share this information with your membership.

### How it works

The process is really quite easy. An angler who wishes to share his/her catch information reported in the Lunge Log simply needs to create a profile in the Muskie Angler Log and indicate within that profile their willingness to share their Lunge Log data. This is done within the club affiliation section of the Muskie Angler Log by:

- 1) Entering Yes for "Are you a member of a Muskies, Inc. club";
- 2) Providing a MI club member ID (this will be used by MI to identify an angler's catches); and
- 3) Select the "Share Lunge Log Catches" box.

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That's it. By following these steps, an angler gives Muskies Inc. permission to provide catch data to the Muskie Angler Log. Catch data shared will include dates, locations, lengths of fish caught, and whether fish were harvested or released.

Catch data from the Lunge Log will be collected and imported into the Muskie Angler Log annually.

Note: we request that anglers who share their Lunge Log catch data **DO NOT** report the same catches in the Muskie Angler Log, as this will create duplicate catch reports. The Lunge Log Data Sharing Program is **ONLY** for those anglers who do not report catches in the Muskie Angler Log.

Thank you for your time and support. Feel free to contact us with any questions.

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## Fisherman Spotlight

The Fisherman Spotlight is an opportunity to highlight great catches and members of the club. The Spotlight does not necessarily go to the biggest fish caught each month.



July's fishermen\* of the month go to all the volunteers and participants of the Youth Event at the Pak of Roses. If you haven't seen the additional photos and video on Facebook (thanks for the great video Dan, and all who posted pictures), they're special. It was once again another successful event, and it's only possible because of the members who sacrifice their time to help put it together before and during the event. A big thank you to all the volunteers, hopefully the passion for fishing will stick with some of the kids forever.



**Official 2022 Lunkers of the Month**  
Members Largest by Month in 2022

Name	Length	Date Caught	Lake - City, State
Cliff Honeycutt	45.00"	01/31/2022	Melton Hill Lake - Anderson, TN
Cliff Honeycutt	45.50"	02/21/2022	Melton Hill Lake - Anderson, TN
Cliff Honeycutt	44.00"	03/22/2022	Alum Creek Res - Delaware, OH
Justin Knecht	45.50"	04/28/2022	Alum Creek Res - Franklin, OH
Bill Kulju	47.00"	05/23/2022	Alum Creek Res - Delaware, OH
Clint Olson	50.50"	06/25/2022	Lake St. Clair - Ontario, ON
Michael Ruffing	49.50"	07/31/2022	Lake St. Clair - Ontario, ON
Mark Pauling	50.00"	08/24/2022	Lake St. Clair - Ontario, ON
Robert Cox	50.50"	09/06/2022	Lake St. Clair - Ontario, ON
Marc Grattan	50.00"	10/30/2022	Lake St. Clair - Ontario, ON
George Weber	49.50"	11/05/2022	Detroit River - Ontario, ON
Justin Knecht	49.75"	12/11/2022	Clear Fork Reservoir - Richland, OH



