

The Muskellunge Club of Wisconsin 2013 Annual Report



44" – Chippewa Flowage

60th Anniversary

1953 – 2013

Musky fisherman, it has been said, are hopeless romantics. Not so. They're romantics all right, but they're also full of hope and anticipation of the satisfaction that only a muskie can provide.

A tradition of sportsmanship continues

Our 60th Year 2013 Fishing Results

Listed below is the complete Honor Roll of the 2013 fishing season. The information and statistics are based on affidavits submitted by our club members.

2013 CLUB CHAMPION - Released:	Brenda Dettloff – 44” Chippewa Flowage
2013 MEN’S CHAMPION – Released:	Kurt Ketcham – 43.75” South Twin
2013 JUNIOR CHAMPION - Released	Alex Slusarski – 38” Riley
2013 HYBRID CHAMPION - Released:	Russ Ruland – 42” Lac Vieux Desert
2013 CANADA CHAMPION:	Dave Dawson – 48” Kakagi
2013 GUIDE CHAMPION:	Andy Van Slett – 49.75” Green Bay
MUSKELLUNGE RECOGNITION AWARD	Alex Slusarski – 46” Cliff – Canada
2013 SPRING OUTING CHAMPION:	Kurt Ketcham – 43.75” South Twin
2013 CLUB LEAGUE CHAMPION:	Kurt Ketcham

THE WISCONSIN TOP ROD AWARD WINNERS ARE AS FOLLOWS:

MONTH	NAME	LENGTH	WATER	BAIT
May	Wayne Wold	34.5”	Pickerel	Bucktail
June	Kurt Ketcham	43.75”	South Twin	Bucktail
July	No Award			
August	Brenda Dettloff	36”	Chippewa Flowage	LeLure Creeper
September	Brenda Dettloff	44”	Chippewa Flowage	LeLure Creeper
October	Brenda Dettloff	36”	Chippewa Flowage	Wick Flaptail
November	No Award			
December	No Award			

To qualify for the above awards, our members must have their affidavit postmarked by the tenth of the month following the date of the catch. This requirement is a **MUST** as a potential winner could lose out because of failure to file by the required date.

CLUB STATISTICS

Percent of Total Catch by Month	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013
March								1%	2%	
April								2%		
May	6%	5%	0	5%	7%	4%	4%	12%	8%	1%
June	15%	6%	10%	18%	24%	6%	11%	11%	25%	12%
July	19%	9%	12%	19%	29%	34%	19%	25%	28%	18%
August	41%	30%	12%	18%	22%	27%	17%	20%	21%	12%
September	6%	26%	8%	26%	8%	23%	16%	14%	8%	20%
October	13%	19%	9%	10%	10%	6%	27%	9%	6%	31%
November	0	5%	3%	2%	0	0	6%	8%	4%	6%
December								2%		

Average Length By Month

March								38"	34"	
April						32"				
May	41"	36"	0	39"	37"	36"	39"	38"	41"	35"
June	37"	39"	38"	39"	38"	39"	38"	39"	38"	38"
July	40"	44"	39"	41"	39"	37"	41"	40"	40"	40"
August	39"	38"	40"	41"	40"	39"	39"	36"	37"	40"
September	38"	40"	40"	38"	40"	41"	39"	38"	37"	41"
October	38"	39"	40"	41"	42"	36"	40"	38"	38"	38"
November	0	36"	39"	45"	0	0	41"	39"	52"	41"
December								37"		

Average Length By Lure

Jerk	40"	39"	40"	40"	39"	38"	39"	36"	39"	40"
Bucktail	39"	39"	38"	39"	39"	39"	40"	40"	39"	40"
Crankbait	37"	34"	39"	39"	41"	36"	39"	39"	40"	37"
Surface	40"	40"	39"	40"	39"	39"	42"	40"	37"	39"
Sucker	38"	37"	41"	42"	41"	0	39"	39"	42"	42"

Percent Caught By Time of Day

Morning	29%	42%	30%	42%	18%	33%	29%	40%	30%	35%
Afternoon	32%	26%	22%	19%	36%	18%	37%	23%	32%	39%
Evening	39%	32%	48%	39%	46%	49%	34%	37%	38%	36%

Average Length By Time of Day

Morning	39"	40"	40"	40"	41"	38"	38"	36"	40"	42"
Afternoon	39"	38"	39"	40"	39"	38"	42"	39"	39"	36"
Evening	38"	40"	39"	40"	39"	39"	39"	40"	38"	40"

In 2013, the largest muskie caught was 49.75 inches and the average length for all the muskies registered is 39 inches. There were 66 fish registered.

