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## 202 kids fishing on the Minnesota River

Here is why the New Ulm Area Fishermen can be proud of the work we do! It is to put a smile on the faces of 202 kids and their parents down by the Minnesota River! None of this would be possible without volunteers selling tickets and helping out at our events! Thanks to our members we are able to host a Kids Fishing Contest, Winter Fishing Contest, give out scholarships, help support the River Ranger Program, and do community/river cleanup projects. Thanks For All You Do!



## Club Calendar

- August 23rd. . . . . NUASF Club Meeting
- September 13th. . . . . Social Night at the Club House
- September 15th. . . . . Peterman's Fall Fishing Contest
- September 27th. . . . . Social Night at the Club House
- October 25th. . . . . NUASF Club Meeting





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## From the President .....

By Jason Kuester

First things first, I would like to thank all of the volunteers that helped with the Kids fishing contest. Everyone did a great job!!! We had our best turnout ever this year on the river. (202 Happy Kids) Thanks Again!!

I would like to remind everyone about the Peterman's Fall Fishing Contest. The date is Saturday September 15th, starts at noon and goes until the last man is standing. It is on the Minnesota River off of the bottom road by Hwy 4 (watch for the signs). All proceeds go to the EE Mecklenburg Scholarship. HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE!!! (P.S. Bring a camper if you can, there is plenty of room!!!!)

Labor Day is just around the corner, where did summer go? As you all know River Blast planning is under way. The dates for the event are August 31st and September 1st. Scott is looking for bartenders to work the beer tent, if you are available please contact him at 507-276-2280 or at yasure@lycos.com

Tickets are here for the Ice Castle Fish House, you can pick them up at the next meeting. If you are unable to attend the meeting and would like some tickets, please contact Ross Nelson 507-766-0765 rnuw@newulmtel.net or Ken Sutherland 507-276-1534 ken.sutherland@ci.new-ulm.mn.us or myself at 507-381-2041 jr@newulmtel.net The tickets come in books of 5 and are \$20.00 each. If you take the tickets you will be responsible for selling them or turning them back in before the Ice Fishing Contest in February

Here are some important upcoming events for your calendars. The first event is the Peterman's Fall Club Fishing Contest. Plans are also being made for the winter fishing trip. There has been a lot of talk about going back to Dixon Lake Resort after the Ice Fishing Contest. If you plan on attending this trip and would like to be part of the planning, please come to the next meeting or contact me at 507-381-2041 or jr@newulmtel.net with your request.

Summer is here and what a great time to bring our friends and family to the New Ulm Area Sport Fisherman Club. We are always looking for new members to join. If you know of someone bring them along and show them how much fun we have at our club. As always, bring a friend and each of you will receive a free refreshment of your choice!

Hope to see you at the next meeting!!

Have a great day!!!

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### The NUASF Board

President - Jason Kuester (381-2041); Vice-President - Gary Sprenger (359-9358); Secretary - Ross Nelson (507-766-0765) Treasurer - Tony Miller (354-2457); Board Members: Ron Ludewig (507-276-6093), Mike Buechner (354-2739 s), Ken Sutherland (507-276-1534).

Monthly Meeting July 26th , 2012 Members Present: 33+

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**. Secretary Report**

A) Motion made by Jim Leibl and seconded Dick Petermann to accept report as read. Passed unanimously.

**II. Treasury Report**

A) Motion made by Jim Liebl and seconded by Jim Hulke to accept report as read. Passed unanimously.

**III. Old Business**

A) Membership update.

1) Membership stands at 187 with 439 due

B) Area Lakes and Rivers Report.

1) Bitters S.D. - HOT

2) Lake Diefenbacher – Good time, good fishing, had to throw 40 fish back.

3) Lake Wahington – Barkers Bay – Great fishing.

C) Club House and Grounds Update.

1) Siding project almost finished. Looks great many thanks to Gary Sprenger

2) Bruce Wahlstrom donated a riding lawn mower. Everyone is welcomed to

help w/ mowing.

3) Jim Leibl will make extensions for rod holders in building.

4) Very disappointing turnout for Erv Fischer fishing day.

5) **Ledger board needs to be added for future deck**

**IV) Other Old Business**

A) None

V) New Business

A) Tony Miller Discussed Asian Carp invasion. Needs help for Brown County Fair.

1) Glen Rasmussen talked to Paul Torkelson. Politicians are not sure what to do about the Problem. Paul Torkelson has been invited to a meeting.

2) Jason Kuester will put together a list of politicians to contact.

3) Outdoor News has good updates on the Asian Carp problem.

4) U of M Carp expert should be invited back to discuss similarities between species.

C) Youth Fishing Contest Update

1) Currently collecting prizes from businesses.

2) Should have enough rods and reels.

3) Grill needs cleaning.

4) Sentence to serve working on river bank. Removing brush and trimming trees.

5) Sign up sheet for volunteers.

6) Tom Simonson to coordinate the food.

D) Orin Schultz suggested bullheads caught on Clear Lake should not be thrown back. Limit is 100.

E) Scott Sparlin requested a donation to Riverblast. Request was tabled and sent to the board for review.

**VI) Other New Business**

A) Discussion about taking the Ice Castle Fish House to local events. Anyone is welcomed to do so. Need some one to coordinate.

B) Mike Dienken's son is paralyzed from a recent swimming accident. A discussion was had to coordinate a fundraising event for Mike and his son.

C) Any email issues see Ken Sutherland. Everyone please consider email copy of newsletter instead of a hard copy.

**VII) Adjourn** – Orin Schultz , 2nd Dick Petermann.

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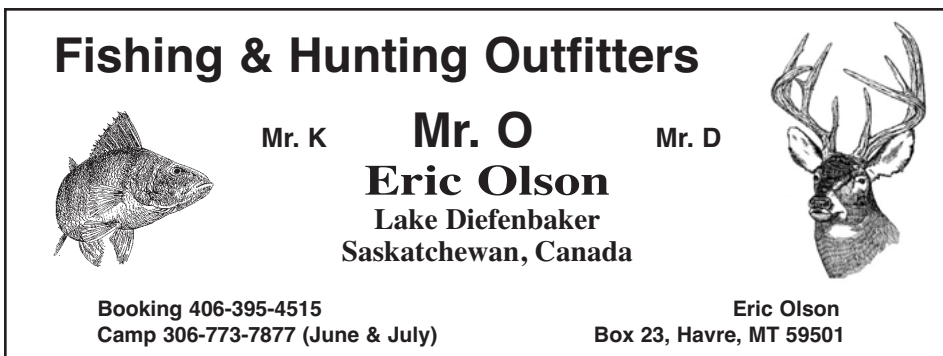
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