# Chapter Fish List



**My Chapter MOFC as of: 08/06/2023 for Chapter 41**  
Muskies, Inc.

#	Member No	Name	Division	Caught	Points	Avg Length	Max Length
1	8373	Maurice J Potvin	Mens Masters	105	1,064	36.11"	41.00"
2	31096	Cliff Honeycutt	Mens Masters	97	1,028	36.56"	47.00"
3	47582	Steve Ault	Mens Masters	87	1,014	37.60"	46.60"
4	46555	George Weber	Mens Masters	58	782	39.31"	46.00"
5	35038	William Lambert	Mens Masters	41	398	35.57"	39.50"
6	39289	Tony Crisp	Mens Masters	26	299	37.33"	44.50"
7	25398	James Grattan	Mens Masters	22	262	37.84"	50.00"
8	25609	Marc Grattan	Mens Masters	18	236	38.97"	50.00"
9	14617	Ron L. Fisher	Mens Masters	13	120	35.12"	42.50"
10	7905	Mark Pauling	Mens Masters	6	63	36.50"	39.00"
11	37534	Gary Solomon	Mens Masters	4	38	35.38"	36.50"
12	17811	Elmer W Heyob Jr	Mens Masters	2	18	35.00"	37.00"
13	39472	Jack Worline	Mens Masters	1	9	35.00"	35.00"
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1	51924	Ivan Beachy	Mens Division	63	665	36.56"	45.00"
2	107175	Bob Parnisari	Mens Division	24	252	36.40"	49.25"
3	110009	Michael Mcdonald	Mens Division	20	249	38.24"	45.50"
4	108099	Shane Holcomb	Mens Division	13	159	38.15"	46.75"
5	104666	Clint Olson	Mens Division	15	156	36.37"	50.25"
6	107242	Edward Psurny	Mens Division	13	140	36.67"	44.00"
7	49962	Bob Sisson	Mens Division	14	135	35.57"	45.00"
8	44021	John Wagner	Mens Division	11	120	36.86"	41.00"
9	50391	John Marks	Mens Division	8	100	38.47"	43.25"
10	107552	Dave Flockerzie	Mens Division	9	99	36.94"	43.00"
11	40804	Greg Them	Mens Division	8	91	37.13"	39.00"
12	104212	Justin Knecht	Mens Division	7	87	38.29"	46.50"
13	51332	Fred Lane	Mens Division	8	82	36.22"	44.25"
14	110140	Ryan Dieter	Mens Division	6	76	38.42"	41.00"
15	108101	Jason Hutcheson	Mens Division	7	72	36.07"	41.00"
16	107615	Christopher Laux	Mens Division	7	71	35.96"	47.50"
17	107306	Jacob Davis	Mens Division	7	65	35.29"	37.00"
18	51702	Dan Brooks	Mens Division	6	64	36.67"	41.00"
19	50301	Patrick Frase	Mens Division	5	51	35.90"	37.50"
20	105318	Brandon Knecht	Mens Division	3	47	41.58"	51.25"
21	100199	Daniel Collins	Mens Division	4	45	36.88"	38.50"
22	103992	Thomas Smith	Mens Division	4	37	35.13"	36.00"
23	31817	Mike Stumph	Mens Division	3	32	36.67"	39.00"
24	102908	Aaron Schifer	Mens Division	2	31	41.50"	45.00"
25	102512	Jon Emery	Mens Division	3	29	35.50"	40.50"
26	51736	Bill Kulju	Mens Division	2	21	36.50"	37.00"
27	110085	John Combs	Mens Division	2	20	35.75"	36.00"
28	108886	Ralph Angstmann	Mens Division	2	13	32.50"	34.00"
29	49285	Nick Fraver	Mens Division	1	5	31.00"	31.00"
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1	10276	Margaret Pauling	Womens Masters	3	38	38.67"	41.00"
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1	102727	Ashley Ruffing	Womens Division	6	66	37.00"	42.00"
2	110010	Luann Jones	Womens Division	6	64	36.38"	38.75"
#	Member No	Name	Division	Caught	Points	Avg Length	Max Length
3	105600	Linda Hull	Womens Division	2	24	37.75"	42.00"
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1	106823	Gavin Cain	Juniors Fry	7	76	36.86"	43.00"
1	108792	Jackson Friend-hutcheson	Juniors Fry	2	22	37.00"	38.00"





# Club Points

Central Ohio Muskies, Inc. Chapter 41 2023 Club Tournament Championship								
	Conservation Day	Jon Fisher Memorial Tournament	Russ Dodridge Memorial	Summer Night Bite	Youth Event	Fall Season Kick Off	Fall Shoot Out	Point
Members	Alum Creek	Salt Fork	Alum Creek	Alum Creek	Park of Roses	CJ Brown	Caesars Creek	Total
Dave Flockerzie	5	28.5	17	47	0	0	0	97.5
George Smart	0	0	27.5	22.25	0	0	0	49.75
Fred Lane	5	15	23.25	5	0	0	0	48.25
Bob Smart	0	0	24.25	16	0	0	0	40.25
Jon Emery	0	5	21	5	0	0	0	31
Bill Lambert	0	16	5	5	0	0	0	26
Ed Psumy	0	0	20.75	5	0	0	0	25.75
Bob Pamisari	0	25	0	0	0	0	0	25
Dan Brooks	0	0	17	0	0	0	0	17
Turk Michel	5	0	5	5	0	0	0	15
Martin Hoover	5	0	5	5	0	0	0	15
James Grattan	0	0	11.5	0	0	0	0	11.5
Chris Laux	0	10.5	0	0	0	0	0	10.5
Bill Kulju	5	5	0	0	0	0	0	10
Patrick Colopy	5	5	0	0	0	0	0	10
Jack Worline	0	0	5	5	0	0	0	10
Dan Collins	0	0	5	5	0	0	0	10
Cliff Honeycutt	0	0	5	5	0	0	0	10
Eric Morris	0	0	5	5	0	0	0	10
Shane Holcomb	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	5
Tom Smith	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	5
Jim Barton	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	5
Thuman Adair	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	5
Jacob Davis	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	5
Bob Sisson	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
Cam Theron	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
Kyle Chapman	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
Laundon Daugstrap	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
Tony Crisp	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
Marc Grattan	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	5
Rvan Dieter	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	5