Enjoy the 2014 fishing season.

2013 HONOR ROLL

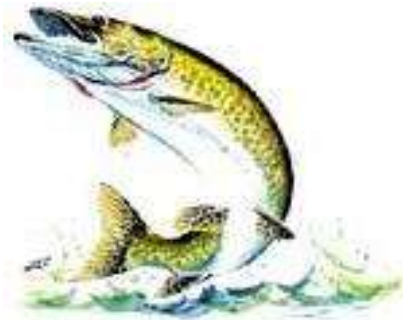
Name	Length	Date	Time	Water	Lure
<u>May</u>					
Wayne Wold	37"	05-28	5:45 PM	Moose	Billy Finn
<u>June</u>					
Kurt Ketcham	43.75"	06-07	6:55 PM	South Twin	Bucktail
Russ Ruland	35"	06-08	12:00 PM	South Twin	Bucktail
Russ Ruland	39.5"	06-08	1:00 PM	South Twin	Bucktail
Russ Ruland	43"	06-08	8:00 PM	South Twin	Bucktail
Rich Schilz	38"	06-08	9:30 AM	South Twin	Twin Spin
Kurt Ketcham	34.5"	06-13	5:30 PM	Pewaukee	Bucktail
Ben Niermann	35"	06-15	12:30 PM	Clear	Slammer
Alex Slusarski	38"	06-16	4:30 PM	Riley	Mepps #4
<u>July</u>					
Russ Ruland	37"	07-15	2:00 PM	Cliff - Canada	Bucktail
Alex Slusarski	32"	07-17	1:00 PM	Cliff - Canada	Bucktail
Alex Slusarski	46"	07-17	8:16 PM	Cliff - Canada	#4 Mepps Springer
Dave Dawson	48"	07-19	7:37 PM	Kakagi - Canada	D2 inline spinner
Dave Dawson	42"	07-19	5:55 PM	Kakagi - Canada	D2 Cowbell
Dave Dawson	41"	07-21	9:06 PM	Kakagi - Canada	Bull Dawg
Dave Dawson	30"	07-21	8:37 PM	Kakagi - Canada	Bull Dawg
Dave Dawson	46"	07-21	5:49 PM	Kakagi - Canada	Bull Dawg
Dave Dawson	30.5"	07-23	4:18 PM	Lake of the Woods	Bull Dawg
Dave Dawson	39.25"	07-24	9:00 PM	Kakagi - Canada	Bull Dawg
Dave Dawson	39"	07-26	9:00 PM	Kakagi - Canada	Bull Dawg
John Dettloff	44"	07-30	6:50 AM	Chippewa Flowage	LeLure Creeper
<u>August</u>					
Brenda Dettloff	35.5"	08-01	8:30 PM	Chippewa Flowage	LeLure Creeper
Andy Van Slett	42.5"	08-02	5:30 PM	Pewaukee	Trolling
John Dettloff	40"	08-04	8:30 PM	Chippewa Flowage	Water Thumper
John Dettloff	35.5"	08-05	8:30 PM	Chippewa Flowage	Water Thumper
Andy Van Slett	43.5"	08-08	6:00 PM	Pewaukee	Trolling
Brenda Dettloff	36"	08-10	9:20 PM	Chippewa Flowage	LeLure Creeper
Russ Ruland	45"	08-28	9:00 PM	Cliff - Canada	Thumper
Russ Ruland	41"	08-30	1:30 PM	Cliff - Canada	Globe
<u>September</u>					
Phil Grubisic	38"	09-01	9:30 AM	Cliff - Canada	Bucktail
Russ Ruland	33"	09-02	8:35 AM	Cliff - Canada	Topwater
Russ Ruland	37"	09-03	7:45 PM	Cliff - Canada	Topwater
Brenda Dettloff	34.5"	09-04	9:10 PM	Chippewa Flowage	LeLure Creeper
Andy Van Slett	49.75"	09-06	5:00 PM	Green Bay	Squirrelly Burt
Russ Ruland	44"	09-06	1:55 PM	Cliff - Canada	Bucktail
Brenda Dettloff	44"	09-07	8:30 PM	Chippewa Flowage	LeLure Creeper
John Dettloff	45"	09-08	7:30 PM	Chippewa Flowage	John's Globe
Russ Ruland	43"	09-08	11:45 AM	Cliff - Canada	Bucktail
Brenda Dettloff	36.75"	09-13	7:10 PM	Chippewa Flowage	Tap Dancer
Russ Ruland	42"	09-18	3:30 PM	Lac Vieux Desert	Spinner Bait
Brenda Dettloff	44"	09-19	6:50 PM	Chippewa Flowage	Wick Flaptail
John Dettloff	39.5"	09-25	7:25 PM	Chippewa Flowage	John's Globe