## Muskies Inc #41 Central Ohio Chapter 2023 Event Schedule (4/3/23 Turk)



Jan 10<sup>th</sup> 7p 2023 Kick Off Meeting @ PJ's

Jan 27<sup>th</sup> – 29<sup>th</sup> Ohio Muskie Show – Makoy Center, Hilliard OH

Feb 10<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> Columbus Fishing Expo @ Ohio State Fairgrounds

Feb 14<sup>th</sup> 7p Meeting @ PJ's (ODNR/Dow/Stocking Program UD)

Mar 14<sup>th</sup> 7p Meeting @ PJ's (LURE AUCTION)

Mar 18<sup>th</sup> 10a ODNR Conservation Day @ Alum Creek

Apr 1<sup>st</sup> MI Gil Hamm Foundation Grant application period opens, applications due by 7/31

April 12<sup>th</sup> 7p **Meeting- Smokehouse Brewery 1130 Dublin Rd 43215**

April 15<sup>th</sup> 5-9p Awards Banquet- Social Hall of Church of the Resurrection  
6300 East Dublin Granville Rd.

**April 29<sup>th</sup> - 30<sup>th</sup> John Fisher Memorial @ Salt Fork**

Ohio AG Update Due

May 9<sup>th</sup> 7p **Meeting @ Smokehouse Brewery 1130 Dublin Rd 43215**

May 6<sup>th</sup>-7<sup>th</sup> MI Region 3 Chapter Challenge @ Raystown Lake, PA

Jun 3<sup>rd</sup> - 4<sup>th</sup> Ohio Chapter Challenge @ Salt Fork

Jun 13<sup>th</sup> 6p **Meeting @ Alum Creek, New Galena Ramps Shelter house (Dodridge preview)**

**Jun 17<sup>th</sup> -18<sup>th</sup> Russ Dodridge Memorial @ Alum Creek**

**Jun 23<sup>rd</sup> Fri 6p-Midnight - Nite Bite Club Outing @ Alum Creek**

July 8<sup>th</sup> – 9<sup>th</sup> – MI Can/Am Challenge @ Lake St Clair

July 11<sup>th</sup> 6p **Meeting @ Alum Creek, New Galena Ramps (Shelter house)**

**July 13<sup>th</sup> Youth Event @ Whetstone Park of Roses Pond**

Aug 8<sup>th</sup> 7p **Meeting @ PJ's – Plan CJB Kickoff**

**Aug 12<sup>th</sup> ODNR Conservation Day @ Alum Creek**

**Sep 9<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup> Fall Season Kickoff @ CJ Brown**

SAM Update Due

Sept 12<sup>th</sup> \*7p **Meeting @ PJ's – Plan Joint Tourn & Fall Shootout Lucky 7 Lures tbd**

**Sept 23<sup>rd</sup>-24<sup>th</sup> MI Chapters 19 & 41 Joint Tournament @ West Branch**

**Oct 7<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> Fall Shootout @ Caesars Creek**

Oct 31<sup>st</sup> Deadline to submit 2023 Chapter Events to MI for the 2024 calendar.

Oct 10<sup>th</sup> 7p **Meeting @ PJ's - Establish 2022 event schedule. Lucky 7 Lures tbd**

Nov 14<sup>th</sup> 7p **Meeting @ PJ's – Annual Chapter Officer Elections. Lucky 7 Lures tbd**

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Dec 12<sup>th</sup> 7p @ PJ's – Annual Christmas Party!

### MI41COC Schedule Summary

10 Meetings  
6 Tournaments held  
3 MI Challenge tournaments.  
2 Show booth weekends.  
2 Conservation Days.  
1 Youth Event.  
1 Lure Auction.  
1 Awards Banquet.  
1 Christmas Party.