2013 HONOR ROLL

<u>Name</u>	<u>Length</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Water</u>	<u>Lure</u>
<u>October</u>					
Brenda Dettloff	36"	10-07	7:55 PM	Chippewa Flowage	Wick Flaptail
Andy Van Slett	47.75"	10-19	8:10 AM	Waubesa	Squirrely Burt
Andy Van Slett	34.75"	10-24	7:45 AM	X	RJ 7" Redhorse
Andy Van Slett	32.75"	10-24	11:20 AM	X	RJ 7" Redhorse
Andy Van Slett	35"	10-24	11:45 AM	X	RJ 7" Redhorse
Andy Van Slett	35.5"	10-24	11:45 AM	X	RJ 7" Redhorse
Andy Van Slett	36.5"	10-24	1:00 PM	X	RJ 7" Redhorse
Andy Van Slett	38"	10-24	12:56 PM	X	Sucker
Andy Van Slett	39.5"	10-24	9:45 AM	X	RJ 7" Redhorse
Andy Van Slett	40.0"	10-24	1:15 PM	X	RJ 7" Redhorse
Andy Van Slett	41.25"	10-24	10:00 AM	X	RJ 7" Redhorse
Andy Van Slett	42.25"	10-24	11:00 AM	X	RJ 7" Redhorse
Andy Van Slett	28"	10-26	8:20 AM	X	RJ 7" Redhorse
Andy Van Slett	42.5"	10-26	10:00 AM	X	RJ 7" Redhorse
Andy Van Slett	31"	10-29	7:00 AM	X	RJ 7" Redhorse
Andy Van Slett	37.5"	10-29	6:45 AM	X	RJ 7" Redhorse
Andy Van Slett	39.5"	10-29	10:40 AM	X	RJ 7" Redhorse
Andy Van Slett	41.75"	10-29	10:50 AM	X	Sucker
Andy Van Slett	44.75"	10-29	10:50 AM	X	RJ 7" Redhorse
Andy Van Slett	42.75"	10-29	12:00 PM	X	RJ 7" Redhorse

November

Andy Van Slett	36"	11-02	7:40 PM	X	RJ 7" Redhorse
Andy Van Slett	38.75"	11-02	8:45 AM	X	RJ 7" Redhorse
Andy Van Slett	41.25"	11-02	8:20 AM	X	RJ 7" Redhorse
Andy Van Slett	46.25"	11-10	2:45 PM	Waubesa	Sucker



Kurt Ketcham – 43.75” Men’s Champion
June Top Rod
Spring Outing Champion



Alex Slusarski – 38” Junior Champion



Dave Dawson – 48” Canada Champion – Senior



Russ Ruland – 42” Hybrid Champion



Andy Van Slett – 49.75”
Guide Champion



Alex Slusarski – 46”



Wayne Wold – 34.5” May Top Rod



Brenda Dettloff – 36” August Top Rod



Brenda Dettloff – 36” October Top Rod



Dave Dawson– 46”



Russ Ruland – 45”



Ben Niermann – 35”



Phil Grubisic – 38”



John Dettloff – 45”



Rich Schilz – 38”



Brenda Dettloff – 44”



Russ Ruland – 44”



Spring Outing – 43”



Spring Outing 2013

